

STAYCONNECTED

FRIEND DAY

MARCH 25

Invite your friends to church on Friend Day, happening next Sunday, March 25. For children and youth who bring a friend to Sunday evening activities, there will be a special prize.

REVIVAL SERVICES

MARCH 25-28

Revival services start on Friend Day! Join us March 25-28 (see details on front) with evangelist Rick Via. Our youth will share a stick presentation Sunday evening, and our Family & Friends meal will be Wednesday at 5:30 pm. The meal is catered and free of charge. Come hear messages of hope and salvation, participate in praise and worship, and let God work in your heart.

EGG HUNT

SATURDAY, MARCH 31

Our annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held on Saturday, March 31, at 11 am! All children from infants to 5th grade are invited. Lunch will be provided!

EGG STUFFING PARTY

THURSDAY, MARCH 22

Please come this Thursday, March 22, to help us get the candy and eggs ready for the egg hunt. There is lots to do! We need you! Contact: Brenda Bain

SENIOR ADULT TRIP TO MOUNT AIRY, NC

TUESDAY, APRIL 10

All those age 55+ are invited to go with the seniors to Mount Airy, NC on Tuesday, April 10th. Enjoy lunch at The Snappy Lunch Restaurant followed by sightseeing and shopping in Mayberry. Departure time is 8:30 am, return at approximately 5 pm. Van seating is limited to 18. Sign up at the Senior Adult bulletin board. Contact: Shelia Granger (540) 797-0761.

ADS POSTED FOR ASSOCIATE PASTOR OF YOUTH POSITION

The Youth Pastor Search Committee has posted ads in multiple locations for the Associate Pastor of Youth position. We encourage everyone to share this link: <http://villaheights.com/youth-pastor> This page contains job description and instructions to apply. Applications will be accepted through April 15, at which time the committee will meet to discuss received applications.

WORSHIP

Welcome

Worship Through Praise

Same Power

At The Cross (Love Ran Red)

Come Thou Fount, Come, Thou King

Friend Day Minute & Prayer For Revival

(Children in grades 2-5 dismissed to go to Room 207 for Children’s Church.)

Worship Through Giving

Offertory Prayer & Offering

Message: “Transformed by Forgiveness,” 2 Corinthians 7

Invitation

You Are My King (Amazing Love)

Closing Prayer

Closing Chorus *(We invite you to join hands with those around you)*

At The Cross (Love Ran Red)

 Sound enhancing earphones are available for the hearing-impaired.

Audio from this morning’s message will be available on our website. Visit villaheights.com and click on ‘Sermons’ to listen.

HOW DO I JOIN THE VILLA HEIGHTS CHURCH FAMILY?

You can become a member by:

- 1. Accepting Jesus as your Lord and Savior and being baptized, or by*
- 2. Making a statement of faith declaring that you have accepted Christ and have been baptized by immersion in another church.*

At the close of the service, the pastor will extend an invitation to those who want to receive Christ as their Savior, join the VHBC family, or make a spiritual decision in their lives for Christ. Our pastors will stand at the front to assist you. Simply tell them of your decision.

CONNECTIONCARD

SUNDAY, MARCH 18, 2018

WELCOME, GUESTS! We are glad you are here, and we hope you enjoy your visit with us. If you are a first time guest or have not done so before, please complete this card, tear it off, and place it in the offering plate during the worship service.

Mr./Mrs.

Ms./Miss _____ Married Single

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Email _____

Home phone _____

Cell phone _____

Guest for: ___ 1st time ___ 2+ times Service time: ___ 8:30 or ___ 11 am

Please circle the best age range: under 18 18-20 21-30 31-40 41-50 51-60 60+

Names & ages of children living at home: _____

How did you first learn about our church?

Invited by friend/family Name: _____

Church Sign Website Facebook Other _____

I would like information on:

How to become a Christian How to join the church Information about the church

Sunday School Children’s Ministries Youth Ministries

Choir Baptism

SERMONNOTES

“TRANSFORMED BY FORGIVENESS”
II CORINTHIANS 7 | JAKE HUFFMAN

Back story: Paul spent 18 months with the Corinthians on his missionary journey. When he left, false teachers infiltrated the church. When Paul returned and tried to win them back to sound teaching, the false teachers stood up to him and opposed him. The church did not come to Paul’s defense. They rejected him. Paul warned them to come back to the truth and left them to decide what they would do. Later, Timothy visited them and reported back to Paul that they changed their mind and decided to stand with the Apostle Paul and the truth. They repented. When Paul learned this from Timothy he wrote them the letter we call II Corinthians.

Lessons to be learned...

- There are false teachers in the church at large. We have decided to believe the uncompromised Word of God and lead others to follow Jesus faithfully.
 - The Corinthian controversy centered mainly on two essential issues, the validity of other religions (Idolatry) and Sexual Immorality (Incest). It’s the same two issues challenging the church today.
 - There is One Awesome Way of salvation- Jesus.
 - Human sexuality is designed by God to be enjoyed and celebrated in the unity of marriage between husband and wife. Anything else outside of that covenant is immoral.
- Forgive those who reject us. Pray for them and don’t lose confidence in them. V.4
 - Forgiveness is complete when we have the person in our heart. V.2,3
- There are people who God has joined us with to “live and die together”. V.3
Husband and wife, families, children, and brothers and sisters in Christ. V.1
 - I Corinthians 6:11-13

THISWEEK

TODAY, MARCH 18:

- 8:30 am: Worship Service
- 9:50 am: Sunday School
- 11:00 am: Worship Service
- 4:00 pm: Youth Band Practice
 - Safety & Security Team, Room 106
 - Revival Team Meeting, Room 126
- 5:00 pm: Adult Bible Study, Room 124
 - Summit Kids
 - Youth Ministries Teams

TUESDAY, MARCH 20:

- 7:00 am: Men’s Prayer Breakfast, Famous A’s Ladies’ Prayer Group, Sanctuary
- 10:30 am: Staff Meeting
- 6:30 pm: Ladies’ Bible Study, *All Things New* at Dana Huffman’s home

WORSHIPATTENDANCE

1st: 125 2nd: 164 Sunday School: 177

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21:

- 5:00 pm: Drama Ministry Rehearsal, Room 126
- 5:30 pm: Children’s Leadership Team Mtg. Youth Leadership Team Mtg. Youth Volleyball Practice
- 6:30 pm: Prayer Meeting & Bible Study Choir Rehearsal Youth Small Groups GAs, PowerUp & Mission Friends Young Adult Small Group Ladies’ S.W.A.T. Team Men’s Group
- 8:00 pm: Praise Band Rehearsal

THURSDAY, MARCH 22:

- 10:00 am: Egg Stuffing Party, Room 127

SATURDAY, MARCH 24:

- 2:00 pm: Praise Band Rehearsal (Revival Prep)

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Guest Evangelist: Rick Via
March 25-28



Sunday Revival Meetings

8:30 am:	Revival Service, Friend Day
11:00 am:	Revival Service, Friend Day
5:00 pm:	Revival Service (Youth Stick Presentation)
Monday 6:30 pm:	Revival Service
Tuesday 6:30 pm:	Revival Service
Wednesday 5:30 pm:	Family & Friends Meal (catered; no charge)
6:30 pm:	Revival Service

EASTER SUNDAY SCHEDULE | APRIL 1

7:00 am:	Sunrise Service
7:30 am:	Breakfast
8:30 am:	Worship Service
9:50 am:	Sunday School
11:00 am:	Worship Service
	No evening activities.

EGG HUNT
MARCH 31, 11 AM



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