

Victory Baptist Church of Maple Grove

Thanks be to God, which giveth us the Victory! Through our Lord Jesus Christi

Pastor Aaron Braaten

July 25, 2021

SONG OF THE MONTH: *"I Sing the Mighty Power of God"* ~Hymnal 479

MESSAGE: Pastor Braaten *"Dependence for Deliverance"* ~~Psalm 144

IF YOU'RE OUR GUEST TODAY: Thank you for coming. We appreciate so much that you have chosen to spend your Sunday worshipping the Lord with us! You are welcome here! When you get your Welcome Packet, please kindly fill out the *"We're Glad You're Here!"* card and place it in the offering plate as a record of your visit. Make yourself at home, and we would love to see you again next week!



JR. CHURCH: Is held downstairs during the regular worship service. At the end of the offering, all children meet in the foyer to go downstairs to Jr. Church which is led by Jerry Carlson.

Faith Promise:

WORSHIP SERVICE INVITATION: At the end of the service, we extend an invitation to come to accept Christ as Savior, join this local church, or pray for personal needs. *"The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart, and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit."*

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SERVICE TIMES AT VBC

- SUN. 10:00a • Adult Auditorium Class
 • Downstairs Classes: + Elementary,
 +Girls' Teen Class-Genesis, +Ladies' Class
- * 11:00a • Morning Worship Service
 • Jr. Church-downstairs fellowship hall
- 6:00p • Welcome to Victory Class
- WED. 6:30/7:00p Refreshments/Bible Study & Prayer
 *Nursery to Age 4 is available at the bottom of the stairway

COMING UP!

|Today after Worship|Quarterly Meeting & Lunch

NURSERY WORKERS

	Today:	Next Week:
Nursery—AM Service	Daphne	Kathryne

OUR PRAYER LIST-MAKE SURE TO PRAY FOR THESE

Ariel W.'s Grandpa-Praise! Gwen N.-severe pain
 Patti C.-rehab Teri H.-rehab
 D'Vid S.-diabetes Bob H.-health/breathing
 Ariel W.-upcoming surgeries Eldy W.-health

For the Spiritual Life of the Nation-for outpouring of the Holy Spirit
 upon the nation, bring revival into every city, town and into every church
 That Victory Baptist Church will be a lighthouse in our community

SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE



On Independence Day, as Americans celebrate their freedom with parades, parties and fireworks, we should pause to honor and remember the many "Founding Fathers" (and mothers) who made it possible. We all know the stories of the most famous

leaders of that momentous era - Washington, Jefferson, Franklin, and John/Abigail Adams will be remembered for time immemorial. Yet the 56 men who signed the Declaration of Independence in the summer of 1776 could not have known just how successful their effort would be.

Rather, all they knew was that they had committed High Treason against Great Britain and their sovereign, King George the 3rd, by signing their name to a document that renounced their allegiance to their mother country. "We mutually pledge to each other our lives, our fortunes, and our sacred honor" is Jefferson's final sentence. 9 signers paid the ultimate sacrifice - their lives - for the cause of Independence. 17 (almost 1 for every 3 who signed) lost every penny they had and every piece of property they owned. Yet not a single one reneged on their pledge to stand "for the support of this Declaration."