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BRENTHAVEN CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

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MARSHALL LECTURES - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2



We are excited to have **Dr. Mitzi Minor** as our speaker for this year's Marshall Lectures. Dr. Minor is the Mary Magdalene Professor of New Testament at Memphis Theological Seminary and ordained by the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. The primary focus of her work has been (and continues to be) the intersection of the New Testament with our own spiritual journeys.

Dr. Minor's sermon, *Seeing*, is based on Mark 4:21-25, and following worship she will hold 2 lectures which build off of this idea of "seeing." The first lecture, *Awakened Imagination*, will help listeners recognize that the type of "seeing" in Mark shows up at other times throughout the New Testament. The second lecture, *Resurrection Imaginations*, recognizes that the followers of Jesus lived in a difficult world in which they were largely powerless, but they created transformative pockets of joy in the midst of the oppressive Roman Empire. How were they able to do this? Their imaginations were awakened and shaped by their experience of Jesus as resurrected.

Everyone who hears Dr. Minor will be blessed and we hope you will make plans to attend. Invite your friends and anyone interested in growing in their faith journey. The lectures will begin at 12:30-ish. Lunch will be held following worship. It will be helpful if you would RSVP the church office for lunch. Hope to see YOU there!

SHEPHERD / POTLUCK LUNCH - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16

Following worship on **Sunday, October 16** everyone is invited to a special potluck lunch. Each year, everyone is assigned to a shepherd group. Shepherd groups are smaller groups of the Brenthaven family assigned to two elders. These elders share in the pastoral care of the group and are available to discuss concerns and/or celebrations.

At the lunch everyone will sit with their Shepherd group for a time of fellowship and sharing. This is a great opportunity for each member to get to know their shepherds and each shepherd to get to know the members of their flock.

The Fellowship Ministry will supply the meat and asks that everyone bring a dish or two (2) to share. Fellowship meals are a great opportunity for the church family to become even closer.

Check your mail for a postcard which will announce your shepherds. Please make plans to join us!

BLOOD DRIVE - WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19



The American Red Cross is in need of your help. Brenthaven will host another a Blood Drive on **Wednesday, October 19, from 4:00 - 8:00 pm**. The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be parked in the Brenthaven parking lot. Can you give? Will you give? Please sign up to give. There is a sign up sheet in the narthex on the Welcome Center. You can also sign up online. Please sign up soon!

IT'S ALMOST SOCKTOBER

During the month of October, Brenthaven celebrates SOCKtober. Last year, the folks at Brenthaven brought dozens and dozens of pairs of socks. All those socks were given to Rev. Lisa Cook of Sacred Sparks Ministry for her ministry with people experiencing homelessness and/or extreme poverty. Would you like to help? Simply bring packages of sock for adults and add them to our collection. Let's see how many we can collect this year!

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

Saturday, October 1, 8:30 am is the next Men's Fellowship Breakfast. All men are invited, so make plans to attend. Good food, great fellowship and a wonderful way to begin your day.

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED MEETING

The Brenthaven CPWM will host the Church Women United meeting on **Thursday, October 6** from **9:30 to 11:00 am** in the Fellowship Hall. The program will be presented by the *Nashville Native American Council*. All ladies are invited attend and learn about both of these groups.

HELP US FILL THE BRENTHAVEN BOOTH

Brenthaven has a church booth at the Brenthaven Craft Bazaar. Please help us fill it with your handmade crafts. If you can make crafts contact **Linda Lipe** lindajlipe@gmail.com.

Please bring your completed craft items to the church before **Friday, October 21**. Proceeds benefit *Sacred Sparks Ministry*. Thank you for your help.

BAKE SALE AT THE BAZAAR



All you wonderful Brenthaven bakers start thinking now what you will bring to the Bake Sale happening on Saturday, Oct. 22. The Bake sale is held in conjunction with the Brenthaven Craft Bazaar from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. We would like to have your delectable sweet treats and goodies brought to the church by **Friday, October 21**. Thank you for your help.

ANNUAL BRENTHAVEN BAZAAR

Original Handmade Crafts

Saturday, October 22, 2016

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Over 20 Vendors

Everything Indoors

Enjoy a box lunch for \$7

Church Proceeds Benefit *Sacred Sparks Ministry*

Check out our Facebook page:

[facebook.com/BrenthavenCraftBazaar](https://www.facebook.com/BrenthavenCraftBazaar)

GREETING CARD DRIVE THRU OCTOBER

The CPWM is again sponsoring a "Greeting Card Drive" beginning **September 18 through Sunday, October 30**. Please bring your unused greeting cards of any kind to be donated to the Women's Prison and place them in the marked box just outside the church office door. The cards are very much appreciated by women serving time in prison for they help these women to keep in touch with their family and friends. Thank you for supporting this worthy project.

KOK AND THE USO

From the eyes of a World War II veteran, the re-establishment of a replica of a USO troop facility with all of the trimmings including patriotic posters, U.S. flags draped on ceilings and walls and sand bag barriers on the stage was truly awesome and memorable. The entire committee chaired by Cheryl Morris, decorations by Suzanne Ghianni, and music by Linda Pulley did an A1 job creating a WWII environment in our Fellowship Hall.

Our KOK with its diverse talent of songs and dance of that era did an excellent performance. The surprise of the afternoon was the "actual" appearance of the Andrew Sisters performing their songs while the packed house was enjoying a tasty pasta lunch sponsored by the KOK parents. The entire afternoon was a "never to miss" event worthy of all of us to donate to the playground fund.

I'm In!

Em Ghianni

God Bless



PRAYER CONCERNS

Recent Additions

Joan Bledsoe, Wayne Causey (*father of Angela Beaton*),
Doris Kotarski (*friend of Mac & Kaye Holland*)

Homebound

Chris Henry, Forrest King

Members

Hester Allen, Ed Bryan, Jackie Bryan, Evelyn Davenport,
Ben & Mickey Davis, Marilyn Ewen, Barbara Gentry, Em
Ghianni, Madge Graves, Paul Graves, Tommy Hennesy,
Woody Jones, Tammy Lake, Jacob Malloy, Sue Malone,
Rhonda Mossbarger, Jean Overstreet, Larry Pulley, Janiece
Redmon, Peggy Rushing, Beverly St. John, Guy Sneed, Cheryl
Tabor, Curtis Vaughn

Family and Friends

Jim & Christine Alford (*co-workers of Diana Williard*), Carney Allen
(*father of Greg T. Allen*), Charles Douglas Ballard (*cousin of Joan
Bledsoe*), Dorothy Black (*grandmother of Megan Gregali*), Jacob Boling
(*nephew of Ann White*), Michelle Burke (*daughter of Joyce Burch*), Peggy
Byrd, Betty Collins (*friend of Rose O'Hara*), Sue Cook (*mother of Lisa
Cook*), Allan Deckret (*friend of Brenthaven*), Glen DeWitt (*father of
Suzanne Ghianni*), Charles Dial (*brother of Billy Dial*), Rob Dollar
(*friend of Tim Ghianni*), Mallory Dowden (*great niece of Jane Dowden*),
John Ferguson (*father of Jonelle Summitt & Christi Peppers*), Bill
Garrett (*son of Beverly Garrett Shaw*), Frank Gillespie (*step-father of Russ
Deaton*), Tommy Graves (*son of Paul & Madge Graves*), Wendy
Graves (*granddaughter of Paul & Madge Graves*), Joe Hearn (*father of Jodi
Rush*), Deborah Irwin (*friend of Jonelle Summitt*), Mary & Don
Johnson (*friends of Jane Dowden*), Judy Jones (*friend of Scott Felts*), Lori
Lindley (*friend of Mike & Julie Murphy*), Shirley Malborough
(*grandmother of Angie Johnson*), Martha Malloy (*mother of Joe Malloy*),
James McCulley (*father of Jay McCulley*), Karen Mosley Mills (*niece of
Jim Mosley*), Larry Mitchell (*uncle of Jodi Rush*), Wanda Morris (*mother
of Carol Ramsay*), Ben Osburn (*former member*), RheAnn White
Peacock, Martha Pulley (*mother of Larry Pulley*), Reggie Reed
(*husband of co-worker of Lori Wooten*), Johnny Rush (*father of Pastor Kip*),
Mary Scott (*mother of Frank Scott*), Marjorie Shepherd (*mother of
Sharon Malloy*), Pat Simpson (*mother of Sheryl Day*), The Smith
Family (*friends of Laura Ellen Pulley*), Judy Starnes (*mother of Leslie
Meredith*), Ellie Taliaferro (*young friend of the Crowe Family*), Donna
Tillett (*sister-in-law of Cindy Phelps*), Debby Turner (*sister of Cheryl
Tabor*), Cleo Underwood (*sister of Barbara Loyall*), Kelly Wallace
(*daughter of Fred & Carol Ford*), Robert Williams (*brother of Linda
Pulley*), Barbara Woodward (*mother of Sandra Moyers*), Billie Lou
Wooten (*sister of Brenda Medlin*), Judith Wright (*grandmother of
Carolynn Hallquist*), those serving our country

Deaths

Family of Curtis Vaughn
Family of Judy Williams (*cousin of Linda Pulley*)



MEMORIALS

In Memory of Curtis Vaughn

Joan Bledsoe
Joyce Burch
Betsy Canupp
Billy & Barbara Dial
Bob Dozier
Bart King
Wylene Nix
Betty Murray
Ron & Brenda Medlin
Ron & Ann White

In Memory of Betty Hogan

Bart King
Wylene Nix

In Memory of Judy Williams

Bart King
Ron & Brenda Medlin

GREETINGS FROM SACRED SPARKS

It does not feel like it, but winter is coming. The needs of our friends served by Sacred Sparks Ministry will be changing slightly.

Currently the Sacred Sparks food pantry is running critically low. Restocking is necessary so requests for help may be filled. Please consider donating, soups, canned foods such as: meats, sardines, chili, beans, vegetables, ravioli, spaghetti, fruit. Also, ramen noodles, juice boxes, coffee, cereal bars, fruit cups, and manual can openers. Gift cards to grocery stores will also work.

Please prayerfully consider monetary donations.

Hope you are blessed and remember, love God and love each other.

*Shalom U'vracha,
Rev. Lisa Cook*

ATTENDANCE

Sunday, September 25, 2016

Sunday School 94 Worship 148

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SPECIAL MENU

Wednesday, October 5: *Potato Bar w/ Pork and
Chicken and Brownies*

Please make, cancel, or adjust your meal reservations by Monday, October 3 before 10:00 am.

Thank you.

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

SUNDAY SCHOOL : 9:30 A.M.
SUNDAY WORSHIP: 10:45 A.M.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sept 30 - Oct 1** CPWM Synodic Retreat
- Oct 1** 8:30 am Men's Fellowship Breakfast
- Oct 2** 9:30 am Sunday School
 10:45 am Worship
 12:00 pm Marshall Lecture Lunch
 12:30 pm Marshall Lectures - *Dr. Mitzji Minor*
 3:45 pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal
 5:00 pm Children's Choir 3rd - 6th grade
 5:00 pm Youth ROCKS
 6:00 pm Children's Choir K - 2nd grade
 7:00 pm ESPN
- Oct 3** 9:30 am Staff Meeting
 10:00 am Young @ Heart
- Oct 5** 5:45 pm Wednesday Night Special - Meal
 6:30 pm Wednesday Night Special - Classes
 Kids of the Kingdom
 Wednesday Night Youth
 7:30 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
- Oct 6** 9:00 am Church Women United (*Brenthaven*)
 11:30 am Knitting/Creative Craft Ministry
- Oct 9** 9:30 am Sunday School
 10:45 am Worship
 12:00 pm Member Care Ministry Meeting
 Discipleship Ministry Team Meeting
 3:45 pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal
 5:00 pm Children's Choir 3rd - 6th grade
 5:00 pm Youth ROCKS
 6:00 pm Children's Choir K - 2nd grade
 7:00 pm ESPN

SERVING WEEK OF OCTOBER 2

- Acolytes:* Anna Ford,
 Rachel Scott
- Lector:* Diana Williard
- Greeters:* John & Cindi Edwards
- Nursery:* Rebecca Dandrea (*Sunday School*)
 Becky Garrett (*Worship*)
- Ushers:* Ted Brothers, Angela Beaton, Billy Dial,
 Tim Garrett, Barbara Loyall,
 George Williard, Stan Wooten
- Wee Worship:* Jonelle Summitt
 Allie Ford

STEWARDSHIP REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 25

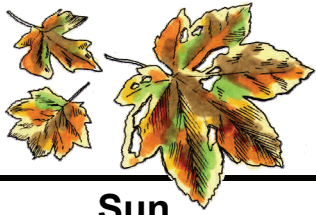
	OPERATING & DEBT RETIREMENT BUDGET
Received this week	6,143.00
Weekly Need	10,805.00
Received for Budget Year-to-Date	371,540.32
Need Year-to-Date	421,395.00 (49,854.68)
Monthly Principal & Interest Payment	10,000.00
Mortgage Principal Balance	602,283.79

STAFF & LEADERSHIP

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

Session - The Elders

<i>Class of 2017</i>	<i>Class of 2018</i>	<i>Class of 2019</i>
Suzanne Ghianni	Barry Campbell	Russ Deaton
Jill Weisz Keller	Bill Dobbins	Chris Fleming
Rhonda Mossbarger	Jennie Ford	Renee McCulley
Christi Peppers	Julie Murphy	Julie Travis



October 2016



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>Each Sunday:</i> 9:30 am <i>Sunday School</i> 10:45 am <i>Morning Worship</i></p>			<p><i>Each Wednesday</i> <i>Night Special:</i> 5:45 pm Meal 6:30 pm Classes</p>			<p>1 8:30 am Men's Fellowship Breakfast <i>(Fellowship Hall)</i> CPWM Synodic Retreat Sept 30 - Oct 1 <i>(Camp Crystal Springs)</i></p>
<p>2 <i>Marshall Lectures</i> 3:45 pm Handbells 5:00 pm 3rd-6th grade Choir 5:00 pm Youth ROCKS 6:00 pm K-2nd grade Choir 7:00 pm ESPN <i>(Wings Café CS)</i></p>	<p>3 10:00 am Young @ Heart <i>(Fellowship Hall)</i></p>	<p>4</p>	<p>5 <i>Wednesday Night Special</i> 6:30 pm KOK WNY 7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>6 9:00 am Church Women United Mtg. <i>(Fellowship Hall)</i> 11:30 am Knitting Grp. / Creative Crafts <i>(Ad. Lib.)</i></p>	<p>7</p>	<p>8</p>
<p>9 12:00 pm Member Care Ministry Meeting <i>(Ad. Lib.)</i> 12:00 pm DMT <i>(W.W. Class)</i> 3:45 pm Handbells 5:00 pm 3rd-6th grade Choir 5:00 pm Youth ROCKS 6:00 pm K-2nd grade Choir 7:00 pm ESPN <i>(Wings Café CS)</i></p>	<p>10</p>	<p>11 10:30 am Bridge Group <i>(Sr. Hi. Classroom)</i> 6:30 pm Session <i>(Adult Library)</i></p>	<p>12 <i>Wednesday Night Special</i> 6:30 pm KOK WNY 7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>13 11:30 am Knitting Grp. / Creative Crafts <i>(Ad. Lib.)</i></p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15</p>
<p>16 12:00 pm Shepherds Lunch <i>(Fellowship Hall)</i> 3:45 pm Handbells 5:00 pm 3rd-6th grade Choir 5:00 pm Youth ROCKS 6:00 pm K-2nd grade Choir 7:00 pm ESPN <i>(Wings Café CS)</i></p>	<p>17 10:00 am Young @ Heart <i>(Fellowship Hall)</i></p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19 4:00 pm Blood Drive <i>Wednesday Night Special</i> 6:30 pm KOK WNY 7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>20 9:30 am BookEnd BookClub <i>(Adult Library)</i> 11:30 am Knitting Grp. / Creative Crafts <i>(Ad. Lib.)</i></p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22 9:00 am - 3:00 pm <i>Brenthaven Bazaar</i> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> Youth ROCKS Fall Retreat 10:00 am Depart </div></p>
<p>23 3:45 pm Handbells 5:00 pm 3rd-6th grade Choir 6:00 pm K-2nd grade Choir 7:00 pm ESPN <i>(Wings Café CS)</i></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> Youth ROCKS Fall Retreat 4:00 pm Return </div>	<p>24</p>	<p>25 9:00 am Nashville Presb. Mtg. <i>(Brenthaven)</i> 10:30 am CPWM Mtg. and Lunch <i>(Ad. Lib.)</i></p>	<p>26 <i>Wednesday Night Special</i> 6:30 pm KOK WNY 7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>27 11:30 am Knitting / Creative Crafts <i>(Ad. Lib.)</i></p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p>
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;"> Brenthaven Book Fair October 24 - November 6 Narthex </div>						
<p>30 4:00 pm Trunk or Treat </p>	<p>31 10:00 am Young @ Heart <i>(Fellowship Hall)</i></p>					

Happy Birthday

Oct. 3 Melanie Sleigh
Steve Moore
Oct. 4 Lorri Jean Pulley
Oct. 5 Luke Deaton
Kaye Holland
Oct. 6 Brenda Medlin
Oct. 7 Madge Graves
Lorenzo Trujillo
Katie Wattenbarger
Oct. 11 Charlie Floyd
Chris Henry
Ron White
Oct. 14 Beverly St. John
Oct. 15 Stephanie Capps
Oct. 16 Vince Couden
Oct. 18 Mary Helen Alexander
Oct. 19 Josh Malloy
Oct. 23 Cindy Phelps
Oct. 24 Bob Hastings
Oct. 25 Jacob Malloy
Oct. 26 Suzanne Ghianni
Oct. 27 Paul Gonzales
Oct. 30 Ed Bryan
Oct. 31 Marshall Capps

OCTOBER COMMUNION STEWARDS



Hardy & Sandra Moyers

OCTOBER USHERS

Ted Brothers, *Head Usher*

Angela Beaton Billy Dial
Tim Garrett John Edwards
Barbara Loyall George Williard
Stan Wooten

OCTOBER GREETERS

October 2 John & Cindi Edwards
October 9 Jane, Ty and Elizabeth Allen
October 16 Christi and Josh Peppers
October 23 Nanette Ricker, Frank Scott
October 30 Sherry Kelly, Loretta Sneed

OCTOBER LECTORS

October 2 Diana Williard
October 9 Frank Scott
October 16 Beverly Garrett Shaw
October 23 Bart King
October 30 Laura Winslow

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR OCTOBER

October 2 ***Marshall Lectures***
October 9 Exodus 32:1-14; Luke 23:34
October 16 I Samuel 1:9-11, 19-20; 2:1-10; Luke 1:47-55
October 23 II Samuel 7:1-17; Luke 1:30-33
October 30 I Kings 17:1-16 [17-24]; Luke 4:24-26

OCTOBER ACOLYTES

Anna Ford
Rachel Scott
Anna Grace Wooten

OCTOBER NURSERY WORKERS

Barbara Dial, *Head Nursery Worker*
Rebecca Dandrea, *Sunday School*

October 2 Becky Garrett (*Worship*)
October 9 Treva Floyd (*Worship*)
October 16 Megan Gregali (*Worship*)
October 23 Gina Wattenbarger (*Worship*)
October 30 Rose O'Hara (*Worship*)

OCTOBERWEE WORSHIP WORKERS

October 2 Jonelle Summitt, Jenny Wooten
October 9 Melinda Fleming, Lorri Jean Pulley
October 16 Lori Wooten, Wendy Keiser
October 23 Sheryl Day, Deborah Deaton
October 30 Heather MacDonald, Allie Ford

OCTOBER LETTER WRITER

Jan Davidson

