

Beulah Services May 17, May 24, & May 31

Beginning this Sunday, drive-in services will be held on the church parking lot and will include activities for the kids to do in their cars. The service will also be livestreamed for those at home. The drive-in service and the livestreamed service will begin at 10:45.

THANK YOU!

A huge thank you to our Pastor and Susan for their livestreamed messages. A special word of gratitude goes to those who produced the service for livestreaming each week. Caleb Jones has shared his expertise with Michelle Bloss and the extraordinary AV team! Without this hard work behind the scenes, we would not have been able to worship together as we did.

Don't forget to continue supporting your church financially. There are two ways to do that during this time of quarantine:

- ◆ You can mail a check to Beulah Baptist, P.O. Box 421, Proctorville.
- ◆ You may also give via the website ourbeulah.com. Go to the website and click on "Online Giving" at the top right of the screen. There is a video that will guide you.



Prayer Concerns



The prayer list reflects those needs and praise reports that were shared during the past week. Please let Rena Allen know if you would like for someone to be added.

Pray for these who are struggling with a severe illness:

Luke Colegrove
2659 County Road 70, Proctorville
Lisa Sheets
104 Township Rd. 1088, Proctorville

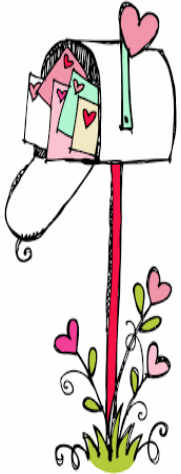
Pray for our most elderly members

Lenville Mays (age 99)
65 Township Rd. 1247, Proctorville
Billie Simmons (age 91)
2 Greenspring, Huntington 25705
Bob & Coral Mallory
381 Township Rd. 1234, Proctorville

Pray for **Charlene Wilson** as her son Buddy continues in a coma. Charlene's address is 437 Twp. Road 1233, P'ville.

Pray for our members who live alone. These people may be feeling isolated and fighting loneliness. You can encourage them with calls and cards.....

- Anna Mae Edwards
- Carolyn Paetow
- Carolyn Murphy
- Margaret Sanns
- Pat Swain
- Lloyd Ash
- Ruth Skaggs
- Charlene Wilson
- Brenda Ellis
- DeWanda Reedy
- Rich Ash
- Martha Ferguson
- Wanda Gorby
- Linda Henderson
- Cherri LeMaster
- Mary Meadows
- Danny Montroso



Area Food Bank Update

The Food Bank is giving out food boxes on Monday morning 9:00-10:30 to anyone who is in a food emergency. The food bank is located at New Hope Methodist Church.



Donations will also be accepted on Monday mornings. The greatest food needs right now are canned goods, cereal, peanut butter, jelly and pantry staples. You can bring those to New Hope on Monday morning (9-10:30). Laundry, dish detergent, and soap are always appreciated, or you may drop off or mail a check made out to Rome Ministerial Association (Notation: food bank). Monetary donations can be mailed to Rome Ministerial Association, c/o New Hope Methodist Church, P.O. Box 405, Proctorville.

If you need or if you know of someone who is in need of food, please call 740-886-5311. If there is no answer, leave a message for Cheryl Bradford.

Lay Claim to the Nearness of God

From You'll Get Through This: Hope and Help for Turbulent Times by Max Lucado

God surrounds us like the Pacific surrounds an ocean floor pebble. He is everywhere: above, below, on all sides. We choose our response —rock or sponge? Resist or receive? Everything within you says *Harden your heart. Run from God, resist God, blame God.* But be careful – hard hearts never heal. Spongy ones do. Open every pore of your soul to God's presence.

Here's how: Lay claim to the nearness of God. He says in **Hebrews 13:5**, **"Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you."** Grip this promise like the parachute it is. Repeat it over and over until it surpasses the voices of fear. The Lord God is with you, and He is mighty to save. Cling to His character. Quarry from your Bible a list of deep qualities of God and press them into your heart. He is sovereign. *You will get through this.*

God is Certain in Your Uncertainty

Years ago in a small town in Texas, there was a restaurant called "Doc's." They had a strange practice in that place. They would serve dessert first. The very first thing the waitress would do would be to place a dessert in front of you. By the cash register was a small sign, "*Eat Dessert First, Life Is So Uncertain.*"

Does uncertainty scare you? It frightens most of us, which can be discouraging considering that life is so uncertain. We hate that life is uncertain. We want to feel assured. We want to have it figured out. We want to know what to expect. But life sends us so many surprises. Some of them are wonderful, and some are frightful. So what is the lesson here? It is this . . .

The only certain thing in this uncertain life is God.

Everything changes in life, nothing is 100% predictable. But God never changes. The Scriptures declare...

"Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever."

Hebrews 13:8



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Acts 2:42-47 (NIV)

⁴²They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.

⁴³Everyone was filled with awe at the many wonders and signs performed by the apostles. ⁴⁴All the believers were together and had everything in common. ⁴⁵They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need. ⁴⁶Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, ⁴⁷praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.