

Order of Worship • March 18, 2018

Prelude

Marcia Budnikas, *organist*

Hymn 2: *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

Dan Roper

Welcome and Prayer

Wes White, *Missions Pastor*

Celebration and Worship

Your Grace Is Enough; Give Me Faith

Tommy Vereb, *leader*, and Praise Team

Special Music

Ubi Caritas (Where There Is Charity and Love)

Youth Choir; Norma Champion, *director*

Youth Choral Offertory: *Guide Us, Lord*

Marina Hayes, *cellist*

Scripture Reading: Matthew 19:30-20:16 (p. 825)

Doug Bunn, *Associate Pastor*

Morning Message: *Kingdom Stories – The Workers*

Travis Simone, *Lead Pastor*

Service of Communion

Closing Song: *Blest Be the Tie That Binds*

Benediction

You are invited to meet with members of our Prayer Team at the platform steps following the service.

Sermon Notes _____

Condolences: We would like to extend our prayers and sympathy to the following families:

- the Lumley family on the passing of Jodie’s father, Gary Baker
- the Martens family on the passing of Amber’s husband, Chris Martens

our giving

Highlighted Verse for This Message Series:

The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up. Then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field. **MATTHEW 13:44 (ESV)**



Giving at the Chapel: As an act of worship to our God who gave everything for us, we give back cheerfully to the Lord our tithes and offerings.

- Checks should be made payable to *Williamsburg Community Chapel*. Please use the memo area of your check to indicate designations. All undesigned checks are credited to the General Fund.
- Give one-time or recurring gifts online: wcchapel.org/giving

General Fund Offering Summary 2018 *as of March 11*

	<u>Jan.–Feb.</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>Annual</u>
Budget	\$527,000	\$341,000	\$3,980,000
Actual	<u>\$586,841</u>	\$165,710	\$ 752,551
Variance	\$ 59,841		



Enhancing Trust

For specific information about your individual account, please contact us at 941-1569 or giving@wcchapel.org.

For other information, please contact *Cynthia Gibbs, Finance Director, 941-1567, cgibbs@wcchapel.org.*



KINGDOM STORIES

The kingdom of God is often called an “already-not-yet” kingdom. During the season of Lent we will study the kingdom parables found in the Book of Matthew. These kingdom stories will teach us to live in the tension of the “already-not-yet” kingdom of God.

³⁰ But many who are first will be last, and the last first.

20“For the kingdom of heaven is like a master of a house who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. ² After agreeing with the laborers for a denarius a day, he sent them into his vineyard. ³ And going out about the third hour he saw others standing idle in the marketplace, ⁴ and to them he said, ‘You go into the vineyard too, and whatever is right I will give you.’ ⁵ So they went. Going out again about the sixth hour and the ninth hour, he did the same.

⁶ And about the eleventh hour he went out and found others standing. And he said to them, ‘Why do you stand here idle all day?’ ⁷ They said to him, ‘Because no one has hired us.’ He said to them, ‘You go into the vineyard too.’ ⁸ And when evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his foreman, ‘Call the laborers and pay them their wages, beginning with the last, up to

the first.’ ⁹ And when those hired about the eleventh hour came, each of them received a denarius. ¹⁰ Now when those hired first came, they thought they would receive more, but each of them also received a denarius. ¹¹ And on receiving it they grumbled at the master of the house, ¹² saying, ‘These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.’

¹³ But he replied to one of them, ‘Friend, I am doing you no wrong. Did you not agree with me for a denarius?’ ¹⁴ Take what belongs to you and go. I choose to give to this last worker as I give to you. ¹⁵ Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or do you begrudge my generosity?’ ¹⁶ So the last will be first, and the first last.”

— *Matthew 19:30-20:16 (ESV)*

Our Mission & Vision Williamsburg Community Chapel is an interdenominational family of faith called to make disciples of Jesus Christ by: meeting people where they are on their spiritual journey (🔗 connect), getting people into God's Word and God's Word into people (🌱 grow), and preparing believers for works of service to foster unity and maturity in the Body of Christ (🙋 serve). — MATT. 28:19-20, EPH. 4:12-13



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STARTING POINT

Today (March 18) from 10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m., Room 211

Whether you are looking to get more connected, grow in your faith, serve others, or are interested in membership, please join us! Walk-ins are welcome.

Baptism

If you are interested in being baptized on Sunday, April 8, please email baptism@wcchapel.org by Monday, March 26.



We invite you to our Holy Week Services!

PALM SUNDAY
March 25 at 9 and 11 a.m. in the Worship Room

GOOD FRIDAY
March 30 at 7 p.m. in the Worship Room
Childcare (6 weeks through preschool) will be available.

EASTER SUNDAY
April 1 at 9 a.m. in the Worship Room and
11 a.m. in the Worship Room *and* Student Ministry Worship Room



Easter Lilies

Order a lily for the Worship Room this Easter in memory or in honor of a loved one.

Order at the Spotlight Table in the Main Foyer or online: wcchapel.org/registration.

Children/Youth Choir Rehearsals

K–4th grade: Sundays, beginning tonight (March 18) from 5–6 p.m., Room 211

5th grade and up: Sundays, resuming on March 25 from 6:15–7:15 p.m., Room 211
Contact: *Norma Champion*, mrsc.ecms@cox.net

WOMEN'S MINISTRY Women's Retreat hosted by Young Life

April 6-8, Rockbridge Camp

Join other women who want to experience a weekend away to enjoy fellowship, worship, and teaching by Ellen Vaughn. Contact: *Claire Jacobs*, 876-6806, mrjmcj@cox.net
For registration and cost information, please visit wcchapel.org/womensretreat.

Chapel Family Sundays

On Sundays, March 25, April 1, and April 8, we are inviting all our children and students (K–12th grade) to join us in the main Worship Room. Our hope is that as we worship together, we will more fully express our value for intergenerational worship. Our regular early childhood programming will remain available for children 6 weeks through preschool. Please join us in welcoming our children and students as we sing, pray, and learn together.

Adult Bible Classes

All are welcome!
Sundays, 9:30 a.m., Room 120: *Mini Bible College – A Bible Survey*
Sundays, beginning March 25 at 10:45 a.m., Room 120: *The Will of God in Your Life*



STUDENT MINISTRY

One Life Famine

Friday, March 23 from 6–10 p.m., Student Ministry Worship Room

One Life Famine is a night where we invite all middle and high school students to walk through interactive rooms around the Chapel and learn more about God's love for us all. We also encourage students to fast, both physically and monetarily for our friends in Nicaragua. This is one of our favorite events of the year, and we're hopeful your students will join us! Please contact students@wcchapel.org with any questions about this event.

Summer Mission Trips

All applications are due **today (March 18)** to the SM offices. If you are interested in joining us on any of our high school and middle school mission trips this summer, applications are still available in the Student Ministry offices and online at wcchapel.org/sm! Contact: students@wcchapel.org

GLOBAL MISSIONS: GO, SEND, PRAY

Do you feel led to **GO** on a mission trip? We would love for you to join us on an upcoming mission trip this year! Applications are currently being accepted for the Spain and Nicaragua trips in July.



Spain: July 5-14

Be part of the team to share the Gospel in the Spanish city of Valencia. See how a new church plant is already reaching out to other towns. *Application deadline: This Thursday, March 22*



Nicaragua: July 28- Aug 4

Travel to the north central part of Nicaragua to partner with one of our feeding centers. *Application deadline: Wednesday, March 28*

To learn more about these and other upcoming trips or to fill out a trip application please visit wcchapel.org/global.

If you feel led to **SEND** someone by providing financial assistance to the "Mission Mobilization Fund," please visit wcchapel.org/giving.

Please **PRAY** for the Chapel's mission partners and the work that each team will do on the trips.

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Prayer: Please submit your prayer requests on this form or online at wcchapel.org/prayer. Prayer teams are honored to pray for your requests throughout the week.

NAME

EMAIL/PHONE

This form may be placed in the offering plate or prayer boxes at the Worship Room doors.