# Prayer Requests

#### **CHURCH FAMILY**

Elizabeth Arnold Heather & Tim Kromer Larry Burkette Carrie Mae Long-Arthur Gracie Campbell **Bobby Morgan** Panten Family Linda Clay Mary Lee Coday Mary Paul **Dowdy Families** Jean Perry Agnes Dowdy-Kandle Saunders Family Simons Family **Rodney Estes** Felts Family Donald Small

Jim Greene Barbara & Frank Smith
Jim Horner Andrew Talley
Eleanor & Earl Houston
Craig Kelly Leaders

Vickie Knick Youth and Awanas Steve & Judy Kromer Homebound

### **FRIENDS & LOVED ONES**

Martha & Andy Barnes, Debbie Bartinikas, Patricia Beahr, Bill Family, Vickie Bonnell, Debbie Bowles, Brinley, Frankie Bryant, Jimmy Burkhardt, Mike Butler, Mike Carlton, Tim Carpenter, Gene Catlett, Flo Clarke, Linda Clark, Beth Cline & Family, Chris Coloney, Crabtree Family, Gary Crawley, Diane Cupp, Bryan Day, Cheri Edmunds, Esquibel Family, Midge Flanagan, Morgan Gifford, Hall Family, Harding Family, Hailey Harlow, Barry Heath, Sue Helen, Herst Family, George Hunt, Traci Ingram, Chirs Ingram, Dawn Jones, Terry Jones, Kristina, Chirs Knick, Jenn Lehman, Jim Lehman, Jo's Coworker, Patsy Lewis. Donnie Lloyd. Julie Loceney. Claudia Long, Andy Luellen, Kayla Luellen, Christine Marshall, Jonathan Martin, Willie Martin, Andrew McGuire, Marian Morris, Sandra Mynhardt, Henry Nelson, Joe & Gene Ortega, Patricia Riggs, Auntie Rita, Roach Family, Stephen Roy, Terry Russell, Sadie, Gertrude & Ernie Schultz, Barbara Shaw, Earl Shenn, Michelle Sherfield, Tim Smith, Angie Smuts, Geraldine Spivey, Donnie Sprouse, Jim Stanley, Steele Family, Michella Taul, Peggy Trusty, Tom Tweedy, Johan Van Heerden, Verlander Family, Elwood Wilkinson, Brian York

# The Missions Corner

#### Christmas Shoeboxes

We are in need of the following donations: Ribbon (at least 12" long & less than 1" wide), sewing & fishing supplies, empty honey bear containers, small plastic or metal boxes that can hold a deck of cards, children's clothing (2 yrs - adult medium), underwear, shoes, wash cloths, balls with hand pumps, dolls, etc.

## **Backpack Ministry for the Homeless**

WMU is partnering with Pastor Ken & Elizabeth for this project.

We are in need of the following donations: Toothbrushes, toothpaste, baby wipes, hand sanitizer, vaseline, sunscreen, bandaids, flashlights & batteries, blankets, socks, hats, gloves, crackers, breakfast bars, etc.

# **Blessed Warriors (Homeless Project)**

We are in need of the following donations: Individually wrapped snack foods, men & womens underwear (new), feminine hygiene products, t-shirts and blankets.

\* Items should be new or slightly used and clean. Please place all donation items in the bins located in the mission corner.



March Fish Item Bar Soap

# Servants for Jesus Support & Volunteer Group

We will be meeting every Thursday from 11:30AM -12:30PM followed by lunch at 1:00PM. Please contact Trudy Boone at 804-543-8119 if you have any questions.



# HARDY CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Where Christ and the Cross are the Center of the Gospel

Sunday, March 26, 2023

Ken Arnold, Pastor (804) 640-5291 pastor@hardycentral.church

Shannon Rowe, Secretary (804) 795-1329 secretary@hardycentral.church

Charles Long, Organist/Pianist Mary Paul, Choir Director

4655 Darbytown Road, Henrico VA 23231 Phone (804) 795-1329, Fax (804) 795-2250 www.hardycentral.church

"But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint."

Isaiah 40:31

# Sunday, March 26, 2023

Prelude Media Team

Call to Worship Mighty to Save

Children's Choir

Welcome Pastor Ken Arnold

Birthday Bank

Song of Praise My Jesus

Worship Song #335 Standing on the Promises

Offeratory Prayer Pastor Ken Arnold

Interlude

Worship with Tithes and Offerings Doxology

Choir Special Amazing Grace

Scripture Reading Vickie Knick

Luke 1:34-38

Message Pastor Ken Arnold

"How Can This Be"

Hymn of Invitation #447 Trust & Obey

Closing Prayer

### **Nursery Schedule**

Cindy Marshall & Sharon Greene

Mission Friends (Ages 3 thru Kindergarten) / Children's Church (1st thru 5th grades) Staff:

Week 1: Cindy Crump & Charles Hughes

Week 2: Brenda Olgers, Tracey Glascock & Roy Dowdy, Jr

Week 3: David Nuttall & Kelsey Brown

Week 4: Carol Melara, Beth Rowe & Wendy Dowdy

Week 5: Debbie Sisk & Rachel Zentner

Children will leave the Sanctuary after the Choir Special

#### Van Drivers

Donald Zentner - March 26 Barbara Werner - April 2 Roy Dowdy, Sr - April 9 Bruce Sisk - April 16 Roger Luellen - April 23

#### Isaiah 7:14

Therefore the Lord Himself will give you a sign: Behold, a virgin will be with child and bear a son, and she will call His name Immanuel.

# Message from Pastor Ken

I would like to challenge you to invite your loved ones, friends, and neighbors with what I am calling the 21-Day Challenge. It will begin on April 2 with a message entitled Lamb Selection Day. Then on April 9th, I will preach "He is not here" for our Ressurection Sunday Celebration. But, that is not the end of our Easter Season, we will celebrate "The Last Breakfast" on April 16th. It is my great hope that you will invite those who need to hear the Word of God, the Assurance of Salvation, and how He first loved us!

I love you, Pastor Ken

# **Events & Announcements**

WEEKLY EVENTS		
SUN	9:30AM 11:00AM	Sunday School Worship Service Mission Friends / Children's Church
WED	6:20PM 6:30PM	Prayer Time Children's Choir Awana & Youth Adult Bible Study
THU	10:00AM 11:30AM	Bible Study Servants for Jesus Volunteer & Support Group

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS** Children's Easter SUN, 3/26 After Celebration Worship 6:00PM Choir Practice SUN, 4/2 6:00PM Choir Practice TUE. 4/4 9:30AM WMU Meeting THU, 4/6 6:00PM The Symbolic Meaning of the Seder SUN, 4/9 7:00AM Easter Sunrise Service SUN, 4/16 6:00PM Choir Practice SUN, 4/23 6:00PM Choir Practice

#### **UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS**

Vickie Knick 4/2	Cindy Crump 4/14
Shannon Rowe 4/5	Nancy Holder 4/20
Harold Carter 4/8	Mike Kelly 4/28
Jackie Carr 4/8	Janie Carter 4/28
Gracy Campbell 4/14	



## Children's Easter Celebration

Please join us today after 11:00AM Worship for food, crafts and an Easter egg hunt. Ages 3 - 5th Grade & their families are welcome.

## The Symbolic Meaning of the Seder

During the Passion Week, leading up to Ressurection Sunday, we will celebrate "The Symbolic Meaning of the Seder" on Thursday, April 6. We will start at 6:00PM with a Potluck Dinner. Please sign up on the form located in the vestibule by TODAY with your name, number of people attending and the dish you would like to bring.

### Easter Sunrise Service

Our Easter Sunrise Service will begin at 7:00AM on Easter Sunday. The church Deacons will be providing a continental breakfast following the Sunrise Service for all to enjoy.

Rodney and I want to tell our church family here at Hardy Central how blessed we are to be a part of this church. Thank you for all the "gifts", cards, calls, texts, food and love you have shown us during Rodney's illness. Most importantly for the prayers, please keep them coming. Hope to be back to worship soon.

- Sherry Estes