

Sermon Notes



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Sunday Worship - 8:45 & 10:30 a.m.

Sunday Evening Worship - 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Evening Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Youth Worship - 6:45 p.m. (Youth Ctr.)

October 11, 2026



A Note from Pastor Phillips:

Thank you for coming to worship with us today. If you are a first-time visitor, I would sure like the opportunity to meet you and welcome you personally. Because I believe in a Sovereign God, I don't believe anything happens by chance. I believe you were brought here today for a purpose. I would love to help you discover that purpose, and to see if there is any way we as a church can bless and minister to you and your family. Please stop by the Resource Center after the service so I can shake your hand. I'd sure count it a privilege.

Pastor Harold

BAPTISM: The next baptism is scheduled for Sunday, November 1 during the 10:30 a.m. worship service. If you are interested in getting baptized, please call the church office.

LORD'S SUPPER: The next Lord's Supper is planned for Sunday, November 1 during the 6 p.m. evening service.

SENIOR BREAKFAST FELLOWSHIP (55+)

Our next SENIOR BREAKFAST will be held on Tuesday, October 27, 8:30am in the Youth Center! Join us for a delicious meal and great fellowship!! Please sign up on the sheet in the church lobby! We look forward to seeing YOU!!



SPECIAL MUSIC SCHEDULE (Evening Service)

This week, October 11

Next week, October 18

OPENING: Chris Van Dyke

Elisabeth Patrick

BEFORE

MESSAGE: Ponch Bolado

Larissa Moody

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Last Week's Undesignated Offering	\$29,516.24
Last Month's Average Weekly Undesignated Offering	\$25,079.32

Pleasant View

BAPTIST CHURCH

Thank you for joining us today for worship.
Your presence was a blessing.

If there is any way that our church can assist you or your family, please contact the office at 410-378-4476.

We pray that you have been blessed, and have found that coming to Pleasant View Baptist Church is truly ... *like coming home.*

Free guest WIFI is available to use with Bible apps during the service. Choose "Sanctuary" and use the password 12345678.



**NO FOOD
OR DRINKS
ALLOWED**

PLEASE refrain from bringing food and any drink except water into the sanctuary. Even travel cups with lids can spill, causing stains on the upholstered pews. Thank you.

OFFICE HOURS

The church office is open Monday through Thursday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. It's our privilege to serve our Church family. Thank you!

**Smoke-Free
Environment**

Setting an
example
for the next
generation



Pleasant View Baptist Church is a smoke-free campus. We encourage you to refrain from smoking while on the premises. **If you must smoke while here, please do so in your car.** If you have any questions, please ask one of our Pastors.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18

Baby/Child Dedication - 10:30 a.m.
(Sanctuary)
...

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22

Prayer Shawl Ministry - 6:30 p.m.
(Room 112)
...

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24

Salt Shakers Practice - 9:00 a.m.
(Sanctuary)
...

Living Stones Youth Choir Practice
6:00 p.m. (Sanctuary)
...

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27

Senior Breakfast Fellowship - 8:30 a.m.
(Youth Center)
...

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30

Fall Fest/Picnic - 6:00 p.m.
(Zoe Center)
...

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

Salt Shakers Practice - 9:00 a.m.
(Sanctuary)
...

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Baptism - 10:30 a.m.
(call office if you want to be baptized)
...

SLU Meeting - 12:00 p.m.
(Zoe Event Room)
...

Lord's Supper - 6:00 p.m. (Sanctuary)
...

Deacon Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
(Youth Center)

Women Helping Women

Gather & Grow

"The Vine Life"

Are you looking to create lasting memories/friendships with like minded women? Join us for an evening of connection and encouragement.

Bring a pumpkin to decorate and a pumpkin themed snack to share, sweet or savory, simple or creative.

Tuesday, October 13th @6pm

Scan and follow the link to sign up for October
- sign up is recommended, not required. This
will help us plan crafting supplies and set up.



Harvest Festival

Word Search

DIRECTIONS:
Find and circle the
vocabulary words
in the grid. Look
for them in all
directions including
backwards and
diagonally.

ANNUAL
APPLES
AUTUMN
CELEBRATION
CONTESTS
CORN
CORNUCOPIA
CROPS
FARMER
FEASTING
FESTIVAL
FIELDS
GAMES
HARVEST

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HAYRIDE
LEAVES
MERRIMENT
MUSIC
OCTOBER
PUMPKINS
REGIONAL
SCARECROW
SEPTEMBER
SQUASH

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11

8:45 a.m. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)
9:00 & 10:30 a.m. - Small Group Bible Studies
10:30 a.m. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)
10:30 a.m. - Junior Church (Jr. Church)
4:30 p.m. - Adult Choir (Room 117)
6:00 p.m. - Evening Worship Service (Sanctuary)

MONDAY, OCTOBER 12

8:00 a.m. - Bless Your Heart (Zoe Center)
6:00 p.m. - Michael Bible Institute (Room 112)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13

7:00 a.m. - Morning Prayer (Sanctuary)
1:00 p.m. - Budget Committee Meeting (Room 112)
6:00 p.m. - Admin committee Meeting (Room 112)
6:00 p.m. - GriefShare (Jr. Church)
6:00 p.m. - Women Helping Women (Youth Center)

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14

5:45 p.m. - Living Stones Youth Choir (Sanctuary)
5:45 p.m. - Little Lights (Room 117)
5:45 p.m. - Salt Shakers [warm up at 5:30 p.m.] (Jr. Church)
5:45 p.m. - Men of Berea Bible Study (Coffee Room)
5:45 p.m. - Ladies Bible Study (Zoe Event Room)
6:30 p.m. - Kingdom Kids (Zoe Center)
6:30 p.m. - Youth Service (Youth Center)
7:00 p.m. - Adult Bible Study (Sanctuary)

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15

8:00 a.m. - Bless Your Heart Fitness (Zoe Center)
9:30 a.m. - Homeschool Bible Class (Zoe Event Room)
6:00 p.m. - Youth P&W Practice (Youth Center)
6:30 p.m. - Lego League (Zoe Lobby)
7:00 p.m. - Praise & Worship Practice (Sanctuary)

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16

9:00 a.m. - Rooted Homeschool Co-op (Jr. Church)
7:30 p.m. - Men's Alliance (Cabin)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17

8:00 a.m. - Women's Alliance (Cabin)
9:00 a.m. - Salt Shakers Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
6:00 p.m. - Living Stones Youth Choir Practice (Sanctuary)
6:30 p.m. - The Collective (Zoe Center)

Sat., Nov. 21 8 AM



\$5.00 per round
Shoot a target & compete
for a frozen turkey!

Bring your unloaded shotgun.

Children under 14 require adult present.

12Ga target loads will be provided.

Full chokes permitted .695 diam. (no extra-full or turkey chokes).

Ladies, represent! This is your chance to show the men up!

8AM sign-ups & 9AM shoot



THE COLLECTIVE YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

The Collective Young Adults group will gather in the Zoe Center Saturday, October 17 from 6:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. for a time of fellowship.

Upward Families

Great News - We are back for another season !!! We have been blessed by God again with enough leaders to run Upward again !!! Mark your calendars ... **Open Registration starts at 6am on October 1st at Upward.org.**

As always, we need more coaches. Please email me at risingsunupward@aol.com if you are willing to make sure that as many kids get to play as possible. **Sign up quickly -- we are only opening spots that we have covered with coaches to lead the teams and squads.**

Looking Upward,
Mike Dohler

Fall Church Cleanup!

Join us on November 7th from 8 am til noon and help us trim bushes, power wash, and replace some sidewalk pavers. Coffee and doughnuts will be provided. Bring your work gloves, leaf rakes, and energy! Call Dave Bubb with questions at 410-459-8466.

Launching October 10th

WOMEN'S ALLIANCE
VINE Tribe
EVERY SATURDAY 8:00AM-9:00AM

30 min. rugged outdoor workout

30 min. real-world devotion around the fire

Join the tribe you didn't know you needed!

Pleasant View Baptist Church
150 Downin Lane
Port Deposit, MD 21904

GRIEFSHARE SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

Help for those dealing with grief during the holidays
Tuesday, November 3 @ 6:00 p.m.
in the Jr. Church Area
NO CHARGE!

(materials and refreshments will be provided)

No matter how long it's been since your loved one died, grief can make the holidays a painful time.

But there's hope.

Join us for an encouraging seminar that will help you survive the holidays and discover new reasons to enjoy them again.

REGISTER FOR THIS EVENT

Name: _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____

Phone: _____

No childcare will be available for this event.

SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

DIVORCE CARE

Help and hope as you navigate the season
Monday, November 2 @ 6:00 p.m.
in the Jr. Church Area
NO CHARGE!

(materials and refreshments will be provided)

After separation or divorce, your Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays won't look the same as they used to. Traditions change. Some family members won't be there. Social gatherings can feel stressful. But DivorceCare Surviving the Holidays can help you learn how to:

- Manage difficult emotions
- Survive social events
- Give your kids a good holiday experience
- Find hope for your future

REGISTER FOR THIS EVENT

Name: _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____

Phone: _____

No childcare will be available for this event.

ZOE 333 CHALLENGE

**PVBC -
let's be**

DEBT FREE

As of the end of May, 2026, our Zoe building loan balance was \$264,372. At our current payment rate, our balance at the end of 2026 will be approximately 245,000, and will take another four to five years to pay off. Our "Zoe 333 - Let's Be Debt-Free" challenge is to have 400 individuals pledge \$3.33 per day for six months (July 1 - Dec. 31, 2026), a total of 184 days. At \$3.33 per day for 184 days, the total would be \$612.72 each. Multiply this by 400 people, and it equals \$245,088. We would be paid in full at the start of 2027!

Zoe 333 - LET'S BE DEBT FREE!

Sign up in the lobby at the information desk
to be part of the debt-free challenge.

THIS MONTH DONATIONS RECEIVED: \$10,968

LOAN BALANCE: \$173,523





CHRISTMAS IS COMING !!

The weather is getting cooler, the leaves are changing, and before you know it, the holidays will be here!

We are aware that families may need a helping hand during these difficult financial times.

If your family (or a family you know of who regularly attends our church) is struggling to provide Thanksgiving dinner for their family and/or Christmas dinner and gifts for their children, please contact Amanda in the church office.

The church may be able to help with Thanksgiving and Christmas food baskets, and we have an Angel Tree every year so that the congregation can help ease the burden for parents unable to provide gifts for their children.

THINK AHEAD! The deadline for Thanksgiving AND Christmas help referrals is Sunday, November 1, 2026.

