



Pantops Beacon

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Mark your Calendar!

Kids Summer Music Camp

July 8-12 in partnership with
Belmont Baptist Church

July Town Hall and Cookout

Wednesday, July 17, 6:00 PM

Bring your favorite dishes to share. The church will provide burgers and dogs. After our cookout fellowship, we will share in a time of updates and discussions about PCC.

Summer Jam Session

Sunday, July 21 after worship

Musicians and music lovers are invited to join us for an informal jam session. Bring your instrument or voice and a bag lunch.

Ice Cream Social

Wednesday, August 7, 6:00 PM

Summer Jam Session

Sunday, August 18 after worship

Camp Young At Heart

August 26-28, 9:00 AM-2:00 PM,
Pantops Community Church

Metanoia Handbell Choir Reunion

September 29
Pantops Community Church

July Meetings

Deacons Meeting

Sunday, July 7 at 9:00 AM

Church Council Meeting

Sunday, July 14 at 12:15 PM

Town Hall Meeting

Wednesday, July 17th at 6:00 PM

Quarterly Business Meeting

Sunday, July 28 at 12:00 PM

Birthdays of the Month

July

- 1st - Betty Payne
- 3rd - Arthur Ankney
- 6th - Beth Tignor
- 8th - Karen Morris
- 12th - Eric Sartain
- 13th - Jeff Cranford
- 15th - Lloyd Jacobs & Bruce Poole
- 17th - Cathy Musselman
- 19th - Joe McDoal
- 23rd - David Brown
- 25th - Juanita Milby
- 26th - Sandy Clark & Trish Rinald
- 27th - Randy Clark
- 31st - Janice McCann



The Church Office will be closed on July 4.
The Beacon will be on vacation next week, July 10.

Attendance on June 30, 2024

Worship - 44	Sunday School - 34
Budget \$ 5,175.00	
Other \$ 85.00	

Financial Summary as of May 31, 2024

Budget to Date	\$ 101,250.00
Actual Expenses to Date	\$ 92,196.00
Actual Giving to Date	\$ 83,135.00
Current Deficit	\$ 9,061.00
Freeman Original Loan	\$ 120,000.00
Remaining Loan Balance	\$ 33,789.55

Loose plate offerings are designated for budgeted expenses. Thank you for your faithful financial support of Pantops.

A Message from our Pastor

While we were in Emerald Isle this week, I took the kayak out in the sound on a windy day. I've got to admit it was a bit spooky. It was my first time kayaking inshore on wind and tide driven waters. I wasn't sure that giving up wasn't a bad idea. I thought about what might happen if the waves got bigger and the kayak got swamped. But later in the week, I tried the same waterway again. I didn't want to go home having not faced my fear. The wind was a little less that time; I was a little braver.

The path of faith we are on here at Pantops Community Church might feel like that first kayaking trip. Our hard-fought efforts to be faithful to our calling and to represent the God we know to the world and one another can be a bit unnerving. Boldness is challenging. It might feel like we are in big, big water in a little boat. That's real, but it also isn't the end of the story. I love that we keep trying, keep learning, taking risks, leaning into hard conversations in love and fellowship.

Galatians 6:9 says, "Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up." There is a harvest of love and peace, justice and hope. Our church is part of it – growing it, living in it, sharing it. So, let's not shy away from doing good. God is in the waves and the wind, and in our little boat making it float!

In Christ,
Matt Roberts

Hymn Sing Ministry

Tuesday, July 16, 2:00 PM
at Rosewood Village, Greenbrier



Men's Breakfast

Thursday, July 18, 9:00 AM
at Tip Top



Christian Concerns

Bill Downer, Ted Harwood, Pete Hildebrand, the family of Carrie Kerwick, Ray Klein, Susan Marinan, Kim Murdock, Cathy Musselman, Frances Parsons, Janice Poindexter, Bruce Poole, Marilyn Randels, Joseph Sesay

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Pantops Community Church
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Sunday, July 7, 2024

Sermon Title: "The Day of the Dog"

Rev. Matt Roberts

Text: Mark 7:24-30

Sunday Morning Worship In Person and
Online at 11:00 AM

July 3, 2024