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Announcements



Starting in May we will be emailing the newsletters. If you do not have access to the internet, please call the Church office and we will mail a newsletter to you.

Red Bank United Methodist Church

April 2021



What's So Special About Easter?

Paul describes Jesus this way: "For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him. And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together" - Colossians 1:16-17

Theologically we understand the Triune God (the Trinity) as three persons in one God. There is nothing that separates the three persons of the Trinity or interrupts the mysterious interchange of perichoresis. Perichoresis is the term that expresses intimacy and reciprocity among the Persons of the Godhead. The word perichoresis is not found in the New Testament but is a theological term used in three different contexts. In the first, perichoresis refers to the two natures of Christ in perfect union within the same Person. In the second perichoresis refers to the omnipresence of God as He "intersects" with all creation (see Acts 17:28). In the third context, it refers to the mutual intersecting or "interpenetration" of the three Persons of the Godhead and may help clarify the concept of the Trinity. No matter, we believe in One God, three defined persons within the Godhead. Yes, it is a mystery... and yes, it is ok not to get it! But we try. But it is here that we grasp to understand it because (this is important!)

Rev. Dr. Baxter Kruger puts it this way, "To our minds, Jesus' death was an act of God for us, but it did not involve us. His death and resurrection were things that happened to him, not to us. They were intended for our benefit, but we were spectators and in no sense where we connected to him in his death and resurrection—until we do something to bring Jesus into our lives today. Such a Jesus makes perfect sense to us in our individualistic mindset, but it betrays the Jesus of the apostles and of the early church."

The gospel is not news of an absent Jesus who waits for us to receive him into our lives. The gospel is the stunning news that Jesus has brought and purchased us into his life. Jesus has received us into his relationship with his Father, into his anointing with the Holy Spirit, into his relationship with the human race, and into his relationship with the cosmos.

Hear this!!! In the light of who Jesus Christ **IS**; in light of the fact that he has received us into His relationship with His Father, and into His anointing in the Spirit, and into His relationship with humanity, and the cosmos, we can see who we truly are, why we are here, what our time, our history, our lives are about, personally and corporately and historically. In the light of who Jesus Christ **IS**; we can see what the Triune God has planned and willed for humanity. The existence of Jesus Christ is not plan "B," thrown together after the failure of plan "A" in the fall of Adam. *Jesus Christ is plan "A."* In the light of what Jesus Christ **DID** and what he has **MADE OF US** in his life, death, resurrection, and ascension, we can see something of the profound darkness that is blinding us all. We were orphaned sinners on our own, but in Christ, our faith in him expresses that we know that through Him, we are forgiven and each of us has been **ADOPTED!** Can you trust this news... and live as if it were true?

In Christ,

Rev. Dr. William C. Faulk

Church EVENTS

In April



<p>April 1st Maundy Thursday Service 6:30pm</p> <p>April 2nd Good Friday Service Traditional 6:30pm Good Friday Service Contemporary 7:00pm</p> <p>April 6th Searching Sisters 10:00am Sister by Faith 6:30pm</p> <p>April 7th Sonshine Kids 6:00pm Youth Small Group 6:00pm</p> <p>April 8th Missions Meeting 6:30pm</p> <p>April 12th Council Meeting 6:30pm</p>	<p>April 13th Searching Sisters 10:00am Sister by Faith 6:30pm</p> <p>April 14th Sonshine Kids 6:00pm Youth Small Group 6:00pm</p> <p>April 19th Friendship Circle 6:30pm</p> <p>April 20th Searching Sisters 10:00am Sister by Faith 6:30pm</p> <p>April 21st Sonshine Kids 6:00pm Youth Small Group 6:00pm</p> <p>April 26th UMM 6:30pm</p> <p>April 27th Sonshine Kids 6:00pm Youth Small Group 6:00pm</p>
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MEMORIAL GIFTS

Memorials to the General Fund

In Memory of: **Sidney Reese**
By: **Barr Price Funeral Home**

In Memory of: **Bubba Reese**
By: **C. M. & Jo Miller**

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **Mr. & Mrs. George M. Booth**

Memorials to the Sid Hawkins Emmaus Scholarship Fund

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **John & Allison Thompson**

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **Bill & Anna Barrier**

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **Ken & Jodi Drennon**

In Memory of: **Bubba Reese**
By: **John & Margaret Mintz**

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **Bob & Nancey Mattes**

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **C. M. & Jo Miller**

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **Maureen O. Reese**

Memorials to the Land Fund

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **Mr. & Mrs. Darrell Harbour**

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **Walter & Deborah Moore**

In Memory of: **Bubba Reese**
By: **Walter & Deborah Moore**

IN HONOR OF

Honorariums Designated: Evangelism and General Fund

In Honor of: **Garry Ash**
By: **Diana Wortham**

In Honor of: **Rob & Carla Bedenbaugh**
By: **David Paul Johnson**

Memorials Designated to the Building Improvement Fund:

In Memory of: **Carolyn Lorick**
By: **Bill & Anna Barrier**

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **Carl P. Cornelio**

In Memory of: **Lorre Liljegreen**
By: **Mr. & Mrs. Wade Keisler**

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **Mr. & Mrs. Wade Keisler**

In Memory of: **Carolyn Lorick**
By: **Mr. & Mrs. Wade Keisler**

In Memory of: **Mary Eugenia Scoggins-McCracken**
By: **Donald L. McCracken**

In Memory of: **Sid Hawkins**
By: **Robert & Elaine Bedenbaugh**

Memorials to the Epworth Fund:

In Memory of: **Eula Blakely**
By: **John & Allison Thompson**

Memorials to the Missions Fund:

In Memory of: **Bonnie Aaron Gleeton**
By: **John & Margaret Mintz**

Memorials to the Youth Fund:

In Memory of: **Debbie Mintz**
By: **John & Margaret Mintz**

Memorials to the Sonny's Helping Hands Fund

In Memory of: **Bubba Reese**
By: **Ken & Jodie Drennon**

In Memory of: **Sidney J. Reese**
By: **Maureen O. Reese**

Memorials to the Men's Club Chimney Fund:

In Memory of: **Lou Russell Etheridge**
By: **C.M. & Jo Miller**

In Memory of: **Joseph Aritas Shumpert**
By: **C.M. & Jo Miller**



Now enrolling! 6 weeks - 4 years old Red Bank
Open registration will begin on March 9th.
Church Members registration will be March 2nd.
UMC Preschool and Loving Beginnings:
Parents Morning Out

Mission statement: Our goal as a Christian preschool is to introduce and nurture the Christian faith in young children, to assist families in providing the best opportunities for emotional, physiological, and spiritual growth in their children, and to prepare little minds for kindergarten and beyond.

Preschool: days of operation are Monday through Friday. beginning at 8:30 a.m. (drop-off begins at 8:15) and ending at 12:00 p.m. Daily.

Loving beginnings: days of operation are Monday through Friday beginning at 8:45 a.m. (drop-off begins at 8:30) and ending at 11:45 p.m. Daily

Contact: Betsy Stone/ Phone: 359-0329 / preschool@rbumc.com.
 or rbumc.com/rbumc.com/get-involved/preschool/

Red Bank UMC after-school program

Red Bank UMC offers an After-school program for children grades PM 4k-5th grade. We offer snacks, play time, fun activities, homework time and devotion. We pick up from Carolina Springs Elementary, Saxe Gotha Elementary, Deerfield Elementary, and Red Bank Elementary. We are able to keep children till 6pm during the school year. The cost is \$2,340 for the year and is broken down into weekly payments of \$60. Space is limited, enroll soon!

Red Bank UMC After School also offers AM 4k pick up from Saxe Gotha Elementary and Carolina Springs Elementary. The cost is \$60/week till 2pm or \$120/week till 6pm. Children would need to bring their lunch, snacks are provided. Children would have devotions, schoolwork time, play time and fun activities.

Red Bank UMC After school is now offering E-Learning days as well for parents who need somewhere for their children to go on virtual days. The cost is \$25 per day unless they are already enrolled in After School then the price is \$12 per day for children grades 4k-5th grade. Drop off starts at 7:15 am and runs till 6pm if needed. Two snacks will be provided, and you would need to send lunch with your child. We will have dedicated times for virtual learning as well as devotion, play time, and fun activities. If you have any questions or would like to sign your child up please email Ariel Weaver at afterschool@rbumc.com.



VBS June 21st-25th

More information about VBS coming up soon.



Summer Camps
July 12th -24th and 26th -29th.
Be on the look out for more information!

Please make sure you like the children's Ministry Facebook page and youth group Facebook pages to make sure you stay up to date on things.

<https://www.facebook.com/rbumcchildrensministry/>



Youth Small Groups
Wednesday, 6-7:45
Sunday, 3-4:30 at the Hut

<https://www.facebook.com/RBUMC-Youth-Group-110439074172219/>



See Ashley Reynolds if you have any questions the Children's or Youth Programs at children@rbumc.com.



The Friendship Circle - Meets the 3rd Monday of each month in the John Wesley Classroom at 6:30pm. Contact: **Amanda Smith at 803-429-4131**

The Margaret Jett Circle - Meets the 2nd Monday of each month at 6pm in the fellowship hall. Contact: **Marlene Tanner at 803-359-2395**
 (canceled until further notice)

Searching Sisters Bible Study class each Tuesday morning at 10 am. The Book of Genesis what we will be studying, facilitated by Mrs. Nancy Mattes. Please bring your Bible. For more information, contact **Robin Smith at 803-260-1555.**

Sisters By Faith - Meets Tuesdays in the John Wesley Class room from 6 to 8 . See **Christian McConnaughay at (803) 603-0317**

The United Methodist Women - meets quarterly. Open to all women in the church. Encourages and supports all women. Contact **Lauren Corley at: 803-521-6297 or Megan Whittle at 803-394-5282**

Volunteer's needed for gardening help in the Meditation Garden.

Please contact Judy Moore @ 803-237-0768 or juju2three@gmail.com

Searching Sisters Bible Study

We will be going to the Old Testament in the book of Genesis, Please come join us on



UPPER ROOM DEVOTIONAL

Will be available on the bench right outside the church office door and inside the church. Any questions please call or email the church office at, [\(803-359-4031\)](tel:803-359-4031) or office@rbumc.com

The Prayer Stitchers

The Red Bank United Methodist Prayer Stitchers want you to know prayer quilts are available.

Does not matter if you attend in person or online. Quilt request forms may be obtained from the office. After request form is received June Kinzie will be contacted and the quilt prepared. Quilts are for your prayer needs. Quilts are for members and for attendees too. **June Kinzie 803 678-7152 cell.**



The Lexington West Gideon's and Gideon's worldwide, will be presenting their work of the Gideon's International.

They are coming April 25th, to all the services.



Anyone needing any assistance please contact the church office or Paul McKeever. Our Next meeting is on **April 8th at 6:30** in the JKH Classroom.

God bless,
Paul McKeever

Chair, Missions Committee



I would like to thank my church family for the prayers, love and support this past year. As bad as it was it would have been so much worst without you. I do not know how people go through so much heartache without knowing our loving God and having a loving church. We plan to have a service for Sid soon and would be honored to have you there.

With Love
Gay Hawkins



We could like to thank everyone who turned our for our drive-by anniversary celebration on February 27, 2021.

It was so good to see everyone! God Bless our Church Family.

John and Margaret Mintz



Tithes & Offerings:

Rec. YTD as of 02/28/2021	\$ 65,429
Spent YTD - 02/28/2021	\$ 66,943
Net received	\$ (1,514)

General Funds

Needed Each Week	\$ 8,518
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Building & Land Account: 2/28/2020

Building Loan Balance	\$ 479,585
Building & Improvements	\$ 34,912
Land Purchase Fund	\$ 13,220

Church Vision Plan - God calls us to go forth and make disciples for Christ.

As part of that we need room to grow. If you would like to specifically donate to this above and beyond your regular tithing, please mark your contribution as:

Land Purchase.

Thank you for believing in our future!

*For your convenience Online Giving is

offered at: www.osvhub.com/rbumc



SCOUT NEWS April 2021

A Real Scout - What does a *real* Scout look like? Can you tell simply by looking at someone that they are a Scout? It is more than just what we see on the outside, isn't it? How can you tell if a piece of fruit is ripe and ready to eat? There are certain appearances and smells and firmness that we search for, but we do not really know until we take a bite. How do you know if a book is really as good as everyone says? You can check out the cover, read the synopsis and reviews, but you will never know until you actually get inside and read it for yourself. It all comes down to this: Does the inside match the outside? The Bible introduces us to a group of people that frequently had run ins with Jesus, God is one and only Son. These men had an extremely important job. It was their duty to teach the people about God and lead them in worship. It seems as though over time; it became more about keeping God's law than about who God is (Matthew 23:23). These men looked great on the outside. Everyone looked up to them and respected them. But did the inside match the outside? As we consider what a *real* Scout looks like, we have to be concerned with what's on the inside. We recite the Scout Oath and Law at every meeting, but do we live the Oath and Law outside of the Hut or campsite? This is a question that each one of us must answer on our own. None of us are perfect and we will never get it right 100% of the time. Remember, however, that you are never alone. "Haven't I commanded you? Strength! Courage! Do not be timid; do not get discouraged. God, your God, is with you every step you take." Joshua 1:9 MSG Be a *REAL* Scout! Mrs. Robin George, Troop 518 Chaplain.

BSA Troop 518 – is preparing to work on wilderness survival in April. They will camp in Blythewood and the Scouts will be challenged to sleep in "nature" made tents. This Boy Scout Troop is active, camping every month and working on requirements at Troop meetings. For more information, contact Billy Williams at cdwillijr@gmail.com.

BSA Troop 9518 – is preparing to go White Water Rafting in April. This all girl troop is active, camping every month and working on requirements in their troop meeting. For more information, contact Lori Norris at loritnorris@gmail.com.

BSA Pack 518 is winding down after an eventful year. In March all the different dens received their rank advancement at their individual Blue and Gold ceremonies. The Pack is active camping twice a year. For information on the Pack contact Robin Smith at robinsmith511@gmail.com.

Girl Scout Troop 2323. Thank you to RBUMC for your support during cookie season. Our troop was able to donate 200 boxes of cookies to members of the military this year! During March the scouts celebrated World Thinking Day - a holiday to honor the international sisterhood of Girl Scouts in 150 countries around the world. Girl Scout Sunday was March 14th and the girls reflected on how their faith life and scout life is connected. April is the month we say thank you to all our leaders. Especially to *Joanne Shaw* who have been with our troop for over 12 years. contact Joanne Shaw at jshawgs2323@gmail.com.

Greeters - 8:50

- 04 -Darrell & Mary Harbour
- 11-Rita Sox & Betty Barna
- 18 -Paul & Peggy Jones
- 25 -Women in the Pulpit Sunday

Worship-Leaders - 8:50

- 04-Kathy Lybrand
- 11-Rica Sheehan
- 18- Chris Folsom
- 25- Kim Hutchins

Ushers - 8:50

Bill & Anna Barrier

AV Team

Karen Folsom

Trustee of the Month

Max Booth

803-397-5593

Mbooth1705@gmail.com

Servant Minister Schedule

Questions? Want to Volunteer? Contact the office at 803-359-4031 or email - office@rbumc.com

april

Safety Team

04- Rob Bedenbaugh, Hunter Sheehan, & Ashley Corley.

11- Mackey Booth, Max Booth & Ronnie Taylor.

18- Robert Brittin, Tim White, & Price Smith.

25- Terry Reynolds, Jimmy Jordan & Kevin Dye.

Acolytes - 8:50am

04 -Catherine White
11 -Charlotte White
18 -Maddie Fitzsimons
25 -Women in the Pulpit Sunday

Acolytes - 11:00

04 -Sarah Cress
11 -Theron Jeffcoat
18 -Christian Brown
25 -Women in the Pulpit Sunday

Greeters - 11:00

- 04-Charlie & Carolyn McLean
- 11-Chris Swinson & Lori Swinson
- 18-Cloyd & Rebecca Bowen
- 25-Women in the Pulpit Sunday

Worship-Leaders - 11:00

- 04- Mackey Booth
- 11- Amanda Smith
- 18- Landis Lawton
- 25- Angi Barton

Ushers - 11:00

Jimmy & Annette Jordan
Mackey & Cindy Booth

AV Team

- 04- Chelsey Faircloth
- 11- Amanda Smith
- 18- Chris Smith
- 25- Weston Faircloth



Announcements



DOES THE CHURCH OFFICE HAVE YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS TO SEND THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER?

You can also access it on our website.

We will be mailing Newsletters to all the Shut-in's.

There will be printed newsletters each month in the narthex.



In Glory to God, we place flowers on his altar

March Altar Flowers

Given By:

04- Easter Lilies

11- Terry & Ann Reynolds

18- Mark & Wanda Wilson

25- Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Snelgrove

April Birthdays

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|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| 01 - Tracy Taylor | 18 - Connor Hart |
| 01 - Evan Purday | 18 - Donna Hicks |
| 01 - Kevin Oliver | 19- Daniel Faulk |
| 02 - Marsha Liljegren | 20 - Stephen Taylor, Jr. |
| 05 - Douglas Arant | 21- Laura Rivers |
| 05- Sandra Hackett | 21 - Jeffery Campbell |
| 11 - Lenon Kyzer | 22 - Kristen Brown |
| 12 - Mark Kyzer | 22 - Jodi Drennon |
| 13 - Lorre Liljegren | 22 - Terry Taylor |
| 13 - Faye Shull | 23 - Jenny Fox |
| 13 - Joseph Taylor | 23 - Doretha Crolley |
| 14 - JP McManus | 25 - Cleo Brewer |
| 16 - Jason Roland | 26 - Haley Schatz |
| 16 - Melba Kyzer | 28 - Eddie Fox |
| 16 - Jenna Williams | 28 - Bryan McCarty |
| 16 - Jared Williams | 30 -Terry Crolley |
| 17- Stephanie Cameron | |



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|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| 08 - Bruce & Diane Brown | 27 - Greg & Suzy Bolick |
| 16 - Grady & Faye Shull | 28 - Scott & Amanda Lorick |
| 18 - Robert & Rita Sox | 29 - Bruce & Anita Kilmury |
| 25 - Bill & Stephanie Sox | |

Important Message
As we start the 2021 year, there will be a servant ministries information in the bulletin. Please update if you do not want to service as a servant leader or if you would like to serve. Also, if you have any updates or changes, phone numbers, email or address. Please let me know. You can call the church office or email me at office@rbumc.com. Thanks Tracy

THE EMMAUS SCHOLARS PROGRAM

An intentional Christian community that seeks to do justice, love mercy and walk humbly with our God.

Sid Hawkins Emmaus Scholarship Fund

As everyone knows Emmaus was a huge part of Sid's life. He strived each day to build that community and was such a big part in so many members of RBUMC attending. All Sid truly wanted was for people to find the love of Jesus. He worked diligently to share the word of our Lord and the grace of Jesus. In an effort to insure his work continues there has been a scholarship fund established in his name. We encourage anyone who has been a part of the Emmaus community to share your experience and continue to encourage others to attend. This fund will be available for those who would like to attend but may not be able to afford it. Donations should be designated to the **Sid Hawkins Emmaus Scholarship Fund.**

DeColores



**Red Bank UMM
Country Fried Pork Steak Dinner**

Sunday, April 18th

Meals will be available for pickup after the 11am service.

Deadline to purchase tickets is

Sunday, April 11th

(TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE CHURCH OFFICE AND FROM ANY MEN'S CLUB OFFICER)

Country Fried Steak Dinner!



Yummy!

Help Us Meet Our #Eracehunger Goal!

Even though this year's event isn't being held "in person", our goal is still the same: To raise awareness and funds for food insecurity in Lexington County. We currently have a goal of 400 registrants. YOU can help by signing up and asking others to do so as well!

If we can each encourage one additional participant, think of the IMPACT we can make!

GOAL: 400 PARTICIPANTS



**April 15-18, 2021
Your Race, Your Way!**

Join Us to #Eracehunger

Irah.org

Mission Lexington

\$12 for individuals; \$10 for groups of 4 or more- that, right there is worth the t-shirt! Speaking of

t-shirts...registrants will still receive one of our SNAZZY long sleeve

t-shirts in their race packet along with sponsor materials

If you've already registered, thank you for making a difference!

For more information or to register,



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>"He has Risen, Have faith in him... And he will always be there for you!" "Have a blessed and Happy Easter!"</p>				<p>1 Maundy Thursday 6:30pm Troop 9518</p>	<p>2 Good Friday Traditional Service 6:30 pm Contemporary Service 7:00pm OFFICE CLOSED</p>	2
<p>4 Services 8:50 & 11am AMPLIFIED CHURCH 10am </p>	<p>5 GSA Troop 2323</p>	<p>6 *Searching Sisters 10 am *Sisters By Faith 6pm Cub Scouts Pack 518</p>	<p>7 Sonshine Kids 6pm Youth Small Group 6pm</p>	<p>8 Missions Meeting 6:30pm Troop 9518</p>	<p>9 </p>	10
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<p>18 Services 8:50 & 11am AMPLIFIED CHURCH 10am PLATES AVAILABLE AFTER 11AM SERVICE</p>	<p>19 Friendship Circle 6:30 GSA Troop 2323</p>	<p>20 *Searching Sisters 10am *Sisters By Faith 6pm Cub Scouts Pack 518</p>	<p>21 Sonshine Kids 6pm Youth Small Group 6pm Newsletter Folders 9am</p>	<p>22 Troop 9518</p>	23	24
<p>25 Services 8:50 & 11am AMPLIFIED CHURCH 10am</p>	<p>26 UMM 6:30 GSA Troop 2323</p>	<p>27 *Searching Sisters 10 am *Sisters By Faith 6pm Cub Scouts Pack 518</p>	28	29	30	

Blessing Box / Mission's Pantry:



- * Beef Stew & Chili, small canned Ham
- * Canned Meats & vegetables
- * Cereal, canned fruit
- * Grits/Oatmeal
- * Personal hygiene items
- * Rice/noodles/instant potatoes
- * Pop Tarts, Break-fast bars
- * Snack Bars
- * Apple Sauce, pudding snacks
- * Powered milk & Peanut Butter & Jelly
- * Soups ring-pulls
- * Bottled water
- * Baby items
- * Baby wipes
- * Diaper cream
- * Toiletries, including hand soap, toothbrushes
- * toothpaste