

# Historic White Marsh Church

November 12, 2023

Shoebox Sunday

Prelude Brenda Hall - Pianist

**Hymn ~ 188 Praise Him, All Ye Little Children**

Welcome and Announcements

**Hymn ~ 209 This Is the Day**

Scripture Reading

Prayer

**Hymn ~ 185 Jesus Loves Me**

Sermon

**Hymn ~ 270 Joy to the World!**

Poem Brenda Hall

**Prayer dedication of our Shoeboxes**

**Transporting the Shoeboxes to trailer: congregation**

**Tithes & Offerings** Please use the wooden offering box or mail your offering to: PO Box 24, Lancaster, VA 22503. Thank you!

**Membership:** If you are interested in becoming a member of Historic White Marsh Church, please talk to Rev. Wes Hall.

**Historic White Marsh Church is an independent, Bible believing, teaching, and Christ-loving Bible Church. We are made up of Christians from diverse backgrounds, who are going to the same place (heaven) because of Jesus Christ our Savior.**

**Shoeboxes:** Waiting for God's full provision of shipping money

November 13 Shoebox drop off 8:45 AM – Need volunteers

November 14 **Board Meeting** Tuesday 1:00 PM

November 19 **Alabaster Grace** will minister to us.

**Thanksgiving Dinner** will follow the worship service

Invite others!

Come and enjoy music, a message, and a meal

November 23 **Thanksgiving Day** – no Bible Study Meeting

December 2 **Decorating for Christmas** Saturday 10:00 AM

December 3 First Sunday in Advent

## Why are We Sending the Word to the World?

1. **Jesus Christ commanded us to do so.** Matthew 28:19, 20  
Why is this a chief reason to reach the world?  
Why should you obey the commands that Christ gave to you?  
Why did God reach out to you? John 3:16 & Romans 5:8
2. **The Word is extremely valuable and needed.** Psalm 19:9-11  
Why should God's Word be more desired than gold?  
What kind of reward is there in obeying God's Word?
3. **The Word leads people to salvation.** 1 Peter 1:23  
How is the Word involved with our salvation?  
What does Romans 10:17 say about the importance of the Word of God?
4. **God's Word will bring joy to the world.** Luke 2:8-11; Jer. 15:16  
Who were given the "Good tidings of great joy?"  
What was that Good News about? Luke 2:11  
How does God's Word bring you joy?
5. **God's Word will accomplish His purposes in the hearers.**  
*So is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it." Isa. 55:11*

Our shoeboxes will get the Good News to many in the world. We want to show the love of Christ by sending the boxes and to provide for their physical and spiritual needs. We want them to know Jesus like we do. There will be reward for us and for those to whom the boxes go. The lives of hundreds will be changed because of what we are doing today.

Thank you for your great efforts in making this day possible. "Glory to God in the highest."

Wes Hall

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**Sunday Worship: 11:00 AM ~ Thursday Bible Study: 6:00 PM**