

**Berea Christian Church**  
**December 6, 2020 – 11:00 AM**  
**Robert L. Stovall, Pastor**

*The worship of the Triune God is the believer's most important duty. We are told in John 4:23-24 that God the Father is seeking those who will worship Him in spirit and truth. As you prepare for this worship service, purpose to be a participant, not a spectator. Join in the praise of the congregational singing (even if the song is unfamiliar); join in the joyful giving of tithes and offerings; pray along with the pastor, adding your "Amen" (signifying your agreement with the petition, confession of sin, or adoration); and carefully listen to God speaking through the preaching of His Word. May our Sovereign Lord receive glory as you actively worship Him.*

**Lord's Day Morning Worship**

**Prelude**      *Processional for a Joyful Day*      **Rob Cutchins**  
**Greeting**      *Welcome & Exhortation*      **Pastor Rob Stovall**  
**Call To Worship**      *Psalm 63:1-5*      **Pastor Stovall**  
**Hymn # 23**      *"The God of Abraham Praise"*      **The Church of Christ**  
**Confession of Sin:**      **The Church of Christ**  
 Pastor: Have mercy upon me, O God, according to the multitude of Your tender mercies.  
**People: Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.**  
 Pastor: I acknowledge my transgressions, and my sin is always before me.  
**People: Against You I have sinned and done this evil in Your sight.**  
 Pastor: Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean.  
**People: Wash me and I shall be whiter than snow.**  
 Pastor: Create in me a clean heart, O God,  
**People: And renew a steadfast spirit within me. Amen.**

**The Word of Pardon:**      *Psalm 28:6*      **Pastor Stovall**  
**Response of Praise:**      **The Church of Christ**  
 Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.  
 As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
 World without end. Amen, Amen.  
**Old Testament Reading:**      *Leviticus 19:1-18*      **Pastor Stovall**  
**Response to the Word:**  
 Pastor: The grass withers, the flower fades,  
**People: But the word of our God stands forever.**  
**Offertory Hymn # 270**      **The Church of Christ**  
*"Joy to the World!"*  
**Tithes and Offerings**      **The Church of Christ**  
**Prayers of Adoration & Intercession**      **Pastor Stovall**  
*Leading in Prayer*  
**New Testament Reading:**      *Hebrews 6:13-20*      **Pastor Stovall**  
**Response to the Word:**  
 Pastor: This is the word of the Lord,  
**People: Thanks be to God.**  
**Preaching of the Word**      *Matthew 5:27-48*      **Pastor Stovall**  
*"Sermon on the Mount: The Heart of the Law"*  
**Celebrating the Lord's Table**      **The Church of Christ**  
**Hymn # 348**      *"My Savior's Love"*      **The Church of Christ**  
**Benediction**      *Pronouncing the Benediction*      **Pastor Stovall**  
**Benedictory Response Hymn # 426**      **The Church of Christ**  
*"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"*  
**Postlude**      *"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"*      **Rob Cutchins**



**BEREA'S WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

Sunday	Wednesday
10:00 am Sunday School in Church Fellowship Hall	TBA Choir Practice on hold due to COVID
11:00 am Worship Service in Church Sanctuary	7:00 pm Bible Study in Church Social Hall

**BEREA'S MONTHLY CALENDAR**

- Dec 6** Communion – Prepare: Alton Jenkins  
Serve: Alton, Nellie, Jerry, and Ron
- Dec 10** Berea Women's Fellowship meeting 11 am
- Dec 17** Veteran Christmas Card Deadline
- Dec 17** Staff Loving Offering Deadline

***Berea Women's Fellowship***

*Next meeting will be*

***Thursday – December 10***  
***11:00 am in fellowship hall***

***BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH***  
***(sandwich, drink, snack, and/or dessert)***



## PRAYER LIST

Please send a card, call, visit/pray for those in need of prayer.

*NOTE: Names will be on the prayer list for one month unless there is a request for them to remain.*

### Berea Members:

**Shirley Bonnewell** (had bad fall and damaged her eye)

**Karen Costello** (still having arm pain from June surgery)

**Joleen Flota** (shoulder & arm pain)

**Paige Harrell** (health concerns, she is home)

**Wilma Jack** (now legally blind)

**Linda Knight** (health concerns) not doing well

**Susan Outlaw** (health concerns that seem to be getting worse)

**Ann Outlaw** (double vision) had carpal tunnel surgery this week

**Gene Richardson** (in Maryview Nursing Center ROOM # 223B)

Skin cancers and depression

**Chuck & Phyllis Umberger** (Chuck has COPD, Phyllis health)

**Jerry Van Faussien** (heart & back challenges)

**Jimmy & Martha** (caretaker) **Willis** (Jimmy at home with hospice)

### Others by Request:

**Susan Outlaw Bauswell** (Ann Outlaw's daughter, hysterectomy)

**John Chaulklin** (Danese Gillies brother-in-law, fell & broke back)

**Sadie Griffin** (2 ½ yr. old granddaughter of Bryan & Deena Collins, diagnosed with leukemia)

**Bob Gillies** (Danese Gillies husband, still recovering from stroke)

**Emily Hengel** (Susan Outlaw's mother, bad fall, at home)

**Betty Johnson** (Martha Willis asked for prayer for her)

**Donnie Kramer** (Christie Bradshaw's brother-lung surgery)

**Eula Russ** (Nellie Carbaugh's sister) health challenges

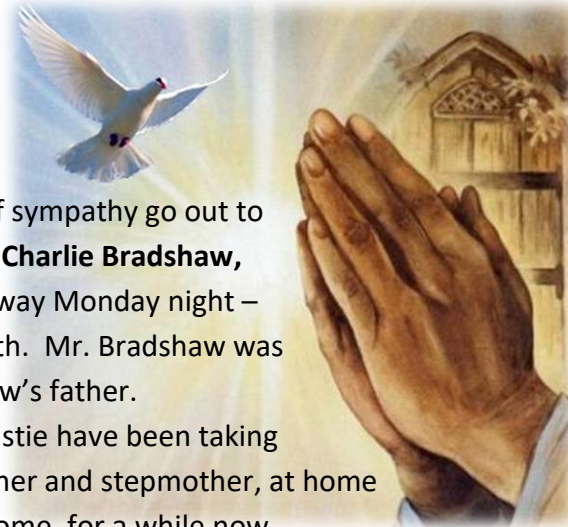
**Devin Simpson** extensive foot surgery

**Trisha Thorpe** (Marsha Jenkin's cousin) cancer

**Aubrey White** (Susan Outlaw's granddaughter, hand & wrist issues, hard for her to play the sports she loves)

## MISSIONS COMMITTEE PROJECTS

**December – Rice  
(white or brown)**



Our prayers of sympathy go out to the Family of, **Charlie Bradshaw**, who passed away Monday night – November 30th. Mr. Bradshaw was Barry Bradshaw's father. Barry and Christie have been taking care of his father and stepmother, at home and nursing home, for a while now.

### Address:

Barry, Christie, Payton, and Carter Bradshaw  
2173 Partridge Place, Suffolk, VA 23433

# *Berea Christian Church*

*Est. 1858*

*December 6, 2020*



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**Church Office Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 am to 1:00 pm**

# Christmas Cards To Our Veterans

**Deadline: Thursday – December 17<sup>th</sup>**

You can use any type of Christmas card.

These cards will be going to over 400 veterans at the VA Hospital in Hampton, VA.

Please do as many as you can!



Collection boxes are in the church vestibule and social hall.  
If you have questions: call Church Office 538-8872  
Office Hours: Tues. & Thurs. 9 to 1 or Patty Outlaw 465-8214.



### Examples of greetings

"Because of your service I am able to worship my God, Thank You" or

"You are not forgotten. Your service is appreciated, and you are in our prayers." or

"I am grateful for your service and wish you a blessed New Year." or just your personal statement.



### Examples of how to sign

"The Outlaw Family",  
"The Family of Berea Christian Church", and or just your first name only.

**(They ask that you do not put your full name.)**



### What to put on envelope:

To a U. S. Veteran  
VA Hospital in Hampton, VA.

**If you wish to make a donation, please mail it to:**

**Horton Wreath Society**

**PO Box 6246**

**Virginia Beach, VA 23456-0246**

501(c)(3) Non Profit Charitable Organization

98% of all donations go toward the purchase of the wreaths.

2020 Wreath Laying will be 12/19/2020

Number of Wreaths to Sponsor:

- 5 Wreaths (\$75.00) \*Most Popular
- 1 Wreath Individual Sponsorship (\$15)
- 2 Wreaths (\$30.00)
- 10 Wreaths (\$150.00)
- Custom Number of Wreaths



**Berea Christmas Card  
Post Office**

**November 22 - December 20, 2020**

It is located in the back hall,  
at the church bulletin board, behind the  
Sanctuary.

To ensure that the intended recipient  
receives your card, please only leave  
cards for families that regularly attend.