



# CBC Messenger



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Join us online via Facebook, Zoom and YouTube.

Tuesday: 6:30pm Women's Bible Study (Zoom Live)

Wednesday: Noonday Study

Wednesday: Children's Study

Wednesday: 6:30pm Adult Study (Live)

Thursday: Special Needs Study

Thursday: Choir Study

Friday: 7:00pm Adult Study (Facebook Live)

Saturday: 2:00pm Boot Camp Bible Study (Zoom live)

Saturday: 5:00pm Prayer (Facebook live)

Sunday: 9:00am Sunday School (Facebook Live)

10:00am Church Service (Facebook Live)

Toddler Church

## Pastor's Corner-

Maya Angelou once wrote, "Hate, it has caused a lot of problems in the world, but has not solved one yet." Issues of the heart are what drive us as Americans. When love for each other is the driving force, then the best of America is shown to the world. When hate is perpetuated, then America is showing its worst. We celebrate this country's Independence Day with the love of Christ in our hearts.

This month we are also celebrating our Christian Education. We want to thank those who continue to share the Bible with others as well as our teachers- Rev. Kenny Parker with our Thursday Night Choir Bible study, Bro. Jim Kennedy with our Wednesday Noonday Bible Study, Wednesday Children's Bible Study with Sis. Genevieve McDowell, Tuesday night Women's Bible Study "Coffee with Christ" and Thursday Special Needs Bible Study - Sis. Maria Dwyer, Sunday Toddler Church with Sis Diane Edwards, and Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday Bible Study with Pastor Turner. Thank you all for your dedication during these complex times.

At some point, sooner for some than others, our Sunday morning routines will be back to a sense of normalcy. I realize our lives have been interrupted during these times, and that there are those of you who feel anxious about coming to the church. We recently had a surge of new Covid cases in our county. Are you willing to put yourself and other unnecessarily in harm's way? At this time our desire is to keep you safe. We will remain closed and patient during these complex times. God Bless you.  
Pastor H. Lee Turner

***"For I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord."***  
**Romans 8: 38-39 KJV**

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#### Minority Mental Health Awareness Resources

[www.nami.org](http://www.nami.org)

[www.mhnational.org](http://www.mhnational.org)

[www.aha.org](http://www.aha.org)

[www.afsp.org](http://www.afsp.org)

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## VBS and Christian Education Day

Between social distancing, rising cases of COVID-19, and state and county closures, Community Baptist Church doors remain closed. As a result, there will be no Vacation Bible School this year. Please continue to pray for our children and our world. We look forward to next year and to seeing all of you here once again to fellowship and praise God together. Please make sure to tune your kids in to our online Children's Bible Study classes.

As there will also be no Christian Education Day this year, we continue to honor and pray for all our teachers and leaders. We thank you for your service and continue to pray for you and your families. Thank you for participating in and supporting our online ministry. God Bless you.

***"Instruct the wise and they will be wiser still; teach the righteous and they will add to their learning" Proverbs 9:9***

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## Minority Mental Health Awareness Month



Mental health doesn't discriminate based on race, color, gender or identity. Every year millions of Americans face the reality of living with a mental health condition, but background and identity can make access to mental health treatment much more difficult.

Poor mental health care access and quality of care contribute to poor mental health outcomes, including suicide, among racial and ethnic minority populations. In many communities, these problems are increased by less access to care, cultural stigma and lower quality care. The effect of racism and racial trauma on mental health is real and cannot be ignored. America's entire mental health system needs improvement, including when it comes to serving marginalized communities.

Taking on the challenges of mental health conditions, health coverage and the stigma of mental illness requires all of us. In addition to eliminating barriers between mental health professionals and diverse populations, education about mental health treatment and negative stereotypes is also crucial. Learn the facts. Get involved. **#NotAlone #MMHAM #MinorityMentalHealth #ImpactOfTrauma**

***"These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world." John 16:33***