

Worship services and messages are recorded each week. If you would like a copy please contact Neil Reazin. They can be emailed to you. The full service can be viewed on Facebook and on our YouTube channel.

THE LORD'S DAY:

8:45 a.m. Adult Life Group Study—Psalms
9:50 a.m. **Worship Service—Family Day**
No Children's classes today
11:15 a.m. No Adult Life Group Study
Youth Life Group (6th—12th grades)
2:00 p.m. Hymn sing and worship at Somerford Place
3:00 p.m. Church picnic at Shafer Park

Little Blessings class (infant-3yrs) is upstairs, Sprouts (4yrs-1st grade), and children in 2nd-5th grade - Children's Church meet downstairs in their classrooms during the worship hour. Parents pick up their children there after the service. Every third Sunday is Family Day; no child classes.

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1 Peter 5:3 (ESV)
not domineering over those in
your charge, but being examples
to the flock.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

If you have a prayer request today, pick up a Prayer Card when you come into the sanctuary, fill it out and place it in the offering plate at the back of the sanctuary. Please note if it can be shared or if it is just for the Pastor.

If you have a prayer need at any time throughout the week, please text Donna Gregory at 240-575-4076 or send her an email: dgregory826@gmail.com.

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PLEASANT VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH



September 15, 2024

Loving - Connecting - Serving

WELCOME TO PVBC

If you are a guest, it is our privilege to have you here today! We trust your worship experience will be a blessing to you and your family. We are very thankful you chose to join us for worship at PVBC. Please fill out a Connect Card telling us a little bit about you, and return it to our Welcome Center today.

WORSHIP SERVICE—FAMILY DAY

Prelude		
Opening Song ~ Count Your Blessings		644
Welcome & Prayer		
Congregational Reading ~ Ecclesiastes 4.7-12 (Pew Bible p.555)	Randy Norman	
Congregational Songs ~ 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus Jesus Messiah		411
Message ~ Philip and Bartholomew: Friends of Faith John 1.43-47 (Pew Bible p.887)	Bro. Clayton Clark	
Hymn of Invitation ~ You Are My King / Amazing Love		
Benediction	Michael DeFreytas	
Closing Song ~ 'Tis So Sweet (chorus)		

THE HEART OF WORSHIP

"Isn't it amazing that throughout the ages God knew that we would be cast in the story of redemption. He created us to create, He gave us the creative DNA to lead, grow, and bring glory to Him."

Matt Tullos—LET'S WORSHIP—Summer 2013

Serving today:

Greeters: Randy Norman / Kathy Bouw
 Little Blessings (nursery):
 Sprouts: none
 Children's Church: none
 A/V: Neil Reazin / Betsy Operacz

Serving next Sunday, 9/22:

Greeters: Jim Bowman / Kathy Bouw
 Little Blessings (nursery): none
 Sprouts: Debbie Hinkle / Carolyn Best
 Children's Church: Sherrie/Adrena/Hailey
 A/V: Neil Reazin / Betsy Operacz

If you have an emergency or concern this week, please contact the deacon for this week:
 Michael DeFreytas 240-409-2330

Mower for the week of:
 September 19—Ethan Winters
 September 26—Jim Bowman

BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES

Sept. 16	Sonnie Messner
17	Anna Bryan
25	Chrystal DeWolf
27	Matt & Donna Gregory

SEPTEMBER WORDS TO LIVE BY CHALLENGE

When I am afraid, I put my trust in you. In God, whose word I praise, in God I trust; I shall not be afraid. What can flesh do to me?
 Psalm 56.3-4

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Monday	10:00 a.m.	Women's Life Group Study—Luke
	6:30 p.m.	Women's Life Group Study—Colossians
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	Life Group Study—Acts
Thursday	7:00 p.m.	Praise Team rehearsal
Friday	6:00 p.m.	Women's Card Making
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Disaster Relief Training (Hagerstown)

STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Budget Needs	3,008
Average Giving in August	2,757
Tithes and Offerings for Sunday, 9/8	2,311

TODAY at 2:00, we are providing hymns and a brief message to the residents at Somerford Place in Hagerstown.

You are welcome to join and encourage others.

Today is Family Day. All of the children will be in the service and no classes.	Ladies, don't forget we're making Fall cards Friday night at 6pm. Sign up today or see Kathy Bouw to tell her you are coming.
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TODAY AT 3:00pm

Shafer Park in Boonsboro

(Planning to eat around 5pm) Bring tasty side dishes & drinks to share. PVBC is providing burgers, dogs, buns, condiments, paper goods, ice. Play equipment for the kids, cornhole tournament for adults. Lots of fun, food and fellowship. Bring lawn chair/blanket, bug spray and sunscreen if needed. Tournament sign up begins at **3pm. Don't miss out on your chance to sign up to play (and even possibly be this year's champ beating out Bro. C).** If you have boards and bag we can use, see Bro. Clayton. Join us this afternoon for fun fellowship and some great food.

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- an open mic night -

Praising the Lord and giving a voice to the voiceless



Bring your music, your instrument
— admission is free —

Encouraging donations to HAPC that evening
Hagerstown Area Pregnancy Clinic*

Saturday, September 28th 5:00 - 7:30pm**

Pleasant Valley Baptist Church

3346 Gapland Rd. Rohrsersville, Maryland 21779

- Come participate or come and enjoy what others have to share
- Light refreshments available throughout the evening
- Contact Tallon to reserve your spot, with questions, or for set up details: 240-586-0529 (leave a message) or email PVBCMD@gmail.com
- Childcare is not provided for this event

*for more information about HAPC go to their website <https://hapconline.com>

**If participation is light, we may end earlier

Light refreshments are needed: baked goods, snacks, finger foods; edible without the need of silverware for ease of clean up.

See Cindy if you can bring something.



Don't forget to vote on November 5, and if you are an advocate for unborn babies, **vote NO on MD Senate Bill 798**

We have an active Pro Life ministry at PVBC. Our church witnesses at the Frederick Planned Parenthood every week. You have an opportunity in saving lives by taking part in this silent witnessing anytime between 9am and 5pm, M-F. Ron Pitts is willing to provide transportation, signs and to witness with you. You might be the one that helps one tiny heart to have a chance at life.

We're looking for women to participate in Secret Sisters.

Secret Sisters is a ministry between you and another "sister" in our church family. You become her silent prayer partner and her secret encourager for a period of approximately one year. She doesn't know who you are, but she will know you are there, praying for her and her needs. All women at PVBC, age 18 and up (out of high school) are invited and encouraged to participate. It is a great way to connect with other women, be the hands and feet of Christ, and perhaps even make a life-long friend.

If you are interested in participating or you have any questions please see Cindy. Forms are available for all women who want to join a year of Secret Sisters. This next SS year will run from early October 2024 through September 2025. Please return your SS form to Cindy by Sunday, 9/29.



We are caroling on the steps of the Inn BoonsBoro again for Holiday in Boonsboro on Saturday, December 7. Participating is not limited to our own church people. However, rehearsals are required for anyone who wants to carol with us, and will begin October 1. Practices will be every Tuesday at 7pm until that first weekend in December.

If you are interested or have any questions, please see Heather Lohr. There is an interest form in the vestibule.

COMING IN OCTOBER:

Cancer Support Meeting—10/7 at 6:00pm

The first Monday every month

These meetings are open to those inside and outside of PVBC

Women's Soup Supper

Friday, 10/11 at 6:00pm

All you need to bring is your appetite for this evening of fellowship.

Fall Church Workday

Saturday, 10/19 starting at 8:30am (but come when you can)

The building and grounds need cleanup and winterizing.

Also, it's been a busy year around here and there's work to be done

We always can use your help.