



# GROVER PARK

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- \* Calendar of Events
- \* Birthdays
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## Worship Schedule

Bible Study  
7:45, 9:00  
& 10:30 a.m.

Worship Services  
9:00 & 10:30 a.m.

August Greetings,

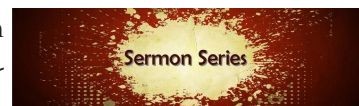


**July has been an extraordinary month** as we averaged right at **420** worshippers every Sunday and had three join the church and one for baptism. July was a busy month with Freedom Spectacular, Vacation Bible School, SLAM Weekend, and the High School mission trip to Saint Louis. There is nothing like a Fifth Sunday Service and home-made ice cream fellowship to top off the month of a hot July. In July we finished up the first half of our series through the **Book of Revelation**, and we will be kicking off the second half of this incredible book in August. Some of the themes that we will be looking at will include: The Tribulation Temple, Armageddon, The Binding of Satan, The Fall of Babylon, The Great White Throne Judgment, The Coming of the King, The Marriage of the Lamb, The New Heaven and New Earth, and The River of Life.

**School Starts Back:** We will be moving into August with a lot of youthful energy as we think about our college student students starting back on August 14th, Johnson County Christian Academy on the 21st and Warrensburg schools on August 23rd. That means that the Journey will be having its Annual Float Trip on August 4-5th, our children will be advancing into their new Sunday School classes on Sunday, August 6th, and Memory Monday will be kicking off on August 28th. Wow!!!

**Wednesday Nights:** One of the exciting things about August is that we will be starting our Wednesday night dinners and Bible Studies this week on August 2nd at 5:30 and 6:15 p.m., respectively. Call now to get on the permanent reservation list if you wish to do so. Either way, we need your reservation. The suppers are \$5.00 per adults, \$2.50 for youth, and children under 5 years of age or less are free. There is also a maximum charge for families of \$12.00. Wednesday Night Live (WNL) will begin at 6:15 p.m. in the Children's Center. The youth will be continuing their Word on the Water which meets in August from 6:00 - 8:00pm. Nursery is also provided in the extended foyer of the Worship Center.

**New Series On Prayer:** As we kick off our fall season on Wednesday nights, I will be starting up a new se-



ries of Bible Studies entitled, “**The Joy of Talking Daily With God.**” In this new Bible Study we will be learning and experiencing the joy of expanding our daily conversations with God. We will see the difference between dutiful prayer and the sweet joy of daily communion with our Heavenly Father. You will find this time together in God’s Word revolutionary in your discovery of experiencing God in your daily walk with Him. We have many meaningful conversations in the normal course of a given day. We love to use social media to help us keep in touch with our friends and family. Well, here is your opportunity to befriend God afresh and anew in daily conversational prayer as you learn the joy of talking to God. Come join us on Wednesday nights at 6:15 p.m. beginning in August.

**Special Called Business Meeting:** Speaking of Wednesday nights, there will be a special called business



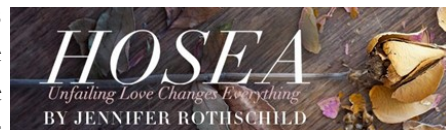
meeting on Wednesday night, August 9th, at 6:30 p.m. in the Worship Center following the Wednesday night supper. The purpose of the meeting is to vote on a proposal from the Bus Committee to purchase a new 25 passenger Ford E-450/Impulse 2017 bus. The recommendation comes after the discovery that our present bus has been declared unsafe and not cost effective to repair. The new bus is a little bit larger than our previous bus in that it contains a rear luggage compartment and is a heavier duty

and a higher grade of vehicle. It will come with rear backup camera and lettering with our name and logo. In consultation with the Finance Committee and the Board of Directors, the new bus will be purchased from Master’s Transportation in Belton, MO for a cost of \$69,900.00 and will be paid for in cash out of the general fund and budget of the church. We plan to have the bus here the night of August 9th for everyone to see, and possibly the Sunday prior to that.

**Men’s Ministry/Biblical Manhood Conference** will be on August 19th this summer for which our men will be going to Frederick Boulevard Baptist Church in St Joseph, Missouri, to attend a conference entitled: “*Our High Calling: Biblical Manhood in the Home, Church, and World.*” The cost is only \$15.00 per person with lunch provided. We will leave the church at 5:30 a.m. and return by 5:00 p.m. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer. Contact Steve Fox or Brent Bullard for more information.



Our **Women’s Ministry** is on the move. Our ladies have been thoroughly enjoying the new series that Emily Livingston is leading on Tuesdays entitled, “Breathe”, by Priscilla Shirer. They meet at both 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Our **Annual Women’s Retreat** is coming up on September 8-10th. The study is from the Book of Hosea. The ladies will be following a Video Series led by Jennifer Rothchild. The retreat will take place at the Lifechange Camp in Clinton, MO. The cost is \$107.00. Call the church office or Debbie Weigand for more information. Scholarships are available.



Blessings,

Pastor Randy

The 10:30am Worship Service on the 16<sup>th</sup> this past month clearly began with a different energy than usual. VBS children opened the service with one of their songs and the energy they injected into the sanctuary was evident. Special thanks to Kathie Appleton, Teresa Collins and the entire VBS staff for their hard work and teaching. They came to share their joy for the Lord with us and ended up teaching at the same time!! They had some of the same attributes I mentioned last month that the Prime Time Singers do. The parallels are amazing. They had free body language, genuine authentic facial expressions, singing exuberance and intuitive tenderness just like the veterans. This is a great goal for us to strive for together each and every service.

The parallel attributes of the children and senior adults can be very stimulating for our worship. On the other hand, recent divisive events in our country and negative situations in our own lives can leave us wondering “why (God)?” and hinder our worship too easily. I would like to share some verses and research that have been stimulating and also encouraging to me in trying to make some kind of sense out of (what we might consider) weird, crazy, unjustified, unthinkable, or just plain unpleasant things that happen to us or around us.

We can be encouraged when reading enough material around these particular verses to gain a contextual understanding of their meaning. I would also encourage you to pray before, during, and/or after reading, that the Holy Spirit guides you in your interpretations. These suggestions help us apply the biblical truths appropriately to your lives.

Below are some verses to read, reread, and/or use as daily devotionals. Allow yourself to meditate on their words.

*“And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.” - Romans 8:28 (NIV)*

*“Praise God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is so good, and by raising Jesus from death, he has given us new life and a hope that lives on. God has something stored up for you in heaven, where it will never decay or be ruined or disappear. You have faith in God whose power will protect you until the last day. Then he will save you, just as he has always planned to do. On that day you will be glad, even if you have to go through many hard trials for a while. Your faith will be like gold that has been tested in a fire. And these trials will prove that your faith is worth much more than gold that can be destroyed. They will show that you will be given praise and honor and glory when Jesus Christ returns. (Word in Life Bible.” - 1 Peter 1:3-7 (Contemporary English Version)*

*“In him we were also chosen, having been predestined according to the **plan** of him who works out every-*



*thing in conformity with the purpose of his will.” - Ephesians 1:11 (NIV)*

*“This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us.” - 1 John 5:14 (NIV)*

*“In their hearts human beings **plan** their course, but the LORD establishes their steps.” - Proverbs 19:9 (NIV)*

*“All this also comes from the LORD Almighty, whose **plan** is wonderful, whose wisdom is magnificent.” - Isaiah 28:29 (NIV)*

*“Do not those who plot evil go astray? But those who **plan** what is good find love and faithfulness.” - Proverbs 14:22 (NIV)*



My hope is that services in the future can reach towards the goal of employing the youth/senior adult parallel attributes in a strong way. Can we strive to be so spirit-filled that the energy comes through us and effects each other in a positive way. Are we reaching towards this goal every service? He is worthy... His Word can bring a peace beyond understanding. For this and many other reasons, we move forward, both through and beyond our current circumstances here on earth, “To Know Christ and To Make Him Known” and worship Him through it all.

Till next time... In His Service,

**- David**

## SENIOR ADULT CHOIR

### “Prime Time” Senior Adult Choir

This group is open to all adults 50+ years of age.

If this is of interest to you, contact  
Dave Robinson at 909-4062 for more information.

### Upcoming Dates:

- Tuesday, August 1, at 9:00 a.m. for Practice in the Sanctuary  
& 10:00 a.m. at Country Club Care Center
- Tuesday, August 15, at 10:00 a.m. Warrensburg Manor
- Tuesday, August 29, at 10:00 a.m. Harmony Gardens

Come join the fun!



Nicolas & Rachel Wilson

"Nic Wilson is a recent graduate from UCM with plans to attend Midwestern Baptist Seminary this fall to get his Master of Divinity. He currently serves as the youth and college assistant at Grover Park.

He is also interim director of the Baptist Student Union at UCM. His wife, Rachel, is finishing her math education degree at UCM, while teaching at Knob Noster High School. Nic and Rachel are recently married as of May 27th this year. They serve together in the youth, teaching the High School Bible study on Sunday mornings as well as leading worship and small groups on Wednesday evenings."



### What's going on in "The Park" in August

- 2<sup>nd</sup>- Word on the Water "Cata-what? Part 1"
- 6<sup>th</sup>- Brunch w/Jesus @ 9:00am & BIG Church @ 10:30am - TRANSITION SUNDAY
- 9<sup>th</sup>- Word on the Water "Cata-what? Part 2"
- 13<sup>th</sup>- Brunch w/Jesus @ 9:00am & BIG Church @ 10:30am
- 16<sup>th</sup>- Final Word on the Water "Cata-what? Part 3"
- 19<sup>th</sup>- Men's Conference in St. Joseph Mo, \$15, 5:30am-5:00pm
- 20<sup>th</sup>- Brunch w/Jesus @ 9:00am & BIG Church @ 10:30am
- 23<sup>rd</sup>- BACK TO SCHOOL BASH 6:00-8:00pm!!!
- 27<sup>th</sup>- Brunch w/Jesus @ 9:00am & BIG Church @ 10:30am
- 30<sup>th</sup>- Fall Huddles series "@tributes of God" 6:15-7:45pm!!!!



## Choose this Day...

Joshua 24:15, or at least a small portion of Joshua 24:15 is often quoted and placed upon magnets, t-shirts, house signs, and anything else a Christian business can think to put it on. I do want to take a moment, to look at the full verse, “*And if it is evil in your eyes to serve the LORD,*

*choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your fathers served in the region beyond the River, or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you dwell. But as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD.*” The underline portion is what makes the sign. So why am I pointing this out? Do we have a sudden explosion of Amorite false god worship? Of course not, but we have a text before us that depicts the costly intentionality that a follower of God must have if they are truly desiring a closeness to Yahweh. The implications are that if your first and greatest priority for your own life and therein those under your care is not holiness then it isn’t going to happen by accident.

I want you to think very honestly about two serious questions. First, “Gauging by my calendar, excitement level and finances, what is the highest priority for my life?” Second if you do have kids or grandkids, “Gauging by my calendar, excitement level and finances, what is my highest concern for them?” There are many things a person can want most for their life or that a parent/grandparent may want for their child/grandchild when they become adults. Only one of these three, however, can be first at any given time as the highest priority in a person or parent’s motivation: **Happiness, Success, or Holiness.**

If you for your own life or a parent subconsciously prioritizes their child’s perceived **happiness** they will allow them to stop coming to church when the child no longer wants to. (5<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> grade transition, 8<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> grade transition, turn sixteen and their social freedoms expand, senior year transition, begin dating, have relational conflict with someone else in the youth group, or generally hear their child use the ‘B’ Word – Boring). The same applies to your own life. If you believe happiness is your ultimate goal for church, when things become boring or you long for past days, your commitment to gather with the saints will evaporate. Choose this day...

If you for your own life or a parent subconsciously prioritizes their child’s **success**, they will allow them to stop coming to church when the child does other things they are good at or that the parent perceives will make them a more successful adult (team sports, extra time studying and doing ‘homework’, getting a job), the child sees that you get more excited about their ‘successes’ than their faith commitment & they more often than not will live accordingly once they graduate high school. What do your kids/grandkids see you getting excited about? When you go on vacation do you take a vacation from church or do you find a local church to worship with. Choose this day...

Here’s the point. You will never accidentally ‘Choose this day’ to prioritize holiness for your life or those under your authority. A parent will NEVER subconsciously prioritize their child’s **holiness**. A parent must intentionally schedule around activities and routines built for their child’s spiritual disciplines and standards. Holiness will cause you and your child to sacrifice. Period. It’s not legalism, it’s a choosing this day whom you will serve. On your calendar, with your finances, and with your energy prioritize holiness at the cost of perceived success and happiness. Make corporate worship, Sunday School, and serving in a ministry a greater priority this month in your hearts as well as on your calendars.

- Pastor Brent



## Preschool Newsletter

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### Other notes:

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Mark while on deployment.

They both make sure Church is a FUN experience while learning about God!!

- Roger Dumas





# Women's Ministry

*Women With Purpose "To know Christ and make Him known"*

Hello everyone and greetings from the Women's Counsel! We can't believe just how fast summer has flown by. It feels like one moment we're celebrating the start of summer and the next, it is half over. It was great to see a lot of you at our booth during July's Freedom Spectacular and those participating during VBS week. There is such a great community of givers here at GPBC who *make Him known*, Amen! We're also enjoying learning to "Breathe" with some of you as we venture through our summer Bible study by Priscilla Shirer. With summer fading quickly, we're so excited to tell you what the month of August has in store for our Women With Purpose. We will be hosting our fabulous First Thursday night on Aug 3<sup>rd</sup> and our special event, a Fun-du night Aug 18<sup>th</sup>, that will be full of food, fellowship, friends, and the funniest Christian comedian you've ever heard! We pray many of you will join us in a little entertainment before the school year starts up again; and remember, with school starting up again that means the BSU starts again on August 15<sup>th</sup>. Don't miss an opportunity to minister those wonderful college students! We will have a sign up available soon.

God bless, good rest, and with a little fun due,

The Women's Counsel

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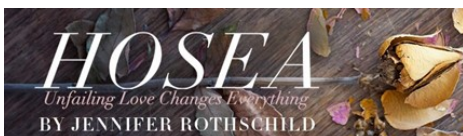
## *First Thursday~Aug 3*

Eagerness awaits as First Thursday's will resume this month after the July 4<sup>th</sup> break. This month we will be getting a sneak peek of the adventure our Fall Retreat has to offer and hear testimonies from previous members on what the retreats have meant to them. Have your tissues ready for some heartfelt, joyful, and powerful memories. This meeting we will also be introducing those who currently serve on the women's counsel. We can't wait to get to know you all better!

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## *Girls Night Out "Fun"du Night~Aug 18*

Coming soon... an event we've 'bean' waiting for - "FUN"-DU night!! This event is jam packed full of food, laughs, and friends and definitely will provide a stress relief you won't want to miss! We have a special guest speaker, Connie Hall, who is an upcoming Christian comedian who will provide good clean humor you can really fall over backwards at. And while you're up out of your chair, don't forget to indulge in our scrumptious fondue sampling with cheeses, chocolates, and peanut butter melting pots (I'm drooling) and everything to go with it. Bring a friend, or two, after all they'll need to help you back up, and enjoy this girls' night out with us!



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## Don't miss our Fall retreat! Gomer Girls – Forgiven and Free!

This year we will hear from Jennifer Rothchild through her video sessions from the "Hosea" Bible Study.

Be amazed by the unfailing love of God for His wayward people, and for all people When you're looking for identity, God calls you His own. When you feel enslaved, God frees you. When you wander away, God brings you home. No matter where you are, God sees who you are and loves you faithfully. His unfailing love changes everything.

**Where:** Lifechange Camp in Clinton, MO ~ **When:** September 8-10, 2017.

Cost of retreat this year is \$107.00. Your first payment should be included with the registration form. Final payment will complete your registration. If you need financial assistance, please contact someone on the Women's Council and we will see what we can do. Registration forms will be on the information table soon.

*But I have raised you up for this very purpose, that I might show you my power and that my name might be proclaimed in all the earth." - Exodus 9:16*





# GPBC on Mission



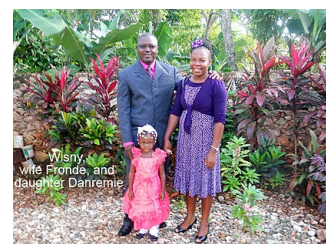
*"For we are God's fellow workers; you are God's field, you are God's building."*

*- I Corinthians 3: 9*



V.B.S. this year raised an amazing amount of money to purchase rice and beans for the students at Grace Christian School. The amount raised will provide funds to pay for 10 months. Praise GOD for his provisions.

The students receive one meal per day, for many this may be the only food they eat in a 24 hour day. Pastor Wisny has ladies that cook the meal in a makeshift tin shed. These meals are prepared year round ensuring the children get some nutrition daily. The ladies that do the cooking receive little if any pay for their labors. The food is purchased in Port au Prince and transported to Mare Rouge, where Pastor Wisny keeps it in a locked room at the school. We would love to be able to pay these ladies that cook a few dollars a month for their labors, perhaps twenty dollars per month.



Grace Christian School will start the first week of September. This year the enrollment is at 255 students. We must remember that the opportunity for these children to get an education is a huge gift to them and their families.

The enrollment is up from 191 last year to 255, meaning 64 children will need uniforms, books and school supplies. When we are in Port au Prince most of needs are purchased there and transported to Mare Rouge. The fabric for the uniforms is also purchased in Port au Prince and then the ladies or gentlemen in Mare Rouge make the uniforms. This gives those that sew an income for a short time.

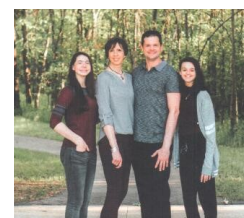
You will remember that Monica Fox raised money to complete the additional four rooms needed to improve the school. Monica, working as a servant to our Father to grow the Kingdom as she raised 3/4th of the amount needed to put a roof on the new rooms. We are praying that God will supply the remainder and the rooms will be ready for use by October.

We will keep you all updated as the progress continues.



We are planning a Mission trip to Mare Rouge in October if you are interested, please contact me.

Terry and Sheila Wilbanks and girls will be going back home to England during the month of August. We need to be in prayer for them as they continue their ministries and for the girls in school.



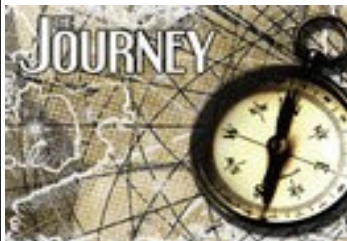


### F.A.I.T.H. Riders "Bike Night"

Saturday, August 17, at 6:00 p.m.

Anyone is welcome to join us for a great time of fellowship together.

Call Kevin Colburn for more information, at 909-9415 or email,  
at [faithriders2007@yahoo.com](mailto:faithriders2007@yahoo.com)



### Journey College & Career

\* Annual Float Trip, August 4-5

Meet in the church parking lot at 6:00 p.m. to ride the van or follow.

Call Rhonda McKee, at (660) 441-7338 for more information.

### Ladies ~ Quilters and Crafters "Experienced and/or beginners"

Come join us On this month on **Friday & Saturday, August 25 & 26, 2017**

We meet in the Family Life Center from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Bring your projects, supplies, sewing machine... any ideas you may have!



Come join us for fun fellowship! Call Pat Breon for more info (918) 906-1037.



Hundreds of Newsletters go out in the mail each month. There is an alternative. You May also get

your monthly newsletter electronically. If you too would like to start receiving your monthly newsletter in your E-mail's Inbox, please call Tammy in the church office, at 747-7196 or email, her at [gpbconline@gmail.com](mailto:gpbconline@gmail.com) with **E-Newsletter** in the Subject line.

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### Special Called Business Meeting

Wednesday, August 9th, at 6:30 p.m.

in the Worship Center,  
concerning the purchase  
of a new church bus.



Pathfinders dinner out at Golden Corral

Thursday, August 31st, leaving the church at 5:15 p.m.

Please feel free to call the church office for more information, at (660) 747-7196.



### Sunday -

#### Missions

Amy Hayward, Hughes Family, Jerusalem Ministry, Melissa Woodson, Wilbanks

### Monday -

Those who do not know Jesus as their Lord and Savior.

### Tuesday -

#### Miscellaneous Requests

Beverly Reil, Bob Welsh & Family, Brandon Shanks, Brian & Travis Bonham, GPBC Families, Joshua Woodard, Katrina & Jeff Butts, Lee Johnson, Liam, Small Business owners, Terry Morgan, Unspoken

### Wednesday -

#### Those with health problems

Ann Berry, Brenda Kelso, Carol Holder, Dorothy Fox, Dorothy Jacobs, Gene Ording, Jane Whiting, Jen Conrad, Joe Elliot, Keno Haag, Kody Caldwell, Mark Montgomery, Marti Reil, Pat Heberling, Peggy Justus, Sujamanas Badger, Trudie

### Thursday -

Those having and recovering from Surgery.

### Friday -

#### Those with Cancer

Betty Grace Fowler, Bob Anderson, Christina Pieczynski, Chuck Campbell, Dean Ford, Debbie Casey, Dorothy Nickell, Hal Hanrahan, Howard Bullard, Iris Pinkston, Joyce Barber, Karen Laubenstein, Kevin Colburn's brother, Kara Sherrin's Grandpa, Mary Bennett, Michael Plummer, Norman Powers, Robbie Parrish, Rosey, Shirley Mayden, Stan Ritzer, Dee Busby, Jan & Gary Maybon

### Saturday -

Military serving our country and their families, those who have lost their jobs, wisdom for our President and government.



### The Financial Corner...

June 30, 2017

General Balance \$ 153,497.56  
Total Tithes Given \$ 49,523.22  
Total General Fund Expenses \$ 51,053.61

These reconciled figures are provided in this format which is for your convenience only. Complete financial statements which include a balance sheet and income statements are on file and available in the church office.

Date	Tithe	New Building	Worship	S.S./Life
6/4/17	\$18,292.31	\$ 5,204.75	368	242
6/11/17	\$10,187.31	\$ 2,728.00	366	261
6/18/17	\$ 7,980.89	\$ 2,245.25	389	243
6/25/17	\$10,214.81	\$ 2,065.00	415	257
7/2/17	\$16,336.00	\$ 3,101.00	416	254
7/9/17	\$11,105.17	\$ 2,381.00	401	252
7/16/17	\$ 8,943.69	\$ 2,259.00	443	249
7/23/17	\$ 9,294.363	\$ 2,477.00	413	255



### Deacon of the Week Schedule:

8/6/2017 - Scott Williams  
8/13/2017 - Phil Woodard  
8/20/2017 - Jeff Gibson  
8/27/2017 - Dennis Scherer

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## NEW MEMBERS

Frankie Fender  
Betty Bender  
Bobbie Maltsburger



## Our Staff...

***Dr. Randall S. Neal*** - Senior Pastor  
***David Robinson*** - Music Minister  
***Brent Bullard*** - Associate Pastor of Youth & Education  
***Nic Wilson*** - Youth Minister Assistant  
***Mark Wigginton*** - Children's Minister  
***Roger Dumas*** - Children's Church Director  
***Tammy Shirley*** - Administrative Assistant  
***Ray Fann & Kevin Timbers*** - Custodian

**Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

### Sunday

*Bible Study 7:45, 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.*

*Worship 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.*

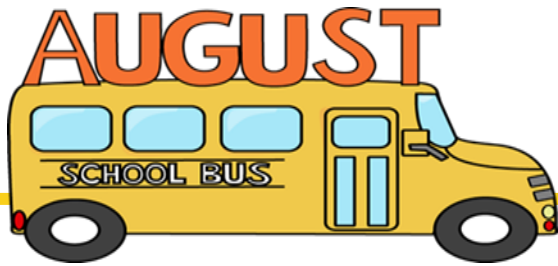
*Children's Church 10:30 a.m.*

### Wednesday

*Dinner 5:30 p.m., Family Worship Night 6:15 p.m.*

*Youth Huddles 6:15 p.m. & WNL Kids 6:15 p.m.*





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# August 2017



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		<p>1</p> <p>9:00 a.m. "Primetime" Senior Adult Choir Practice</p> <p>10:00 a.m. "Primetime" Sing at Country Club Care Center</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study "Breathe"</p> <p>2:00 p.m. Adult 6 Sunday School Birthday Party</p>	<p>2</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Nursing Home Ministry at Ridgecrest</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Dinner</p> <p>6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Youth Word on the Water</p> <p>6:15 p.m. Worship Service</p>	<p>3</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Men's Game Day</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Women with Purpose</p> <p></p>	<p>4</p>	<p>5</p> <p></p>
					Annual Journey Canoe Trip	
<p>6</p> <p>Transition Sunday</p> <p></p>	<p>7</p>	<p>8</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study "Breathe"</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study "Breathe"</p> <p>6:45 p.m. Executive Board Mtg.</p>	<p>9</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Nursing Home Ministry at Ridgecrest</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Dinner</p> <p>6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Youth Word on the Water</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Special Called Business Meeting</p>	<p>10</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Men's Game Day</p>	<p>11</p> <p></p>	<p>12</p>
<p>13</p>	<p>14</p> <p>UCM Classes Start</p>	<p>15</p> <p>10:00 am. "Prime Time" Sing at Warrensburg Manor</p>	<p>16</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Nursing Home Ministry at Ridgecrest</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Dinner</p> <p>6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Youth Word on the Water</p>	<p>17</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Men's Game Day</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Faith Riders "Bike Night"</p> <p></p>	<p>18</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Women's Ministry Fondue Night</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Men's Conference Leaving the church at 5:30 a.m.</p>
<p>20</p> <p>Food Pantry</p> <p>5:00 p.m. Deacon Mtg.</p>	<p>21</p> <p>JCCA Classes Start</p> <p></p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Warrensburg R-VI Classes Start</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Nursing Home Ministry at Ridgecrest</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Dinner</p> <p>6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Youth Back to School Swim Party</p>	<p>24</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Men's Game Day</p> <p>5:30 - 9:00 p.m. Master Gardeners</p>	<p>25</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Sew Day</p> <p></p>	<p>26</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Sew Day</p> <p></p>
					9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	
<p>27</p> <p></p>	<p>28</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Youth "Memory Monday"</p>	<p>29</p> <p>10:00 am. "Prime Time" Sing at Harmony Gardens</p>	<p>30</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Nursing Home Ministry at Ridgecrest</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Dinner</p> <p>6:15 - 7:45 p.m. Youth Group Huddles</p>	<p>31</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Men's Game Day</p> <p>Pathfinders Dinner at the Golden Corral in Sedalia (leaving the church at 5:15 p.m.)</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p> <p></p>

## August Birthdays

1  
Brandon Martin

4  
Carney Schnakenberg  
Caroline Schnakenberg

5  
Alexis Allen  
Jo Campbell

6  
Debbie Arwood  
Wayne Gayler

7  
Summer Love

8  
Tyler Fox

10  
Katie Petty

12  
Tannor Ridge

13  
Samantha Callaway

Denney Jefferson  
Jim Joyner  
Aaron Schildknecht  
Sarah Sheteron

14  
Mark Brooks

Odes Campbell

15  
Gilbert Powers

16  
Robin Best  
Frank Grey  
David Reynolds  
Jerrell Votaw

17  
Mike Chambers  
Melissa Yankee

18  
Cathy Hallock

19  
Nancy Yankee

21  
Sharon Baum  
Olivia Dumas  
Olivia Gilkeson  
Sandra Wood

22  
Diane Buttram

Diana Huse  
Diane Samson

23  
Faith Morrison

24

John Macy

25  
Gary Haller  
Tom King  
Ann Stewart

26  
Steve Baum  
Sherry Collins  
Karie Kamm

Robert Palmer  
Rachel Wilson  
Judy Vincent

28  
Kristen Morgan

Brandi Mills

29  
Elray Doerflinger

30  
Laurie Delap

31  
Allison Adlich

Joe Debacker  
Ashanta Epps  
Avrie Fox  
Bradley Kenney  
Jillian Samson  
Jim Simmons



## August Anniversaries

August 3 ~ David & Diane Thompson ~ 26 Years

August 7 ~ Larry & Kim Cox ~ 24 Years

August 10 ~ Ken & Angela Keirsey ~ 42 Years

August 11 ~ George & Judy Clossin ~ 44 Years

August 13 ~ Bruce & Jane Whiting ~ 41 Years

August 16 ~ Jack & Elaine Thompson ~ 47 Years

August 29 ~ Lee & Sauna Rucker ~ 43 Years

### Birthday & Anniversary

Are you on our Birthday or Wedding Anniversary List?

If not please call the church office, at 747-7196, so that we may Celebrate with you!