



Sunday is Pentecost!

*Come to church!
Stay for cake!*

TBC Together!

*...where engaged disciples Worship, Study & Serve.
We are committed to Developing Disciples of Jesus,
Radical Hospitality to All and Growing Young Together.*

Sunday Morning Worship

May 19, 2024

In-Person Worship 10:30 a.m.

To view the bulletin with announcements, please click [here](#).

Online Worship

At 10:25 a.m., you may click [here](#) to join us on **YouTube**.

Announcements will begin at 10:25 a.m.

To view the online bulletin, please click [here](#).



DON'T FORGET TO WEAR RED THIS SUNDAY FOR PENTECOST!!!

Pentecost is the birthday of the Christian church when the Holy Spirit descended among the people to be with them forever. The color red symbolizes the tongues of fire and the blowing wind of the Spirit. Make sure you come into the Fellowship Hall immediately following worship for birthday cake. There will be to-go boxes with a slice of birthday cake for those who need to catch the Brandermill Woods bus.



PASTOR'S REFLECTIONS

by Rev. Arch Wallace

This Sunday marks the birthday of the church. In AD 33 the disciples waited for who knew what. And then, suddenly, the roar of a mighty wind signaled the arrival of God's Holy Spirit, changing them forever. We will celebrate this gift and see it come to life before us with Baptisms, Professions of Faith, and new beginnings for graduates. We are blessed to have these living examples of the Spirit at work. We hope you will be able to join them as they take new steps and look for new horizons, Their accomplishments confirm the Spirit is alive and well and here, waiting to talk to you as it has to them. Come and celebrate with them.



A MESSAGE FROM STAFF PARISH

by Carrie Davis, Staff Parish Chair

We wish to take a moment and thank Karli Woodcock for her dedication to the role of Director of Communication. This was a needed position to coordinate our social media presences, and to assist with messaging and registrations. Karli took the outline for the position and added structure as she assisted with developing the position. Our Youth benefitted from her participation at events and keeping everyone informed. Karli celebrated her graduation from VCU this weekend and will be transitioning later this month to a full-time job with a large firm downtown. We are so excited for Karli and her next adventure.

To help recognize all Karli has done as a member of TBC and recent Staff Member, you may contribute to a Love Offering. Opportunities to donate will be open through May 26, 2024. You may make a donation via Realm, by check with Love Offering for Karli in the

memo, or cash in an envelope labeled Love Offering for Karli. Donations can be placed in the offering plate on Sundays or in the secure lock-box and the office door.

As shared in the Council Updates, we welcome Taylor Hawkins as our new Director of Communication and Youth Coordinator. Congratulations to both individuals!



GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

The next meeting of our newly formed Grief Support Group will be held on Tuesday, May 28th at 6:30 p.m.. Come spend time with others who are on a similar path to provide comfort and hope for each other. You may contact [Heather Leonard](#) for more information. New participants are always welcome!



Parade

SUMMER IS COMING . . . AND TBC HAS LOTS OF EXCITING THINGS PLANNED!

But first we need your help to get organized!

Can you help? We are looking for someone to take charge of our 4th of July float entry. If you are interested in helping with this event, please contact [Joelle Hawkins](#). Joelle has lots of experience in parade float planning and execution. She is excited and willing to mentor our next float planner! *Email Joelle today!*



THE TBC ENDOWMENT FUND

The TBC Endowment Fund has been making Grants every year since 2014, and now April 2024 begins the Grant-making period for this year! Grants are made for religious, charitable, and educational purposes that are not funded in the church's operating budget. The 2024 Grant application can be found on the church's website, weekly E-News, and by request from the church office. All applications must be submitted electronically to info@brandermillchurch.org by July 15th. Grants will be reviewed by the Endowment Fund and Church Council and will be dispersed to approved recipients in September.

Please click [here](#) for the 2024 Endowment Fund Grant Application.

Check out some of the past TBC Endowment Fund Grant recipients and the Brandermill Church sponsors!

Congregational Care Ministry - Ministry Team

Community in Schools (CIS) - Dolly Pakurar, Adrienne Strandberg

Friends of Barnabas Foundation - Charles Hunt

Bon Secours St. Francis Medical Center Volunteer Group - Kelli Fallert

Advisory Council of the Virginia Treatment Center for Children - Bank Green

Habitat for Humanity - TBC Youth Group and Mission Team

Friends of Barnabas - Charles Hunt

TBC Preschool Scholarship - BCPS

Heroin Addiction Recovery Program -TBC members visiting the prison

Hillside Court Summer Program - Karli Woodcock

Program Overcoming Obstacles -Together 4 Change Team

Camp Hanover Scholarships - Hal Raddin

Guatemala Mission Trip - Nancy Rider



HIGHLAND SUPPORT PROJECT

Guatemala

GUATEMALA 2024

The team is assembled! There are 13 disciples making the trip this year, and they need your prayers for their health and safety. If you would like to contribute to this mission, it would be helpful and appreciated. As with everything else in the world, the price of travel and supplies has increased. The stoves are \$300 each and the flights are higher than in previous years. Any and all donations are appreciated. Thank you for your continued support of this mission that is close in heart to so many here at TBC.



TBC101

The next TBC 101 New Member Class will be held on Sunday, June 2nd at 9 a.m. in the Multipurpose Room. If you have been wanting to know more about how you can become a full fledged disciple of The Brandermill Church, please come to this 45 minute gathering before worship. Please contact [Barbara Flynt](#) to let her know of your intention to attend so that she may have enough materials available. If you are unable to attend on June 2nd and want to join the church, please contact Barbara Flynt.



SUNDAY PARK FOOD PANTRY

We thank you for your generous donations that fill our pantry boxes every week!

As this food ministry continues, please review the list below for items needed *this week!*

Thank you for your continued support!

TBC always welcomes monetary donations as well. Please note "pantry" in the memo section of your check or online donation.

In addition to your donations, this mission requires many hands to help each week. Please click [here](#) to volunteer. **We especially need volunteers on Saturdays!** If you have questions, we encourage you to contact Dale Gentz at (804) 317-7554.

NEEDS FOR THIS WEEK!

Canned Tuna
Breakfast Bars
Cold Cereal
Pasta Sauce
Pasta

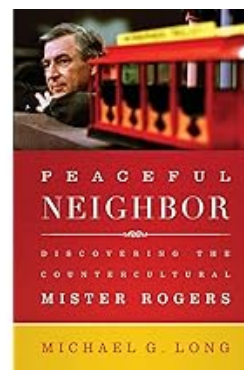
If you are a TBC disciple and are in need, or know of a friend or neighbor in need and they live in the 23112 zip code, please contact [Barbara](#).

SMALL GROUPS

Small groups make a BIG difference!
Join one today!

SMALL GROUP STUDY

As we continue our 10-week study of *Peaceful Neighbor - Discovering the Countercultural Mister Rogers* by Michael G. Long, we still have plenty of room around the table for more to join us! Please email [Barbara](#) for a book and join us next Tuesday evening at 6:30 p.m. for class.



SUNDAY MORNING NURSERY

The nursery is open at 10 a.m. and continues to be in use throughout the worship service. All children, infants through 3 year olds, are welcome to play at any time during the service.

WORSHIPPING FROM HOME?

If you and your family are away from TBC and worshipping at home or while on vacation, here are several resources to help you connect to God and TBC this week:

Click [here](#) for Sermon Notes!

Click [here](#) for a bulletin for ages 3-6.

Click [here](#) for a bulletin for age 7+.

Click [here](#) for this week's lesson.

Click [here](#) for this week's coloring page.

JAM AND TINY DISCIPLES

TINY DISCIPLES

The last Tiny Disciple Hour will be May 19. We will resume Discipleship Hour on September 8.

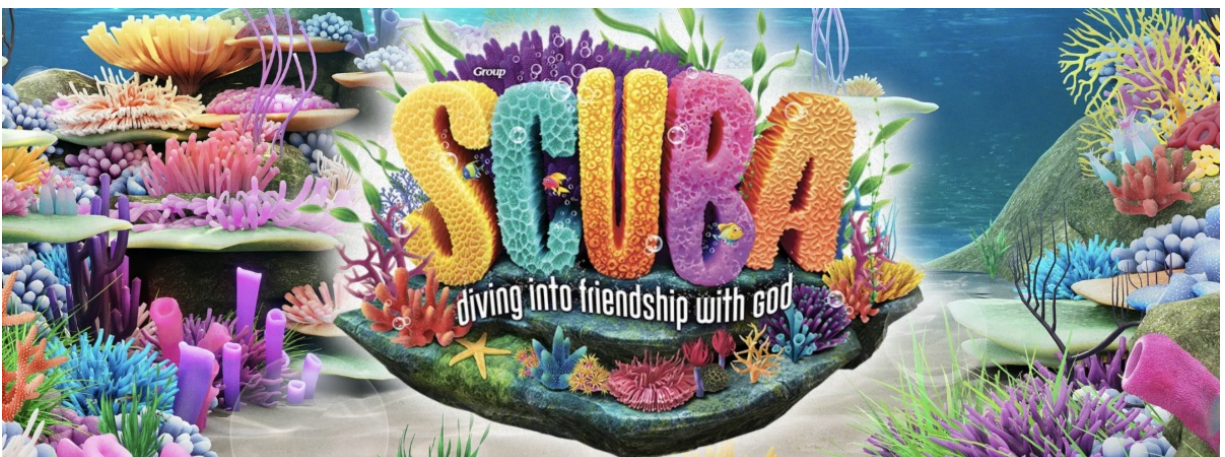
JAM

What do we do at JAM? We practice our songs for the JAM sing-a-long. We use our Bibles to look up the Bible verses that go along with the sermon. We listen to a lesson about those Bible verses and we make a craft that enhances the lesson. Then if time allows, we play games. Children that bring their Bibles to JAM get to pick out an Earthly Treasure from the treasure bin. We have fun. We learn about God. We make friends. Join us!

Note: No JAM on May 19th. Last JAM session will be June 16. We will resume JAM on September 8.

Save the Date...JAM KIDS sing-a-long June 16. JAM kids will lead the congregation in singing the 4 songs we have been working on all year. Standing on the Promises (chorus only), Ha La La La, The B-I-B-L-E and the Books of the Bible song.

Click [here](#) to volunteer with JAM!



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

SCUBA, SCUBA, SCUBA!!!! Register NOW! Join us July 29 to August 2 to dive into a

deeper friendship with God. It will be a week you won't want to miss. Cost is \$25 per child. If you are planning on volunteering and your children are VBS campers, see Mrs. Hawkins before you register for an important payment option. We can't wait to spend the week with you!

Click [here](#) to register!

BE PART OF OUR STORY... explore

TBC Youth Group
Winter/Spring 2024

19th
SUN

Confirmation & Graduate Sunday!

- Graduates recognized in Fellowship Hall after service
- Confirmation Dinner for mentors & families from 5-7pm

26th
SUN

Memorial Day

- No Discipleship Hour
- No Youth Group.

Enjoy your Memorial Day Weekend!

2nd
SUN

Water Balloon Volleyball

- Meet at the church and walk over to Sunday Park for some end of the year fun from 4-6pm.

Study Opportunities



DISCIPLESHIP HOUR

Our last Discipleship classes for the school year for most of our groups will be this Sunday, May 19th. Our **Current Events** Class has decided that they love getting together with each other and will continue meeting throughout the summer. All are welcome to join with this group at 9 a.m. most Sunday mornings either in the Conference Room or through the Zoom link. *They will not have a class on May 26th, as that is Memorial Day weekend, but will resume on June 2nd.*

This week Bill Harp will facilitate the class. Click [here](#) for this week's lesson.

Here is the Zoom link:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88017038643?pwd=jh6hoXSyCQfAJtdCZtbxbODcOKT0tR.1>

Meeting ID: 880 1703 8643

Passcode: 654292

Steve Begg will be leading the final class of **Growing Together** for this term on Sunday. This class meets downstairs in the Family Classroom.

WEDNESDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Men's Bible Study class continues meeting on Wednesdays at 8:30 a.m. in the multi-purpose room. You may contact [Fred Carter](#) for more information regarding the current study on Genesis.

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

The Thursday Morning Bible Study is reading and discussing Adam Hamilton's *Luke - Jesus and the Outsiders, Outcasts, and Outlaws!* All are welcome and invited to attend. Books are \$10 each and available in the office. Please contact [Barbara](#) for more information.



STEWARDSHIP

Ways to Financially Donate to The Brandermill Church ~

- Scan this QR Code to give once or set up a recurring gift through your bank account or credit card.

- Text "Brandermill" to 73256 to give to the church from selected funds using your text messaging. Standard text message rates apply.
- Go to our [website](#) and click on the "Give Hope" button on the top right to give.
- Mail a check to The Brandermill Church, 4500 Millridge Pkwy, Midlothian, VA 23112.
- Come by the church and drop your offering in the secure mail slot to the left of the office entrance door.



The May communion offering will go towards supporting Presbyterian Disaster Assistance. *PDA is currently responding with assistance for tornado survivors in the midwest and southern United States, in addition to many other locations worldwide.* Gifts will be collected all month. Please designate 'PDA' on your check, offering envelope or online donation.

For any questions about giving to The Brandermill Church, please email [Joe](#) in our Finance Office.

As always, thank you for your generous support of The Brandermill Church and God's work here!

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