

**Churches of Christ Upcoming Events 2020**

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

**ALL EVENTS HAVE BEEN CANCELLED UP TO JUNE 2020**

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# The Messenger

## DO YOU REMEMBER



**Sunday, May 3, 2020**  
**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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**“BUILDING UP A SPIRITUAL HOUSE”**  
**“CHOSEN PRECIOUS”**  
I PETER 2:5

# KEEP THINKING

**“Keep Thinking”**  
by James McCaleb

“Don’t keep forever on the public road, going only where others have gone. Leave the beaten path occasionally and dive in the woods. You will be certain to find something you have never seen before. Of course, it will be a little thing, but do not ignore it. Follow it up, explore all around it; one discovery will lead to another, and before you know it you will have something worth thinking about to occupy your mind. All really big discoveries are the results of thought.”

This quotation is taken from Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor of the telephone. He was speaking to children at the time, but his words have general application. We can use the underlying philosophy to advantage in our study of the Bible.

Few of us read the Bible with as much diligence as we should. Even when we do turn the pages it is to read the old, familiar passages that we know almost by heart. When we listen, we are likewise prone to prefer the well-known principles of our primary knowledge. Those lessons and those truths are of utmost value, but we need to explore on and on. Without continual progress in the paths of Christianity, even the broad highways that we once trod with assurance begin to fade from memory and lose their significance. Truly we must keep the mind full of the details of God’s word if we are to have something worthwhile to occupy our thoughts.



**NOTES..... website:** [www.beltwaycoc.org](http://www.beltwaycoc.org)      **email:** [info@beltwaycoc.org](mailto: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 see Henry Abel 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...”  
(I Chronicles 29:6-7)

Please remember to give weekly towards the Building Fund.

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

**Communion Preparation by zones**

Each zone is responsible quarterly for preparation of communion: putting the items on the communion table and preparing for the next Sunday

**Zone 2      2nd quarter (April, May, June)**

**Zone 3      3rd quarter (July, Aug., Sept.)**

**Zone 4      4th quarter (Oct., Nov., Dec.)**

**Did You Know... Keep the Big Picture in Mind**

Although things may feel really stressful right now, the pandemic won’t last forever. So try to keep the big picture in mind. Someday, you’ll likely be recounting what you did during the pandemic. Maybe you’ll be telling the story of how you survived social distancing or how you managed to get through this time financially. But at some point restrictions will end, and many of the issues you’re stressing out about right now won’t be problems anymore. Keeping this in mind will help you keep things in perspective.

**“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!

**Meetings.... No scheduled meeting**

**May 3 and 17** Blood pressure screening room 31

**May 5,12,19,26 1130am** Ladies Bible Class room 28

**May 16 10am** Men's Devotion

**May 16 10am** Healthcare meeting

**July 1 and 8** Wednesday Evening Summer Series

**July 5 and 19** Blood pressure screening

**July 7,14,21,28 1130am** Ladies Bible class

**July 13-24** Summer Camp

**July 18 10am** Men's Devotion

**July 18 10 am** Healthcare meeting

**June 2,9, 16,23,30 1130am** Ladies Bible class room 28

**June 7 and 21** Blood pressure screening room 31

**Jun 7 9am** Sunday School Review

**June 7** Family and Friends Day host zone 3 and 4

**June 17 and 24** Wednesday Evening Summer Series

**June 20 10am** Men's Devotion

**June 20 10am** Healthcare meeting

**June 28** Senior Saints Birthday celebration room 28

**Wednesday evening Bible Class**

Our regular Wednesday Evening Bible class will be conducted via conference call ( **6054754049, access code 300052** ). Our study will be the Book of Genesis; chapter 22 following at 7:00-8:00 pm. We would love to have you as a part of our class discussion.



**Prayer List**  
**Sick and Shut-In**

- Don Allen
- Grady Bradford
- Jerriell Ford
- Elaine Floyd
- Karen Fuller
- Sherman Hicks
- Theodore Jordan
- Helen Mitchell
- Anthony Person
- Janice Tillery
- Chris Ward
- Camille Wharton
- 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, May 3, 2020**

**Called to Serve**

**Sunday Morning**

Opening

Scripture and Prayer

Song Leaders

Prayer

Sermon

Markus Martin

Lord's Table and Contribution

Podium

Table

Benediction

Announcements

Edward Jefferies

Greeters

Ushers

Children's Church

Zakiya and Naja Bates

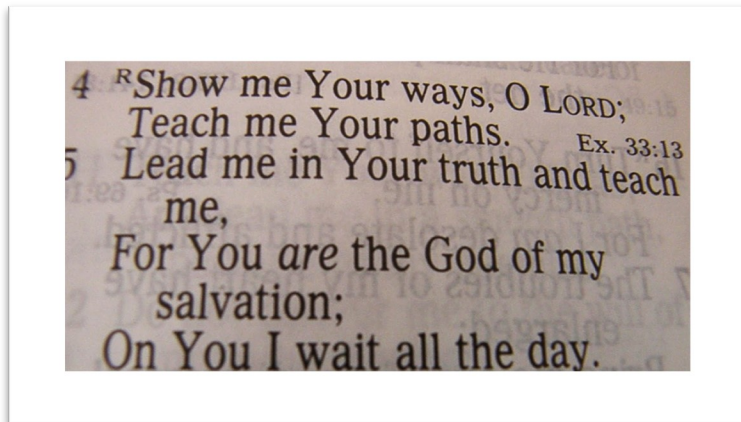
Visitor's table

Roslyn McCloud  
Gwen Phillips

Nurse

Deborah Spear

**NO SUNDAY SCHOOL  
and  
NO EVENING WORSHIP  
and  
Questions and Answers  
Until further notice**



**Sunday Morning Worship**

*The BCOC 2020 Theme*

I Peter 2:5

**May 3, 2020**

*Building Up A Spiritual House*

**“Do You Remember?”**

Deuteronomy 32:7

**Introduction**

- A. People tend to be quite different in the things that they think about.
- B. Some people are always thinking about the future, i.e., the good and bad that might happen to them!
- C. Some people are always thinking about the past, i.e., the good and bad that has happened to them!
- D. These two ways of thinking is known as rumination and introspection; both meaning deep thought!
- E. Do you not know that THE BIBLE encourages such deep thoughts concerning past scriptural events in an effort to move forward spiritually? Thus, the title of this sermon is **Do you remember...**

**Sermon**

I. Do You Remember The Song of Moses – Deut 32:1-7

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II. Do You Remember The House of God – Psa 42:1-6

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III. Do You Remember Jerusalem – Psa 137:1-6

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**Conclusion**

- 1. Do you remember the Song of Moses...
- 2. Do you remember the house of God...
- 3. Do you remember Jerusalem...

**Deuteronomy 32:7 King James Version (KJV)**

<sup>7</sup>Remember the days of old, consider the years of many generations: ask thy father, and he will shew thee; thy elders, and they will tell thee.

**Sunday Evening**

**Questions & Answers**

The black box for Q/A is on the white desk in the foyer area

Date	Questions
<b>New dates coming soon</b>	Why Did God change Polygamist Marriages to Monogamist Marriages in the New Testament?
	God was silent for 400 years “toward Israel.” During the silent years did God still have a hand in guiding Israel?

Members,  
 We are trying to stay in contact with each member during this pandemic. However; if we cannot reach you, we need an emergency contact person(s). Two to three name and numbers.

Please provide an emergency contact name and number through the church email.

