

## **Western Heights Baptist Church**

24416 Cox Road, Petersburg, VA 23803

Church Phone: 733-8172

April 19, 2009

"The Church Where Everybody is Somebody"

Ministers – Congregation

Chairman of Deacons – Brack Dunn, Sunday School Director – Robert Tucker

Director of Children's Ministry – April Norris, Minister of Music – Rev. Kerry Boyce

Senior Pastor – Rev. Jonathan Dundalow

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### **Our Worship of God**

**"He must increase, but i must decrease" John 3:30**

#### **Our Worship Preparation**

Prelude

Anne Cizek

Church Life at Western Heights

Welcome to Our Guests

Call to Worship "More Precious than Silver"

Entertaining Angels

#### **Our Worship in Praise and Prayer**

Opening Prayer

\*Hymn No. 185 "Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners"/"Awesome God"

**Morning Praise** "Serenaded by Angels" Julie Massey & Gloria Staples

#### **Our Worship in Giving Our Tithes and Offerings**

\*\*Offertory Hymn No. 199 "Lo, He comes with Clouds Descending"

Offertory Prayer

Hand Bell Anthem "Kum Ba Yah"

Chimes of Glory

#### **Our Worship in Proclaiming God's Word**

Scripture Romans 8:12-17

Message "The Family of God" Rev. Jonathan Dundalow

Our Worship through Our Commitments

Hymn of Invitation No. 317 "Only Trust Him"

#### **Departing from Worship to be On Mission with Him**

Benediction

Marty Baird

Closing Hymn No. 426 "Victory in Jesus" (stanza 1)

Postlude

Anne Cizek

\*Greet One Another \*\* Children age 4 through second grade leave on this hymn

## Evening Worship

Prelude		Kerry Boyce
Welcome and Announcements		
Hymn No. 193	"One Day"	
Opening Prayer		
Offertory Hymn No. 413	"Faith Is the Victory"	
Offertory Prayer		
Evening Praise		Katherine Loden
Scripture	John 5:24-30	
Message	"Are We Listening?"	Rev. Jonathan Dundalow
Hymn of Invitation No. 291	"Beneath the Cross of Jesus"	
Closing Prayer		
Postlude		Anne Cizek

Nursery Schedule	Birth A 11 am	Birth B 11 am	Toddlers 11am	3 Yr Olds 11am	Evening 7 pm
<b>Today April 19</b>	Shawn & Rachel Wynn	Laura Dunn & Becky Thomas	Robert & Kathy Whirley	Jack & Betty Mayes, Rachel Mitchell (floater)	Wally & Dawn Twombly
<b>Wed. April 22</b>	Combined				Gloria Staples & Cindy Dundalow
<b>Sunday April 26</b>	Mark & Julie Tilley	Michelle Stech & Lola Holley	V.J. & Sarah Slade	Richard & Barbara McCoy, Karmin Mitchell (floater)	Trisha & Holly Johnson
<b>Wed. April 29th</b>	Combined				Angie Mullinax & Rachel Wynn

**Deacon of the Week:** Marty Baird

### Church Life for this Week

<b>Sun.</b>	9:45AM	Sunday School
	11:00AM	Morning Worship
	2:45PM	Piano Class
	3:30PM	Beginner's Piano Class
	4:30PM	<i>Cherub Chimes</i>
	5:00PM	<i>Chimes of Glory</i>
		VBS Meeting with "theme" snacks
	5:30PM	<i>Heavenly Ringers</i>
		Youth Sign Language Class - DOULOS
	6:00PM	Adult Sign Choir - "Hearts & Hands of Praise" Youth Bible Study & Fellowship Bible Drill
	7:00PM	Evening Worship-Recognition of Mike Joyce's Retirement to follow the evening service
<b>Mon.</b>	3:30-7:30PM	WHBC-sponsored Blood Drive
<b>Tues.</b>	12:00PM	Super Seniors meet at WHBC
	6:00PM	Adult Choir Practice
	7:00PM	Church Family Ministry – "Orange Team"
<b>Wed.</b>	6:00PM	<i>Sounds of Praise</i>
	7:00PM	Prayer Meeting <i>Missions &amp; Music – Children &amp; Youth</i>
	8:10PM	Adult Choir Practice

### Upcoming Events

<b>April 26-29</b>	12:00PM	Spring Revival with Dr. Jeff Ginn
<b>May 9</b>		Youth Traveling Car Wash
<b>May 10</b>		Mother's Day
<b>May 13</b>	7:00PM	Church Family Business Meeting
<b>May 18</b>	7:00PM	Church Council Meeting

### *Flowers*

*The flowers placed in the sanctuary today are to the glory of God and in honor of Sam Berry given by Pat Kennedy.*

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## **Announcements**

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### **Recognition of Mike Joyce's Retirement, Tonight, Immediately Following the**

**7:00 PM Worship Service.** Please plan to attend the Retirement Party for Mike tonight following the 7:00 PM worship service. Love offerings will be accepted during the morning worship service. Thank you.

**WHBC-Sponsored Blood Drive, Tomorrow, April 20<sup>th</sup>:** Those that would like to sign up for the blood drive please see Mike Joyce or Trisha Johnson. Come anyway if you forgot to sign up! The blood drive runs from 3:30-7:30 PM. Thank you.

**Ruth Class Starting Ongoing Food Pantry:** The Ruth Class is starting an "ongoing" food pantry collecting donations for nonperishable food items to be distributed to the Dinwiddie Food Bank or to help someone who could use some assistance. Boxes will be placed in the Ruth class for your donations. When you go to the store and see a "special", please pick up a can or two extra for our food pantry. Thank you in advance for donating to this worthy cause.

**Boomerang Express – VBS 2009:** G' Day, Mates!! It's that time again, VBS 2009. The theme is "Boomerang Express" and the Bible verse is 1 John 4:9. VBS will take place on June 15<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup>. Please if you would, be in prayer about how you can help and that our VBS will be a huge success this year. VBS always needs lots of volunteers. If you feel led, please contact April Norris. MORE INFORMATION TO COME!

**Note from the Personnel Committee:** The Personnel Committee is accepting applications for the custodian position. Please send your resume to the church office. Applications must be received by April 30<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.

**Note from the Children's Ministry Director:** If you work with the children here at WHBC, we need you to attend our Child Abuse Prevention Class. If it has been awhile since you took it, please take a few moments to come! The dates for the classes are May 17<sup>th</sup> at 5:45 PM and June 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 PM. Thank you!

**Please Provide Newsletter Information by April 22th. Thanks.**

<p><b>Children's Church</b></p>
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<p><b>Today:</b> Richard &amp; Kim Lane &amp; April Norris</p>
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<p><b>April 26:</b> Carol Beasley &amp; April Norris</p>
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<p><b>Children's church is provided for age 4 through second grade!</b></p>
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