

## SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH OF CHESTER, PA

# MARCH 2023 ANNOUNCEMENTS



### **Adult Virtual Sunday School**

Every Sunday from 8:30am-9:30am meet.google.com/scc-ghrd-cfh

Join by phone: +1 828-705-6092 PIN: 356 398 253#

#### **Intercessory Prayer Call**

Monday - Friday 5:00am meet.google.com/irg-ykcz-cfh

Join by phone: 650.779.0279

PIN: 205.702.116#

#### **SBC Bible Study**

Every Wednesday at 7:00pm Join us in person or virtually

#### YouTube









Send your prayer request to: i.pray@shilohchesterpa.org

How to Join 10:30am Sunday **Worship Service** 



### YouTube



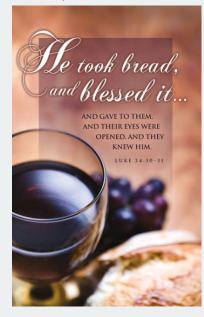
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### Sunday, March 5, 2023



#### 10:30am Sermon & Communion:

During the on-line and conference call, Communion will be addressed and blessed. You are asked to make preparations to have juice/water and cracker/bread available to represent communion.









1st Sunday Drive-by Opportunity Noon - 1 pm

Distribution of Sunday School Books



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From the Pastor's Desk...

## THE "GOOD" IN GOODBYE ...

Trees shed leaves when it's time to change seasons — for self-preservation. In other words, even the tree will shed leaves in order to save its life. But know this, when the tree sheds a leaf, not one leaf that falls to the ground kills the tree. When you let go to live, you preserve God's plan for your life.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*Trees shed leaves; leaves don't shed trees\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Walking in divine truth after a breakup usually requires retraining our emotions to acknowledge, submit to and abide in the word of God. This is not hardly natural for most... it can be downright difficult without embracing the truth and walking in grace. Especially when the emotions we're trying to fight want what we don't need.

You don't have to fake it. Unless you have an iron brain, it takes a minute to recover from a love loss — even when it's the wrong person. But what we have to remember is this: Emotions that can say no to God's plans for our life or tell you to do anything that harms you or your destiny, are destructive — no matter how good they feel (2 Corinthians 10:3-4).

Cry if you have to, and even if you stumble on your way out, stick to God's plan for your life. When we're not walking in our divine truth, every season will look like a lifetime and if we're not careful, we'll exchange the truth for a lie.

When someone is not right for us or not ready for us, God steps in. It might look like a breakup but if God stepped in, it's a divine setup. God lets wrong things fall apart so that He can make right things fall together.

We have to see and acknowledge divine intervention to embrace the God in goodbye, and to ultimately recover from a God intervention. When God intervenes, He trusts you to choose your destiny over your destruction. When you walk with God, sometimes you have to lose to win!

Rev. Marvin E. Barner Jr.





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### MARCH HEALTH INITIATIVES



- National Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month
- National MS Education and Awareness Month



- •National Nutrition Month
- •Hemophilia Awareness Month
- •Brain Injury Awareness Month
- Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month





## **Prayer Request**



Lord,

You are the wind in my sails.

You guide me as I steer and find direction. You give me the strength to keep on going. You watch over me as I navigate stormy seas.

You are the harbour where I stop for rest. You are my encourager when I lose hope. You are the lighthouse that keeps my path safe.

You are with me always. Thank you. Amen.

- **Deaconess Pearline Abner** 3 Rockland Court, Wilmington, DE 19803
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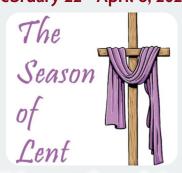
Until further notice, for everyone's protection and safety face masks **are required** to be worn upon entering the building and during all services and meetings at SBC.





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### Lent Season February 22 - April 6, 2023



Lent is a 40 day season of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving that begins on Ash Wednesday and ends at sundown on Holy Thursday. It's a period of preparation to celebrate the Lord's Resurrection at Easter. During Lent, we seek the Lord in prayer by reading Scripture; serving by giving alms; and we practice self-control through fasting. We are called not only to abstain from luxuries during Lent, but to seek a true inner conversion of heart as we seek to follow Christ's will more faithfully.

Turn your clocks one hour ahead before you go to bed Saturday night, March 11th.



Monday, March 13th at 7:00pm



### **Upcoming Meetings/Events**



#### Saturday, March 4th

-Deacon & Deaconess Ministry Meetings at 9:00am Sunday, March 5th



- Communion Sunday

#### Tuesday, March 7th

- SBC Scholarship Ministry Virtual Meeting at 6:30pm\*
  Thursday, March 9th
- SBC Virtual Board of Directors Meeting at 7:00pm Saturday, March 11th & 25th
- Guide Right Meeting in the Gymnasium at 10:00am
  Sunday, March 12th
- Daylight Savings Time Begins

### Monday, March 13th

- Church Business Meeting at 7:00pm

### Thursday, March 16th

- SBC Presidents Council Meeting, 6:30pm at SBC Friday, March 17th
- Senior Ministry Meeting, Noon at SBC

### Monday, March 20th

- SBC Senior Ushers Board Meeting at 6:30pm in SBC Fellowship Hall

### Saturday, March 25th

- Quarterly Intercessory Prayer Session at 7:30am Monday, March 27th
- SBC Trustee Board Virtual Meeting at 6:30pm\*





\*invites will be sent \*\* attire suggested, not required

