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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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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 - CANCELLED

The American Red Cross had to cancel the Blood Drive scheduled for Wednesday, October 19. We want to thank everyone who had signed up. We'll let you know if/when it is rescheduled.

ANNUAL BRENTHAVEN BAZAAR

Original Handmade Crafts

Saturday, October 22, 2016

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Over 20 Vendors

Great Gift Selections

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)

MISSIONARY FAMILY TO VISIT BRENTHAVEN

Sunday, October 23, Rev. Jacob Sims, his wife Lindsey, and their children will be visiting Brenthaven. They will be sharing about their future as Cumberland Presbyterian missionaries to Salvador, Brazil. We have invited Jacob to share his call during Sunday school and we invite all classes to meet in the Fellowship Hall for this time. The Sims will be deployed to Brazil in late 2016 or early 2017 when sufficient supporters are committed to meet their salary/benefit needs and will be doing church planting as well as leadership development in Brazil. Please make plans to come and hear these folks and be in prayer for Jacob, Lindsey, Victoria, Christian, and Juliet.



TRUNK OR TREAT - OCTOBER 30

Make plans to join us on **Sunday, October 30** at **4:00 pm** for Brenthaven's Annual Trunk or Treat Festival. Come to enjoy the traditional favorites: decorated trunks of cars and trucks parked in the church parking lot with folks handing out all sorts of surprises and treats, face painting, and line dancing as well as bounce houses for toddlers and elementary-age kids. We will also enjoy chili along with hot dogs, popcorn, and hot chocolate. Decorate your trunk or don't - it doesn't matter. Just come and enjoy watching the children (and adults!) decked out in their favorite costumes and making their candy rounds. Trunks will be judged and awards will be given for best trunk, best treat, and the people's choice award (selected by all who come!). We really hope you can join us. As always, family, friends, and neighbors are invited, so plan to come enjoy some fall fun!!

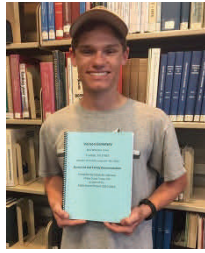




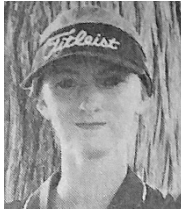
SPOTLIGHT

The Special Collections Department

at the Williamson County Library in Franklin received a very special gift from one of our youth members, **Jacob Johnson**. Jacob recently presented the library with his Vernon Cemetery Book, which is the culmination of his year-long project to restore the historic Franklin cemetery and in addition, qualify him for his Eagle Scout rank. Jacob is in his Senior year at Page High School. His parents are Trent & Shelley Johnson and grandparents Keith & Carol Perryman.



Hardin County High School Lady Tiger, **Haley Hopkins**, granddaughter of Ed & Jackie Bryan, fired an 18-hole total of 91 in the Region 7 AAA Golf Tournament. This is good for a second-place overall finish and a medal. Haley, a sophomore, now advances as an individual to the AAA State Golf Tournament. Way to go Haley!



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 provide 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



It's time for you wonderful Brenthaven bakers to start thinking about what you will bring to the Bake Sale happening on Saturday, October 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.

CPWM

October 25, 10:30 am the CPWM will meet in the Adult Library for an important business meeting. Please remember to bring your casseroles to stock the freezer for *Sacred Sparks Ministry*. We will not be sharing lunch together. Following the CPWM meeting please make plans to stay and help serve lunch for the Nashville Presbytery meeting here at Brenthaven.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SCENE

"For he is the living God, enduring forever. His kingdom shall never be destroyed, and his dominion has no end." Daniel 6:26b

Daniel is faced with a choice: worship of God or worship of a king. He chooses God. And it is Daniel's story that the children in the *Workshop Rotation Sunday School Classes* will learn this month as we continue our year-long focus on *Tests of Faith*. Joining us this month is **Rachel Campbell** in our *Storytelling Workshop* where making glove puppets will help the children retell the story of Daniel in the lion's den. **Fred Ford, Jr.** leads the way in the *Joyful Noise Workshop*. "More than Muscles Make Me Strong," is an old VBS song the children will learn while designing their own unique instruments. You may see and hear them in the church hallways!

Daniel and his friends stayed strong as young men while in custody of the King, and refused the rich foods the King offered and ate only what their faith mandated they eat. **Jonelle Summitt** will lead the *Daily Bread Workshop* with the children in discussing healthy and unhealthy food choices. And in *BibleMax Theater*, the Nest Family movie *Daniel* gives the children an overall picture of Daniels' life.

The Workshop classes are for children in Kindergarten through 6th grade, beginning at 9:30 am every Sunday in the Children's Wing.

OVERSEAS MISSION TRIP

Do you enjoy working with youth and children? The Missions Ministry Team of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church is looking for 10-15 adults to go on an overseas mission trip to Salvador, Brazil and Mata de Sao Joao, Brazil **January 20-30, 2017**. Cost of the trip is \$3,500 plus your flight to/from Miami. Leaders are **Milton Ortiz** and **Jodi Rush**. Prayerfully consider this opportunity. If you have questions, call Pastor Kip or Jodi Rush.

BOOKS! BOOKS! BOOKS!

The Discipleship Ministry Team is hosting a Book Fair! The Book Fair table will be in Brenthaven's narthex beginning Monday, October 24 and will remain there until after worship on Sunday, November 6. Featured in the sale are books from Sparkhouse, the publisher of our new Sunday school materials for the preschool. The collection includes children's Bibles, Bible storybooks, faith-based activity books and storybooks. The books are geared for babies in the nursery, preschoolers, and children in elementary grades. Samples of each book for sale will be available for you to page through and enjoy. Orders (up to 40% off) will be taken and free delivery will occur in time for Christmas.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Recent Additions

Hester Allen, Rev. Bob Shelton

Homebound

Chris Henry, Forrest King

Members

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

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*), James McCulley (*father of Jay McCulley*), Larry Mitchell (*uncle of Jodi Rush*), Wanda Morris (*mother of Carol Ramsay*), Ben Osburn (*former member*), RheAnn White Peacock, Reggie Reed (*husband of co-worker of Lori Wooten*), Johnny Rush (*father of Pastor Kip*), Mary Scott (*mother of Frank Scott*), 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 ofCarolynn Hallquist*), those serving our country

Deaths

Family of Woody Jones



MEMORIALS

In Memory of Woody Jones

Jane Dowden
Bob Dozier
Charlie & Treva Floyd
Mac & Kaye Holland
Bart King
Hardy & Sandra Moyers
Keith & Carol Perryman
Guy & Loretta Sneed

In Memory of Curtis Vaughn

Ed & Jackie Bryan
Keith & Carol Perryman
Larry & Linda Pulley
Ame Satterwhite
Brenthaven Church

In Memory of Dot Satterwhite

Vernon & Alice Knight

In Memory of Wayne Causey (father of Angela Beaton)

Bart King
Joe & Jan Marshall
Larry & Linda Pulley
Guy & Loretta Sneed

In Memory of Jean Barnes (mother of Janie Rich)

Brenthaven Church

In Memory of Betty Hogan Tiller

Larry & Linda Pulley

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SPECIAL MENU

Wednesday, October 19: *BBQ Brisket and chicken, baked beans, slaw, buns and dessert.*

Please make, cancel, or adjust your meal reservations by Monday, October 17 before 10:00 am.

ATTENDANCE

Sunday, October 9, 2016

Sunday School 83 Worship 158

RECENT GUESTS

Sharon Helmtoller
Wanda Walker

BOOKEND BOOKCLUB

Join with the book club to discuss *Pursued* by Suzie Waltner on **Thursday, October 20, 9:30 am** in the Adult Library. This is a Christian based story of romance and 2nd chances. Suzie is a friend of Ann White.



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SUNDAY WORSHIP: 10:45 A.M.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Oct 16** 9:30 am Sunday School
 10:45 am Worship
 12:00 pm Shepherd Potluck Lunch
 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 17** 10:00 am Young @ Heart
- Oct 19** 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 20** 9:30 am BookEnd BookClub
 11:30 am Knitting/Creative Craft Ministry
- Oct 22** 9:00 to 3:00 pm Brenthaven Craft Bazaar
- Oct 23** 9:30 am Sunday School *with Rev. Jacob Sims*
 10:45 am Worship
 3:45 pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal
 5:00 pm Children's Choir 3rd - 6th grade
 5:00 pm Youth ROCKS
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SERVING WEEK OF OCTOBER 16

- Acolytes:* Anna Ford
 Rachel Scott
- Lector:* Beverly Garrett Shaw
- Greeters:* Christi and Josh Peppers
- Nursery:* Rebecca Dandrea (*Sunday School*)
 Megan Gregali (*Worship*)
- Ushers:* Ted Brothers, Angela Beaton, Billy Dial,
 John Edwards, Tim Garrett, Barbara Loyall,
 George Williard, Stan Wooten
- Wee Worship:* Lori Wooten
 Wendy Keiser
- Narrative Lectionary Readings for*
Sunday, October 16 (Green)
 I Samuel 1:9-11, 19-20; 2:1-10; Luke 1:47-55

STEWARDSHIP REPORT FOR OCTOBER 9**OPERATING & DEBT
 RETIREMENT BUDGET**

Received this week	10,639.80
Weekly Need	10,805.00
Received for Budget Year-to-Date	394,428.12
Need Year-to-Date	443,005.00
	(48,576.88)
Monthly Principal & Interest Payment	10,000.00
Mortgage Principal Balance	603,283.79

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