



CRADOCK BAPTIST CHURCH

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~ June 2024 Newsletter ~

A Note from Our Pastor:

Hello Cradock Baptist Family:

We live in troubled times and sometimes we wonder if we will ever get a break. I believe we are very close to the end times with all the lawlessness and people never seemingly able to get along. The Lord gave us two verses: Romans 8: 28, and Romans 15:13. Now, Romans 8: 28 says: "We know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose." Now, Romans 15:13 says: "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit."

Now the first verse: 8:28, remind us that not everything that happens to us is good or that the Lord caused it. Many times we are in the wrong place at the right time and we are victims of an evil world. What this verse is saying is that in all things, Our Lord is striving to bring good out of the circumstances we find ourselves in. He does not cause the incident, but He is using the incident to help us grow spiritually and bring good results as a result of the incident. That also should remind us that He knows everything that happens to us and is working to bring good out of bad. He all ready has a plan, all we have to do is trust Him to take care of us and to use us for His glory.

The second verse, 15:13, tells us that in every situation of life there is HOPE, because He is in control and has conquered the world as He is Almighty God. When we place our lives in His hands, He will fill our lives not only with hope but also with joy and peace as we trust in Him to simply take care of us, for all things are possible with Him. He not only wants to fill our lives with joy and peace, but He wants to give to the extent that our lives overflow with His goodness and power to conquer anything we may encounter in this lifetime.

So we stand together realizing that we are never alone and He is in control of every situation, we just have to place our trust in the Lord God Almighty.

We are about to begin work on the steeple, getting it ready to put the new steeple on, but the old base has to come off and support work has to be done to support the new steeple. As I know the sequence, I will keep you informed!

In His Service,
Pastor Dave





*For where your treasure is,
there will your heart be also.*

- Matthew 6:21

Financial Information for January 1 - May 30, 2024:

Church Financials:

Income (tithes and offerings):	\$40,374.50
Expenses (utilities, salaries, et cetera):	\$47,111.92
Net Operating Total:	- \$ 6,737.42
Summary Income exceeded expenses by:	- \$ 6,737.42
Annual Expense Budget:	\$95,726.50
Year to Date Actual Expenses:	\$47,111.92

Church Banking Account Balances:

Checking Account:	\$37,348.51
Certificate of Deposit Value:	\$22,159.52
Capital Campaign Fund:	\$35,208.64

Endowment Fund Balance: \$116,462.75

(Restricted Funds per Cradock Baptist Church's By-laws and Constitution)



Shirley Hartung's New Address

Mrs. Shirley Hartung
The Huntington
11143 Warwick Boulevard, # 210
Newport News, VA 23601

Facility Phone Number: 757-223-0888

DEACONS

Leading through Serving.

A Note from Our Deacons:

Dear Friends,

As always, please let any of the Deacons know how we can assist you. All of our Deacons, consider each member of our Church, to be a part of our family! May God always bless each of us! Wishing everyone a wonderful Holy Week and Easter Season full of blessings from our Lord!

Sincerely,
Vernon Butler,
Chairperson

faith
hope
love

Our Deacons

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CRADOCK BAPTIST CHURCH
PROUDLY PRESENTS



Sunday, June 23, 2024 at 4:00pm

Join us for our feature presentation
of

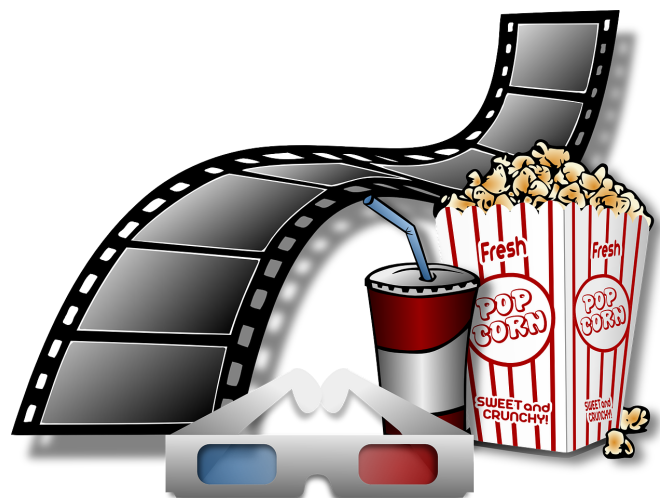


~ Kung Fu Panda 4 ~

Free Popcorn & Juice

Join us for
FUN
&
FELLOWSHIP!

Bring a Friend!





JUNE

7 DeShawna Ward
16 Pat Steverson
25 Betty Large
29 Jessica Vick

JULY

3 Mike Bracy
8 Don Large
8 Gloria Matthews
9 Leroy Hartung, Jr.
11 David Ward
19 Noah Anderson
21 Bill Snell
30 Kenzie Sprayberry
31 Bryant Bracy
31 Tori Spivey

May God bestow special birthday blessings to those celebrating!



JUNE

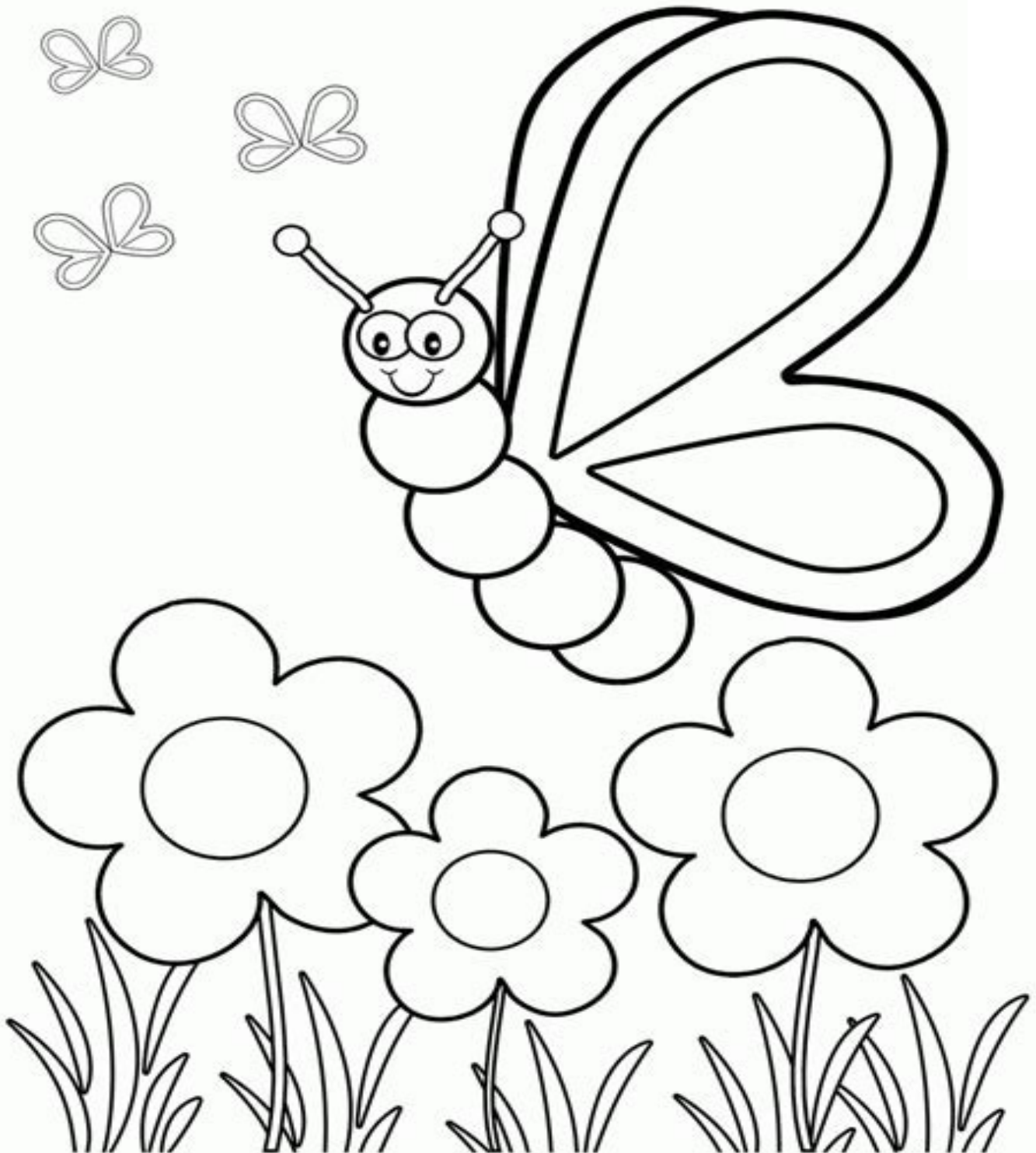
7 Mike & Joan Mercer
21 Randy & Jessica Vick

JULY

20 Daniel & Teena Coronado

*May God bestow special wedding anniversary blessings
upon the couples celebrating!*

*Kid's Coloring
Fun Page...*





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This is the day the Lord has made!
~ Psalm 118:24