

## Churches of Christ Upcoming Events 2021

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

### Sister's Event:

**Jan. 30, 2021; 10am—1pm** Arlington Church of Christ Sister to Sister Lectureship Retreat; register for your zoom link [www.cocsistertosister.org](http://www.cocsistertosister.org)

**March 4—6, 2021** Ladies of Virtue Celebrating 10 years, register free today [www.virtueinChrist.org](http://www.virtueinChrist.org). have questions call 202-390-3456 and email [info@virtueinChrist.org](mailto:info@virtueinChrist.org); THEME "Getting Back to Church: A Journey of Faith"

Likewise, Teach The Older  
Women To Be Reverent In  
The Way They Live, Not To  
Be Slanderers Or Addicted To  
Much Wine, But To Teach  
What Is Good.

Titus 2-3

## Beltway Church of Christ

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# The Messenger

Sunday, January 17, 2021

### Welcome Visitors

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

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

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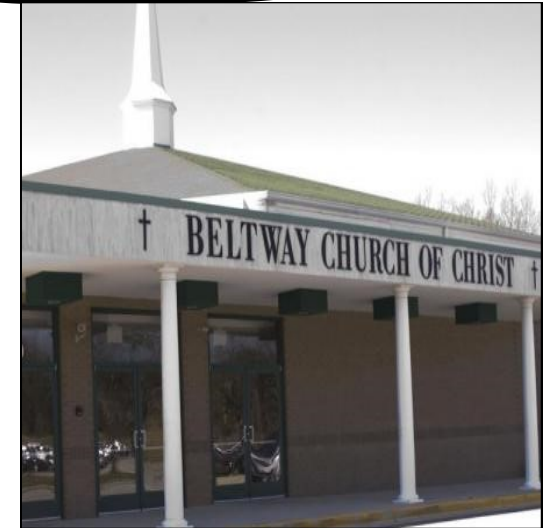
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**Nothing Shall Separate Us From  
the Love of God**  
Romans 8:33-39

### The Current Fad of Male Bashing by Wayne Jackson

In the old movie, The Comancheros, the beautiful character called Pilar observed: "In every successful relationship, one party is dominate and the other is subservient." By virtue of his right as Creator, God has decreed that men function as leaders—both in the home and in the church (cf. I Corinthians 11:3; Ephesians 5:22-23; 1 Timothy 2:12 ff).

There is no doubt that in the past many men have abused this relationship. Some (even among professed Christians) have mistreated women and degraded them shamefully. This hurtful disposition is not the fault of the Bible; it is a violation of biblical principles. The scriptural dogma regarding women rises head-and-shoulders above any culture of the antique world.

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Today, we are seeing a militant backlash against men. Perhaps that is somewhat to be expected (though not justified). It is, though, a dangerous trend, for when the pendulum swings in one direction, it is likely to return to the opposite extreme.

A recent article in U. S. News & World Report by contributing editor John Leo issues a warning that women would be well advised to “back off” from the vicious anti-male mentality that has seized some of them. Leo illustrates this caution with several examples:

1. A famous TV newswoman recently told this joke at a fund-raising dinner. A woman needed a brain transplant. Only two brains were available—a man’s for \$5,000 and a woman’s for \$500. Why the price difference? “The woman’s was used.”
2. A popular greeting card says: “Men are always whining about how we suffocate them. If you can still hear them whining, you’re not pressing the pillow hard enough.”
3. Katie Couric was interviewing an abandoned bride on the *Today Show*. She asked the woman, “Have you thought about castration?”
4. The 3-M Company put out some Post-it notes with this imprinted message: “Men have only two faults: Everything they say, and everything they do.”
5. A new calendar is on the market featuring “men we love to hate.”

This attitude is being taught, to some extent, in the public schools. One feminist teacher was seen wearing a button saying: “So many men, so little intelligence.” Young ladies are wearing T-shirts with the slogan: “Girls Rule.” A rhyme, making the rounds in school, goes like this: “Boys go to Jupiter to get more stupider; girls go to college to get more knowledge.”

These attitudes are quite contrary to the teaching of the Bible.

We will not have happy work places, contented homes, and fruitful congregations until men and women learn to respect one another. Certainly we don’t want to get so hyper-sensitive that we cannot tease one another in good taste. At the same time, we must convey genuine love and respect across the gender lines.

**NOTES..... website:** www.beltwaycoc.org      **email:** info@beltwaycoc.org

**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.

**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.

**FACEBOOK**—“*Beltway Church of Christ at Camp Springs MD*” We encourage ever member to like our new page, and to “check-in” on Sunday mornings at the new page.

**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 through your bank’s Bill Pay option. Please contact Henry Abel or Theodore Jordan if you have any questions.”

### Auditorium ...

**Please no food or drinks (water only) in the auditorium.** Please remove your trash when you leave and return song books, fans, and bibles to their proper place.

### 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**

### Ladies Weekly Devotion and Prayer Fellowship

- Every Tuesday **12:00pm –12:30pm (ZOOM)**
- First and Third Tuesday—Devotion and Prayer
- Second and Fourth Tuesday—Prayer  
Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8211549199pwd=eWVEV113eVNncUd2a2dDY25rdVp0QT09>
- **Meeting ID:** 8211549199      **Password:** 079566
- Call in 301-715 8592 —**meeting ID and Password**



## Meetings.... No scheduled meeting

### Beltway Church is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting

**Topic:** BCOC Prayer Call and Mid-Week Bible Study

**Time:** This is a recurring meeting Meet anytime

**Join Zoom Meeting (copy or click here)** Please mute yourself to minimize background noise

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88277780555>

**Call in from a phone** (Please mute yourself to minimize background noise) (\*6 mute or press mute on cell phones)

**(open 10 mins before 10am/close exactly 10am)**

Phone Number: **1-301-715-8592** Meeting ID: **882 7778 0555**

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Meeting ID: 882 7778 0555 Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88277780555>

## SUNDAY WORSHIP

**Facebook:** Beltway Church of Christ at Camp Springs MD,

**Streaming church website** [www.beltwaycoc.org](http://www.beltwaycoc.org)

**ZOOM phone calls only** 301 715 8592 meeting ID 882 7778 0555

**(please mute your phone to minimize the background noise)**

### Announcements for the Bulletin and Sunday morning

Members,

- To ensure that all announcements are in the bulletin and announced on Sunday mornings, please take the following steps:
- **Deadline:** submit by Thursday each week
- **Time:** 12:00 noon
- **Where:** Please send all announcements to the church's email – [info@beltwaycoc.org](mailto:info@beltwaycoc.org)



## Prayer List

### Sick and Shut-In

Grady Bradford

Velina Christian

Jerriel Ford

Elaine Floyd

Sherman Hicks

Patsy Maxwell

Carmen Mitchell

Helen Mitchell

Bettie Sobers

Janice Tillery

Lillie Vernon

Willa Williams

## Schedule of Services

### Sunday

Sunday School 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

**Sunday, January 17, 2021**

**Called to Serve**

**Sunday Morning**

Opening Don Allen

Scripture and Prayer

Song Leader Charles Mattocks

Prayer Andrew Johnson

Sermon Markus Martin

Lord's Table and Contribution

Podium Andrew Johnson

Table

Benediction Andrew Johnson

Announcements Don Allen

**Greeters** Deborah Spear  
Temperature check Doris McCray  
Communion dispersement

Ushers Walt Gorham  
Don Moore

Nurse Bernice Jordan

**Sunday school on zoom at 2pm**

**Q/A's will resume**

**February 7th**

**Questions and Answers session**

**Time: 6pm**

**JOIN US ON ZOOM**

Sunday Morning Worship

January 17, 2021

The BCOC 2021 Theme

Romans 8:33-39

Nothing Shall Separate Us From the Love of God

Aged Women Living Christian Lives

Titus 2:3

Introduction

- A. On last Sunday morning, the sermon presented was about "Aged Men Living Christian Lives."
B. And this morning, I'm appreciative to God for allowing me to preach about the aged women as well.
C. For the purpose of inspiring our thoughts this morning, consider the following article, "Old Women," written by Angela Abraham, January 14, 2019 that described her "aged" grandmother, "If I'm half the woman my Grandmother was, I'll be a titan. In each smile she was a queen, in her thoughts wisdom flowed, that old heart of hers was the source of so much I cherish. Some search all their days to find someone so wonderful, yet I got to grow up in her arms and learn from a master of the soul. She was my blessing, my home."
D. From the words of this article, it cannot be known whether the author's grandmother was a Christian, however, what she described may reveal characteristics of "Aged Women Living Christian Lives."

Sermon

I. Behavior Become Holy - Tit 2:3

Four horizontal lines for notes under section I.

II. Not A False Accuser - Tit 2:3

Four horizontal lines for notes under section II.

III. Not Given To Much Wine - Tit 2:3

Four horizontal lines for notes under section III.

IV. Teachers of Good Things - Tit 2:3

Four horizontal lines for notes under section IV.

Conclusion

- 1. Aged women living Christian lives behave holy, are not false accusers, are not given to much wine, are teachers of good things!
2. Aged women who live Christian lives have and are continually maturing on Christ!

Table with 2 columns: Date, Q/A. Row 1: Feb.7th, Q/A's will resume on ZOOM at 6pm.

Zoom meeting invitation - Sunday School Bible weekly 2pm

Saints,

We will have our first class for our children on this coming Sunday, at 2:00 PM. We will review 3 lessons. Please have your children attend. All teachers are asked to support the call. Our Theme requires the children to wear their masks.

If you have any questions regarding Zoom please contact Sis. Alicia on 240-416-6974.

Join Zoom Meeting

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"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!