

WEST SHORE BAPTIST CHURCH

2025 Market Street
Camp Hill, Pennsylvania 17011

Traditional 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. Traditional Worship

Gathering for Worship

Welcome
Organ Prelude

Celebrating God’s Blessings

*Hymn	<i>Battle Hymn of the Republic</i>	–804
Choir Anthem	<i>An American Celebration</i>	
Giving His Tithes and Our Offerings		

Receiving God’s Word

Scripture Reading	Nehemiah 4:1-12	–Dick Webb <i>(Pew Bible pg. 518)</i>
Morning Prayer		
Message	Build Well Through Missions	–Pastor Bruland
Moments for Personal Reflection & Response		

Departing to Serve

*Hymn	<i>Eternal Father, Strong to Save</i>	–808
*Benediction		
*Organ Postlude		

*Congregation Please Stand



Welcome to Worship at West Shore Baptist Church on Memorial Weekend Sunday! We’re glad you are here. A special welcome is extended to all guests and new friends who are 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 “Moments for Reflection and Response.” To our guests and members: The June *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, May 28

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

— This Week at West Shore Baptist Church—

Monday, May 29 *Happy Memorial Day*

- 8:30 AM - Memorial Day Parade Set Up
- 9:00 AM - Church Office Closed

Wednesday, May 31

- 7:00 PM - Sonshine Singers—Sanctuary

—Ministry Opportunities and Events—

Camp Hill Memorial Day Parade Outreach



Join the Mission Board at WSBC for the Camp Hill Memorial Day Parade *tomorrow*, May 29. The parade starts at 9:30 a.m., so we will begin setup in the front lawn at 8:30 a.m. If you can bring a dozen cookies, please do so. We will have a table with refreshments and lemonade to hand out, and will open the church rest rooms for public use. We will also have a float in the parade. If you'd like to help decorate the float, call Carol Saltzer at (717) 383-9740. Come and enjoy the parade with us and meet & greet our Camp Hill neighbors.

2017 One Great Hour of Sharing Offering—

The 2017 One Great Hour of Sharing offering is underway. This year's theme is "You Are Here" based on Matthew 25:35: "*I was a stranger and you welcomed me...*"



This shared offering allows the church to show up and be there when people are in need — in times of crisis and in times of calm. The Mission Board has set a goal of **\$6,000**, for the OGHS offering, which will be collected through Sunday, June 11, 2017. Total received to date is, **\$2,153**. Envelopes are available in the pews or in your individual envelope box. Thank you for your support!

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Annual “Baby Bottle Blast” Continues—



Our Baby Bottle Blast campaign to support the work and vision of the Capital Area Pregnancy Centers continues through Father’s Day, June 18. Please fill the bottles with your donation and return them no later than June 18. Also remember to pray for moms, dads, and their unborn children during this time.

Celebration of Ministry—



Join us on ***Sunday, June 25***, as we celebrate the ministry and service of Pastor Gary and Esther Bruland! We want to show our deep appreciation for the many Godly ways they’ve both served our church over the past twelve years. The Diaconate Board has approved the following schedule:

- 9:00 – 9:50 a.m. – All Sunday School classes meet
- 10:00 – 10:20 a.m. – Memories and Music—Davidson Chapel
- 10:30 – 11:30 a.m. – Unity Worship Service—Sanctuary
- 11:45 a.m. – Celebration Luncheon—Fellowship Hall

There will be a special table set up in the Fellowship Hall for you to place your cards and messages of appreciation to the Brulands.

Please sign up on your registration sheet to RSVP for this special “Celebration of Ministry” Sunday by ***Sunday June 11, 2017***.

“And now, friends, we ask you to honor those leaders who work so hard for you, who have been given the responsibility of urging and guiding you along in your obedience. Overwhelm them with appreciation and love!” 1 Thessalonians 5:12-13

VBS Coming Soon . . . July 24 through July 27—

Vacation Bible School at WSBC will be held *Monday, July 24, through Thursday, July 27*, from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. At “God’s BIG Backyard”, children will enjoy songs, skits, games, food, and fun while learning from Bible stories centered on the theme of serving. Registration forms are available online at www.wsbc.org or you can pick up a printed copy at the Welcome Center and in the children’s classrooms.



Ressler’s Small Group Announcement—

Janet Ressler’s Small Group will not meet tomorrow, May 29. However, the group will meet on Monday, June 5, at 6:00 p.m. to finish our study entitled, "Beyond Belief," by Freddy Cardoza. Our next 6-session study will begin in mid-September and is entitled, "Identity, My Life of Faith," by Matt Brown.

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WSBC and ABCOPAD-Sponsored Mission Opportunities—



WSBC's Mission Trip LIGHT Team is offering assistance to those wishing to participate in ABCOPAD-sponsored mission trips this summer. They will cover half of the expenses for participants. There are four opportunities being offered:

- 1) *'Rebuilding, Restoring, Renewing in Rainelle, WV'*. Volunteer work weeks planned for **June 10-17** and **June 17-24**.
- 2) *'Rebuilding, Restoring, Renewing... Murrow Indian Children's Home & Bacone College, Muskogee, OK'*. Volunteer work week planned for **July 16-22**.
- 3) *'Coming Together for New Jersey... Rebuild, Renew and Restore'*. Volunteer work week planned for **July 8-15**.
- 4) *'Home Mission: 'Til the Work is Done Work Week, New Orleans, LA'*. Volunteer work week planned for **July 29-August 5**.

Look for more information on the Mission Board bulletin board in the foyer or check the ABCOPAD.org website. If you are interested, please pick up a WSBC Mission Trip Participant Application from the church office, complete it, and return the completed application to the folder in the church office no later than *Tuesday, June 13*.

American Baptist Men's Retreat 2017—

The 2017 A.B. Men's Retreat will be held at Shippensburg University, Friday, July 28, through Sunday, July 30. The theme of this year's retreat is "Nothing Is Impossible With God." The keynote speaker will be the Rev. Steve Etner, national speaker, former pastor, and founder of *The Purity Coach Ministry*. Fill out a registration form, available at the Welcome Center, and send it in today!



American Baptist Women's Retreat 2017—

The 2017 A.B. Women's retreat will be held at Shippensburg University, Friday, July 14, through Sunday, July 16. The theme of this year's retreat is "Thriving Through Restoration." The keynote speaker will be Micca Campbell, author of "An Untroubled Heart: Finding Faith That Is Stronger Than All My Fears." Early registration, with a \$10 savings, ends on May 31. For questions or registration materials, please contact Gayle Campbell at gpcamp@verizon.net or phone (717) 774-4186. Thank you!



June UPDATE Newsletter Now Available—

The June UPDATE Newsletter, including Pastor Gary's farewell article, is now available on the website and at the Welcome Centers.

"Many thanks, Pastor Gary, for your Godly, uplifting contributions to the WSBC newsletter each month, and to Esther for your faithful proofreading!" Bonnie

—Ministry Opportunities and Events—

Men’s Bible Fellowship Group—

The Men’s Bible Fellowship Group will resume meeting after the summer break. There are opportunities over the summer for men to serve at Bethesda Mission’s soup kitchen on the following dates: *June 28, July 26, August 23, and September 27*. Please contact Steve Campbell at (717) 774-4186 if you plan to serve at the soup kitchen on any of these dates. Roland Carpenter will be leading several services at Bethesda Mission over the next months – call him at (717) 813-6839 if you’d like to help.

—Small Group Ministry—

MEETING DAY	TOPIC	CONTACT PERSON
Mondays (6:00 pm)	<i>Beyond Belief</i>	Janet Ressler, 525-9856
2 nd &4 th Tues.(7:00 pm)	<i>Resilient, by S. Voysey</i>	Patty McCown, 732-2003
2 nd &4 th Wed.(5:45 pm)	<i>Men’s Bible Fellowship</i>	Roland Carpenter, 813-6839
Sundays (11:45 am)	Prayer LIGHT Team	Rev. Betty Norford, 737-5815

—Volunteers in Ministry—

Nursery	9:00 AM	10:30 AM
May 28	Kim Mankey Patty McCown	Stephanie Brengel Kyle Brengel
June 4	9:00 AM Jayne Metz Kristin Born	10:30 AM Mary Hartman Edie Kennerly
Children’s & Youth Sun. Sch.	9:00 AM	
May	<i>Elementary Class</i> Dawne Strock	<i>Joy Class</i> Julianna Kabakjian
	<i>Mid High & Sr. High</i> Greg Kabakjian	10:30 AM <i>Lower Elementary</i> Becky Gentzler
Scripture Readers		
May 28	9:00 AM	Dick Webb
June 4	9:00 AM	Janet Ressler
Greeters		
The Month of May	8:30 AM 10:15 AM	Judd Brouse
Coffee Café Hostess		
May 21	10:00 AM	Cheryl Vulich
June 4	10:00 AM	Dawne Strock

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Email Address Update

Ron and Candy Barth

Candy's Email: candacebarth53@gmail.com

Ron's Email: ronbarth1207@gmail.com



Prayer Chain Ministry—

To activate the prayer chain, call Jessie Sites (737-8505) or Pastor Bruland (364-5619). To be added to the phone or e-mail prayer chains, call Jessie Sites or Bonnie Prior in the church office.

—Prayer Concerns—

Tanya Badalucci	Helen Harmon	Agnes Peterson
Candy Barth	Steven Harvey	Peterson Family
Beth Bates	Mary Hill	Lincoln Reid
Connie Behney	Odette Hoffman	Reid Family
Reuben Behney	Vaughn Hostettler	Gwen Rhone
Peggy Bennett	Jan Howell	Valerie Rhone
Carl Blust	Dick Johnson	Rev. Robert Ryder
Andrew Burkley	Meghan Johnson	Deb Shaw
Pam Campbell	Mike LaCoste	Scheetz Family
Rick Capen	Jackie Lafferty	Irene Sleboda
Roland Carpenter	John Layne	Linda Sleboda
Naw S. Chit	Lopez & Soto Family	Ron Sleboda
Kendra Conception	Ann Loucks	Kathy Snyder
Richard Concini	Sandy Martinet	Mary Snyder
Dana Danner	Charles Maurer	Shirley Spagnola
Deimler Family	Judy Maurer	Bryan Spangler
Pat Dieffenbach	Julio Moralis	Ralph Stimeling
Mary Ensminger	Ed Neiman	Teresa Smith
Nicole Ensminger	Steve Norford	Wendy Smith
Fleming Family	Rev. Betty Norford	Amy Ton
Foster Family	Don Norris	Preston Willey
Gifford Family	Louise Norris	Logan Whitcomb
Michelle Gallo	Alice Orozco	William Whitman
Michael Goldman	Perkowski Family	Zoll Family

Sunday and Midweek Prayer Lists—

It is a privilege to support our church family and extended family and friends in intercessory prayer. In order to maintain an up-to-date prayer list, persons will remain on the list for one month at a time. If you wish to have someone on the WSBC prayer list beyond one month, phone or email the office. Also, please phone or email the office with answers to prayer, prayer praises, and thanksgivings to share.

Reflections on Today's Message

Nehemiah faced considerable adversity and cunning adversaries while leading the rebuilding of the approximately two-mile long Jerusalem wall. In today's *Build Well* message, we'll explore three questions: What did these adversaries do? What was the effect of their opposition? How did Nehemiah deal with his opponents? To know Nehemiah's strategies will help us, not only when we face opposition, but in carrying out our congregational mission.

Build Well through Missions

Nehemiah 4:1-12

1. Know the _____ of your opponents: _____.
_____.

"...What are those feeble Jews doing? Will they restore their wall? Will they offer sacrifices? Will they finish in a day? Can they bring the stones back to life from those heaps of rubble—burned as they are?" (Nehemiah 4:2b). "So we rebuilt the wall till all of it reached half its height, for the people worked with all their heart. But when Sanballat, Tobiah, the Arabs, the Ammonites and the men of Ashdod heard that the repairs to Jerusalem's walls had gone ahead and that the gaps were being closed, they were very angry. They all plotted together to come and fight against Jerusalem and stir up trouble against it" (Nehemiah 4:6-8). "Also our enemies said, 'Before they know it or see us, we will be right there among them and will kill them and put an end to the work.' Then the Jews who lived near them came and told us ten times over, 'Wherever you turn, they will attack us'" (Nehemiah 4:11-12).

2. Know the _____ of your opponents: _____.
_____.

"So we rebuilt the wall till all of it reached half its height, for the people worked with all their heart" (Nehemiah 4:6). "Meanwhile, the people in Judah said, 'The strength of the laborers is giving out, and there is so much rubble that we cannot rebuild the wall'" (Nehemiah 4:10).

3. Know how to _____ to opponents: _____.
_____.

"Hear us, O our God, for we are despised. Turn their insults back on their own heads. Give them over as plunder in a land of captivity. Do not cover up their guilt or blot out their sins from your sight, for they have thrown insults in the face of the builders" (Nehemiah 4:4-5). "Do not answer a fool according to his folly, or you will be like him yourself" (Proverbs 26:4). "But we prayed to our God and posted a guard day and night to meet this threat" (Nehemiah 4:9). "So we continued the work, with half the men holding spears, from the first light of dawn till the stars came out" (Nehemiah 4:21).