



THE MESSENGER

BRENTHAVEN CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

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CONNECTED

Two weeks ago, I took a class called “Cumberland Presbyterian Polity”. We learned about how the government of the CP church is organized and WHY. The professor had one recurring phrase, that seemed to answer the WHY question. “Cumberland Presbyterian’s are connectional.”

As Cumberland Presbyterians, we like to know each other and rely on one another. Our Youth Groups know this pretty well. They attend retreats with other students from the presbytery, church camp with other students from the synod, and a conference each year with students from all across our denomination. Cumberland Presbyterian Youth know what it looks like to be a part of a connectional church. They get to experience the value in having people to rely on and journey with. They can see the value in connection.

This week I will be attending the CP Youth Worker’s Retreat in Panama City, Florida. It will be a week of not only relaxation with other CP Youth Workers, but in typical Cumberland Presbyterian fashion we will also be meeting one another, learning with one another, learning from one another, and connecting in the classic Cumberland Presbyterian way.

I thank God that you and I are connected.

COME CELEBRATE WITH US!

Everyone is invited to the

PROMOTION SUNDAY CELEBRATION

Sunday, August 11

9:30 am

Brenthaven church members, you are all invited to the Fellowship Hall for breakfast finger foods, fruit, juice, and coffee at 9:30 am.

Children, youth and their teachers will be recognized and promoted in the Sanctuary at **10:00 am**.

We hope you join us as we love on our Sunday school students, teacher and acolytes.



BACKPACK BLESSING - AUGUST 11

On **Sunday, August 11, 10:45 am** we will celebrate our annual Backpack Blessing. Students are encouraged to bring their backpacks. Toddlers are invited to bring their diaper bags. Adults are encouraged to bring their backpacks, briefcases, tote bags, purses, sports bags, or other forms of conveyance for their daily “stuff” to be blessed as well.

When we go about our daily lives we do not go alone. We go with the grace of God, the love of Christ Jesus, and the comfort of the Holy Spirit! We also go with the love and support of the Brenthaven Church family.

Join us in worship on August 11 to be blessed, regardless of your age or stage of life!



Brenthaven
Consignment



August 15-17

THUR. AUG. 15 Noon - 6:00 PM

FRI. AUG. 16 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

SAT. AUG. 17 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM ½ PRICE

YOU COULD SHOP ALL SEASON TO FIND GOOD DEALS
OR
FIND THEM ALL RIGHT HERE.

VOLUNTEER FOR THE CONSIGNMENT SALE

Your help is needed to set up for the Brenthaven Consignment Sale **Sunday, August 11** following worship.

You are also invited to volunteer to work one of the shifts at the sale. When you volunteer to work a shift, you get to shop first. If you are a consignor, each shift you work will increase your take home profit by 2% up to 10% total. We are glad to have well-behaved children present during volunteer shifts. Most volunteer shifts are between 3 and 4 hours in duration.

To sign up to volunteer go to brenthaven.org and click on Consignment Sale.

Your help is very much appreciated.

CONSIGNMENT SALE SEEKING DONATIONS

Cleaning out your closets for fall? Consider donating your gently used fall and winter clothing to the Brenthaven Consignment Sale. We are accepting adult business attire, maternity wear, and children's clothing from newborn to size 14/16. You may bring your donations to the church on **Sunday, August 11**.

BRIDGE GROUP

Are you interested in learning how to play bridge or improve your game? Come to the **Bridge Group, Tuesday, August 13, 10:30 am** in the Older Youth SS classroom. All skill levels are welcome. Bring your lunch and enjoy the fellowship, laughter, and great instruction at the Bridge Group,

BOOKEND BOOKCLUB

The BookEnd BookClub will meet **Thursday, August 15, 9:30 am** to discuss *Before We Were Yours* by Lisa Wingate. This riveting, wrenching, and ultimately uplifting tale is based on the notorious true-life scandal of a Memphis adoption organization. Wingate reminds us how, even though the paths we take can lead to many places, the heart never forgets where we belong. You are invited to read along and join in the discussion.



MEN! SAVE THE DATE!

It's just about time for football, fellowship and food. Mark your calendar for **ESPN, Sunday, September 8, 6:30 pm** at Miller's Ale House in Cool Springs.

Looking forward to seeing you.

CALLING ALL CONSIGNORS

It's not too late to be a consignor at the Brenthaven Consignment Sale. Go to www.brenthaven.org and click on the Brenthaven Consignment Sale tab. We are accepting gently used fall and winter clothing from newborn through size 14/16. The dates of the sale are **Thursday, August 15 - Saturday, August 17**. There is a special Pre-Sale on Wednesday, August 14 for volunteers and consignors only. Check out our tagging system! We think you will love it, plus you will get sales reports in REAL TIME! You will be able to enter and print all of your tags AND get instant sales report to see what has sold. Sign up now to select a drop off time. Consignor fees are \$7, plus 30% of your total sales (same 70/30 split). If you are unable to use the new system for any reason, please make arrangements with us ASAP.

Brenthaven Family Picnic Wednesday, August 28 5:30 pm

Granny White Park Pavilion

Members are asked to bring side dishes and desserts.

Meats, buns, condiments and drinks will be provided.

Hope to see you there!



CELEBRATION of WOODBINE CPC Saturday, August 24, 2019

in the former "Boyd Garrett Center"
3016 Nolensville Road

ANYONE who was a former member
or attended Woodbine is invited for a night of
FUN! FOOD! FELLOWSHIP!

Schedule:

- 4:00 - 5:00 pm Mix and Mingle with old friends
- 5:00 - 6:30 pm Barbecue Dinner** - No Charge
- ** Reservations must be made by August 20
- 6:00 - 8:00 pm Recalling the Past with music, singing, words, pictures, and other "specials"

Please call, text, or email:

The Jobe's 615-776-7755 or cppreacher@united.net
The McCulley's 615-419-2451 or 615-556-7626

PLEASE COME! If you can't come for the entire evening, COME for what you can. You won't want to miss it!

We are looking forward to seeing you, sharing good times and past memories with friends of Woodbine.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Recent Additions

Marie Steelman, Melinda Fleming

Homebound

Hester Allen, Mickey Davis, Forrest King

Members

Corina Crowe, Ben Davis, Jane Dowden, Ollie Faircloth, Charlie Floyd, Treva Floyd, Cathy Forester, Barbara Gentry, Em Ghianni, Madge Graves, Doris Gray, Tommy Hennesy, Jacob Johnson, Robert Lipe, Barbara Loyall, Bill Moser, Jean Overstreet, Jack C. Phillips, Larry Pulley, Lee Roy Satterwhite, Guy Sneed

Family and Friends

Carney Allen (*father of Greg T. Allen*), Abbey Bailey and Family (*friend of Jane Dowden*), Charles Douglas Ballard (*cousin of Joan Bledsoe*), Wanda Blair and family (*friend of Scott Felts*), Michelle Burke (*daughter of Joyce Burch*), Peggy Byrd, Fahlin Chapman (*friend of Jenny and Anna Grace Wooten*), Betty Sue Cook (*mother of Lisa Cook*), Marjorie DeWitt (*mother of Suzanne Ghianni*), Harry Dexheimer (*age 7, son of Brenthaven Consignor*), Don Dowden (*brother-in law of Jane Dowden*), Pinks Dudley, Bill Garrett (*son of Beverly Garrett*), Frank Gillespie (*step-father of Russ Deaton*), Tim Hanner (*brother of Jane Allen*), Brian Hartman (*friend of Jonelle Summitt*), Sue Hearn (*aunt of Jodi Rush*), Kelly Jo Hicks (*friend of D'ann Ricketts*), Cheryl Hobbs, (*friend of Rose O'Hara*), Deborah Irwin (*friend of Jonelle Summitt*), Shirley Jansma, Charlotte Judge (*friend of Linda Pulley*), David Katz (*brother of Dan MacDonald*), Sandy Keene (*sister-in-law Joyce Burch*), Jessica Lam Lau (*friend of Rush family*), Ayden Orr (*friend of Ollie, Baird and Miah Faircloth*), Doug Powers, Yvonne Reid (*aunt of Liz Strickland*), Mary Ellen Rimer (*former member*), Kimberly Roe (*cousin of Scott Felts*), John Satterfield (*cousin of Jan Marshall*), Jimmy Sharpe (*director of Junior Camp*), Patty Short (*friend of Myra Agee*), Pat Simpson (*mother of Sheryl Day*), Rev. Christian Smith (*Pastor of Cookeville CPC*), Brett Swain (*friend of the Beaton's*), Cleo Underwood (*sister of Barbara Loyall*), Melissa Waddey (*co-worker of Lori Wooten*), Kelly Wallace (*daughter of Fred & Carol Ford*), Bart Williams (*brother of Gwen Keiser*), Jack Williams (*father of Gwen Keiser*), those serving our country

Deaths

Family of Sophia Elena Dadej "Super Sophie"
(*granddaughter of Danny & Susan Herron, friends of Marty & Cheryl Morris*)



MEMORIALS

In Memory of Randy Parham

(*son-in-law of Giff & Barb Jordon*)

Billy & Barbara Dial

Bob Dozier

Bart King

Ronny & Becky Jones

In Memory of Juanita Wooten (*mother of Stan Wooten*)

Suzanne Johnson

In Memory of Pauline Day (*sister-in-law Penni Reitmeyer*)

Billy & Barbara Dial

THANK YOU

Brenthaven Church Family,

Randy Parham's passing was a tremendous blow to the family. The family wishes to thank Kip for his presence during our family loss. Our daughter, Jana, found great comfort in his service. If someone were to ask "how do you spell Pastor" we'd have to say K I P! Thanks, Kip, for being so gracious to Jana and the rest of the family.

We also want to thank our church family for the many condolences by phone and card. When we moved here 4 years ago God blessed us with you folks.

Giff & Barb Jordon

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Dear Brenthaven Church,

On behalf of my family, I would like to express my thanks to everyone at Brenthaven for all of your support following the death of my mother.

We are grateful to God for your prayers, cards, phone calls, and memorial gifts. Your caring and kindness will never be forgotten.

Sincerely,

*Stan Wooten*

## ATTENDANCE

**Sunday, August 4, 2019**

Sunday School 67    Worship 130

