



# THE MESSENGER

**BRENTHAVEN CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

*A welcoming community of Christian disciples seeking to love and serve God and neighbor*

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## REACHING OUT/REACHING IN

*Why do you choose Brenthaven?*

Please take a moment to reflect on this question and place your response in the comment box on the Welcome Center. You may remain anonymous. We will discuss the above question **Sunday, March 4, 9:30 am**, in the Fellowship Hall and there will be donuts. Thank you for your time and attention.

*Church Growth & Outreach Ministry*

## LENTEN BIBLE STUDY

Our Bible Study during Lent is *Reflecting on Holy Week*. You are invited to join us in the Adult Library each **Thursday** for this six-session study based on the Gospel of Mark's account of Holy Week. Handouts will be available in the church office. We will begin at **10:00 am** and will study together for about an hour. Please join us during this special study as we explore the importance of the events during Holy Week.

## BLOOD DRIVE - WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21

The American Red Cross is in need of your help. Brenthaven will be hosting a Blood Drive on **Wednesday, March 21** from **4:00 to 8:00 pm**. During Wednesday Night Special the Blood Mobile will be parked in the main parking lot. The need for blood is constant and critical. Only volunteer donors can fulfill this need for the patients in our community.

Can you give? Will you give? Please join the American Red Cross lifesaving mission and schedule an appointment. Sign up to give online ([redcross.org](http://redcross.org) and enter sponsor code: *Brenthaven 19*) or on the sign-up sheet in the narthex, or call the church office and we will add your name. Thank you.

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT SPECIAL MENU

Wednesday Night Special menu for March 7: *Baked Chicken, Cheesy Potatoes, Green Beans, and Cookies*. Please make, cancel, or adjust your meal reservations by Monday, March 5 before 10:00 am.

## EASTER LILIES

You are invited to join in the Easter celebration by providing a gift for *My Own Backyard* ministries and/or purchasing a **lily** for the sanctuary.

You may wish to honor or memorialize a person.

The plants are **\$ 8.50 each**.

I wish to purchase \_\_\_\_\_ lilies at **\$ 8.50 ea.**

(payment enclosed).

I wish to donate \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to be given to

**My Own Backyard Ministries.**

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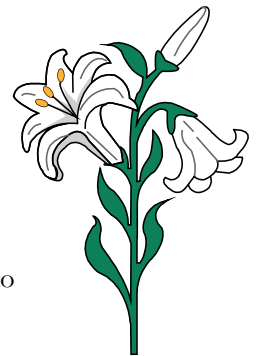
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Please make your checks payable to  
Brenthaven Church.

Deadline for ordering is

**March 18, 2018.**



# Brenthaven

*Consignment*

THURSDAY NOON - 6:00PM  
FRIDAY 8:00AM - 6:00PM  
SATURDAY 8:00AM - NOON ½ S



*Mark these dates*

*March 15-17*

Interested in consigning? Go to  
[brenthavenconsignment@gmail.com](mailto:brenthavenconsignment@gmail.com)

## BOTTLE CAP REQUEST

Please remember that I am collecting plastic bottle caps and lids of all sizes and colors for use in creating a large group art project in the future. You may bring the lids to the church office.

THANKS! -

*Sandra*

## CPWM THANKS YOU

The ladies of the CPWM thank you all for the generous donations given to their service project. Because of your help they were able to fill 42 pairs of socks and numerous bags to be given to *Sacred Sparks Ministry* for our homeless friends.



### BAKELESS BAKE SALE

During the entire month of February and March the CPWM is having their annual

#### *'Bakeless Bake Sale'*

Contributions may be given to **Beverly Garrett Shaw** or **Linda Pulley**. Please make your checks payable to the CPWM. Remember:

*No baking! No buying! No calories!*

## CALLING ALL CONSIGNORS

Calling all consignors! The Brenthaven Consignment Sale is open to the public **Thursday, March 15 - Saturday, March 17**. The Pre-Sale is Wednesday, March 14 by invitation for consignors and volunteers. We are accepting gently used spring and summer children's clothing from newborn through size 14/16 (no underwear accepted). We are also accepting toys, DVD's, books, and sports equipment and gear. We will accept maternity clothing, business attire for adults and prom dresses.

If you would like to consign items for the sale please sign up at

[signupgenius.com/go/70a0f4fa9af22a64-consignor8](http://signupgenius.com/go/70a0f4fa9af22a64-consignor8)

Sign up for one 15 minute slot for every 200 items you will be consigning. For any questions regarding items and for a complete list of items being accepted, please go to

[brenthavenconsignment.wordpress.com](http://brenthavenconsignment.wordpress.com)

First time consignors (and those who have misplaced their consignor number) should email **Jonelle Summitt** at [brenthavenconsignment@gmail.com](mailto:brenthavenconsignment@gmail.com).

## HELP GIVES HOPE

When we give help, we give hope. *Safe Haven Family Shelter* has been giving hope for 30 years to families struggling with homelessness. We have an opportunity to give help by sharing the dinner meal for the families of Safe Haven **Friday, March 16**. This is a great experience for Sunday school classes, families and/or friends. Contact **Loretta Sneed**, 615-371-0706 to volunteer to prepare, help prepare, or serving this meal. This is truly a heart-warming experience.



## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed for the Brenthaven Consignment Sale. We need volunteers to

- 1.) help set up
- 2.) break down, and
- 3.) help during the sale.

As a bonus, for each shift worked during the sale you can earn additional percentage back on your sold items and/or presale passes.

Contact Jonelle Summitt to volunteer by emailing [brenthavenconsignment@gmail.com](mailto:brenthavenconsignment@gmail.com).

## DONATIONS WELCOMED

Consider donating items to the Brenthaven Consignment Sale. **Sunday, March 11** we will happily receive donations of gently used children's clothing sizes newborn to 14/16, toys, books, DVD's, and children's furnishing, adult business attire, maternity clothes, and prom dresses. For any questions regarding items and/or a complete list of items being accepted please go to

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## IMPORTANT YOUTH AND KOK DATES

Here are some important dates for 2018:

- Sun., March 18: Youth / Parent Meeting
- Sun., April 1: Easter Service and Egg Hunt
- Sun., April 8: Children's Sunday
- Sun., May 6: High School Graduate Recognition
- Sun., June 3-8: Synodic Camp
- Sun., June 10-14: Vacation Bible School  
*(Volunteer now with Ms. Cheryl!)*
- Sun., June 24-29: CPYC
- Sun. - Fri., July 1-6: Youth ROCKS Mission Trip
- Sun., July 8-13: Jr. High Camp
- Fri. - Sat., July 13-14: Children's Fest at Bethel U.
- Sun., July 15-20: Junior Camp
- Sun., August 5: Sunday School Promotion

## PRAYER CONCERNS

### Recent Additions

Hester Allen, Carol Ford,  
Carolyn Goss (*friend of John Edwards*)

### Homebound

Forrest King

### Members

Greg Allen, Jackie Bryan, Evelyn Davenport, Ben Davis, Mickey Davis, Marilyn Ewen, Ollie Faircloth, Barbara Gentry, Em Ghianni, Madge & Paul Graves, Tommy Hennesy, Mark Humphrey, Joe Johnson, Suzanne Johnson, Giff Jordon, Gwen Keiser, Robert Lipe, Hardy Moyers, Jean Overstreet, Larry Pulley, Janiece Redmon, Guy Sneed, Cheryl Tabor, Don Tabor, Blaze Wattenbarger

### Family and Friends

Jim & Christine Alford (*co-workers of Diana Dzurisin*), Carney Allen (*father of Greg T. Allen*), Charles Douglas Ballard (*cousin of Joan Bledsoe*), Jacob Boling (*nephew of Ann White*), Bowles Family (*friends of Angie Johnson*), Houston Brown (*friend of Rusb family*), Michelle Burke (*daughter of Joyce Burch*), Peggy Byrd, Jimmy Carson (*friend of Miab Faircloth*), Betty Sue Cook (*mother of Lisa Cook*), Marion Day (*father of Jim Day*), Don Dowden (*brother-in-law of Jane Dowden*), Kathy Dozier (*daughter-in-law of Bob Dozier*), Meg Fugatt (*daughter of Ron & Ann White*), Bill Garrett (*son of Beverly Garrett Shaw*), Frank Gillespie (*step-father of Russ Deaton*), Wendy Graves (*granddaughter of Paul & Madge Graves*), Brian Hartman (*friend of Jonelle Summitt*), Peggy Howell (*neighbor of Brenthaven Church*), Deborah Irwin (*friend of Jonelle Summitt*), Shirley Malborough (*grandmother of Angie Johnson*), Betty McCaskill (*friend of Ann White*), Marisa Morgan and Family (*friend of Heather and Ian MacDonald*), Ayden Orr (*friend of Ollie, Baird and Miab Faircloth*), Ben Osburn (*former member*), Judith Plucker (*friend of Nanette Ricker and Shali Scott*), Martha Pulley (*mother of Larry Pulley*), Johnny Rush (*father of Kip Rush*), Finn Schafrann, 2 yrs. old (*friend of Faircloth Family*), Vicki Scott (*sister of Stan Wooten*), Pat Simpson (*mother of Sheryl Day*), Rev. John Smith, Debby Turner (*sister of Cheryl Tabor*), Cindy Underwood (*friend of Jan Davidson*), Cleo Underwood (*sister of Barbara Loyall*), Kelly Wallace (*daughter of Fred & Carol Ford*), Barbara Woodward (*mother of Sandra Moyers*), Judith Wright (*grandmother of Carolynn Hallbright*), those serving our country

### Deaths

Family of Tommy Graves (*son of Paul & Madge Graves*)  
Family of Betty Collins (*friend of Rose O'Hara*)



## MEMORIALS

### *In Honor of Wylene Nix on her 101<sup>st</sup> Birthday*

David & Myra Agee  
Austin & Shelby Agee

## THANKS FOR THE SURPRISE

Dear KOK Members,

What a wonderful surprise to receive our own Valentine box!! We have been eating all our goodies and have felt festive with our handmade Valentine with all your names written on it attached to our refrigerator.

We are not taking it down even though Valentines is over as it reminds us of what thoughtful and loving members of all ages we have in our church.

Bless you as you have blessed us.

With love and appreciation,

*Joe & Suzanne Johnson*

## THANK YOU

Dear Cheryl Morris,

I wanted to write to thank you and K.O.K. for the Valentines Day gift box. I enjoyed the numerous goods it had. Thank you again.

Sincerely,

Joe Ghianni

## DISHES, DISHES, DISHES

It is always wonderful when we can share a meal with our church family. However, some of our dishes do not make it home. If you are finding more space in your cupboard than normal, please stop by the church kitchen and gather in your stray dishes.

Thank you.

## ATTENDANCE

*Sunday, February 25, 2017*

Sunday School 93 Worship 176

## RECENT GUESTS

Brooke Chapin  
Melanie Cooley  
Annie Kemp

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*SUNDAY SCHOOL : 9:30 A.M.*

*SUNDAY WORSHIP: 10:45 A.M.*

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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Mar 3 8:30 am** Men's Fellowship Breakfast
- Mar 4 9:30 am** Sunday School  
**9:30 am** Reaching Out/Reaching In  
**10:45 am** Worship  
**12:00 pm** Ch. Growth/Outreach Ministry Mtg.  
**12:00 pm** Discipleship Ministry Team Mtg.  
**3:45 pm** Handbells  
**5:00 pm** Children's Choir  
**5:00 pm** Youth ROCKS
- Mar 5 9:30 am** Staff Meeting  
**10:00 am** Young @ Heart
- Mar 7 5:45 pm** Wednesday Night Special - Meal  
**6:30 pm** Wednesday Night Special - Classes  
 Kids of the Kingdom  
 WNY (Wednesday Night Youth)  
**7:30 pm** Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
- Mar 8 10:00 am** Lenten Bible Study  
**11:00 am** Knitting/Creative Craft Ministry
- Mar 11 Daylight Savings Time begins**  
**9:30 am** Sunday School  
**10:45 am** Worship  
**12:00 pm** Consignment Sale Set-Up  
**3:45 pm** Handbells  
**5:00 pm** Children's Choir  
**5:00 pm** Youth ROCKS

**SERVING WEEK OF MARCH 4**

- Acolytes:* Leah McCulley, Anna Grace Wooten  
*Lector:* Jim Day  
*Greeters:* Greg & Jane Allen Family  
*Nursery:* Betsy Canupp (*Sunday School*)  
 Betsy Canupp, Megan Gregali (*Worship*)  
*Ushers:* Ted Brothers, Larry Davidson,  
 Jane Dowden, Charlie Floyd,  
 Otis Hallbright, Lee Johnson,  
 Sherry Kelly, Jacob Malloy  
*Wee Worship:* Sharon Malloy, Lorri Jean Pulley  
*Lectionary Readings for Sunday, March 4 (purple)*  
 John 18:12-27; Psalm 17:1-7

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT FOR FEBRUARY 25**

	<b>OPERATING &amp; DEBT RETIREMENT BUDGET</b>
Dedicated Giving	\$ 0.00
Donations towards Budgeted Expense	6,760.50
Weekly Need	10,277.69
Received Year-to-Date	73,815.22
Actual Spend Year-to-Date	82,119.38
Difference	(8,304.16)
Monthly Principal & Interest Payment	9,579.73
Mortgage Principal Balance	464,767.39

**STAFF & LEADERSHIP**

**Kip J. Rush**, Pastor  
**Sandra Shepherd**, Associate Pastor of Christian Discipleship  
**Cheryl Morris**, Children's Ministry  
**Ean Taylor**, Youth Director  
**Linda Pulley**, Director of Music  
**Amity Marsh**, Organist  
**Penni Reitmeyer**, Office Administrator

**Session - The Elders**

<i>Class of 2018</i>	<i>Class of 2019</i>	<i>Class of 2020</i>
<b>Barry Campbell</b>	<b>Russ Deaton</b>	<b>Otis Hallbright</b>
<b>Bill Dobbins</b>	<b>Chris Fleming</b>	<b>Angie Johnson</b>
<b>Jennie Ford</b>	<b>Renee McCulley</b>	<b>Joe Malloy</b>
<b>Julie Murphy</b>	<b>Julie Travis</b>	<b>Jan Marshall</b>

# March 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat								
<p><i>Each Sunday:</i>  <b>9:30 am</b>  <i>Sunday School</i>  <b>10:45 am</b>  <i>Morning Worship</i></p>			<p><i>Each Wednesday</i>  <i>Night Special:</i>  <b>5:45 pm Meal</b>  <b>6:30 pm Classes</b></p>	<p><i>1</i> <b>10:00 am</b> Lenten Bible Study (<i>Ad. Lib.</i>)  <b>11:00 am</b> Knitting Grp. / Creative Crafts (<i>Ad. Lib.</i>)  <b>6:00 pm</b> Sacred Sparks Warming Shelter</p>	<p><i>2</i></p>	<p><i>3</i>  <b>8:30 am</b> Men's Fellowship Breakfast (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>)</p>								
<p><i>4</i> <b>9:30 am</b> Reaching Out/In  <b>12:00 pm</b> DMT Meeting  <b>12:00 pm</b> Outreach/Ch. Growth Ministry Mtg. (<i>Seekers Classroom</i>)  <b>3:45 pm</b> Handbells  <b>5:00 pm</b> Children's Choir  <b>5:00 pm</b> Youth ROCKS</p>	<p><i>5</i>  <b>9:30 am</b> Staff Mtg.  <b>10:00 am</b> Young @ Heart (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>)</p>	<p><i>6</i></p>	<p><i>7</i>  <i>Wednesday Night Special</i>  <b>6:30 pm</b> KOK WNY  <b>7:30 pm</b> Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p><i>8</i>  <b>10:00 am</b> Lenten Bible Study (<i>Ad. Lib.</i>)  <b>11:00 am</b> Knitting Grp. / Creative Crafts (<i>Ad. Lib.</i>)</p>	<p><i>9</i></p>	<p><i>10</i></p>								
<p><i>11</i> <i>Daylight Saving Time Begins</i>  <b>12:00 pm</b> Consignment Sale Set-Up  <b>3:45 pm</b> Handbells  <b>5:00 pm</b> Children's Choir  <b>5:00 pm</b> Youth ROCKS</p>	<p><i>12</i></p>	<p><i>13</i>  <b>10:30 am</b> Bridge Group (<i>Older Youth Classroom</i>)    <b>6:30 pm</b> Session (<i>Adult Library</i>)</p>	<p><i>14</i> <i>Wednesday Night Special</i>  <b>6:30 pm</b> KOK WNY  <b>7:30 pm</b> Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p><i>15</i> <b>10:00 am</b> Lenten Bible Study (<i>Ad. Lib.</i>)  <b>11:00 am</b> Knitting Grp. / Creative Crafts (<i>Ad. Lib.</i>)</p>	<p><i>16</i>  <b>6:00 pm</b> Safe Haven</p>	<p><i>17</i></p>								
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<p><i>18</i> <b>12:00 pm</b> Youth/Parent Meeting  <b>3:00 pm</b> Concert Chorale of Nashville Concert  <b>5:00 pm</b> Youth ROCKS</p>	<p><i>19</i>  <b>10:00 am</b> Young @ Heart (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>)</p>	<p><i>20</i></p>	<p><i>21</i> <b>4 to 8 pm</b> Blood Drive  <i>Wednesday Night Special</i>  <b>6:30 pm</b> KOK WNY  <b>7:30 pm</b> Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p><i>22</i> <b>10:00 am</b> Lenten Bible Study (<i>Ad. Lib.</i>)  <b>11:00 am</b> Knitting Grp. / Creative Crafts (<i>Ad. Lib.</i>)</p>	<p><i>23</i></p>	<p><i>24</i></p>								
<p><i>25</i> <b>Palm Sunday</b>  <b>3:45 pm</b> Handbells  <b>5:00 pm</b> Children's Choir  <b>5:00 pm</b> Youth ROCKS</p>	<p><i>26</i></p>	<p><i>27</i>  <b>10:30 am</b> CPWM Meeting and Lunch (<i>Adult Library</i>)</p>	<p><i>28</i> <i>NO Wednesday Night Special</i>  Rehearsals  <b>5:30 pm</b> Instrumental  <b>7:00 pm</b> Choir</p>	<p><i>29</i> <b>10:00 am</b> Lenten Bible Study (<i>Ad. Lib.</i>)  <b>11:00 am</b> Knitting Grp. / Creative Crafts (<i>Ad. Lib.</i>)  <b>7:00 pm</b> Maundy Thursday Service </p>	<p><i>30</i>  <i>Church Office Closed</i>  <b>7:00 pm</b> Good Friday Service </p>	<p><i>31</i>  Rehearsals  <b>9:00 am</b> Instrumental  <b>10:00 am</b> Choir</p>								

# Happy Birthday

## MARCH COMMUNION STEWARDS



Angela Beaton  
Jeri Behan

## MARCH ACOLYTES

Leah McCulley  
Anna Grace Wooten

## MARCH USHERS

Ted Brothers, *Head Usher*

Larry Davidson      Jane Dowden  
Charlie Floyd      Otis Hallbright  
Lee Johnson      Sherry Kelly  
Jacob Malloy

## MARCH GREETERS

Mar. 4      Greg & Jane Allen Family  
Mar. 11      Stan & Lori Wooten Family  
Mar. 18      Lee & Angie Johnson Family  
Mar. 25      Nanette Ricker, Loretta Sneed

## MARCH LECTORS

Mar. 4      Jim Day  
Mar. 11      Beverly Garrett Shaw  
Mar. 18      Frank Scott  
Mar. 25      Sue Couden

## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR MARCH

Mar. 4      John 18:12-27; Psalm 17:1-7  
Mar. 11      John 18:28-40; Psalm 145:10-13  
Mar. 18      John 19:1-16a; Psalm 146  
Mar. 25      John 19:16b-22; Psalm 24

## MARCH NURSERY WORKERS

Mar. 4      Betsy Canupp (*Sunday School*)  
Betsy Canupp, Megan Gregali (*Worship*)  
Mar. 11      Betsy Canupp (*Sunday School*)  
Betsy Canupp, Rose O'Hara (*Worship*)  
Mar. 18      Betsy Canupp (*Sunday School*)  
Betsy Canupp, Liz Strickland (*Worship*)  
Mar. 25      Laura Winslow (*Sunday School*)  
Laura Winslow, Jeri Behan (*Worship*)

## MARCH WEE WORSHIP WORKERS

Mar. 4      Sharon Malloy, Lorri Jean Pulley  
Mar. 11      Heather MacDonald, Elizabeth Allen  
Mar. 18      Rhonda Mossbarger, Allie Ford  
Mar. 25      Harriette Blake, Josh Peppers

## MARCH LETTER WRITER



Jeri Behan

