

STEWARDSHIP

7/19/26 Giving

Weekly Requirement.....	\$13,846
Weekly Receipts.....	\$12,308
Year-to-Date Requirement.....	\$415,380
Year-to-Date Receipts.....	\$442,816
Global Hunger Relief Offering Goal	\$2,500
Global Hunger Relief Offering Receipts.....	\$405

Please remember there are three additional ways to participate in giving.

- Our Church E-Give: you can set up electronic giving through your bank account only (**no credit card**) at www.ctbc.org and follow the E-Give link.
- Mail contributions to the church: 220 Gettysburg Pike, Mechanicsburg, 17055
- Drop off your offering at the church during office hours: Monday-Thursday, 8:30am-4:30pm

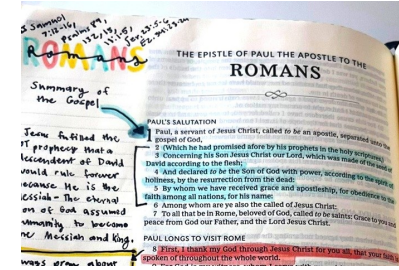
SERMON NOTES



COUNTRY & TOWN BAPTIST CHURCH

LOVING | GROWING | SHARING | SERVING

July 26, 2026



SERMONS

Romans: The Textbook for Kingdom Living

Studying the fundamentals of our faith

Have you ever used the “Romans Road”? Have you ever tried to share your faith with others? Why do we believe what we believe, and what is the “good news” that we profess? Paul uses the book of Romans to lay out some of the fundamentals of Christianity: our sinful nature, God’s love for us, and our way to eternal life with him through believing in Jesus. Get your highlighters ready.

July 26 *Transformed Minds* - Romans 12:1-2
 Aug. 2 *The Lord Is Our Hiding Place* - Psalm 56:3 (KPAC)
 Aug. 9 *The Lord Gives Good Gifts* - Romans 12:3-8
 Aug. 16 *The Marks of a Faithful Witness* - Romans 12:9-21

PASTORAL STAFF

Dr. Todd Jones, *Senior Pastor*
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 Jacob Shetron, *Youth Pastor*
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KIDS PERFORMING ARTS CAMP

THE FRIDAY NIGHT SHOW

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 7:00PM

Come join us on Friday, August 7 at 7:00pm to see the kids perform after a week of music, drama, hard work, laughter, and Bible study that ties it all together!



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

SUNDAYS

9:00am Sunday School (pre-K - grade 5)

10:30am Family worship service in the Worship Center

Nursery (birth - age 4) available at both 9:00 and 10:30



Upcoming Events

July 30

Good and Grounded Playgroup

STUDENT IMPACT (GRADES 6-12)

THE LIFE

Sun, 9:00-10:15am

A morning for learning God's word.



THE HANGOUT

Wed, 6:00-8:00pm

A time to recharge with fellowship.

Upcoming Events

July 13-18, 2027

Crossings at Skycroft (registration now open)

COLLEGE/YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY

SUNDAYS

9:00am College/Young Adults Class (ages 18-30), Room 15 (Lower Level)

Upcoming Events

August 1

Pool Party

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

JULY FOCUS

This month, our collection focus is on **games** like marbles, jacks, and dominoes, as well as coloring books (for 2-4-year-olds), sunglasses, and stuffies. A list of monthly items is available at the OCC table.

Items must be able to fit inside a shoebox (11.5 x 6") and can be dropped off in the bin in the church Concourse. If you don't shop much, consider leaving money in the OCC Lockbox, or write a check to C&T and designate **OCC** in the memo section. Also, check out www.ctbc.org/operation-christmas-child for our online registry.



GLOBAL HUNGER RELIEF OFFERING

Hungry? Our offering emphasis through August is the **Global Hunger Relief Offering**, which is an initiative of the Southern Baptist Convention dedicated to combating hunger and sharing the Bread of Life. 100% of your donations go directly to meeting hunger needs around the world. You can designate the offering on your offering envelopes or pick up a bread bank from the Missions Table in the Concourse, fill it with change, and return it by Sunday, August 29.

The C&T goal for this offering is \$2,500.

CRAFT MINISTRY

SEWING SERVANTS

10:00am 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month, Fellowship Hall

JEWELRY MAKING

10:00am 3rd Tuesday of each month, Fellowship Hall

RESOURCES

- More details of our ministries and our calendar are at www.ctbc.org.
- Assistive listening devices are available at the Welcome Center.
- Videos of sermons are available at www.ctbc.org.
- Complimentary monthly magazines are available at the Resource Center.

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CHURCH-WIDE NEWS

WORSHIP PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE NOMINATIONS

Members of C&T are invited to submit names for consideration to serve on the search committee for a new worship pastor. We are looking for candidates who represent various demographics in the church. Please review the representation guidelines for candidates and fill out a form at the Resource Center in the Concourse. Nominations must be submitted by Sunday, August 9. Questions, contact Clem Miller at 717-524-6767.

DEACON CANDIDATE TESTIMONIES

The deacons are presenting two new deacon candidates to serve a three-year term: Ron Shetron and Mark Williams. You can pick up a brochure that contains their testimonies at the Resource Center in the Concourse. The deacon election will be by paper ballot in August. Only church members may vote.

LORD'S SUPPER - SUNDAY, AUGUST 2

We will be sharing the Lord's Supper next Sunday during worship. All believers are welcome to participate.

YOUNG ADULTS POOL PARTY - SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 3:00-8:00PM

College students and young adults are invited to a cookout/pool party at Sarah Heintzelman's (126 Martel Cir.) on Saturday, August 1. Food and drinks will be provided. Please bring a modest swimsuit and a towel. Contact Sarah at 717-798-7446 or sarahjill@comcast.net to RSVP.

CHURCH-WIDE PICNIC - SATURDAY, AUGUST 22, 12:00-5:00PM

Mark your calendar for Saturday, August 22 for a church-wide picnic! We have reserved the large pavilion at Laurel Lake in Pine Grove Furnace State Park. Hot dogs will be provided. Bring a picnic side to share plus drinks for your family. Contact Katie Niederoest for more info at kniederoest@ctbc.org.

VAN DRIVERS NEEDED FOR MESSIAH STUDENTS

We are looking for volunteers to drive the church van to Messiah University on Sunday mornings to pick up students who wish to attend C&T. No special license is needed; you just need to be between the ages of 25 & 69 with a clean driving record for the last four years. Contact Pastor Jacob at jshetron@ctbc.org for info.

EGG CARTONS FOR GRACE HOUSE MINISTRIES

The Grace House is a ministry of Covenant Community Church in Harrisburg. Pastor Bob Conrad is asking for donations of dozen-size empty egg cartons. The Grace House receives eggs in bulk and needs to distribute them by the dozen. There is a table in the Concourse for your donations. Please, dozen-size cartons only.

CHURCH-WIDE NEWS (CONT.)

A MEAL FOR THE SHETRONS

Please consider signing up to take Pastor Jacob and Kristelle a meal as they are home with baby Eleanor. You can access the meal schedule with the QR code:



THIS WEEK AT C&T

SUNDAY, JULY 26

Adult Life Groups	9:00am	Various Rooms
Children's Sunday School (age 2 - G5)	9:00am	Children's Suite
Student Impact: The Life (G6-12)	9:00am	Youth Suite
Worship Service	10:30am	Worship Center and Livestream*

* Worship service is livestreamed via ctbc.org, YouTube, and C&T Facebook page.

MONDAY, JULY 27

Women on Mission	6:00pm	Room 114
Deacons Meeting	7:00pm	Room 107

TUESDAY, JULY 28

Men's Bible Study	10:00am	via Zoom
AA	7:00pm	Room 107

WEDNESDAY, JULY 29

Prayer Meeting	6:00pm	via Zoom
SI: The Hangout	6:00pm	Youth Suite
Worship Team Rehearsal	6:30pm	Worship Center

THURSDAY, JULY 30

Good and Grounded Playgroup	10:00am	Chapel
AA	7:00pm	Room 107

FRIDAY, JULY 31

SATURDAY, AUG. 1

UA Fire Dept. Chicken BBQ	10:30am	Parking Lot
Young Adults Pool Party	3:00pm	Sarah Heintzelman's