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SUMMER RHYTHMS & ROUTINES

As the school year comes to a close, our rhythms inherently change. The daily routine for parents of getting kids ready for school pauses, sport and club commitments go away, and even our regular routine of Wednesday ministries changes! As you prepare for summer speeds and rhythms, let me encourage you to take up two practices for your discipleship and ministry in our community.

First, plan to join us for the Summer Bible Study Series! This summer, we will be working our way through the book of Ruth. There will be five sessions on Wednesdays at 7pm; but because of our summer ministries, they will be spread out a bit strangely over the course of June/July/August! So, let me share with you the five dates we will gather so you can mark your calendars now: **June 10, July 1, July 8, July 29, and August 5.** All are invited to attend this summer offering, and we hope that you will plan to be with us for the study!

Second, why not use the summer to sure up your knowledge of all the ministry collections we run on a regular basis? The next time you come to the building, be sure to enter through the glass doors—you will see our new “Collection Corner” that is the collection point for all the different ministries we contribute to with tangible items. Take a look at the different ongoing collections. Get acquainted with the items we collect seasonally through Women on Mission. Start building the habit of checking monthly for the items we collect for the Christmas Cheer Baskets!

This will be our one stop contribution spot for all collection ministries going forward—so get to know it! AND: start the practice of reading ALL of the Communicator each week, as this provides the detailed listings of the items currently being collected.

Summer certainly provides moments of rest, relaxation, and vacation, but it can also be a meaningful time to grow as disciples, as well as a productive time to firm up our mission contribution knowledge & habits!

If you’ve yet to make it on a Sunday in our current series on the Seven Deadly Sins and the Book of Judges, let me encourage you to join us this Sunday (which is also Graduate Sunday!). I’ve really found it meaningful to put these together so far, and am looking forward to the rest of the series. If you missed the first two Sundays on Sloth and Gluttony, you can view those services on Facebook still. **So don’t get mad!** Because if you do, the sermon this week on “Wrath” might be for you! I’m looking forward to what the months ahead hold for us as a church. As always, it is my joy to serve as your pastor. **-Josh**

SUNDAY MORNING

9:45 AM - SUNDAY SCHOOL

11:00 AM - MORNING WORSHIP

SPECIAL ELEMENTS

Rev. Josh Beeler | “The Seven Deadly Sins” series
“Wrath” | Judges 4

Graduate Recognition | Communion

Youth Bells | Youth Praise joins the Chancel Choir

CHURCH LIFE

DEACONS OF THE WEEK

May 3 Steve Owen & David Bryant

DEACONS SERVING MAY 3

Angela Sale Jeff Williams
Ellen Saunders JC Fore
Cary Murphy John Grieser

SHUT-IN COMMUNION

Beth Freeman, Mike Garrett, Jesse Staton,
Luke Hamel, Steve Owen, Marvin Hensley,
David Bryant, and Ann Irvin

APRIL 26, 2026 OFFERINGS

Budget Envelopes.....	\$	3,270.00
(Weekly Budget Needs \$9,424.06)		
Plate Offering.....	\$	43.00
Designated Offering.....	\$	275.00
Miscellaneous.....	\$	0.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT.....	\$	3,588.00
Find Us Faithful.....	\$	150.00

WE NEED YOUR HELP

Baby Dedication Sunday is May 10.
Please let the office know if you have
a baby or child you would like
to dedicate on this very special day.
Thank you for your assistance!

SAVE
THE
DATE

JOIN THE CHALLENGE AT MADISON HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHURCH
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

BIBLE STORIES
SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS
SNACKS

JUNE 22-26, 2026
9 a.m. - 12 noon

MUSIC RECREATION CRAFTS sbury Kids

SNOWBALL MOUNTAIN CHALLENGE

FIND YOUR STRENGTH IN GOD

Water WEDNESDAY

MISSIONS

WOMEN ON MISSION

Meeting at Randolph Memorial
on Wednesday, May 13 to
assemble First Night Bags
for Social Services



CHRISTMAS CHEER BASKETS

Bisquick and Corn Bread Mixes



FELLOWSHIP

MONACAN PARK FELLOWSHIP

THIS Wednesday, April 29 from
6pm to dusk (rain date the
following week) Hot dogs and
waters provided. Bring
sides and desserts



GENTLE YOGA

Thursday, April 30 at 10:00am

KOINONIAS

Tuesday, May 5 at 9:00am
Runk & Pratt at SML and
Tuesday, May 19 at 9:00am
Old Trail Lodge in Crozet.



KEENAGER MEETING

Tuesday, May 12 at 10:30 am for a
musically fun time with Steve Tyree
and Company. Bread and beverage
provided - bring all the casseroles,
sides, and desserts to share!

CHURCH POOL PARTY & PICNIC

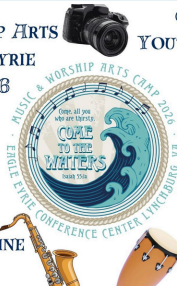
Saturday, June 13
Pool opens at 3:00pm
Picnic under the pavilion
at 5:30pm. Chicken, bread,
and drinks provided.



MUSIC & WORSHIP ARTS
CAMP AT EAGLE EYRIE
JULY 13 - 17, 2026

CHILDREN'S CHOIR &
YOUTH PRAISE MEMBERS
4TH - 12TH GRADE
ARE ELIGIBLE

INTENT TO ATTEND
FORM DEADLINE
IS SUNDAY, MAY 3
TURN IN TO CATHERINE
OR EMAIL A COPY



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KNOW MORE?
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