

NEW YEAR'S DAY

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REACHING OUT

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NATIONS



R*eaching Out* is our 2012 ministry theme. In the last days of Jesus' life on earth, He made it clear that He had a mission for His disciples. They were to "go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you" (Matthew 28:19-20). Often we can think that the goal is to get the world to come to church. Instead, Jesus' intention is for His Church—the Body of Christ—to go to the world, and to serve our local and global communities in His name.

In Scripture, the book of Acts reveals that a *growing* church is a *going* church. On Sundays in 2012, we will study Acts together to grasp God's strategy for reaching out to our community, our nation, and the world. As a church family, we will apply what we learn by serving our community together in unprecedented ways. We will invite the community to come Encounter Jesus with us through the *Love & Respect Marriage Conference* (LIVE! Feb. 24-25), and to Exercise our faith as we go out into our community with the love of Jesus through *Serve the City* (April 21). Throughout the year, we will reach out through Small Group projects and creative personal expressions of love.

In 2012, we pray that God will renew our passion to be a church that "exists for the benefit of its non-members." Our Sunday morning worship experiences *within* our church walls will be preparation for reaching *beyond* those same walls to serve our local and global communities in Jesus' name. The Church is on the move; it's time to GO!

Worship Through Praise

Organ Prelude	<i>A Mighty Fortress is Our God</i>	Ted Cornell <i>Minister of Worship</i>
* New Year's Hymn 567	<i>Another Year is Dawning</i>	Vance Stallings
Welcome		Travis Simone <i>Associate Pastor</i>
Morning Prayer		Bob Pfeifer <i>Elder</i>
* Celebration and Worship	<i>Today You are My Treasure I Lift Your Name</i>	Peter & Marcia Budnikas, and Doug De Berry

Worship Through Giving

Offertory	Variations on <i>Greensleeves</i> Doug De Berry, <i>guitarist</i>
* New Year's Hymn 568	<i>God of the Ages</i>

Worship Through God's Word

* Scripture Lesson	Matthew 28:16-20 (page 989)	Wilson Sims <i>Pastoral Intern</i>
Morning Message	Reaching Out: <i>Truths In Tension</i>	Jon Ritner <i>Associate Pastor</i>
Service of Communion		
* Closing Hymn	<i>Amazing Grace</i>	
* Benediction		
* Congregation Standing		

Senior Pastor, Bill Warrick, is officiating the wedding of Peter Acker, a former member of his college Bible study group, in Memphis.

We extend our sympathy and prayers to **Ralph & Laura Urch** and their whole family, following the passing of Ralph's Dad, **Ralph G. Urch**.

Guests • Please take a moment to fill out the Guest Register as it is passed down your aisle, and stop by the Newcomer's Corner in the Central Foyer after the service. Members of our Welcome Team are available in the Newcomer's Corner and at Information Central to answer your questions about the Chapel and how to get connected.

Prayer • After the service, members of the **Prayer Team** are available for prayer at the front of the Worship Room. If we can pray for you or for a specific need during the week, please let the Chapel Prayer Chain know by calling 229-7152 or by completing the prayer submission form online: www.wcchapel.org/prayer

LOVE & RESPECT

LIVE Marriage Conference
Friday evening, Feb. 24 and
Saturday morning, Feb. 25 until 12:45 p.m.

The Chapel will host a *live* Love & Respect Conference featuring Dr. Emerson & Sarah Eggerichs. Dr. Eggerichs is an internationally-known public speaker on the topic of male-female relationships. He is the founder and president of Love & Respect Ministries, and Sarah serves as Vice President.

For more information visit: www.loveandrespect.com
Register online: www.wcchapel.org/loveandrespect

IMPORTANT! For L&R Conference Participants Who Call the Chapel Home: Consider participating via live simulcast in the Student Ministries' Worship Room. This will provide a seat for a community guest in the main Worship Room. We need 700 people from the Chapel family to make this commitment. This is a very practical, but meaningful way to engage in Jesus' mission to grow His community! For planning purposes, we need to know if you will be counted among the 700. *Please contact Jon Ritner, Associate Pastor: jnr@wcchapel.org.*

“Women need **LOVE**, Men need **RESPECT**.
It's as Simple and as Complicated as that.”

SERVE THE CITY: Williamsburg

Saturday, April 21, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

In our year of renewing our focus on *Reaching Out*, the entire Chapel family is invited and encouraged to participate in a day of serving our community. Small Groups, students, families, individuals — we will spread out all over Greater Williamsburg to serve organizations and families in need. Plan to be part of this exciting day as, together, we Exercise our faith by “being Jesus with skin on” in our community.

STUDENT MINISTRIES' BAPTISMS OR RE-AFFIRMATION INFANT BAPTISM

The following students will go public with their faith in Christ today during the Student Ministries' service through baptism.

*Jackson Robertson
Erin Bruce
Kristina Driskill (reaffirmation)*

The Winter 2012 Ministry Guide

The *Winter 2012 Ministry Guide* contains information on all the ministries and events at the Chapel from January -March. Look for it on Sunday, January 8, 2012!

For Sunday audio, the Weekly, online registration, detailed calendar, ministry info, upcoming events, and much more, visit: www.wcchapel.org

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Our Mission & Vision

Matt. 28:19-20, Eph. 4:12-13

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,
- getting people into God's Word and God's Word into people,
- and preparing believers for works of service to foster unity and maturity in the Body of Christ.

Pastors & Staff (Partial List)

Bill Warrick *Senior Pastor*

Rob Campbell *Executive of Administration*

Jon Ritner *Associate Pastor*

Travis Simone *Associate Pastor*

Arlene Vander Loon *Minister of Education*

Pat Cummings *Minister of Community*

Ted Cornell *Minister of Worship*

Faith Halverson Olson *Director of Missions*

John Green *Director of Congregational Care*

Dick Woodward *Pastor Emeritus*

Elders

Steve Barrs

Fred Nice

John Paine

Glenn Palmer

Bob Pfeifer

Dan Roper

Dave Rudy *Chairman*

Steve Stafford

Mike Stump

Bill Warrick *Teaching Elder*

To learn more about the Chapel, the pastors, and the staff, visit: www.wcchapel.org/about



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