



COLE MILL ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST

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We encourage you to log-in or arrive before 9:30am. On-line worshippers, please prepare communion before the service begins.



SUNDAY, MARCH 6, 2022

9:00am Gathering Songs: *When I Survey/Old Rugged Cross; At the Cross; There Never Was a Pulpit Like the Old Rugged Cross; Once Upon a Tree*

9:30am WORSHIP

GATHERING

*The Old Rugged Cross**

Welcome and Call to Worship – Tim Wood

Prayer – Jane Campbell

*Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed?**

SERVICE OF THE WORD

None of Self and All of Thee

1 Corinthians 1:18-25 – Evelyn Doyle

Sermon – Drew Baker

“Word of the Cross”

THE TABLE OF THE LORD

By Christ Redeemed

Communion Meditation – Grady Gettings

Taking of the Bread and Fruit of the Vine

Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross

Beneath the Cross of Jesus

Family Prayer Time – Wayne Massey

SENDING

Benediction – Drew Baker

Song Selection – Priscilla Russell

* Led by Priscilla Russell

COMING UP

Saturday, March 5

10am Jones Family Visitation

11am Celebration of Life Service for Bob Jones

Sunday, March 6

9:30am Worship

10:45am Online Bible Study

Children 3yrs-5th Grade – *The Walk: Walk In Love*

Adults: Same Zoom meeting as worship service – *Love Your Neighbor (like Jesus did)*

11:00am In-Person Bible Study

Youth: Youth Room – *Atomic*

Adults: Fellowship Hall – *Love Your Neighbor (like Jesus did)*

6:30-8:30pm Youth Hangout Pizza and Painting in the Youth Room

Wednesday, March 9

6pm BYO Dinner in the Fellowship Hall

6:25pm-7:15pm Children's "Play, Praise, and Pray" in Room 2

6:30-7:15pm Adult Bible study in the Fellowship Hall (and on Zoom)

7:30pm Youth Prayer and Devotion on Zoom

Thursday, March 10

7am Bible Study for All Ages in the Library. Contact Tim Wood for more info.

Saturday, March 12

Noon-1pm Drive-Thru Baby Shower for Seth & Jeannette Cannon. They're expecting a girl due late April, and are [registered at Amazon](#). If you would like to contribute to a group gift, contributions may be given to Gail McCormick, the Petersons, or Pam in the church office.

Sunday, March 13

1:30pm MCC Meeting in the Library

NEWS AND UPDATES



Guest Preacher On March 6, we're pleased to welcome guest preacher, Dr. Drew Baker. Drew lives in NC with his wife, Sarah, and their two children, Jude and Rowan where he enjoys part-time ministry, reading, writing, photography, acting, and everything outdoors. Drew was born and raised near Abilene, TX. His faith formation is deeply indebted to his parents, siblings, Southern Hills Church of Christ, Abilene Christian University, and the arid West Texas acreage he called home. Drew and Ben Fike were classmates at ACU and both active members of an NC-based Churches of Christ minister gathering that Ben helps coordinate each month.



We are so thankful for Nathan and Bethany Gray's years of service, friendship, and leadership at Cole Mill Road! They will be at CMR this Sunday and we will present the farewell book to them during the service (make sure you have signed the book before the service). They will be sticking around to go to lunch afterward and anyone is welcome to join us. –Rebecca Klingaman

Thank You...

**From David, Brittany, Carson, Gavin, and Iris Jones:* Thank you for the beautiful flower arrangement, numerous thoughtful cards, stories shared about dad, prayers, and calls. Our family has truly felt God's love. Dad loved his church family and would say or probably sing "we shall meet on that beautiful shore."

**From Emma Davis:* It is a blessing to have love abound in times when it is really needed. Thank you, my CMR family, for expressing your love again with the loss of my sister Doreatha. The many prayers, cards, communications, book, and other gifts brought peace and comfort in challenging times.

New Wednesday Night Opportunity Come hear CMR members share how Spiritual Disciplines have strengthened their Christian walk. We will hear from each other, share ideas, and ask questions. We will learn and consider how Godly practices can help form us as we daily strive to follow Christ. Meet at 6pm for 'bring your own dinner' and then hear from each other (6:30-7:15). –Lisa Clay

Post-Worship Kids Classes for all ages will re-open next Sunday, March 13! We will follow all COVID protocols for the unvaccinated population which includes volunteers and children wear a mask. There will be one nursery class for children under age 3 led by Natalie Beyer in the Tot Nursery Classroom. Children age 3 up to 5th grade will meet in the Kids Praise Classroom on the ground floor of the Worship Center. We have a team of dedicated teachers that are leading these two groups. Classes open immediately after the worship service. **We will continue** to offer a Zoom class option in conjunction with the in-person younger class. Zoom class opens at 10:45am. Doors will be locked during class time and unlocked at 11:30am for parent pick-up. Please knock on the window if you need to pick up your child before that time. On sunny, dry days, preschool and elementary age children will end the morning on the playground. –Sharon Hilliard

Children's Toy Collection Durham Rescue Mission is asking local churches for help to fill Easter baskets to be given to children in our community. There is a collection box in the Worship Center foyer and the church office until March 14. Needed items: Toys (Barbie and Ken dolls, action figures, Hot Wheels, wind-up toys, Nerf toys, small boxes of LEGO sets), candy filled plastic Easter eggs, Easter basket grass, cellophane extra-large Easter basket bags (jumbo cello Easter basket bags). Let's help make this a special Easter for the children served by Durham Rescue Mission.

New Address for Cathy Jones: 2127 Arborwood Drive, Durham, NC 27705

Ongoing Prayer Concerns Elizabeth Walters, Branson Brown, Carl Lafferty, Charles Runkle, Wilton DuBois, Norma Quarles, and those who care for them.

Prayer Group A group of CMR members meet on Zoom every other Wednesday at 1:15pm. We share a time of concentrated prayer that is focused on the eradication of racism. We explore current events, share videos and writings. We offer prayer through various means. If you would like to join the effort or find out more, please contact [Evelyn Cameron](#).

Vacation Bible School *Knights of North Castle VBS* will be coming to CMR on Sundays in June. Mark your calendar for June 12, 19, and 26. More info to come. –Sharon Hilliard

Elder-on-Call (Sunday-Saturday) Contact Wayne Massey with any concerns, need for prayer, or other ways the elders can provide support and care.

Giving You can give four ways: [Online](#), automatic bank draft, mail a check to the office, or leave a contribution in the plate at the rear of the auditorium. Thank you for supporting the work of the church!

Birthdays and Anniversaries (through next Thursday)

Friday 3/4: David Harpe, Douglas Harpe

Saturday 3/5: Ernestina Johnson

Sunday 3/6: Rownan Massey

Monday 3/7: Scott Hamilton

Thursday 3/10: Pat Daggett



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