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From the Pastor

"If each of us is faithful to the grace, which is given us by Christ, that same grace which teaches us how to live will also teach us how to die." These final words of a dying pastor had a great impact on that wonderful hymnwriter, Fanny Crosby. These words prompted her to write at the age of 71 one of my favorite hymns, "Saved By Grace." She called it her "heart song." It becomes a favorite of D.L. Moody and Ira Sankey. As Sankey was on his deathbed, he drifted into a final coma singing these words. Let these words bless you today:

Someday the silver cord will break,
 And I no more as now shall sing;
 But, oh, the joy when I shall wake
 Within the palace of the King!

Refrain:

*And I shall see Him face to face,
 And tell the story—Saved by grace.*

Someday my earthly house will fall;
 I cannot tell how soon 'twill be;
 But this I know—my All in All
 Has now a place in heav'n for me.

Someday, when fades the golden sun
 Beneath the rosy tinted west,
 My blessed Lord will say, "Well done!"
 And I shall enter into rest.

Someday: till then I'll watch and wait,
 My lamp all trimmed and burning bright,
 That when my Savior opes the gate,
 My soul to Him may take its flight.

For Him, Pastor

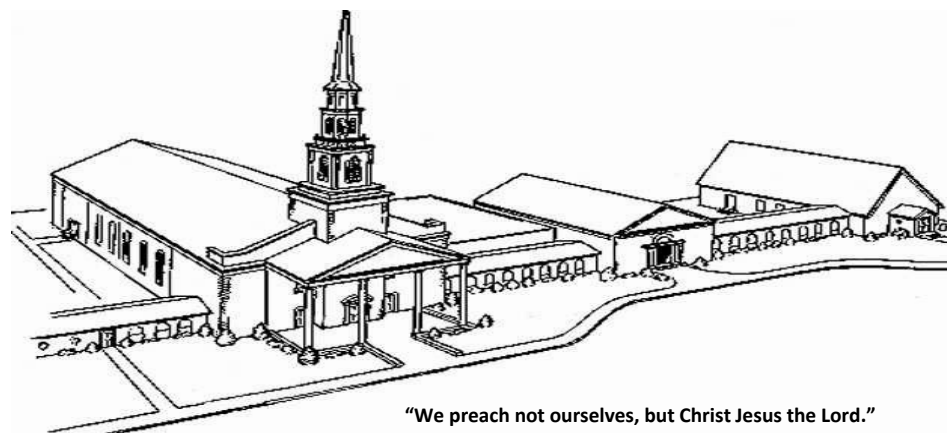
Giving—November 25, 2018

Tithes & Offering.....\$8,647.65	Thomas Hairston Scholarship.....\$50.00
Legacy Offering.....\$72.00	Benevolent.....\$0.00
Missions.....\$1,362.00	New Sound System.....\$88.00
School.....\$105.00	TOTAL.....\$10,859.65
Special Designations.....\$535.00	

As of **November 25, 2018**, the total amount received for the new **Sound System** is **36,891.21**— **\$52,000** is needed.

ARLINGTON BAPTIST CHURCH

"Stand Firm In the Faith"



"We preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord."

Weekly Services

Sunday	10:00 AM	Bible Study for All Ages (various rooms)
	11:00 AM.....	Morning Worship Service
	4:30 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship Service Children's Choir
Tuesday	4:00PM.....	Soul-winning/Visitation
Wednesday	6:00 AM.....	Prayer Time
	6:30 PM	Awana Clubs
	6:30 PM	Faithwerkes (teens)
	7:00 PM	Mid-Week Service
Saturday	9:00 AM	Men 4 Christ Bible Study

Sunday, December 2, 2018

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WELCOME, MEMBERS, FRIENDS, AND VISITORS

We extend a warm Christian greeting to all those with us today. In this church we, unashamedly, proclaim the gospel of Christ, and it is our desire that you would see Him alone glorified as we worship today. We hope you will be blessed here today.

MISSIONARY HIGHLIGHTS

Charles & Nina Hoblitz (crhoblitz@yahoo.com); Russia

We have had such blessings in the last few months that we don't know where to begin to share them.

- ◆ Our church has grown and more workers needed, more funds, and more space to maximize the new opportunities and challenges we have to reach more people to Christ—God answered our prayers and yours for more helpers.
- ◆ Led seven new people to Christ from a country's repressive policies whereas hundreds are fleeing and many are coming to Georgia.
- ◆ We have had two baptisms of new believers from countries that persecute Christians have been among those we baptized. Some are so hungry for intensive study of God's Word we feel compelled to start a mini Bible school for them.
- ◆ A young Canadian who is seeking God's will for his life has also joined our church and is leading some of our staff in evangelistic outreaches to our growing neighborhood and student dorms.
- ◆ We have a huge and urgent need for English Bibles. All of our American visitors brought us English Bibles, but they are already gone! We hope to have another small container shipped to us soon.
- ◆ As a result of the excellent Awana type training our American guests gave us, our Sunday School leaders plan to have a special Awana type children's meeting one Saturday every month besides our regular Sunday School classes each Sunday. Pray for us all to have the wisdom, strength, energy, love, patience, and resources to teach the little children God is giving us.

We love you all and thank you so much for your prayers and support. You all have a vital part in all the good things that are happening here. We could not be here and serve without you. You are our partners, and we are so grateful for you.

For the rest of the story, full copies of the updated letter is available in the church foyer...

PRAYER REQUESTS

Brian Kruchkow—recovering from surgery—doing well... **Helen Wagner**—suffered a stroke—undergoing tests—100 yr. old Aunt of Gary Wagner... ** Continue to keep the following in your daily prayers: **Becky, Sharon Callahan, Carl, Carol, Miriam Cummings, Danny DeHaven, Elizabeth Elkins, Gemma Esaw, Frances Fleming,, Kevin Jerome, Joey, Robert Kelly, Nathan, Howard & Mary Patterson, Randi, Mary Stubbs, Gary Wagner, and Barbara Walger.** ~ I Peter 5:7 ~

MORNING/EVENING SERVICES

11AM—Sermon title: **“The Source of Scripture”**

6PM—**“Shaken By Distraction”** #3 series on the life of Peter entitled, **“When God Shakes You.”**

MID-WEEK SERVICE—7PM

“Uncover and Uphold”. Message #4 entitled, **“Deliberate Defense”**.

THROUGH THE BIBLE IN A YEAR IN CHRONOLOGICAL ARRANGEMENT—READING FOR THIS WEEK:

(Dec 2) ROMANS 9-11; **(3)** 12-16; **(4)** ACTS 20:3-22; **(5)** 23-25; **(6)** 26-28; **(7)** EPH. 1-3; **(8)** 4-6

CHRISTMAS CAROLING 2018

Share the joy of Christmas through singing. If you or your family can sing, or play an instrument, join us **TODAY, from 2-3:30PM** at Ridgeway Manor Nursing and Rehab Center, 5743 Edmondson Avenue, Catonsville and, again, on **Sunday, December 9, from 2-3:30PM** at Glynn Taff Assisted Living, 5841 Edmondson Avenue, Catonsville. The residents and staff will be pleased, and God will bless you as well!

ANNUAL CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING

- ◆ The annual church meeting is scheduled for **Sunday, December 16th**, following the morning service. All members are encouraged to attend.
 - ◆ **Deacon Nominees**—In preparation for our church meeting, all members are requested to elect men of the church for the office of deacons. On **Sunday, December 16th**, the membership of Arlington Baptist Church will be asked to vote to confirm the following men as deacons for 2019: **Peter Allen, Bruce Barber, and Chris Gonc.**
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SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SERVICES

- ◆ **Sunday, December 23rd, at 11AM**—“A Celebration of Christmas”. Great music. Wonderful celebration of His birth.
 - ◆ **Monday, December 24th at 6PM**—A special Christmas Eve service.
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ARLINGTON BAPTIST SCHOOL—HELP NEEDED

- ◆ **BUS DRIVERS:** You **must** have a CDL license to apply for this position. For more information, please call Chad Martin or Johnnie Whitehead at 410.655.9300.
 - ◆ **SUBSTITUTES:** If you are looking for extra income and, most importantly, serving the Lord in ministry; we are looking for substitutes for all grade levels. For more information, please call the School Office at 410.655.9300.
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CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Calling all children ages 4-12 to our Children's Choir program on Sunday nights! Join us as we study the **Sermon on the Mount**, practice Christmas music, and play games. **Upcoming event: December 16th**—Special music for the evening service with a Christmas party to follow.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Weekly, Sun:	Adult Choir Rehearsal; 4:30pm, Children's Choir Rehearsal; 6-7pm
Weekly, Tues:	Church-wide Soul-winning & Visitation; 4:00pm
Weekly, Wed:	Prayer Meeting; 7pm
Weekly, Sat:	Men 4 Christ Bible Study; 9am—10am Current subject: “Identity 101”
Fri, 12/7:	ABS Christmas Concert, 7pm
Sun, 12/9:	Communion
Mon, 12/10:	Helping Up Mission; 8pm
Wed, 12/12:	Awana Clubs—Christmas Party, “Snowman”
Sun, 12/16:	Annual Church Business Meeting
Mon, 12/17:	Helping Up Mission; 7:30pm
Wed, 12/19:	Faithwerkes—Christmas Party No Awana—Christmas Break

NURSERY & CHILDREN

A nursery is available during all church services, located just off the church foyer.

1st SUNDAY (EVEN)

SS: Katrina Kelly
AM: Vanessa Buenger
PM: Kenya Davol
Chapel Lesson: Lajuana Johnson
2-3: Cox
4-5: Jerome
Grades 1-3: Wood
Wednesday: Crystal Martin