

Hilton Christian Church

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Elders on Call For Thursdays and Fridays

June 22-23 Sandy Keatley
June 29-30 Hillary Lane-Ramirez
Deb Whitley

Zoom Prayer Meetings

There WILL NOT be a prayer meeting on June 24 2023 at 11:00 am

Via Internet: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89413454517? pwd=akR1cjJFeG02bE9YeElUd0UzVWNuUT09

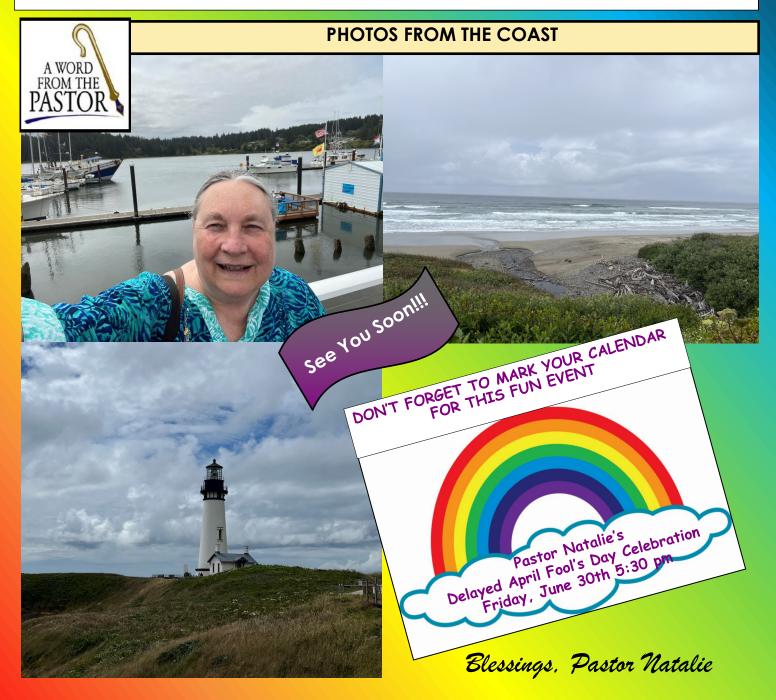
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Regional Minister Bill Spangler-Dunning

Doc Talks "Why and Who We Are"



To Watch the Video, go to: www.ccinva.org/post/why-and-who-we-are

Our Identity

We are Disciples of Christ, a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world.
As part of the one body of Christ, we welcome all to the Lord's Table as God has welcomed us.

Our Vision

To be a faithful, growing church, that demonstrates true community, deep Christian spirituality and a passion for justice.

- *Micah* 6:8

Our Mission

To be and to share the Good News of Jesus Christ, witnessing, loving and serving from our doorsteps "to the ends of the earth."

- Acts 1:8

Our Confession

As members of the Christian Church, We confess that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God, and proclaim him Lord and Savior of the world.

Preamble to The Design of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

This **confession** is the opening paragraph in the Preamble to the <u>Design of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)</u>. It is used by many Disciples congregations in worship as an affirmation of the faith of the church throughout the ages – not as a "test of fellowship," but as a statement of faith that identifies the Disciples' commitment to and place within the universal and ecumenical church. The preamble continues...

As members of the Christian Church,

We confess that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God, and proclaim him Lord and Savior of the world. In Christ's name and by his grace we accept our mission of witness and service to all people. We rejoice in God. maker of heaven and earth, and in God's covenant of love which binds us to God and to one another. Through baptism into Christ we enter into newness of life and are made one with the whole people of God. *In the communion of the Holy Spirit* we are joined together in discipleship and in obedience to Christ. At the Table of the Lord we celebrate with thanksgiving the saving acts and presence of Christ. Within the universal church we receive the gift of ministry and the light of scripture. *In the bonds of Christian faith* we yield ourselves to God that we may serve the One whose kingdom has no end. Blessing, glory, and honor

be to God forever. Amen.



SHRED DAY

Newport News Sheriff Gabe Morgan wants to help you have peace of mind when it comes to the security of your private information and keeping it out of the hands of criminals.

One of the easiest ways to securely destroy sensitive papers is coming to our annual Shred Day.

Shred Day 2023 is June 24 from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Todd Stadium.

This is a drive-through event in the stadium parking lot. You will enter and exit from Warwick Blvd. Volunteers and deputies will direct you to one of three trucks.

PLEASE NOTE: We cannot take plastic bags. Please bring papers in paper bags or boxes. Papers brought in plastic bags will be returned to you since they cannot go in the shredding trucks.

Boxes will be emptied and returned to you, so you will need to wait for them. We ask that you not tape the boxes shut as that slows down the lines.

We stress that this event is NOT for businesses and not for disposal of trash. Your cooperation will help minimize the wait for you and others.

Each year, most households receive or collect papers that contain very private information — documents like bank and credit card statements, pay stubs or a receipt. Throwing these items in the trash is not enough to keep them safe from prying eyes. Once the trash leaves your control, it likely passes through several stages of processing on its way to a landfill or incinerator. Recycling isn't always an effective way to destroy papers that contain your personal information.

Proper Destruction Scheduling

Proper and scheduled destruction of documents and data is an essential and highly responsible practice. There are several good reasons for developing and maintaining personal retention policies:

- Prevents identity theft, dumpster diving, and information-based fraud
- Ensures records are not kept longer than needed, but also not destroyed too soon
- It is easier to manage your records

What documents should I shred?

In general, shred papers that contain:

- Account Numbers
- Credit Card Numbers/ Receipts
- Tax Documents
- Mortgage Documents
- Bank Statements
- Financial Documents
- Insurance Documents
- Pay Stubs
- Medical Records
- Personal Information (Social Security number, PINs, signatures, date of birth, etc.)
- Junk Mail (often contains personal, identifying information)

Remember, you can use your locality's recycling program to get rid of non-confidential papers and magazines on a regular schedule.

About Shred Day

Sheriff Morgan is committed to fighting ID theft. This annual Shred Day destroys your documents to the highest level of security shredding standards. You can be confident that your sensitive information is not exposed, stolen or abused when eliminated through our secure shredding event.

https://nnsheriff.org/community-services/community-programs/shred-day-program/



Liturgy for Worship June 25, 2023 Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship Sandy Keatley

One: Holy One, we come offering thanks and praise.

All: Your word is a lamp unto our feet!

One: Holy One, we come seeking relief from our despair.

All: Your word is a lamp unto our feet!

One: Holy One, we come seeking your will for our lives.

All: Your word is a lamp unto our feet!
One: God, guide our hearts this day and always
All: Your word is a lamp unto our feet! Amen

Congregational Hymn "His Eye Is on the Sparrow"

Pastoral Prayer Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in Heaven, Hallowed be thy name.
Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory,
Forever and ever. Amen.

Anthem Chancel Choir

Scripture Romans 6:1b-11; Matthew 10:24-31
Sermon Grace Abounds

Sandy Keatley
Pastor Natalie

Congregational Hymn "I have Decided to Follow Jesus"

Communion

Invitation

Prayer for Bread and Cup Sandy Keatley

Communion Hymn "Amazing Grace"

Communion Distributed

Words of Institution

Benediction Pastor Natalie

Postlude

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Hilton Christian Church Services Are Livestreamed

If you would like to join Hilton Christian Church, you may speak to the pastor about membership or come forward during the singing of the congregational hymn