

Order of Worship

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Song: #23 Our God, He is Alive

Song: #315 When I Survey the
Wondrous Cross

The Lord’s Supper

Song: #742 When Upon Life’s
Billows

Offering

Song: #794 Unto Thee O Lord

Scripture Reading:
Genesis 1:26-28

Sermon: From Creation to Christ

Song: #903 There is Power in the
Blood

Family Time

Song: #781 Thank You, Lord

Closing Prayer

Please join us for a lite brunch in the fellowship hall immediately after our worship service this morning.

“Are you visiting for the first time today?”

Welcome guest! We’re so glad you’ve come to worship with us this morning. Please help us to get to know you better by filling out the green guest card on the back of the seat in front of you and dropping it in the collection basket. Or, for your convenience, you may scan the QR code and complete the guest card digitally. Thank you for taking the time to attend our service today. We hope to see you again soon!



Scan for Guest Card

Elders
Jim Bishop
Jerry Fields
Keith Bucknam

Email: jcbishopjr1128@yahoo.com

Email: jfields49@aol.com

Email: nvdvr1@gmail.com

Minister
Jacob Brunjes

Email: jbrunjes@williamsburgcoc.org

Phone: 757-253-5662

Secretary
Simona Mack

Email: skmack@williamsburgcoc.org

Phone: 757-253-5662

Hours: Mon - Thu 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

For The Record

Sunday Morning Worship	75	Sunday Morning Bible Study	55
Sunday Afternoon Service	25	Wed. Morning Bible Study	15
Wed. Evening Bible Study	38		

Schedule Of Services

Sunday Morning Worship—9:30 a.m.	Sunday Bible Class—11:00 a.m.
Sunday Afternoon Service—1:30 p.m.	Wed. Morning Bible Study—10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Dinner—6:00 p.m.	Wed. Evening Bible Study—7:00 p.m.

Williamsburg Church of Christ
227 Merrimac Trail, Williamsburg, VA 23185
(757) 253-5662

Find Us Online: www.williamsburgcoc.org



Williamsburg Weekly

Living & Loving Like Jesus

Volume 11 Issue 30

July 26, 2026

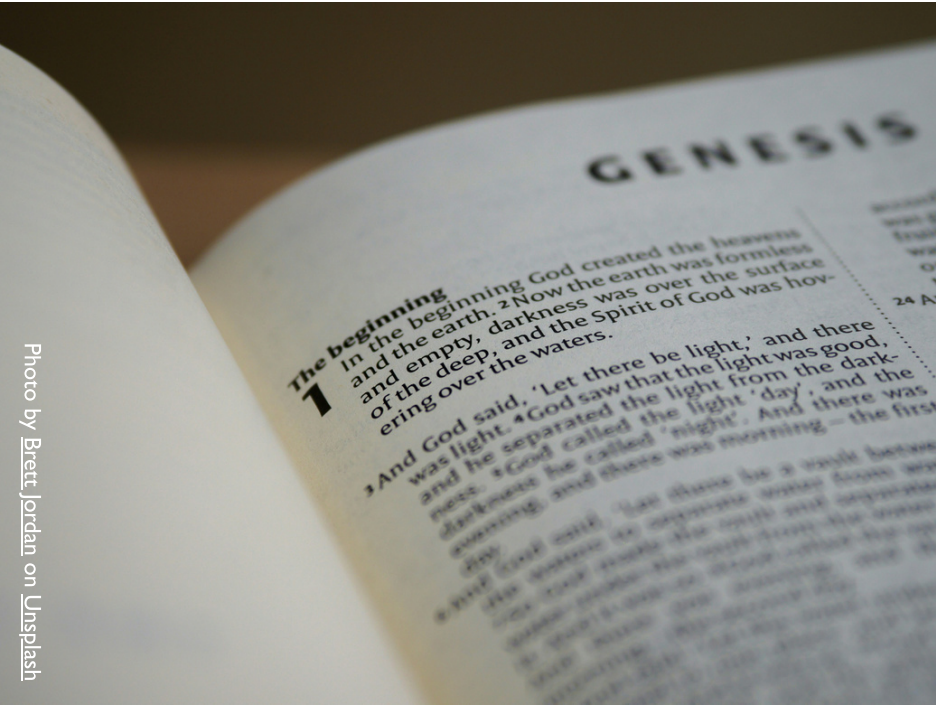


Photo by Brett Jordan on Unsplash

We Welcome You!

We are honored that you chose to visit with us today. We hope that you will stay around a few minutes after our service to become better acquainted. We are eager to know you! We hope you will come to see us as we see ourselves, a group of people who desire to live and love like Jesus.

If you seek meaning and purpose in your life, we invite you to come and join us as we study God’s word, the Bible, and find the true joy and fulfillment that can only be found in Him. Our doors and hearts are open. So, if you’ve been thinking, praying, searching, and hoping for a place to belong, we say again—welcome!

From Creation to Christ

Scripture Text: Genesis 1:26–28

Jacob Brunjes

The Bible tells one great story.

It is the story of God’s purpose to bring His kingdom on earth as it is in heaven. Scripture begins with creation and moves toward new creation. It begins with God forming the heavens and the earth, and it ends with God dwelling with His people in a renewed heaven and earth.

That story begins in Genesis.

“In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth” (Genesis 1:1). Before sin entered the world, before Israel was called, before kings ruled, before prophets spoke, and before Christ came in the flesh, God created with purpose. From the beginning, He knew what He was after. He made the world by His Word, filled it with life, called it good, and ordered it according to His design.

At the center of that created purpose, God placed humanity.

“Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion…” (Genesis 1:26). Male and female were created in the image of God. Humanity was made to belong to God, reflect God, and represent God within His world. We were not created as accidents in a random universe. We were created as image-bearers within God’s good creation.

This is where the kingdom story begins. God’s kingdom is His rule bringing His good purpose into effect. In Genesis, God creates a world under His rule and appoints human beings to represent that rule on earth. Humanity is blessed and commissioned to fill the earth, subdue it, and exercise dominion, not as selfish owners, but as servants of the Creator-King.

From the beginning, God’s purpose was that His will would be done on earth as it is in heaven.

But the story does not stop in Genesis. The image is marred by sin. God’s kingdom purpose is resisted. Humanity rebels against God’s rule, yet God does not abandon His purpose. The rest of Scripture tells the story of God working to restore what was established in the beginning, until that purpose reaches its fulfillment in Jesus Christ.

Christ is the true Image of God, the faithful Human, the last Adam, and the risen King. In Him, God’s original purpose is not abandoned. It is fulfilled. Through Christ, God is bringing creation toward new creation.

So as we begin this journey from Creation to Christ, we begin at the source in Eden. God created. God blessed. God commissioned. And in Christ, God is restoring His kingdom purpose until the whole creation is made new.

Scripture Anchors: Genesis 1; Psalm 8:4–8; Matthew 6:10; Romans 5:12–21; Romans 8:18–25; Colossians 1:15; Hebrews 1:3; 1 Corinthians 15:45–49; 2 Corinthians 5:17; Revelation 21:1–5; Revelation 22:1–5

Church Family News

Weekly Focus on Prayer Zoom Meeting—As a reminder, our weekly Monday prayer meeting will take place on Zoom today. It will begin promptly at 1:30pm. **Zoom Meeting ID: 92168447917 Passcode: 2535662**

FriendSpeak Volunteers—The congregation is considering starting a FriendSpeak program through Let's Start Talking. FriendSpeak volunteers spend an hour per week having conversations with people who want to improve their English, using the Bible as reading material. We want to see how many people may be interested in volunteering with this before potentially hosting a training seminar one Saturday morning. If you're interested or have questions, please see Joe Garcia, Beth Broxton, or Johnny Galloway. Volunteers do not need to speak any language besides English to participate.

Missionaries—News from our missionaries has arrived! Please see it posted on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.



Lightpost® Toolbox



Did you know you can use the **Lightpost®** app to:



Request Prayers
Submit prayer requests directly through the app.



View Church Updates
Stay connected with announcements and important church information.



Record Attendance
Let us know you were here by recording your attendance each service.



Update Your Information
Help us keep contact details current for you and your family.

Happy Birthday

Andrea Boisseau 7/3, Jordyn Gary 7/5, Becky Kempton 7/9, Randy Harris 7/9, Sharon Moss 7/15, Kay Himes 7/17, Billy Kempton 7/17, Eva Jackson 7/17, Tiffany Powers 7/19, Monica Pitre 7/27

Wedding Anniversaries

Jack & Nancy Gilliam 7/1, Jacob & Diana Brunjes 7/17

Prayer Request

Immediate Concerns:
Joyce & Bobby Logan - health
Sharon Moss - health
Jo Ann Knight - return of cancer
Eva Jackson - recovering
Darrel & Debbie Garrett - health
Jo Ann Little - health is improving
Michael Boisseau - health
Catalina LaVerde - recovery
Connie Williamson & Family
Stacy - employment

Long Term Concerns:
Levi Abbott - health
Regina Clark - health
Betty Benson - health
The Boisseau Family - health
M.C. & Juanita Bailey - health
Doug Smith - health
Abbott Family - strength & support
Gordon & Betty Owsley - health
Pat Little - health
Margaret Rose - health
Isaiah Hicks - health
Those who have lost loved ones

Shut-ins:
Regina Clark & Betty Benson

Friends & Family:
Simona Mack's friend, **Sabrina** - health
Karen Kinder's family member, **Matt** - health
Connie Williamson's family member, **Barbara Hawkins** - health
Betty Owsley's sister, **Margaret** - health
Diana Tew's husband **Billie** - health
Peggy Sperduto's Daughter-In-Law - health
Jerry Howell's friends - health & grieving
Cindy Harris' Sister-in-law, Heather- health;
close friend - grieving

Jazmin Frett's great-aunt - cancer
Sharon Moss's sister, **Debbie** - health
Joe Garcia's co-workers - cancer, grieving, health; mother-in-law, **Pat** - health
Tom Little's brother, **Tim** - lung cancer
Nancy Gilliam's daughter, **Amy**- health
Rene Kassing's grandson, **Justin** - cancer
Steve Davis' neighbor, **Billy** - heart surgery
Cara Patrick's friend, **Jacqueline** - health; daughter - grieving
Our Members Who are Traveling RAP & Bag Lunch/Door Knocking Our Missionaries