*Worship services are available online on Youtube.com via our Facebook page. Traditional service available on CD (audio only).
*In-House worship services:
9:00 AM Contemporary; 11:00 AM Traditional
10:00 AM Sunday School

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| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Ŧ | Sat | BIRTHDAYS |
|---|---|--|---|-----------------------------------|----|---------------------------------------|--|
| I 11:15 FUGE mtg for parents | 2 6 PM Exercise 7PM Bible Study | 8 | 4 | 5 6 PM Exercise Minum DR OF PANER | 9 | 7 10AM May Faire Day | 1 Jason B. Miller 3 David Lowe 6 Ali Haynes 7 Meg Royals 8 Charles Lockwood Colin Moore 12 Dawn Bradbury Mark |
| HAPPY MOTHERS DAY Child Dedication @9 AM service | 9 6 PM Exercise 7PM Bible Study 7PM Prayer mtg. @Beale Mem BC | 10 1 PM WMU mtg | 11 | 126 PM Exercise | 13 | 14 | : 1878 H B B B Bi - 114 B |
| I 5Y outh hiking trip 4 PM MTBA Spring mtg. @Poroporone MTBA | 16 6 PM Exercise 7PM Bible Study WEEK | 17 OF | 18 PRAYER | 19 6 PM Exercise | 20 | 21 Outreach Project for Senior Adults | Travenski 19 Sophie Beckley, Bonnie Kramer 21 Michelle Denkinger, Sue Garrett, Renee Neiman 22 Gloria Travenski, Dusty |
| 22 | 23 6 PM Exercise 7PM Bible Study | 24 | 25 | 26 6 PM Exercise | 27 | 28 | Moore 23 Wayne Blake 24 London Denkinger 26 Nancy Pait, Ed Shull 28 Jessi Nelson 29 Nikki Pollard |
| 29 Graduate Recognition Day OUR STANDUATES | 30 MEMORIAL DAY 6 PM Exercise 7PM Bible Study | 31 | | | | | ANNIVERSARIES 6 Archie & Marilyn Owens 14 David & Cathy Rowe 20 Dan & Cathie Wahlers 28 Ron & Tee Mallon |
| Counting committee for May: —Bill & Cathy Nelson Counting committee for June: | ee for May: Son ee for June: | 9:00 Nursery Schedule: 1 - Frannie Hubbard/Cathy Nels 8 - Nikki Pollard/Hailey Denkin 15 - Pam Harrington/Alice Stewa 22 - Stephanie Lowe/Joy Lowe 29 - Peggy Foster/Amanda Kemp | 100 Nursery Schedule: 1 - Frannie Hubbard/Cathy Nelson 8 - Nikki Pollard/Hailey Denkinger 5 - Pam Harrington/Alice Stewart 2 - Stephanie Lowe/Joy Lowe 9 - Peggy Foster/Amanda Kemp | | | | If your name is not listed above & you had a birthday or anniversary this month, please call the church office (725-3707). Thanks! |

Mathews Baptist Church Org. 1776

"The Lighthouse"

President George Washington said of his mother, Mary Ball Washington, "My mother was the most beautiful woman I ever saw. All I am I owe to my mother. I attribute all my success in life to the moral, intellectual and physical education I received from her." President John Quincy Adams claimed of his mother, Abigail Smith Adams, "All that I am, my mother made me." President Andrew Jackson bragged on his mother, Elizabeth Hutchinson Jackson, "There never was a woman like her. She was gentle as a dove and brave as a lioness. The memory of my mother and her teachings were, after all, the only capital I had to start life with, and on that capital I have made my

way." (Andrew Jackson's father died three months before he was born, so he was raised by a single mother) President Abraham Lincoln said of his mother, Nancy Hanks Lincoln, "The greatest lessons I have every learned were at my mother's knees... All that I am, or hope to be, I owe to my angel mother." (Abraham Lincoln's mother died when he was nine years old) All these great men, presidents, attribute their greatness to their beloved mothers. The wise King Solomon wrote, "My son, keep your father's command and do not forsake your mother's teaching. Bind them always on vour heart; fasten them around your neck. When you walk, they will guide you;

when you sleep, they will watch over you; when you awake, they will speak to *you*." (Proverbs 6:20-22) The teachings of our mothers last lifetime. Abraham Lincoln also stated, "No man is poor who has a Godly mother." God, thank you for Godly mothers!

> Faithfully yours, Pastor Brian





MAY 2022

SPECIAL DATES

- 1st Senior Adult Day
- 5th Nat'l Day of Prayer
- 8th Mother's Day/Child Dedication Service
- 15th MTBA Spring meeting
- 15th-22nd MTBA Week of Prayer
- 29th Graduate recognition Sunday
- 30th Memorial Day

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Senior adult day is Sunday, May 1, 2022!

Show them you care!



Graduate recognition at the 9AM Worship Service on Sunday,

May 29.



Congratulations to all who were baptized and joined our fellowship on Sun., April 24!

Back row from left: Austin Kemp, Aaron & Nikki Spiers;

Front row from left: Madelynn Thomas, Stella & Mary Beth Johnson, Claire Kramer, Hailey & Mark Denkinger.

Child dedication ceremony on Sunday, May 9, 2022 during the 9 AM service.

Anyone interested in taking part is asked to please call the church office.

Church Attendance-April 2022

| <u>Date</u> | 9:00 | 10:00 | <u>11:00</u> |
|-------------|------|-------|--------------|
| 04/03/22 | 108 | 100 | 18 |
| 04/10/22 | 117 | 110 | 21 |
| 04/17/22 | 182 | 105 | 35 |
| 04/24/22 | 158 | 109 | 26 |



Application packets for the Vaden Wise College Scholarship are available in the welcome center. Be sure to log in when you pick up your packet.

Completed applications are due back NO LATER THAN Thurs., June 30, 2022. Late applications will *NOT* be accepted.

Questions should be directed to Phil Putnam, Trustee (804-815-3564).



MTBA Spring Meeting Lifting Our Hearts in Prayer Sunday, May 15, 2022, Poroporone Baptist Church Registration 3:30-4:00 PM Worship Service begins at 4:00 PM Guest Speaker, Rev. Don Davidson, FBC Alexandria

Mission News

Mathews Baptist Church, "The Lighthouse"

Watchword - From 1 Corinthians 15:58 -"Stand firm and Don't be shaken."

As we go into the month of May, we see so many blooming flowers in the yards.

Tee Mallon attended the WMU Executive Committee meeting of the Mid-Tidewater Baptist Association on Saturday, April 30, at 10AM, at Saluda Baptist Church. Mrs. Annette Greenwood from Urbanna Baptist Church and representative from our Association on the WMUV Adult Ministry Council shared information from the Council and state mission projects. All members shared our WMU church projects with the Committee.

Our WMU of the MTA has not been able to meet for several years to pursue our usual activities and projects. It was a real pleasure to be able to meet face-to-face.

Sadly, our WMU Director, Mrs. Robin Cade, passed away last fall. Her leadership and friendship will be missed.

Our Annie Armstrong Easter offering goal was



Please pray for...

† Cathie Wahlers recovering from blood clots in her leg and ankle heal-

† Sam Vogel who is in the hospital. † The Mid Tidewater Baptist Assoc. and the upcoming spring meeting.

and are no longer with us now.

† The Q24 "No Greater Love Tour" coming up Church. May 12-14.

Praise God for...

- † Mothers!

Congratulations to...

Joseph & Jade Monastyrly on the birth of another son, Jacob Alan, on Mon., April 25, weighing 6 lbs. 14 oz. and 19.5 inches long.

Long Term Care... Doris Clements (Commonwealth Sr. Living); Martha Hall & Ed Haufler (Mathews); Charlie & Mildred Lockwood (Harmony on the Peninsula)

Homebound:

† Julie Harvell, Mildred Hudgins, Jim/Gloria Travenski

Long Term Illness/condition...

\$4,500. Received to date, \$4,975.32.

May 9 – MTBA Prayer gathering – 7PM – at Beale Memorial BC in Tappahannock.

MTBA week of Prayer -5/15-5/22.

National Nurses Week -5/6-5/12 – The focus is in the Mission Mosaic magazine.

The MTBA spring meeting will be held at Poroporone Baptist Church on Sunday, May 15. Registration is at 3:30-4: PM. Worship service will be at 4PM. Tee and Ron will attend the service.

Our WMU church group meeting on April 12 was very interesting. Ron Mallon spoke on the history of the WMU. We discussed new projects, which included collecting all kinds of soap (bubbles) of any kind.

We are still collecting non-perishable food, paper products/toiletries for Hands Across Mathews and Social Services. Also yarn for the blankets for the cancer patients.

The fruit basket project was a real success. The church WMU has received many thank you notes.

Sunday, May 8, is Mother's Day. The WMU Group, plus others, will sing at the 11AM service. All are welcome to join us in honoring Mothers in song and music. We will be singing, "Lily of the Valley".

† The families of those who served in the military We are planning our next meeting for Tuesday, May 10, 1PM, at Mathews Baptist

Tee Mallon, WMU Director

† Don/Christy Tal-

† William Scott Smith† Cathie Wahlers † Sherry Inabinet † Sam Vogel † Carol Buckley † Leonard Downs, Jr

† Pauline Barrick bott

† Derek Zwiers † Ron Mallon Our Church Families' Missionaries...

† Susan & Mike Mangerchine, (Navigators)



Outreach Project for Senior Adults on Sat., May 21

Calling on the Army of God for help. Call Roy Ethington at 757-320-3575 or the church office if you can help or if you or someone you know (neighbors, friends, family) needs help with something. Free coffee and donuts for volunteer workers! Volunteers are asked to bring lawn care tools if you have them. Meet at church at 8 AM to head out.

Coming in June:

4th: MHS Graduation

13-17th VBS

19th: Father's Day

21st : 1st day of Summer & Summer Senior Safety/Health Fair @Piankatank Ruritan Club by TRIAD

23-27th FUGE

30th: Scholarship applications due