



HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Sunday
June 21

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"Dad's really lovin' the pastor's Father's Day sermon on the fifth commandment."

MBC Office Hours
Monday – Friday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Access to sermons and videos/content posted during the week:

YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1mhDC9ucVQCcxKqd2REUJA>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/MacedoniaBaptistChurchEdenton/>

mbcedenton.com/sermons

Feeding Our Future June 17 through August 19



WHAT: Edenton-Chowan Summer Nutrition Program for Children - Food Boxes will include fresh fruits and vegetables, meats, mac and cheese, snacks

WHEN: Every **WEDNESDAY EVENING** drive-thru from 5:30-700pm

WHERE: Edenton-Chowan Food Pantry

ELIGIBILITY: At least **one child** attending an Edenton-Chowan public school

Deacons of the Week:

7th Kevin Goodwin and Matthew Simons

14th Phil Huey and Lloyd Parrish

21st David Earley and Tim Belch

28th Eric Goodwin and Chris Layton

For More Information call: 482-2504



"Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer."

Romans 12:12 ESV

This verse jumped out to me as I have been thinking about patience. That is a word that many of us struggle with. We are seeing patience being tried in all kinds of ways right now in our current situation with COVID-19.

We as believers need to exercise these actions, especially in days like these. Let us rejoice in the hope we have in Jesus alone. That hope is salvation from sin, death, and our brokenness. Let us be patient through this pandemic, and let us be patient with one another. There is much division over the right to way approach this pandemic. May we be examples of grace and patience with one another and with the world around us. They don't need any more yelling and screaming. And finally, may we be constant in prayer. That doesn't mean you are closing your eyes at every moment and praying, but rather, being in constant communication with the Father throughout the day. No need to close your eyes; just talk to God! Prayer is needed for us, the church, to discern God's will and design for us as His people.

We are praying for wisdom for the coming days. I pray that you will also be patient and in prayer for me and for our deacons as we seek how to safely gather again. Keep your eyes on Jesus!

- Pastor Chris

Stay Tuned~ We will announce any news on June services/events after the next assessment by our pastor and deacons. Contact the church office at 252-482-3059 if you'd like to know ways you can get communications from us, other than the newsletter, to receive current updates.

Just a reminder, please don't hesitate to reach out to the pastor, our deacons, or contact the church office if you need anything during this time of social isolation.

Contributions can be made by dropping them by the church office, mailing them in to PO Box 18 Edenton, NC 27932 or giving online through our website mbcedenton.com.



JUNE BIRTHDAYS

MBC Family wishes HAPPY BIRTHDAY to the following who were born in June! 3 Lisa Jones 6 Kristy Manning, Joanie Evans 7 Julie Simons 8 Kaden Coker 9 Helen Overton 11 Chris Goodwin, Jamie Griffin 13 Tommy Venters 14 Austin Bond 15 Mike Jones 17 Donald Wheeler, Beverly Young 19 Riley Gravning 20 Evan Layton 22 Marsha Gregory 23 Cal Goodwin, Ella Layton 24 Joshua Bass (Tom's) 26 Thomas Gregory, Chris Gravning, Joshua Bass (Brad's) 30 Eric Goodwin

CAMP CALE MBC will pay half of the summer camp fee for each camper who is a member, immediate family of a member, or regularly attends MBC. MBC does not pay for the non-refundable deposit or application fee. Anyone planning to attend Camp Cale who wishes to receive half of the fee paid for, needs to contact the church office. The camp schedule and registration applications can be found online at www.campcale.com. You can also contact Camp Cale at 252-264-2513 to see if any scholarship applications are available.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRADUATES!



Jake Bass graduating from John A. Holmes

Ty'Ron Chesson graduating from NEAAAT (Northeast Academy for Aerospace and Advanced Technologies)

For those who'd like to send anything by mail to the graduates, you can contact the church office for mailing addresses.

Whenever we are able to have our regularly scheduled Business Meetings again, there will be financial reports available to the church for each month we have missed. Until then, I wanted to provide a quick summary on how we have been doing with our income from contributions to the general fund during this time: Monthly Budget Goal: \$29,689.01. Actual received: March: \$28,904 (97%) April: \$29,059.70 (98%) May: \$24,411.90 (82%) Total to Annie Armstrong: \$5,989.84

Thank You

We would like to extend a loving "shout-out" and "high-five" to Sophie, Bailey, and Stacey Banks, and Jennifer Ambrose Jordan for the lovely mosaic stained-glass scene they painted on our front door in celebration of the Easter season. Looking at the door, as the afternoon sun burst through, was a moving and inspiring experience. We will be forever grateful for your time, your talents, and your Christian expression of love. **-Larry & Joanne Ambrose**

Thank you for everyone who prayed for Jason/us and for the calls and cards, it was very thoughtful of everyone. His procedure went well. He does not have crohn's disease or colon cancer! A portion of his bowel has proctitis. He is dealing with infection and inflammation but it will be much easier to treat. We are relieved at that news. His biopsy and blood work results were good. He has a follow up in June and we will be discussing with the doctor the best ways to manage it so it does not keep coming back but right now he is feeling great and is able to resume a normal diet. Thank you everyone for your love shown! **-Rachel Gregory**