

Berea Christian Church
January 14, 2024– 11:00 am
Robert L. Stovall, Pastor

WORSHIP THE TRIUNE GOD

The worship of the Triune God under the New Covenant is characterized by simplicity. In marked contrast to the complex and multi-layered worship of the Old Covenant – with its richly-robed legacy priesthood, its elaborately beautiful tabernacle and then temple, the sights and smells of its sacrificial system, and its yearly feasts, fasts, festivals, and sabbaths – New Covenant worship is centered around the primary means of grace which Christ set within His Church: prayer and praise, along with the reading and preaching of the Word. Its simplicity, however, does not make this worship easy; our obligations as kings and priests to our God (Exodus 19:6) require us to arrive prepared each Lord’s Day if we are to properly present ourselves “as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God; this is your spiritual worship” (Romans 12:1, HCSB). In the quiet of the moments preceding the start of this morning’s service, seek that final preparation that will allow you to profit more fully from that worship of our God which is offered “in spirit and truth” (John 4:24).

Prelude	Organist	
Greeting	<i>Welcome & Exhortation</i>	Pastor Rob Stovall
Call To Worship	<i>1 Chronicles 29: 10-13 (pg. 671)</i>	Pastor Stovall
HYMN # 9	<i>“Glorify Thy Name”</i>	The Church of Christ
Confession of Sin	The Church of Christ	
Pastor: O Most Holy and Merciful God, we come acknowledging that we are sinners against You in thought, word, and deed.		
People: We have not loved You with all our heart or soul or mind or strength; we certainly have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.		
Pastor: Restore unto us the joy of Your salvation; bind up that which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to our wills, and rest to our souls – through Jesus our Lord.		
People: Amen.		
Word of Pardon:	<i>Mark 10: 45 (pg. 1572)</i>	Pastor Stovall

Response of Praise: Doxology (Old 100th) The Church of Christ
Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow;
Praise Him all Creatures Here Below; Praise Him above
Ye Heavenly Host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Old Testament Reading: Psalm 40 (pg. 878) Pastor Stovall

Response to the Word:
Pastor: The grass withers, the flower fades,
People: But the word of our God stands forever.

HYMN # 12 “Praise Him! Praise Him!” The Church of Christ

Prayers of Adoration & Intercession Pastor Stovall
Leading in Prayer

New Testament Reading: Pastor Stovall
1 Corinthians 1: 1-9 (pg. 1771)

Response to the Word:
Pastor: This is the word of the Lord,
People: Thanks be to God.

Preaching of the Word “God’s Faithfulness” Pastor Stovall

HYMN # 17 “Our Great Savior” The Church of Christ

Benediction Pronouncing the Benediction Pastor Stovall

Benedictory Response # 598 The Church of Christ
“Wherever He Leads, I’ll Go” (Refrain Only)

Postlude Organist

BEREA’S WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday

10:00 am Sunday School 11:00 am Worship Service

Wednesday

7:00 pm Bible Study in Adult Sunday School Class

BEREA’S MONTHLY CALENDAR

- Jan 15 Exchange Club meeting 6:30 pm
- Jan 26 CHKD BINGO NIGHT (hall reserved all day)
- Feb 4 Communion
- Feb 13 North Suffolk CHKD meeting 6:30 pm
- Feb 19 Exchange Club meeting 6:30 pm



**FOOD
PANTRY**

JANUARY 2024
Vegetables (Dried or Canned)

SERVICE NOTES:

- * Offerings/Tithes box is at the **BACK** of the sanctuary.
- *Scripture page numbers are in the NIV Pew Bibles.

PRAYER LIST

Lord hear our prayers for those who are sick, healing, or grieving, our Pastor, caretakers, military, educators, leaders, first responders, unspoken requests, and Lord especially those who are still unsaved. Amen.

NOTE: To add/remove a name, please call the church office or send to church email (see front of bulletin for this information).

PRAYER REQUESTS

SUSAN (Outlaw) BAUSWELL 323 Club Drive, Littleton, NC 27850

Endless prayers requested, meds have stopped, now with hospice

PHYLLIS & CHUCK UMBERGER Phyllis Parkinson's & Chuck COPD

BETTY BARNES leg infection has cleared, now wound has to heal

KAY (Bill Vaughan's sister) dementia

GREY GLOVER serious health issues

BROCK VAN FAUSSIEN head injury 2 yr. ago, still not back to work

SUSAN MANSFIELD knee replacement surgery 1/2/2024, she is home
3124 Sterling Way, Portsmouth, VA 23703

LESTER JUSTICE autoimmune disease

WILMA JACK with family in Maryland

MARSHA JENKINS babysitting in Louisiana

JENNIFER TRAUOGOTT broken ankle still healing

PRAYERS FOR THOSE NOT AT THEIR HOME

HAZEL BRUSSO Room #233 at Maimonides Health Center on
6401 Auburn Drive, Virginia Beach, VA 23464 757-538-1293

LINDA KNIGHT at Bickford of Suffolk – 6860 Harbour Blvd.,
Suffolk, VA 23435

JOHN VANCE UPDATE: 7090 Covenant Woods Dr.,
Apt. #B107, Mechanicsville, VA 23111-7025

PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY

NAVY - FC 2 Brendan Sommerfeldt

Mati (wife), Willow (daughter) and Jackson (son) Sommerfeldt

NAVY - Joshua Nathaniel Jack

waiting on assignment E2 – Cryptologic Technician

COAST GUARD – CAPT. John Hughes

Chelsey (wife), Rylea and Jamie (daughters)

The NORTH SUFFOLK CIRCLE of The King's Daughters
presents



FRIDAY – JANUARY 26, 2024

6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

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4109 Driver Lane, Suffolk, VA 23435

- **\$25 per packet** (includes 12 Sheets with 3 cards per sheet)
- \$5 per sheet - 2 bonus rounds (including a 50/50 game) sold at door **ONLY**
- Prizes for non-bonus rounds valued at a minimum of \$25.
- Bingo Daubers will be available for purchase.
- **Door prizes and food sales throughout the night.**



*Proceeds benefit the new
CHKD Pediatric Mental Health Hospital*



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*For even
the Son of Man*

**CAME NOT TO BE SERVED
BUT TO SERVE OTHERS**

and to give His life

**AS A RANSOM
FOR MANY.**

MARK 10:45 (NLT)

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