

SHARPSBURG BIBLE CHURCH

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April 21, 2019



Sunday School at 9:30. Classes from Kindergarten to Adults.

Morning Worship Service 10:30 to 11:30 AM.

AS YOU ENTER, BE SILENT, BE THOUGHTFUL, BE REVERENT, FOR THIS IS THE HOUSE OF THE LORD. BEFORE THE SERVICE, SPEAK TO GOD. DURING THE SERVICE LET GOD SPEAK TO YOU. AFTER THE SERVICE SPEAK TO ONE ANOTHER.

PRELUDE _____ CALL TO WORSHIP
*DOXOLOGY _____ Congregation
*HYMN OF PRAISE #164 _____ He Lives
INVOCATION _____ Gary Smith, Sr.
HYMN #416 _____ Christ Arose!
SCRIPTURE READING _____ Elder Lawrence Hoffman
Hymnal Page #480 – Responsive Reading #536, “The Risen Lord”
MUSIC _____ Sounds of Joy Choir
MORNING PRAYER _____ Charles Early
ANNOUNCEMENTS _____ Rev. Gene Renner

CHILDREN’S EASTER PRESENTATION

OFFERTORY PRAYER (*Presentation of Tithes/Offering*) Elder Ronald Bricker
SPECIAL MUSIC _____ Sounds of Joy Choir
MORNING MESSAGE _____ Rev. Gene Renner
“Cry of Victory” John 19:16-30

*INVITATION HYMN #460 _____ Room at the Cross for You
*BENEDICTION _____ (*Congregation please stand)

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS



NO SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE.

WEDNESDAY EVENING PRAYER & WORSHIP _____ 7:00 PM
Mid Week Power and Praise Hour. This is a special time of studying God’s word in Romans and a special time of prayer.

GREETERS & SPONSORS – Special thanks to our Greeter, Darlene Hoffman and our Bulletin Sponsors, Jerry, Jen & Tristan Artz in memory of James Artz for the month of April.

It’s that time of year again...Memorial Day and our big parade! This year the program books will highlight the churches of Sharpsburg, a great issue to read and keep. The books are only \$3. Also tributes in honor or in memory of someone or just your names as supporters can be submitted. It is always fun to see everyone’s entries, just \$2 for 3 lines. I will need tributes and money before **April 23!!** If you haven’t seen these books, a sample to look at is on the table as you come into the sanctuary. If you want to do the same entry, check it out from last year and let me know, Thank you, Darlene. My number is 301-432-8957 or if you would like to e-mail at lawrence_hoffman@comcast.net.



**HE LIVES !
CHRIST JESUS LIVES TODAY!**

CALENDAR EVENTS

APRIL/MAY 2019

Prayer Concerns

Shut In's - Jeannie Benner, Anna Nunemaker, Richard Lum, Veneta Potts, Harry Barker.

Long Term Illness - Tammy Dundus, Kathy Burdette, Frank Broadwater, Milfred Keefer, Ralph Dodson, Ricky Hagy, Carol Milburn, Randy Griffith, Katelyn Blickenstaff, Larry Stockslager, Ron Hardy, Donna Zimmerman, Penny Cameron, Debbie Nunemaker.

Recent Concerns - The Rumsey Family, Darlene Hoffman, Becky Higman, George Robinson, Austin Myers, Fred & Darby Walls, Angela Wink, Marie Summers, Floyd Cooper, Fred Payne, Angelica Hutton, Judy Abel, Darlene Eichelberger, Brooklynn Grubbs, Ruby Broadwater, Samantha Early, Mary Holmes, Lesley Matson, Donnie Thomas Family, Rev. Ralph Jamison, Tanya Snodderly, Norman Lowry, Rick Davidson, Ann Cadwell, Trisha Cole, Ron Michael, Ruby McDonough, The Estes Family.

MONTHLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

TEACHER'S MEETING & TRAINING | April 29th, at 7-8 PM. The Pastor will meet with all SS Teachers and Jr. Church Teacher's. (including asst.)

BOARD MEETING | May 6th at 7:00 PM.

MOTHER-DAUGHTER/BANQUET | May 11th at 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Tickets are \$1.00 and will go on sale April 28th thru May 5th. If you would like to make a donation to defer food cost, please see Sherry.

MOTHER'S DAY SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE | May 12th, No Evening Service.



APPLICATIONS must be returned by May 15th to receive the lower price of \$170.00. If not received by June 15th the price goes up to \$190.00. After June 15th, the price is \$210.00 and by the first day of camp is \$230.00. Please check the schedule dates now and sign up ASAP.

CAMP TOHIGLO SCHEDULE

July 07th – 12th - Primary Week

July 14th – 19th - Junior Week

July 21st – 26th - Pre-Teen Week

July 28th – Aug 2nd – Teen Week

SISTER'S IN CHRIST | May 18th, from 9:00 to 11:00 in the Fellowship Hall.

EASTER MORNING



The day after Jesus died was a day of deep darkness for those who loved Him most. For three years, the disciples had basked in the brilliance of His love. Everything about Him was gleamed with justice and mercy. His every movement igniting goodness, pure and bright. They may not have understood His mission, but His presence lit their lives. *But the moment Jesus died, the disciples scattered.* Grief overwhelmed them. They were left wandering in the dark.

Disillusioned, lost, alone, they couldn't know the light of hope was just a sunrise away.

But the best story of all is the one that took place on Resurrection morning. *Can't you see it?* An angel, lightening-bright with God's glory, standing with arms flung wide, atop an empty tomb. Soldiers, who moments before had been standing guard, laid out flat, stunned by the brightness of the Resurrected Lord. The aroma of spices lingers in the air as an alabaster jar rolls down the hill. The gore of Good Friday gives way to the high hope of Easter Sunday. **HE IS RISEN!** Mary Magdalene, is racing with joy toward the disciples, yelling at the top of her lungs, **"HE IS ALIVE! I have seen Him! HE IS ALIVE!"**

Now, her cry is the hope-filled shout of every single believer. That miracle morning is the glorious beginning of our own story. The one where Jesus cracks open our hearts with His love, forgives our deepest sins, and sets us on a path of freedom. **RESURRECTION DAY!** Captives set free. Blind eyes opened, blinking in the light of hope. This is our amazing grace-filled story. If that isn't something to shout about, I don't know what is! Go tell somebody. **JESUS IS RISEN!** Our lives will never be the same!

And they departed quickly from the sepulcher with fear and great joy; and did run to bring his disciples word. And as they went to tell his disciples, behold, Jesus met them, saying, All hail, and they came and held him by the feet, and worshipped him. Then said Jesus unto them, Be not afraid: go tell my brethren that they go into Galilee, and there shall they see me. (Matthew 28:8-10).