

Neshaminy Valley Baptist Church

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May 31st, 2026 – 10:00 a.m.

“Ambassadors for Christ”

May 31, Sun

Prov 3:7-8

“fear the LORD ... it will be healing to your flesh”

June 1, Mon

2 Cor 6: 11-18

Birthday: Karen Hart

vs 14 is often used as a go-to-verse for discouraging inter-religious marriages. Looking at the context of that verse, we don't have “Marriage” as the context. If so, this warning would cover everything in our social / work / business life.

June 2, Tues

2 Cor 7: 1-7

Pray for God's guidance in the Pastor Search process

vs 1 is a call to holiness – it is our responsibility to cleanse ourselves. When one lives an upright life, one can say ‘I have done no wrong to you, I love you, I am proud of you’. [That doesn't mean that others couldn't be or stay upset with you]

June 3, Wed

2 Cor. 7: 8-16

Birthday: Juliet Morris

[Paul's earlier letter caused people to be upset with him] Paul says he does not regret that it got people upset, because that led to their repentance (vs 9). There are 2 kinds of ‘grief’, or ‘feeling bad’ – the worldly kind that leads to condemnation, the godly kind that leads to repentance (vs 10)

June 4, Thur

2 Cor. 8: 1-7

Pray for the Art & Science Camp

A classic passage on generous giving! Generosity has less to do with whether you are financially poor/rich – it is about the heart, and the willingness to sacrifice. Use this passage as a mirror to see whether you practice biblical giving or are you stuck on an amount or percentage.

June 5, Fri

2 Cor. 8: 8-15

Pray for Shamoir and Alexcia as they seek God's will

Godly giving is based on “what a person has” (vs 12) – God does not expect you to give from what you don't have! Christ is our example for giving – vs 9. Lowering our standards of living, cutting our expenses, etc. so that we can bless others, is a biblical paradigm for imitating Christ ... for generosity.

June 6, Sat

2 Cor. 8: 16-24

Pray for the Pastoral Search Committee as they interview

Paul recommends Titus and a famous “brother”, associates of Paul. Because Paul trusts them, he is encouraging the Corinthian church to trust them too. [Possible take away: the church trusted the Search Committee and the Deacons. Trust them now!]

June 7, Sun

Prov 3: 9-12

2 Cor. 4: 16-6:10

The Wasting Tent – it's Blowing Away!

Intro: *A good grasp of eternity gives us cues to manage life here ...*

1. We are _____ (4:16f)

As much as that would sound disheartening ...

a) “We do not _____” (4:16) – because we are being _____, this is _____, and what lies ahead is _____!

b) “We are of _____” (5: 6) – because our longings are to be with _____ and we _____ by _____; our aim is always to _____. So, we are _____ and _____ in our living.

2. We have a _____ (5: 11f)

“Therefore ...”

a) We have a _____ – to _____ others of the Gospel. What “controls” us is the _____ of _____ (vs 14), and we are _____ about it (vs 13)

b) We see people _____ (5: 16f) – since we are “_____” involved in the “_____ of _____”, we don't treat others “*according to the flesh*” (vs 16) or “*counting their ... against them*” (vs 19)

3. We are _____ (6:1f)

Because we work with _____ and have received his _____ (vs 1), we don't want our conduct to be a ‘_____’ (vs 3, cf. I Cor 8:9). Paul lists in vs 4-9 things we will go through. What's significant is our response: for things that cause sorrow, we _____; when made poor, we are _____; if stripped of everything, we know of God's _____ for us as _____ (cf. Rom 8:19). That is counter-cultural and radical (Matt 5: 38-39)



If you are visiting with us for the first time, we want to warmly welcome you! Please fill out the visitor's card and put it in the offering plate. Thank you!

Pastoral Candidate Visit on June 7th:

- 9-9:50 a.m. Candidate's Testimony
- 10 a.m. Service Candidate Preaches
- 12 – 1:30 p.m. Church Luncheon with Candidate and Wife
- 1:30 p.m. Special Business Mtg

Kindly plan to attend these. Also, feel free to ask questions of the candidate, process, etc from either the *Search Committee* members or the *Deacon Board* – they have all the answers to your questions!

Art & Science Camp - Child Safety Training: TODAY! After church in the trailers. If you work with children at NVBC please plan to attend. Sandwiches will be provided; bring a side to share. After the training we will review Art and Science camp information for those helping. Questions? Ask Julia Browne

This Week

- Sunday 10:00 am WORSHIP
- 12:00 pm Child Safety Training
- 7:00 pm Youth Group
- Tuesday 6:30 & 7:30 pm Karate for Christ
- 7:00 pm Small Group (Corbetts)
- Wednesday 7:00 pm Women's AA mtg

Dates To Remember

- June 22-26th Art & Science Camp
- Sept 20th (Sun) Worship on the Mound
- Nov 14th (Sat) 11:00 am Gratitude Celebration of the Thomas'

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