

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).

Lord's Day Morning Worship

Prelude		Organist
Greetings	<i>Welcome & Exhortation</i>	Pastor Rob Stovall
Call To Worship	<i>Psalm 5: 11-12 (pg. 846)</i>	Pastor Stovall
HYMN # 3	<i>“Holy, Holy, Holy”</i>	The Church of Christ
Confession of Sin		The Church of Christ
Pastor: Our Merciful God, we humble ourselves before Your Holy Majesty.		
People: We acknowledge that we have frequently and flagrantly sinned.		
Pastor: Our rebellion has resulted in Your just judgment against us.		
People: We all, like sheep, have gone astray.		
Pastor: Be pleased, we pray, to have compassion on us, O gracious		

People: Forgive us, according to the merits of Christ's perfect cross-work.

Pastor: Cover us with His righteousness and make us well-pleasing in
Your sight;

People: To the glory of Your holy Name. Amen.

The Word of Pardon: *1 John 1: 8-9* (pg. 1899) **Pastor Stovall**

Response of Praise: *The Gloria Patri (MEINEKE)* **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.

Scripture Reading:	Pastor Stovall
<i>Hebrews 11: 24-39 (pg. 1876)</i>	

Response to the Word:
 Pastor: The earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord.
People: As the waters cover the sea!

HYMN # 9 *“Glorify Thy Name”* **The Church of Christ**

Prayers of Adoration & Intercession **Pastor Stovall**

Leading in Prayer

Scripture Reading: *Deuteronomy 34: 5 - Joshua 1: 9* (pg. 329) **Pastor Stovall**

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

Preaching of the Word **Pastor Stovall**
"The Death of the 'Indispensable Man'"

HYMN # 526	<i>“The Solid Rock”</i>	The Church of Christ
Benediction	<i>Pronouncing the Benediction</i>	Pastor Stovall
Benedictory Response # 426		The Church of Christ
	<i>“Blest Be the Tie That Binds”</i>	(vs. 1)
Postlude		Organist

SERVICE NOTES:

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

BEREA'S WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday

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

7:00 pm Wednesday Night Bible Study

BEREA's MONTHLY CALENDAR

**OCT 5 COMMUNION &
CHURCH LUNCHEON after Worship Service**

Oct 14 North Suffolk Circle CHKD meeting 6:30 pm

Oct 16 – 18 Suffolk Exchange Club use of facilities

Oct 18 DRIVER CAR SHOW & BEREA PUBLIC PARKING

**Oct 19 NO SUNDAY SCHOOL –
WORSHIP SERVICE 10:00 AM**

Oct 19 BEREA PUBLIC PARKING

Oct 20 Suffolk Exchange Club meeting 6:30 pm

DON'T FORGET SIGNUP SHEET AT THE BACK FOR CHURCH PUBLIC PARKING

Saturday, OCT. 18th AND Sunday., OCT. 19th

GREEN LINES: *You will collect parking fee from the individual cars. We are trying new ways of collecting through technology.*

WHITE LINES: *You will be actually parking cars.*



Oct. 5th

COVERED DISH LUNCHEON
after Worship Service.

Bring your favorite dish and desert.

It will be simple with Berean love and great food.



— YOU CAN GIVE —
H  **P**
 WHERE IT'S NEEDED MOST



PRAYER REQUESTS

- EULA & JERRY RUSS
- BETTY BARNES
- CHELSEA HUGHES, Rylea & Jamie
- SUSAN OUTLAW
- PATTY OUTLAW
- WILMA JACK and family
- RUSSELL COLLINS
- GREY & BECKY GLOVER
- FAY HOLLAND (Ginger Collins sister)
- HILDA MANSFIELD
- EMMA HARDEN
- PHYLLIS UMBERGER
- WILLIE & GINGER COLLINS
- KAREN COSTELLO
- STEVE CARLETTI ongoing tests
- MASON CARLETTI life decisions
- CURTIS JOHNSON treatments
- MRS. ARTEAGA dementia
- LINDA BADOIAN recovering nicely
- NELLIE CARBAUGH respiratory
- BRENNA STOVALL
- ELIZABETH TURNER broken back
- LARRY BETTERTON (Angie Lowe’s Dad) diabetes wound healing

The Family of **RICK MARTINA** (Danese Gillies neighbor) passed
The Family of **MR. C. ANDERSON** (Wilma Jack friend) passed

PRAYERS FOR THOSE NOT AT THEIR HOME

- HAZEL BRUSSO Room #233 at Maimonides Health Center
on 6401 Auburn Drive, Virginia Beach 23464
- LINDA KNIGHT at Bickford of Suffolk – 6860 Harbour Blvd.,
Suffolk, VA 23435
- HILDA MANSFIELD Lake Prince Woods - 100 Anna Goode
Way, Suffolk 23434 – REHAB NOW, moving there soon
- GREY GLOVER Room #129 at Maimonides Health Center
on 6401 Auburn Drive, Virginia Beach 23464 – FOR REHAB

PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY

- NAVY – FC1 Brendan Sommerfeldt
Mati (wife), Willow (daughter) and Jackson (son) Sommerfeldt
- NAVY - Joshua Nathaniel Jack
waiting on assignment E2 – Cryptologic Technician



Fall in Love with Jesus

E V T N E M D N A M O C M N E Z W
A W K P R O P H E T S U G Y F F L
D I C B A P T S D Z D R H H L I D
R D B Q D M D I Z Y E T A M K O P
O N H P T N I T M A H V I E G F G
W O L M R E O N T M Y T B W G V N
K M K L D A R C D B O G I F S R A
M A I U R C Y C E L H C U A N O H
A I N T O Q O E E S H W V C Y B W
F D G W L D E R R S S U S E J H M
F P D I F H K M N W A L Q T A G F
E Z O T T T S R I F J F S S O I L
Y Z M H V H C R U H C I T A C E E
D E C I S I O N I F H L L I S N S
R H Z X S E U O H T A K S D C J Y
S O U L A W H K M H E A R T J I H
L O V E L Z Q R S O W T N C W Y T

comandment	decision	neighbor	prophets	diamond
kingdom	thyself	facets	secret	church
commit	prayer	second	first	great
heart	Jesus	shalt	Word	hang
like	Lord	love	mind	said
soul	this	thou	with	God
him	law	the	thy	two

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