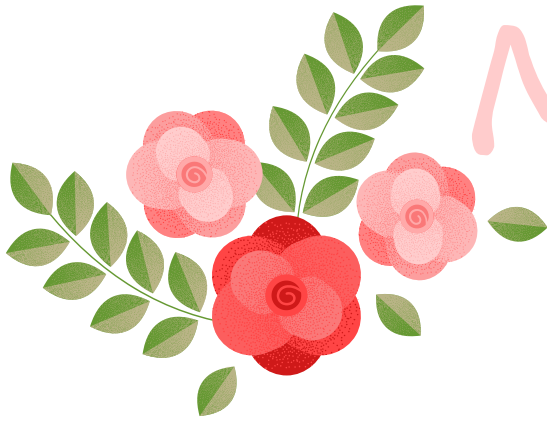


The Newsletter of Mitchells Presbyterian Church



MAY 2026

INSIGHTS

SUNDAY SCHOOL

All are welcome to attend Sunday mornings at 9:45!
Adults meet in the large classroom near the choir room.. Children have several rooms in which to meet depending on the age group. Nursery is also available if needed for the younger guests.



MORNING WORSHIP 11:00AM
SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:45-10:30AM
CHOIR {WEDNESDAY} 7:30PM
GOOD TIMERS {4th Thursday-Variou Locations} NOON
CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP
{ 2nd Tuesday-Variou Locations }.....6:00PM
PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN { 2nd Sunday }..... Following Worship
SESSION { 1st Sunday/Each Odd Month }..... Following Worship

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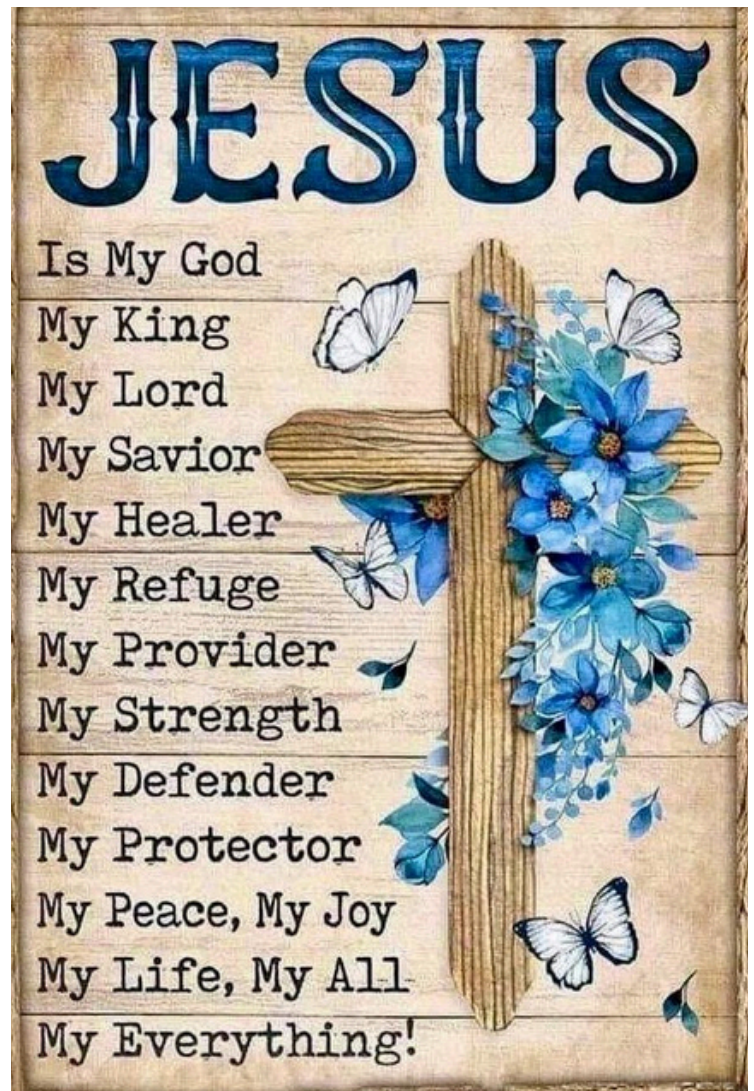
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Anniversaries & Birthdays

We want to make sure we're celebrating all our loved ones milestones on the monthly calendar. To ensure we have these important dates, please let us know if there are any additions or changes.

Organ Concert @ Mitchell's Presbyterian Church

Saturday, May 30th @ 4:00pm



Daniel Grotz, Organist

Daniel lives and works in Cincinnati, Ohio. He grew up in Culpeper, Virginia, and attended Mitchell's Presbyterian Church. He was first inspired to become an organist during his undergraduate studies at the University of Virginia. He has since completed his master's degree in Organ Performance with Professor Michael Unger at the Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music. He is now pursuing his doctorate in Organ Performance at the same, and he serves as the graduate assistant for the organ program. In 2025, The Diapason named him one of the '20 under 30', an honor the magazine gives every other year to twenty rising talents in organ or harpsichord performance.

Daniel's original composition, "Through the Red Sea Brought at Last", received 2nd place this year in the Palm Beach AGO competition for new organ music. He will be playing this piece in concert for the first time at Mitchell's.

Please invite your friends in the community to join us for this special free concert.

MUSIC NOTES FROM MARY SCOTT



Culpeper Live 2026 (formerly Culpeper Concert Series) is a series of performances that now require a ticket for admittance at Culpeper Baptist Church. To see the schedule and purchase tickets go to: https://culpeperbaptist.org/concert-series/

Concerts scheduled: Sat. May 2nd 6:30 p.m. The Raleigh Ringers (handbell choir) Sun. May 3rd 4:00 p.m. Virginia State University Concert Choir

At Mitchells Presbyterian Church Sat. May 30 th 4:00 p.m. Daniel Grotz, Organist

9 Good Ways to Produce a Great Crop

- 1. Plant seeds of love. 2. Plant seeds of joy. 3. Plant seeds of peace. 4. Plant seeds of patience. 5. Plant seeds of kindness. 6. Plant seeds of goodness. 7. Plant seeds of faithfulness. 8. Plant seeds of gentleness. 9. Plant seeds of self-control.



CAR SHOW POTLUCK

(and PLANNING)

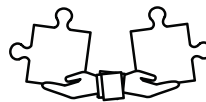
~ Tuesday May 12th, @ 6:30 ~

Bring a dish to share as we plan for the upcoming event.

ALL ARE WELCOME

PUZZLE & BOOK EXCHANGE

THE COLLECTION SHELF IS IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL FOR ANY PUZZLES OR BOOKS THAT YOU'RE WILLING TO BRING TO SHARE WITH OTHERS. FEEL FREE TO BROWSE THE ITEMS AND TAKE A DIFFERENT ONE TO READ/COMPLETE.



Puzzle in progress:

If you want to help build the 'Mitchells Church' puzzle, it's on display in the fellowship hall. This puzzle was made several years ago for the teen youth group, started but never finished. Now is the time to help complete the beautiful church photo puzzle.

Listening Assistant Devices Available for those who would like to control the volume of worship. Folks are encouraged to bring their own headphones that plug into an AUX outlet. If you need assistance with devices, ask an usher to help.



Did you know..... the monthly newsletter isn't just for committee news? We want to share your favorite verse, quote, joys, shout-outs, announcements, community news, etc email to: mskaffy2@gmail.com



Free Community Shredding Day

Did you know?

• Americans throw away enough office paper every year to

build a 12-foot-high wall from Seattle to New York

• Recycling 2,000 lbs. of paper can save 17 trees

• The typical American uses an average of 700 pounds of paper each year

We care about the environment, so please join us!

**SUNDAY,
MAY 3**

1PM-3PM

REMAX Gateway

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(Follow directional signs!)



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Heather (Massey) Grochowshi is a member of The Eastern Panhandle Community Band (EPCB) and wanted to share some of their upcoming events. She has been involved with the band since they originated and is happy to be part of the community by participating with the individuals that come together to share their musical talents.

The band began in July 2024 with just seven members who missed the camaraderie and creativity of playing in an ensemble. What started as a small group has quickly grown into a full community ensemble, performing for local festivals, fundraisers, and holiday celebrations. The EPCB is an ensemble of musicians from across West Virginia's Eastern Panhandle and beyond. We believe that music is for everyone – whether you last played last week or last decade. Our band family welcomes all skill levels to rehearse, perform, and celebrate the joy of live music together.

Eastern Panhandle Community Band | A 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. All donation and sponsorship receipts are provided for all contributions and may be used for tax purposes as allowed by law.

We're so excited to share that the Eastern Panhandle Community Band will be performing at the Inaugural West Virginia Community Band Festival on May 2nd in Buckhannon, WV!

This is such a special opportunity for us to be part of a full day celebrating community bands from across the state and bringing music, connection, and a whole lot of heart to the mountains.

We're honored to represent our community and can't wait to share the stage with so many incredible musicians.

Sounds of the American Landscape takes you on a journey through the American experience, from the open frontier and timeless melodies to the energy of jazz and the pride of patriotic favorites. Each piece reflects a different part of our shared story and the music that connects us all.

As we share this program, we also celebrate the 250th anniversary of our nation, honoring the people, history, and traditions that continue to shape who we are.

Admission is free and open to all.

MAY 2026

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3 Lynn Craycraft	4 Stephen Grotz	5	6	7	8	9
10	11 Marty Stuart	12	13	14	15	16
17 Jonathan & Tabbitha Weaver	18	19	20	21 Steve & Kim Hicks	22	23
24	25	26	27 Tom & Denita Cuccherini	28	29	30 Daniel Grotz Graeme & Vicky Tidman
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HOLIDAYS AND OBSERVANCES: 5: CINCO DE MAYO
 10: MOTHER'S DAY
 25: MEMORIAL DAY

NOTES

TOP PRIORITIES

TO DO LIST

Mitchells Presbyterian Church

3rd Annual

CAR SHOW



SATURDAY *SEPTEMBER 12th, 2026*

(RAIN DATE SATURDAY SEPT. 19TH, 2026)

10AM-3PM

REGISTRATION

\$20



TROPHIES

MUSIC

CONSESSIONS

RAFFLE TABLE (TICKETS \$1 EACH)

50/50

CORN HOLE GAMES

PROCEEDS BENEFIT MITCHELLS PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONS IN THE COMMUNITY

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