

MECHANICSVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH

October 3, 2021..... 11:00 a.m.

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

As we enter worship, please silence cell phones.

Prelude Leslie Luck

Welcome & Announcements Deacon

Invocation Deacon

Passing of the Peace Congregation

Hymn of Praise and Worship #502 Congregation
'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Call to Confession Dr. Bruce Queen

Leader: Most gracious God: We acknowledge that what we receive at your Son's table is a gift of your amazing grace. We can never be worthy to partake of this bread and this wine, symbols of our Lord's body and blood.

People: But we could be, indeed we should be, one caring, loving community around Christ's table, and yet we are not. There are things that keep us apart: pride, mistrust, petty vested interests. By yielding to them, we allow our unity to be weakened, our witness to be impaired.

Leader: Have mercy on us, most merciful God as we confess our lack of commitment to the peace and unity of Your church.

Unison: As we prepare to break bread today, may we be more skillful in forbearing and loving one another. For Jesus' sake. Amen.

A time of silence for individual prayers of confession Congregation

Assurance of Forgiveness Dr. Queen

Leader: Loving God, you have called us home to your forgiving heart. You have prepared a table for us, a huge welcoming party. And all heaven rejoices.

Unison: Receive the life-giving truth of God's forgiveness, and prepare yourselves for life according to God's kingdom. Amen.

Hymn of Forgiveness #224 Congregation
There Is a Fountain

Prayer Dr. Queen

Hymn of Faith, Trust and Hope #500 Congregation
Trust and Obey

Sermon *A Life Useful to God* Dr. Bruce Queen

Scripture Job 1:1; 2:1-10

Hymn of Invitation #515 Congregation
Trusting Jesus

Communion Dr. Queen

Benediction Dr. Queen

*Welcome to Mechanicsville Baptist Church.
We are glad you are with us today. If you are our guest, please fill in the response tab located on the right side of the bulletin and place it in the offering basket located on the table at the entrance way.
Thank you for choosing to worship with us. We hope you join us again!*

A nursery, located in the right corner of the Family Life Center coming in from the breezeway, is provided during Sunday School and worship for infants through children age 5.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, October 3

- 8:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship—Family Life Center (FLC)
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School Classes
- 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
- 2:00 p.m. Transition Team Mtg. - FLC: Rm. 122
- 3:00 p.m. Youth - Family Life Center (FLC)

Monday, October 4

- 11:30 a.m. AA Mtg. - Small Dining Rm.

Tuesday, October 5

- 6:30 p.m. Transition Team Mtg. - FLC: Rm. 122
- 7:30 p.m. Zoom Prayer Mtg. with Terri Beck

Wednesday, October 6

- 10:30 a.m. Staff Mtg. - Church Office
- 11:30 a.m. AA Mtg. - Small Dining Rm.
- 5:00 p.m. Simple Wednesday Suppers - Hamburgers
- 6:00 p.m. Bible Study with Dr. Queen - Sanctuary
- 6:00 p.m. Mission Friends / Kids Adventures - Family Life Center (FLC)

Thursday, October 7

- 6:30 p.m. Worship Team - Family Life Center (FLC)
- 7:30 p.m. Missions Development Team - Conf. Rm.



Please note: Solid black lock boxes for collecting contributions are located in the lobby of the Family Life Center, near the hallway going upstairs and the lobby of the Sanctuary underneath the brochure rack. You can also give by visiting our website at www.mechanicsvillebaptist.org.

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