

## Churches of Christ Upcoming Events 2019

(Please see the yellow book for additional information and out of the area churches events)

### Churches of Christ calendar info

**Please note for additional churches of Christ** events area-wide; please go to

### Couples Retreat

**March 29—31** District Heights Church of Christ ;Bro. Willie Hubbard

NDWORD1@gmail.com or 301 568 1071;

**Location** Holiday Inn Hotel and Suites Alexandria Old Town 625 Frist Street Alexandria VA; COST PER COUPLE \$200 please read flyer

### Lectureships/Gospel Meeting/ Anniversary/Fellowship

**April 6-10** District Heights Church of Christ celebrating 30 years; (April 6th banquet location TBD); (Gospel Revival April 7th—10th); Bro. Willie Hubbard NDWORD1@gmail.com or 301 568 1071

**April 6-7** Fairfax Church of Christ 50th Anniversary www.fxcc.org

**April 21-25** Church of Christ National Lectureship; please read flyer

**June 22—27** Crusade for Christ 2019 Forth Worth TX www.churchofchristcrusade.org

**June 27-30** Churches of Christ Mid-Atlantic Lectureship; 410 670 9696 or MAL2019 LECTURESHIP@gmail.com ; **Host congregation** Edgewood Church of Christ

### Psalm 19:7-11 King James Version (KJV)

<sup>7</sup>The law of the LORD is perfect, converting the soul: the testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple.

<sup>8</sup>The statutes of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart: the commandment of the LORD is pure, enlightening the eyes.

<sup>9</sup>The fear of the LORD is clean, enduring for ever: the judgments of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.

<sup>10</sup>More to be desired are they than gold, yea, than much fine gold: sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb.

<sup>11</sup>Moreover by them is thy servant warned: and in keeping of them there is great reward.

### Men's Conference

**June 1** District Heights Church of Christ "Stand and Prove Yourself a Man Conference" at District Heights COC; Bro. Willie Hubbard NDWORD1@gmail.com or 301 568 1071

### Sisters Events

**March 7—10** Virtue "Sistah Soldiers for Christ All hands on Deck!" registration is open; pre-register now: www.virtue2019.com

**March 9 8am** Church of Christ at Sandy Lane 42nd Annual Ladies Day Richmond VA; hotel info: www.richmondairport.homewoodsuites.com

**March 23** East Capitol St. Church of Christ 45th Annual Ladies' Spring Luncheon

**March 30 9am-1pm** Catoctin Church of Christ Thurmont MD "Diamonds in the Rough" **RSVP** CatoctinCOC@gmail.com or 301 271 2069

**April 6 9am-1pm** St. Mary's Church of Christ California MD (**event is at the hotel**); **COST and RSVP** \$23 pay by March 17th; **Hotel Hilton Garden Inn Solomon, Calvert Ballroom Dowell MD** please read flyer for more information

**April 18-21** 34th Annual Church of Christ Ladies Lectureship Retreat San Antonio TX; www.ladieslectureshipretreat.org

*Beltway Church of Christ*  
6000 Davis Blvd Camp Springs, MD 20746 301.423.2320/423.4666 fax

# The Messenger

Sunday, February 10, 2019

## Welcome Visitors

*We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us today.*

*Please stop by our visitor table in the foyer.*

Markus Martin,  
Minister  
704.641.9246

Nigel McPherson,  
Associate Minister  
202.674.6952

Mickey Walker,  
Associate Minister  
757.272.7669

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Deacon  
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Clinton Williams,  
Deacon  
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Charles Mattocks,  
Zone 1 (A-G)  
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Zone 2 (H-L)  
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Anthony Person  
Zone 3 (M-R)  
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Mickey Walker  
Zone 4 (S-Z)  
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**"Seeing All Things From God's Point of View"**  
Colossians 1:9-10  
2019

**Worth-While**  
by James McCaleb

I have read a gripping story about a horse and the man who diligently sought after him. It is a beautiful story because of the deep bond of affection that developed between the great animal and his eventual master.

The horse was the leader of a wild herd and was accustomed to roam the plains in absolute freedom. The man saw the animal and loved him. The pursuit went on for many days. The man never gave up, and finally tracked the horse down. It almost killed them both. Feet became torn and bleeding; the body was pushed to almost total exhaustion. The chase was completed because of the great desire for the thoroughbred. The goal was worth-while. *(next page)*

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A good translation of some of the first verses of the 11<sup>th</sup> chapter of Hebrews that without faith it is impossible to please God; for the one who comes to God must first believe that He exists, and also that it is worth-while to follow Him.

We wonder, at times, why we do not make better progress in winning followers for Christ. It is evident that we have not sold the other fellow that such a course is worth-while. Perhaps we are not too sure ourselves.



## NOTES.....

**Assisted listening devices** ..Assisted listening devices are available during service. Please bring your earbuds from your phone, ipod or tape recorder. Earbuds can be provided; if necessary.

**Attendance card** —Please fill out an attendance card on Sundays and Wednesdays and turn the cards into the brothers or drop the card in the collection plate.

**God Loves a Cheerful Giver** —In order to introduce the importance of giving to our youth, we are asking that **ALL YOUTH** come prepared every Sunday to donate a can good during worship service.

**See Live Beltway Sunday Morning Sermons** You are able to view the services directly off our website <https://www.beltwaycoc.org/watch-live-sermons.html>

**To ensure that funds** are available to meet the church's financial obligations, members are requested to leave their offerings prior to travel. **Please put cash contributions in brown envelope. CONTRIBUTION** via PayPal... if you are having trouble getting a check or money order for your contribution, there are other alternatives. You can submit your contribution via PayPal (send the money to [lay\\_by@beltwaycoc.org](mailto:lay_by@beltwaycoc.org)) or

**Please help keep the auditorium clean.** Please remove your trash when you leave and return song books, fans, and bibles to their proper place.

## Children's Church 2019

Parents we need volunteers for Children's church (ages 2yrs to 4 years old) the sheet is on the gray podium in the foyer area. The months available **(July, Sep)**

## Communion Preparation by zones

<b>Zone 1</b>	1st quarter (Jan. thru March)
<b>Zone 2</b>	2nd quarter (April thru June)
<b>Zone 3</b>	3rd quarter (July thru Sept.)
<b>Zone 4</b>	4th quarter (Oct. thru Dec.)



**POC: Bro. Markus Martin**

### **“YES”....Youth Empowered Servants**

We have a **““YES”....Youth Empowered Servants**

for our youth in 2019 and beyond that attend Beltway to assist our homebound members and strengthen our youth's foundation at Beltway. This will include a youth empowerment forum with our youth coordinators.

The Program will take place twice a month on the respective Saturdays.

We are asking parents and youth (ages 8 years old to 18 years old) to sign-up and volunteer your time to this program. This program is to build our youth's faith in the Lord. If you have questions or concerns, please contact Bro. Markus. Thank you!

**Teen Worship Away (TWA)** February information will be coming soon

## *Red & White Gala*

**Saturday, February 23, 2019**

**The Club at Andrews**

**7:00 PM– 10:00PM**

**1889 Arnold Avenue Joint Base Andrews, MD 20702**

**Food >Fun >Fellowship >Door Prizes**

**Entertainment (BCOC Talent Showcase)**

**Single ticket-\$45 Two Tickets-\$80**

**(Cash, Check, PayPal @ [beltwaycoc.org](http://beltwaycoc.org)/on line giving)**

**Final day to purchase ticket a February 13, 2019**

On Sunday, tickets can be purchased in room 28 or

**POC: Alvenia McQueen, Leslie Heath, Gwen Steele**

**Contact at [redandwhitegala@yahoo.com](mailto:redandwhitegala@yahoo.com)**

## Meetings.... No scheduled meetings

### Beltway Events.....

- Feb. 12,19,26 1130am Ladies Bible class
  - Feb. 16 10am Men's meeting
  - Feb. 16 10am Healthcare meeting
  - Feb 17 Blood pressure screening
  - Feb. 24 9am Sunday School Review
  - Feb. 24 Family and Friends Day and Teacher's Appreciation after morning worship
- Host Zones 3 and 4**

### Schedule of Services

#### Sunday

- Bible Study 9:00 A.M.
- Worship 10:00 A.M.
- Worship 6:00 P.M.

#### Wednesday

- Bible Study 7:00P.M.

### Plan of Salvation

- Hear the Gospel—Romans 10:17
- Believe in Christ—Mark 16:16
- Repent of Sins—Acts 2:38
- Confess Faith—Matthew 10:32-33
- Be Baptized—1 Peter 3:21

**Wednesday night Bible Class**  
Lesson 17 is available in room 28

### 2019 Calendar

The 2019 Calendar will be available after morning worship

### Building Fund Corner

"... offered willingly. And gave for the service of the house of God..."  
(1 Chronicles 29:6-7)

Please remember to give weekly towards the Building Fund.

**plan**  
**pray**  
**give**  
**build**

### Pantry Items

Members, we are stocking the pantry with baked beans and tuna for the months of Jan. and Feb.

**March pantry** item SOUP (chicken, tomato, vegetables) and Jiffy cornbread mix  
Thank you!



### Prayer List

#### Sick and Shut-In

- Grady Bradford
- Jerriel Ford
- Elaine Floyd
- Sherman Hicks
- Rachel K Jefferies
- Giffred Johnson
- Helen Mitchell
- Elliott Steele
- Willa Williams

#### Prayer Requests

## Sunday, February 10, 2019

### Called to Serve

#### Sunday Morning

Opening	Mickey Walker
Scripture and Prayer	Michael Titre
Song Leaders	Charles Mattocks Robert Garrett
Prayer	Anthony Person
Sermon	Markus Martin
Lord's Table and Contribution	
Podium	Kevin Bates
Table	N. McPherson, H. Abel D. Moore, E. Davis K. Fuller, G. Ford
Benediction	Ryan Jefferies
Announcements	Edward Jefferies
Greeters	
Ushers	Nigel McPherson
Children's Church	Denessa Moses Deanna Harrington
Visitor's table	Patsy Mawell Veronica Spriggs
Nurse	Bettie Sobers
<b>Evening Worship</b>	
Song Leaders	Mickey Walker
Scripture and Prayer	Theodore Jordan
Lord's Supper and Contribution	Michael Titre
Sermon	Markus Martin
Benediction	Don Allen
Building Lock Up	Markus Martin

**“God Should Be Man’s Greatest Desire”**

Psalm 19:7-11

**Introduction**

- A. From the beginning of time, men and women have demonstrated strong feelings of want and have wished for things to happen in their lives.
- B. Strong feelings of want and to wish for things to happen in our lives is the very definition of *desire*.
- C. The Bible reveals a great deal about desire, namely, (1) whose responsible for desire, (2) whose not responsible for sinful desires, and (3) who should be man’s greatest desire.

**Sermon**

I. God Is Responsible For Desire

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II. God Is Not Responsible For Sinful Desires

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III. God Should Be Man’s Greatest Desire

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**Conclusion**

1. God is responsible for desire...
2. God is not responsible for sinful desires...
3. God should be man’s greatest desire...

Date	Questions
Feb. 10th	"Why is there so many different kinds of churches?"
Feb. 17th	"What makes the church of Christ different?"

February 2019 Worship Assignment				
Sunday Morning Worship Assignment				
Date	3	10	17	24
<b>Preacher</b>	Mickey Walker	Markus Martin	Markus Martin	Markus Martin
<b>Opening</b>	Theodore Jordan	Mickey Walker	Don Allen	Nigel McPherson
<b>Scripture and Prayer</b>	Roosevelt White	Michael Titre	Tyrone Williams	Andrew Johnson
<b>Song Leaders</b>	Clinton Williams Kevin Taylor	Charles Mattocks Robert Garrett	Mickey Walker Walter Gorham	Robert Garrett Clinton Williams
<b>Prayer</b>	John Spriggs	Anthony Person	Don Moore	Henry Abel
<b>Lord's Supper &amp; Contribution</b>				
<b>Podium</b>	Frank Williams	Kevin Bates	Henry Jenkins	William Snoddy
<b>Table</b>	Michael Titre Kevin Fuller Don Moore Charles Griffin Ryan Jefferies Alexander Williams	Nigel McPherson Don Moore Gerald Ford Henry Abel Eddy Davis Kevin Fuller	Kevin Fuller Alexander Williams Roosevelt White Charles Griffin Anthony McFarland Curtis Brooks	Michael Titre Ryan Jefferies Don Moore Anthony Person Kishiro Easterling Curtis Brooks
<b>Benediction</b>	Rufus Broidy	Ryan Jefferies	J. D. King	Theodore Jordan
<b>Ushers</b>	Anthony Person	Nigel McPherson	Michael Titre	Gerald Ford
<b>Visitor's Table</b>	Patsy Maxwell Veronica Spriggs	Patsy Maxwell Veronica Spriggs	Patsy Maxwell Veronica Spriggs	Patsy Maxwell Veronica Spriggs
Sunday Evening Worship Assignment				
<b>Song Leader</b>	Clinton Williams	Mickey Walker	Walter Gorham	Clinton Williams
<b>Scripture/Prayer</b>	Roosevelt White	Theodore Jordan	Michael Titre	Nigel McPherson
<b>Lord's Supper &amp; Contribution</b>	Nigel McPherson	Michael Titre	Roosevelt White	Don Allen
<b>Preacher</b>	Mickey Walker	Markus Martin	Markus Martin	Markus Martin
<b>Benediction</b>	Michael Titre	Don Allen	Mickey Walker	Theodore Jordan
<b>Lock Up Duty</b>	Nigel McPherson	Markus Martin	Michael Titre	Clinton Williams
<b>Nurse</b>	Bettie Sobers	Bettie Sobers	Bettie Sobers	Bettie Sobers
<b>Children's Church</b>	Denessa Moses Deanna Harrington	Denessa Moses Deanna Harrington	Denessa Moses Deanna Harrington	Denessa Moses Deanna Harrington

**Healthcare Information**

Did You Know ..... February recognizes **Children’s Dental Health month**. Attitudes and habits established at an early age are critical in maintaining good oral health throughout life. Take good care of your child's baby teeth. They do eventually fall out but until they do, baby teeth play an important role in helping your child bite and chew food, and speak clearly. Many of the same treatment and evaluation options that adults have are also available to kids. These include X-rays, dental sealants, orthodontic treatment and more. For more information, go to: <https://www.colgate.com/en-us/oral-health/life-stages/childrens-oral-care/ada-o2-national-childrens-dental-health-month>