

# *WEST SHORE BAPTIST CHURCH*

2025 Market Street  
Camp Hill, Pennsylvania 17011

Morning Worship — 9:00 AM

Coffee Café — 10:00 AM

LifeHouse Worship — 10:30 AM

*We seek to be a L.I.G.H.T. to our community by. . .*



*Loving God*

*Inviting Friends*

*Growing Together*

*Helping Others*

*Teaching Truth*

*“ . . . let your good deeds shine out  
for all to see, so that everyone will  
praise your heavenly Father.”*

—Matthew 5:16, NLT

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9:00 a.m. Morning Worship

† *1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent* †

### Announcements

Welcome

Prelude

Mission Moment      *2018 America For Christ*      –Steve Campbell

Hymn      *Lo, He Comes With Clouds Descending*      –754

Choir Anthem      *Midnight Cry*

Praying Together

Offering

Scripture Reading      Matthew 24:1-14      –Elaine Deimler  
*(Pew Bible pg. 1064)*

Hymn      *We Shall Behold Him*      –755

Message      *“Are We There Yet?”*      –Pastor Paul

Hymn      *While We Are Waiting, Come*      –760

Benediction

**Welcome to worship at West Shore Baptist Church** on this first Sunday of the Lenten season. We're glad you are here. A special welcome is extended to all guests and new friends who are worshipping with us today.

Please complete your light blue Registration and Response form as a way to communicate information and in response to God's leading. Place your form in the dark blue registry folder as it is passed in your pew during the Offering. To our guests and members: The February *Update* Newsletter is at the Welcome Center. To our guests: Please stop at the Welcome Center for a WSBC mug and brochure.

## —Today at West Shore Baptist Church—

### Sunday, February 18

- 9:00 AM - Morning Worship—Sanctuary
- 9:00 AM - Children, Youth Class, LIFEgroup
- 10:00 AM - Coffee Café—Fellowship Hall
- 10:00 AM - Children's Choir—Harmony Hall
- 10:30 AM - LifeHouse Worship—Davidson Chapel
- 10:30 AM - Fellowship Class, Searchers Class, Open Door Class, and Children's Christian Education Classes
- 11:45 AM - LifeHouse Band Rehearsal
- 11:45 AM - Prayer Fellowship LIGHT Team—Room G-2
- 6:00 PM - Youth Group—Youth Room



## —This Week at West Shore Baptist Church—

### Monday, February 19

- 7:00 PM - Beacon Bell Ringers—Sanctuary

### Tuesday, February 20

- 6:30 PM - Christian Education Board Mtg.—Room G-2

### Wednesday, February 21

- 2:00 PM - Remembrance Svc.—The Gardens, Camp Hill
- 6:30 PM - Prayer Meeting—Davidson Chapel
- 7:00 PM - Sonshine Singers—Sanctuary

## —Ministry Opportunities and Events—

### 2018 “America For Christ” Offering—

Our annual “America For Christ” offering is now being received and will continue through **Sunday, March 25**. “Equipping Disciples” is this year’s emphasis. For American Baptist Home Mission Societies (ABHMS), equipping disciples entails supporting and enabling highly motivated Christian disciple-makers who are delivering the Good News of Jesus Christ and producing life-saving and life-giving change in individuals and congregations across the United States and Puerto Rico. As you contribute to AFC, you enable ABHMS to provide high-quality Christian resources and encouragement to our network of disciple-makers, thereby improving their effectiveness in equipping other Christians. The Mission Board has set a goal of **\$5,000**. Offering envelopes are available in the pew racks and in your individual offering envelope box.



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### **WSBC Anniversary Event: A Community Lecture, “Who Is Jesus?” —**

On Thursday, March 15, WSBC will host a free community lecture titled, “Who is Jesus?” from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. This conversation between a Muslim Imam and a Christian Seminary Professor will be an evening to hear what both Muslims and Christians think about Jesus. Dr. Draper and Mr. Haq have been friends for many years and will be presenting the similarities and the differences there are in how Jesus is viewed. Following the conversation there will be a time for Q&A with the speakers. This event is co-sponsored by the C.S. Lewis Institute of Central PA. You can learn more at <http://www.cslewisinstitute.org/Whoisjesus>.



### **Open House at New Hope Ministries in Dillsburg—**

On Thursday, March 1, 2018, between 3:30 and 5:30 p.m., New Hope Ministries will be holding an Open House and Dedication of their newly constructed Dillsburg Center at 99 W. Church Street in Dillsburg. Light refreshments will be served. Want to bring us a housewarming gift? Consider bringing a donation to help stock the pantry shelves! Most needed items include cereal, peanut butter, canned meats, spaghetti sauce, diapers, and personal care products such as shampoo, soap, toothpaste, etc.



### **Mission Board Participating in CAPC’s “Embracing Life Banquet”—**



The Mission Board is sponsoring a table for 8 at Capital Area Pregnancy Center's annual fundraiser, “Embracing Life Banquet.” The banquet is Thursday, March 1, at 6:30 p.m. at the Radisson in Camp Hill. If you have an interest in participating or want to learn more about CAPC, contact Mission Board Chair Steve Campbell.

### **CWU 2018 “World Day of Prayer”—**

Church Women United of Harrisburg invites all women to the 2018 “World Day of Prayer” service on Friday, March 2, here at West Shore Baptist Church. *All God's Creation is Very Good!* is this year’s theme prepared by the World Day of Prayer Committee of Suriname. The Republic of Suriname is located on the northeastern coast of South America. Its history includes native peoples, Africans, Creoles, Dutch, Indonesian, and Chinese. The program begins at 10:00 a.m. and concludes at 11:30 a.m. It will include a Bible Study on Genesis 1:1-31.



*A pair of glasses was found after last Sunday’s services. If you think they might be yours, please call the church office. Thank you.*

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### Information on the Prayer Chain Ministry—

To be added to the e-mail prayer chain if you aren't receiving these emails already, sign up today on your bulletin insert!

#### Please note:



To activate the prayer chain during church office hours, call (717) 761-0942 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Outside of office hours, contact one of the following persons in this order:

1. Pastor Paul - (717) 618-9073
2. Pastor Greg - (717) 877-6055
3. Bruce Montgomery - (717) 512-0010
4. H. Art Nixon – (717) 766-4932


### Donation Request: Filled Easter Eggs for WSBC's Easter Egg Hunt—

The Christian Ed Board is asking for donations of filled plastic Easter Eggs for the Easter Egg hunt on Saturday, March 24. A suggested amount is one dozen plastic eggs filled with either candy and/or other presents. Please place your donations in Room 103 by Friday, March 23.



Thank you!

### Pathways Institute at Messiah Lifeways—

 Pathways Institute for lifelong learning is now offering its spring 2018 Enrichment Classes at Messiah Lifeways at Messiah Village. You can see the list of classes posted on the bulletin board outside the church office. For more information about Pathways Institute, contact the Pathways office at (717) 591-7213 or visit [thePathwaysInstitute.org](http://thePathwaysInstitute.org).

### American Baptist Men's Retreat 2018—

The 2018 A.B. Men's Retreat will be held at Shippensburg University Friday, July 27, through Sunday, July 30. The theme of this year's retreat is "Nothing Is Impossible With God. So Let Your Light Shine for Jesus to All!" The keynote speaker will be the Rev. Chuck Stecker, Executive Director and Founder of A Chosen Generation. Come for challenging and relevant workshops, inspiring testimonies, worship, and special music. The cost is \$175 per person by May 1, \$185 by June 1, \$195 by July 15. The Youth Program's theme is "Control," led by Ryan Seckman and Kyle West. More information can be found on the men's bulletin board in the foyer. Fill out a registration form, available at the Welcome Center, and send it in today!



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### WSBC Key Holder Responsibility—

In an effort to consolidate the key distribution at WSBC, we remind all key holders of the following: If you have been assigned a key(s) to West Shore Baptist Church in accordance with our approved policy, please be advised that when your church responsibilities or your need to be in the building have ended, you need to turn the key(s) back to the church office. Thank you.

### —Small Group Ministry—

| MEETING DAY                                     | TOPIC  | CONTACT PERSON                  |
|---|--|---------------------------------|
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> &4 <sup>th</sup> Tues.(7:00 pm) | <i>Welcoming Community, by D. Avilesbernal</i> | Patty McCown, 717-732-2003      |
| Wednesdays (6:30 pm)                            | <i>Prayer Meeting</i>                          | Pastor Thompson, 717-618-9073   |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> &4 <sup>th</sup> Wed. (5:45 pm) | <i>Men's Bible Fellowship</i>                  | Pastor Thompson, 717-618-9073   |
| Sundays (11:45 am)                              | Prayer LIGHT Team                              | Rev. Betty Norford,717-737-5815 |

### —Volunteers in Ministry—

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|---|--|--|
| <b>Nursery</b>                          | <b>9:00 AM</b>                                   | <b>10:30 AM</b>  |
| February 18                             | Patty McCown<br>Ida Rhone                        | Linda Fleming<br>Lisa Fleming                              |
| February 25                             | <b>9:00 AM</b><br>Ida Rhone<br>Patty McCown      | <b>10:30 AM</b><br>Becky Gentzler<br>Gayle Campbell        |
| <b>Children's &amp; Youth Sun. Sch.</b> | <b>9:00 AM</b>                                   |  |
| February                                | <i>Elementary Class</i><br>Dawne Strock          | <i>Joy Class</i><br>Alexis Kabakjian                       |
|   | <i>Mid High &amp; Sr. High</i><br>Greg Kabakjian | <b>10:30 AM</b><br><i>Lower Elementary</i><br>Sue Thompson |
| <b>Scripture Readers</b>                |  |  |
| February 18                             | 9:00 AM  | Elaine Deimler   |
| February 25                             | 9:00 AM  | Richard Zulaica  |
| <b>Greeters</b>                         |  |  |
| February                                | 9:00 AM  | Connie Behney  |
|   | 10:30 AM   | Richard Zulaica  |
| <b>Coffee Café Hostess</b>              |  |  |
| February 18                             | 10:00 AM   | Pat Zulaica  |
| February 25                             | 10:00 AM   | Linda Neubaum  |

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### Free Email Lenten Devotionals—



Would you like to receive a daily Lenten email devotional this Easter season? Go to [Biblegateway.com/blog](http://Biblegateway.com/blog) to register. These devotionals will walk you through the season of Lent, learning about Jesus Christ and the remarkable experience of living life today in His presence.

### Winter Weather Information!

While every effort will be made to hold Sunday morning services, during severe winter snow or ice storms follow these steps for the latest information:



1. Check the WSBC website ([www.wsbc.org](http://www.wsbc.org)) for the latest news on winter weather-related worship cancellations or church closings.
2. Phone Pastor Paul at 717-575-6121 or Pastor Greg at 717-877-6055 to inquire about cancellations and/or church closings.
3. Watch your CBS or NBC local television station to see if WSBC is listed.

*At all times, please use care and discretion in your winter travel decisions.*

### —Prayer Concerns—

|                       |                       |                      |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| Diane Auten           | Steven Harvey         | Valerie Rhone        |
| Candy Barth           | Ron Howe              | Miranda Sawka        |
| Peggy Bennett         | Dick Johnson          | Deb Shaw             |
| Eliana Brengel        | Jackie Lafferty       | Josh Sheely          |
| Andrew Burkley        | Capt. Barrett LeHardy | Linda Sleboda        |
| Gail Cipriani         | Ann Loucks            | Sue Sleboda          |
| Kendra Conception     | RoseAnn Nichols       | Snyder Family        |
| Richard Concini       | Rev. Betty Norford    | Melony Sperry        |
| Dana Danner           | Harry Norford, Jr.    | Al Sweigard          |
| Mary Ensminger        | Norris Family         | Stephanie Wily       |
| Nicole Ensminger      | Don Norris            | Dale Zoll            |
| Michael Goldman       | Betty Jo Palmer       | Pastoral Search Com. |
| Harmon Family         | Jeff Parnell          |                      |
| Hartman/Hill Families | Gwen Rhone            |                      |



**Our Christian Love and Prayers** are with the Hartman/Hill Families on the home-going of our sister-in-Christ, Mary Hartman, on Saturday, February 10. May the Lord give you peace.

## **Sermon Notes:**