ANNOUNCEMENTS

*If you have heard the call of God and are interested in learning more about being a follower of Jesus, considering baptism, or desire to become a member of this church family, talk to Pastor Scott.

*If you are a Guest or a First-time Worship Visitor, make sure you find your way to our <u>Welcome Table</u> in the narthex. It has special information just for you.

Expressions of Thanksgiving....

I have recently experienced a blessing from the people of this congregation through prayers, cards, visits and a beautiful prayer shawl during the surgery on both of my legs. A special thank-you to Pastor Scott for his visits and meaningful prayers. I have found out what family, friends, especially church family means to me. Thank you again and God Bless All of You.

~ Charles Phillips, Your Front Door Greeter

... Thank you for your generous and ongoing support of BRC. Sincerely, Carrie Carrie S. Budd, VP for Development and Community Relations, Bridgewater Healthcare Foundation, Inc. "We appreciate your support!"

Shelburne Donations last day of collection will be May 19. Please remember to include any non-perishable foods or snacks. We are also looking for personal toiletries: individually boxed soaps, toothpaste, single packed toothbrushes, deodorant (male & female), combs

Seniors' Bake Sale and Men's Chicken BBQ is this Saturday, April 27!



Come get some treats from our Seniors; and the Men's Fellowship will be cooking chicken, and you can buy "just 1 more" for someone's dinner at the Valley Mission. Please fill out an order form for your BBQ and return to the church office.

"Proclaim Christ; Reclaim Passion" is the theme for this year's Annual Conference to be held July 3-7 in Greensboro, North Carolina. Delegates to the conference will review the 'Compelling Vision" process to "...identify common threads and themes that might point to a shared and compelling vision" for the denomination. For more information, visit www.brethren.org/ac/2019/.

District Ministries Auction May 17-18, Volunteers Needed! Information is in the April Lamplighter. Sign-up forms and further information is on a table in the foyer. Al Cline or Bob Armbruster will be glad to provide any assistance.

COOKBOOKS! are available for \$10, with net proceeds going toward the Capital Expenditure Fund. See a member of the Rebecca Circle.



Happy Home Flavorings The Mary Martha Circle is selling assorted Happy Home Flavorings, an excellent product for \$3. See Debbie Landes.

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month



The 2019 Spring Congregational Business Meeting and lunch is next Sunday, April 28 following worship. The Youth will be providing lunch. Packets are available for pick-up in the Narthex.

Heifer Project Collection: Witness will be collecting for the Heifer Project starting May 12 - June 2. Individuals or families can buy a "share" of an animal or the whole animal. Monetary donations will also be collected. Calendars and arks will be available. Members can donate anytime during the 3 weeks, please use the envelopes provided in the narthex for your donation. Thank you for your support

Disaster Ministries Team to Serve in Lewisburg, W. Va. in Early May. Two disaster relief trips to W. Va. are tentatively planned for the Lewisburg area. The first trip will be May 5 through May 10 and the second week of service will be June 16 through June 21. The team will leave Sun. afternoon and return Fri. evening. Call Henry Elsea (540) 271-1533 for more info.



"Is God in your Will?" Remember your church in your estate planning.

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Church Website: www.stauntonbrethren.org
Like us on Facebook: Staunton Church of The Brethren
Free Bible for anyone who needs one – Ask an Usher
CDs of each Sunday Worship on the table in the narthex
CD players to borrow to listen to Worship CDs
Church Newsletters for the month on the guest table
Check the Bulletin Boards for more information

"I WILL RISE" Chris Tomlin (CCLI 3058479)

There's a peace I've come to know, though my heart and flesh may fail.

There's an anchor for my soul, I can say, "It is well."

Jesus has overcome, and the grave is overwhelmed.

The victory is won. He is risen from the dead.

And I will rise when He calls my name, no more sorrow, no more pain.

I will rise on eagle's wings, before my God fall on my knees And rise, I will rise.

There's a day that's drawing near, when this darkness breaks to light.

And the shadows disappear, and my faith shall be my eyes.

Jesus has overcome, and the grave is overwhelmed.

The victory is won. He is risen from the dead.

And I will rise when He calls my name, no more sorrow, no more pain.

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And I hear the voice of many angels sing, "Worthy is the Lamb."

And I hear the cry of every longing heart, "Worthy is the Lamb."

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PROTECT YOURSELF FROM CYBERBULLYING







Funding for developing and sharing this and our child abuse prevention toolkit was provided by the Virginia Department of Social Services with a Community-Based Child Abuse Prevention Grant from the Office on Child Abuse and Neglect, Administration on Children, Youth and Families, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Learn more at for

Men's Fellowship

Chicken Barbecue!!!



Saturday, April 27, 2019 Buy 1, buy 1 more for the Valley Mission

Price per Half: \$4.50

Please place your order early! You may pay when you pick up your order. Pickup time 10:00 a.m.

Please return your order form to the Church Office.

Name:	
Phone:	
Number of Halves YOU WANT:	
Total Halves:	
Thank you for your order!	