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Basic Weekly Schedule

Sunday Worship

Classic Service 9:00 a.m.

Celebration Service 10:30 a.m.

Hispanic Worship

10:30 a.m.

Connect Groups

9:00 & 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday Nights

Dinner 4:45-5:45 pm

Pastor's Prayer Mtg & Bible Study

6:00 pm

Discipleship Groups 5:30

Lifechangers (grades 7-12)

Rec Option 1 5:30-6

Worship 6 pm

Rec Option 2 7-7:30

Excite Night (gardes 1-6) 5:30

Excite Night Jr. (Birth-K) 5:30

TV Schedule Cable Channel 10

Thursday: 9:00 pm, Friday: Noon

Sunday: 8:00 am, Monday: Noon

Sunrise Sunday School

Sun: 7:30 am & 10:00 am

Spanish Sunday School

Sun: 5:30 pm & 10:30 pm

PASTORAL STAFF

John S. McCallum II, Pastor

John Bailey, Senior Adult Minister

Lee Barnett, Music/Worship Minister

Danny Bryson,

Education/Outreach Minister

Stephen Evans, Media Minister

Bill Newton, Youth Minister

Mike Pounders, Administrative Pastor

Margarito Ramirez, Hispanic Pastor

Brent Roberts, Children's Minister

Wallace Yamauchi,

Fitness/Recreation Minister



No Connect Groups except Preschool Groups

This schedule will help us provide enough seating, parking and transition time for people and cars coming in and going out.



Missions Celebration 2017

April 26-30

"Till all have Heard!" Matthew 24:14

Wednesday, April 26

Missions Fair 5:00-6:00 pm in church foyer

Meet and greet 20 Internationals from
around the world

Church-wide service in Sanctuary 6:00-6:30pm

6:30-7:30pm Fair continues

Sunday, April 30

Missions Awards Banquet

11:45-2:30pm in FLC

Tickets can be purchased in church office

\$5.00/Limited seating

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Thur Apr 6:
Judges 10-12:
Luke 2:21-40
Dot Wilkerson
Patty Robinson
M.E. Foster
Andrew Haight

Fri Apr 7
Judges 13-15:
Luke 2:41-52
Jean Pitts
Otis Hood
Rick Cherry
Allen Black
Conner Freeman

Sat Apr 8
Judges 16:
Luke 3:1-20
Vivian Humphrey
Jana Wood

Mon Apr 10
Judges 19-20:
Luke 4:1-13
Jean Cross
Jerry Suit
Marcia Schultz
Chris Cales
J.P. Sutterfield
Zoe Zoll

Tue Apr 11
Judges 21:
Luke 4:14-32
Wanda Johns
Mike Langhorne
Jamie Golden
Andrew Rima
Joshua Brewer

Wed Apr 12
Ruth 1-2:
Luke 4:33-44
Joanne Moore
Matt Posney
Barbara Watson
Bronda Perry
Holten Phillips

Thur Apr 13
Ruth 3-4:
Luke 5:1-26
Martin Collier
Michael Mattingly
Bobby Green
Lauren Buttrum

Fri Apr 14
1 Samuel 1-2:
Luke 5:27-39
Nita Ingram
Leona Nelson
Michael Leal
Jana Catlett
Andrea Jackson
William Chapman

Sat Apr 15
1 Samuel 3-4:
Luke 6:1-11
Dinora Lemus
Emily French

Sun Apr 16
1 Samuel 5-6:
Luke 6:12-49
Ann Cramer
Bill McIntyre
Michelle Johnson
Raegan Nease

Mon Apr 17
1 Samuel 7-8:
Luke 7:1-17
Nell Harrod
Martha Blackwell
Margaret Hoffman
Josh Smith
Daniella Ortigo
Ashley Hull

Tue Apr 18
1 Samuel 9-10:
Luke 7:18-35
Robert McAlister
Cynthia Bennett
Daniel Armstrong
Katy Wesson
Abby Huett
Justin Stephens
Ben Hollis

SERVICE TEAMS

Door Greeters - April 9

9:00 a.m. Marie Colmenero, Bob & Bonnie Biles, Delaine Green, Jody Baker, Vernon & Beverly Gingrich, Charles & Carol Hill, Mary Pogue

10:30 a.m. Jim & Jane Bledsoe, Pat Webb, James & Gloria Whitefield, Betty Parker, Patti Heckmann

Ushers - April 9

9:00 a.m. Brandon Jones, Duke Haight, Joe Woosley

Every Sunday balcony: Mike Davidson, Mike Ferguson, Don Slaton, Tommy White, Donnie Sumpter

Every Sunday main floor: Richard Hawthorn, Frankie Moore, Cole Morgan

10:30 a.m. Richard Kuhn, Donny Moore, Bill Perry

Every Sunday balcony: Robert Davis, Mike Ferguson, Jim Little, Ryan Smith, Mark Twyford, Glen Catlett, Jon Vitro, David Santillan

Every Sunday main floor: Bill Richardson, Al Blount, Chris Brock

Van Outreach Drivers

1st SundayNorth: Carlos Lemus, 538-1624

.....South: Glen Catlett, 844-7565

2nd Sunday ...North: Roman Terlecki, 622-7735

.....South: Mitchell McDill, 318-8333

3rd Sunday.....North: Missy Herron, 762-3749

.....South: Duke Haight, 815-4416

4th Sunday.....North: Bob Roling, 545-5818

.....South: Jon Vitro, 282-2975

5th Sunday.....North: Bob Roling, 545-5818

.....South: Mitchell McDill, 318-8333

SERVICE TEAMS

Safety Teams - Sunday April 9

8:30 a.m. Jerry Franks, Vernon Brooks, Gary Segrest, Stan Fouts, Matt Parchman, John Slater

10:15 a.m. Chris Brock, Lee Carson, Kyle Benton, Bill James, Jason Blankenship, Brad Wreyford

4:00 p.m.

Jason Dugger

Wednesday - April 16

4:00-6:00 p.m. Clyde Shirron, Ron Stickels, Gene Watson

6:00-8:00 p.m. Gary Smith, John Slater, Cole Morgan

Welcome Center Guides April

8:30 a.m.

PS Ctr: Al & Susan Blount, Kim Miller

FH Ctr: David & Gigi Bird

Foyer Welc Ctr: Robert & Cindy Davis

10:00 a.m.

PS Ctr 1st Sun: Ed & Whitney Argueta

2nd Sun: Travis & Lauren Warren

3rd Sun: Jake & Sarah Bird

4th Sun: Jay & Jennifer Winters

FH Ctr: Betty James, Joy Scallion

2nd Floor Welc Ctr: Vaughn & Stephanie Treadway

Deacon Hospital Visitation

Week of April 10-14

MondayGreg Greeson

TuesdayJames Bennett

WednesdayJames Allen

ThursdayAdam DeLee

Friday.....Lance Porter

ATTENDANCE

April 2, 2017

Homebound TV Class..... *80

9:00 Connect Group..... 403

10:30 Connect Group..... 404

Total Connect Groups..... 807

Worship Attendance 9:00 450

Worship Attendance 10:30 669

Hispanic Worship Attend 10:45 *39

Mission Trip 20

Total Worship1,178

Children's Worship *52

*Average

New Members:

Brian & Tianne Malloy

Education / Outreach Ministry

Easter Preps!

- ✓ Sending Mass Mailer to 12,000 homes x 4 years = 48,000 x 4 person household = 192,000 people in the greater Hot Springs area in a 20 minute drive radius.
- ✓ Bring Someone With You!!!
- ✓ Connect Groups Invite all your members and prospects!
- ✓ Everyone Invite your lost or un-churched friends. Pray for opportunities. We will have invitation cards to use. You can get them at the table and other places in the foyer.

Golf Cart Drivers Training

We will have a brief training, We POST PONED IT TO NEXT WEDNESDAY, April 12 at 7pm. Meet at the bus barn please. Come if you are interested, EVEN IF YOU HAVEN'T SIGNED UP!

We need several golf cart drivers to shuttle people from the lower new parking lot. You need to have a valid driver's license, be 21 or over, be careful and love people. You may want to drive every Sunday 30 minutes before the 9:00am service and after the 10:30 service or just once a month. Let me know if and when you can start.

New Parking Lots Are Done!

223 new spaces, 11 new handicapped spots, 6 of those are for Van Accessible, which means WHEEL CHAIR ONLY! We also have several spots designated for "1st Time Guests." Please respect these. Maybe some of you who have been using Guest spots, will join the church now☺

Special thanks go to Milt Raabe, Coordinator, John Jenkins and Harold Humphrey for all your time and great service. We also appreciate Dick Wilkerson, our properties director, Our trustees: John Robbins, Jack Porter and John Wayne Smith, and Mike Pounders, Administrative Pastor and John McCallum, Pastor. Special appreciation also goes to Rick Williams, Buster Gillam and his crew at Gillam Electric, Pro Signs, Spa Construction, Hurst - curbing, CJ Horner, Dan Singleton-Parking Lot Striping. Also, A.J. Johnson will be developing the Fitness Trail in the near future. Please share a personal thanks to these people!

Connect Groups Adult Team meetings:

Connect Groups Council – Sunday, April 9, 12:00noon TBA
Median Adult Team – Sunday April 9, 5:00 pm, room 221
Single Adult Team – Sunday, April 23, 5:00 pm, room 221
Young Adult Team Meeting – Sunday, April 30, 5:00 pm, room 221

Love, Danny

Fitness & Recreation Ministry

(All sign ups/resources are available at the Fitness/Recreation Ministry HQ.)



We're now recruiting volunteers and players for our 5th season of UPPER LEVEL Special-Needs Basketball league for children ages 8 and older and adults!

- Mondays, April 10-May 15, 2017: Children/ Teenager Divisions (8-19 year olds)
- Thursdays, April 13-May 18, 2017: Adult Division (20 and older)
- Practices and games will take place during the same hour each week at 6:40 &/or 7:45
- See Wallace to volunteer as a coach, player partner, administrative, or court staff

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Sunday morning Meet & Greet Fellowships Sundays, 10:00 am in the gym

We invite you to join us for relaxed fellowship and light snacks every Sunday in the gym between Worship Services/Connect Groups. This is one of the easiest places to get to know others. Look around, introduce yourself to someone you don't know! Also, just a reminder that we have a rotating schedule of snack providers for the Sunday Fellowships. Please provide snacks according to the first initial of your last name as scheduled below:

Apr 9: C, D, E May 7: M, N
Apr 16: EASTER-NO SNACKS May 14: O, P, Q, R
Apr 23: F, G, H May 21: S, T, U
Apr 30: I, J, K, L May 28: V, W, X, Y, Z
June 4: A, B
Until we all fall down, Wallace

Women's Ministry

We are looking for 2-3 ladies to help with Fostering Hope. If you are interested, please call Kate Hamner, 762-5229.

GROUPS & CLASSES

First Baptist Quilters

Meet on the 1st & 2nd Thursday of each month, 9 AM til Noon in Room #3023 (3rd floor). We are quilting Quilts of Honor, to be presented to wounded soldiers. Anyone is invited to join! If interested, contact Marilyn Morgan at 520-4105, Henrietta Norman at 627-4618 or Cheryl Nichols at 622-9002.

SYMPATHY

Our thoughts and prayers are with Kelly Beckwith and family in the death of her step-mother, Sherri Thornton; Ruth Anne Milbourn and family in the death of her mother, Dovie Mayberry; and with Marie Westermann and family in the death of her husband, Carl Westermann. May God bless and comfort you.



Keenager's Luncheon

Thursday, April 6, 11:30 am
Family Life Center

Entertainment by
the Jubilee Choir

Menu: Ham, Baked Beans,
Potato Salad and Dessert

Cost is \$5 per person
(Widows/Widowers eat free)

BUDGET REPORT

Ministry Fund (4-2-17)
Weekly Receipts \$68,738
Online Giving \$10,179
Total Given \$78,917

All In Fund
Weekly Receipts: (4-2-17) \$7,082
Balance of loan: (3-30-17) \$2,391,542

If you prefer to give your tithes and offerings on-line, go to our website, firsthotsprings.com, and follow the giving prompts. Please make sure the office has your current email address.

Wednesday Night Supper Menu April
(soup, salad, and fries always served)

5th: Roast Beef, Potatoes, Green Beans, Corn Dog, Pie
12th: BBQ Ribs, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Cole Slaw, Pizza, Peach Cobbler
19th: Baked Chicken, Potato Au Gratin, Purple Hull peas, Hamburger, Cake
26th: Taco/Potato Bar, Pie



WEEK OF PRAYER FOR
North American
Missions

Goal: \$55,000
Given to Date: \$31,325



ANNIE
ARMSTRONG
EASTER OFFERING

If you would like to order an Easter lily in honor or in memory of a loved one, please call Pam Warren, 520-8202. Deadline to order is Tuesday, April 11. Cost is \$15.

