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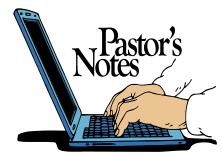
Stampin' Up





Preschool thru 5th Grade

Bring your friends and family to our annual egg drop on Saturday, April 15th at 10:00 a.m. Our goal this year is for 20,000 eggs! Door prizes will be given away and a lunch will follow after the egg hunt. Boxes are located around the church for those willing to provide "goodie stuffed' plastic eggs (tape sealed please).



It is hard to believe we are now in the Easter season. Easter is my favorite time of year as we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord Jesus. In fact, our entire faith hinges on the resurrection. As the Apostle Paul declared in 1 Corinthians 15:17, "If Christ had not been raised, your faith is worthless; you are still in

your sins." A couple verses later Paul declared "But now Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who are asleep." What a wonderful truth Paul presents in these verses. Christ has indeed been raised which is great news. We are no longer stuck in sin which is wonderful news, but it does not end there. Jesus was the first fruits of those who are asleep. The resurrection of Jesus is the basis for our resurrection in Jesus. One day, we who are in Christ will be raised as well. Praise be to God for this promise. May this Easter be a season in which you celebrate His resurrection and look forward to the day we are called to be with Him.

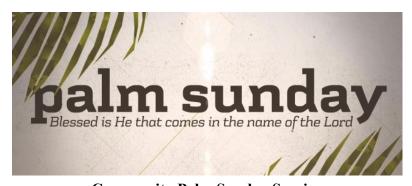
Grace and Peace,

Pastor Geoff



An Easter Musical

This years Easter Musical is called *For The Sake Of Love* created by Lee Black. Please join us Sunday, April 9th during either of our morning services for this special service.



Community Palm Sunday Service

We are inviting the whole community to come together for a Palm Sunday Service. Join us on Sunday, April 9th at 6:00 p.m.



April 2nd:

Title: Incredible Obedience Verses: Matthew 26:36-46

April 9th:

Title: Unbelievable Commitment Verses: Matthew 27:11-31

April 16th:

Title: Amazing Love Verses: John 19:16-30

April 23rd:

Title: Awesome Power Verses: Luke 24:1-12

April 30th: HOMECOMING

Parent Challenge for April: Ask your kids what they are learning in Kids Church each

week!



New Bus

The church has voted on and approved the purchase of a 33 passenger bus. We currently have \$81,500 in our bus fund. If you would like to give and be a part of making this possible, we still need \$16,075 to make the purchase. Thank you in advance for your contribution!



April 2 - Travis & Lindsay Adams April 9 - Ronnie & Vanessa Miller April 16 - Wilbur & Iris Adams April 23 - Harry & Sylvia Pace April 30 - Helms Family



APRIL CONTACT

Sharon Mullins (850) 537-8508



Stats for March

Stewardship through March 30, 2016

2016-17 Budget \$637,824.90 Weekly budget need \$12,265.86 Given YTD \$279,776.03

Total Receipts:

Budget \$44,475.59 Designated \$22,956.49

Sunday School:

Enrollment 472 Average Attendance 211

Building Fund:

Current Balance \$52,162.05 Annie Armstrong \$1,362.00

APRIL VOLUNTEERS

	APRIL 2	APRIL 9	APRIL 16	APRIL 23	APRIL 30
USHER	8:30 Stanley Bacon	8:30 Tommy Eiland	8:30 Kevin Morgan	8:30 Wayne Henderson	8:30 No Service
	11:00 Bob Adams, Shane Oglesby, David Oglesby, Dylan Wadsworth, Larry Cunningham, Bob Cooper	11:00 Justin Lawson, Austin Davis, Ronnie Miller, Jamaal Day, Aaron Cross, Dalton Richards	11:00 Roger Gatewood, Drew Hurley, Adam Henry, Blake Fortner, Brad Mainor, Matt Brunson	11:00 Tom Moss, Josh Williams, Travis Adams, Levon Nichols, Jack Adams, Chris Roller, Malcolm Spears	10:00 Mark Wadsworth, Bob Adams, Shane Oglesby, David Oglesby, Dylan Wadsworth, Larry Cunningham
NURSERY	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Lesley Nichols / Tracy Austin / Debra Schneider 6:00 Paid Workers	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Sarah Purvis / Lana Spears / Pat Oglesby 6:00 Paid Workers	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Becky Sheets / Misty Fortner / Mary Ann Cates 6:00 No Services	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Tommy & Rhonda Eiland / Shannon Gustin & Shiana	8:30 No service 10:00 Gina Williams, Amy Russell, Elizabeth Kempski 6:00 No Services
SPECIAL NEEDS	Margaret Sasser	Shannon Gustin	Sheila Rodriquez	Stephanee Morrison	Homecoming
LIL' K	Tammy & Mackenzie Lawson	Romona Arrasmith/Emily Gelb	Lindsay & Lauren Adams	Charles & Gayle Gordon	Mary Ann & M.E. Cates
KIDZ' CLUB- HOUSE	Shawn & Kenya Risen	Donna Emiro / Shana Lawson	John & Crystal Fogel	Roger & Melissa Gatewood	Homecoming



We will observe the ordinance of The Lord's Supper Sunday, April 2nd during our evening service. Be reminded that a benevolence offering is taken up at this time.



SOFTBALL SIGN UP

There is still time to sign up! Sheets are in the foyer. We are now looking at having a coed team. You must be 14 years of age or older and a regular church attendee to play. We need a minimum of ten players to make a team.



Clean-Up Day

Saturday, April 8th we will have a clean up day. It is our one year anniversary of being in the new sanctuary. We will be touching up paint and washing doors & windows. Please come and join us from 8 a.m. to noon.



Extraordinary Women's Conference April 21st - 22nd

This is your last chance to get a ticket to the E-Women's Conference. Ticket cost is \$50. If you still haven't paid for your ticket please stop by the church office or see Becki Holovack.

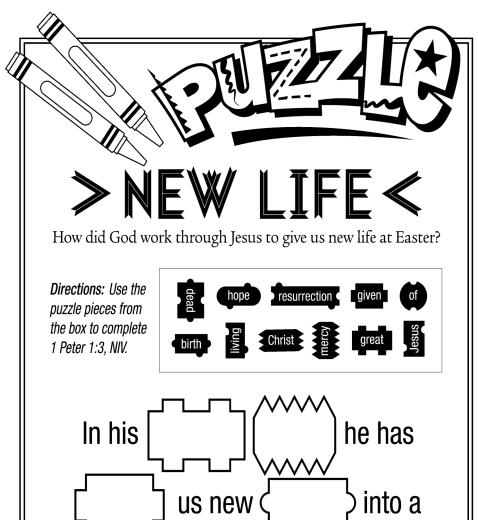


Telling My Story Livia Young

Saturday, April 29th at 10:00 a.m. you are invited to go hear Livia Young tell her story about how Operation Christmas Child changed her life. She was an orphan in Romania when she received her shoe box. She was later adopted by an American couple. She now serves as a national spokesperson for Operation Christmas Child and loves to give back by packing shoeboxes.

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Answer: In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. I Peter 1:3, NIV





AYSO Soccer League

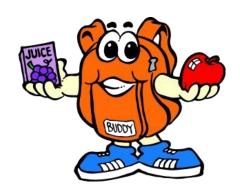
We are in need of volunteer leaders (18+ years old) for this new league in Baker. Youth may assist the leaders. If you are interested, contact:

James Bishop (850) 826-1012 or

Lindsey Edgar (850) 400-9605



Good Friday



Backpack Buddies

Each 5th Sunday, we will collect single packaged items such as oatmeal, grits, mac n cheese, fruit cups, tuna, canned chicken, cereal bars, granola bars, and ravioli. Next 5th Sunday, April 30th

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WEEKLY RECURRING SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SUNDAY

8:30 am Worship

9:45 am Bible Study

11:00 am Worship

6:00 pm Worship, Youth Ministry,

Kid's S.L.A.M.

MONDAY

7:00 pm Praise Team Practice

WEDNESDAY

6:00 pm Awanas, M.S. & H.S. Youth Worship

6:30 pm Adult Bible Study

7:30 pm Sanctuary Choir Practice



MATTHEW 28:6

April 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Homebound Visits 9am
Lord's Supper Jamaica Meal Ladies' Bible Study	3	4	5	6 10am Ladies' Bible Study	7	8 Clean-Up Day
Easter Musical Israel Trip Info Mtg Budget Mtg. Ladies' Bible Study	6 pm Stampin' Up	11	12 CONFERENCE	13 10am Ladies' Bible Study	14 Office Closed	15
16 Easter No PM Services	17	18	19	20 10am Ladies' Bible Study	21 BMX Event at School E-Women	22 's Conference
23 Jamaica Mtg 4pm Deacon Mtg. Ladies' Bible Study	24 Building Comm. Mtg. 6:30 pm	25	26	27 10am Ladies' Bible Study	28	29
Homecoming No PM Services Ladies' Bible Study						



- Maximillion Alegria
- 2 Rene Copeland Stella Hurley
- 3 Lila Bolton Ivan McCart Jason Sowell
- David Howard Kyle Mathis
- Laurie Campbell 5 Nola Rowell
- Madison Taylor 6
- Heather Cunningham Jared Smith Wade Walker
- Kendall Helms Richard Martin
- 10 Susan Barrow Dylan Rodriquez
- 11 Mallorie Holovack
- 13 Riley Copeland Tommy Eiland **Taylor Grace** Whitney Walker
- 14 Dana Hardy Tom Moss Austin Oglesby
- 16 Payton Fortner Cade Henry
- 17 Vicky Jeter
- 18 Morris Adams Shelly Brace
- 19 Margaret Sasser
- 20 Belle Alegria **Emily Gelb**
- 21 Sandra Garrett
- 22 Jayden Barton Peggy Pierce Shiana Youngblood
- 24 Sylvia Reeves
- 25 Kathy McCranie Myra Medley Miranda Sowell
- 26 Cassie Bacon Sharon Howard Sandi Senory
- 27 John Lewis
- 28 Avahlyn Jones GraceLynn Villa

- 29 Jollie Carver Lindsey Emiro Paul Gunter Pam Gunter Zachary Mason Savannah Risen Melody Thompson
- Eli Garrett Jennifer Hass



- Adam & Abby Carroll
- 2
- 5 Jeremy & Amy Russell
- 6 Wayne & Diana Henderson
- 8 Ralph & Bonnie Ellis
- 13 Jason & Amber Godwin
- 18 Salvador & Sheila Rodriguez
- 20 Kenneth & Ashley Styron



- Daniel & Christine Burke

- 11 Jonathan & Roni Caswell

- 21 Andy & Trish Butler
- 29 Paul & Pam Gunter Carson & Jordan Taylor



The Pastor and members of **Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church** wish to offer our love and prayers to the following...

The Wilde Family at the death of George Dean on March 26th.

The Bryant Family at the death of Randy Bryant on March 26th.

The Pace Family at the death of Harry Pace on March 30th.



Candidates for Church Membership

By Baptism:

MOFFATT, Max **MOFFATT**, Josie **BUTTERFIELD, Jax**

By Letter:

STANLEY, Lisa

1151 Shady Grove Rd, Baker Deacon: Matt Brunson



Eula & Glynn Dotson Barbara Griffiths / Maxine Adams Jim & Elaine Skates Merline Myrick / Gladys Fleming Bill Raley / Lynn Garrett Glyn Garrett / Mary Jane Stewart Patricia Treat / Grady Williams Bob Walker Sr./ Jack Shue Tom & Carlotta Garrett Tyler Sasser / Lacy Adams Lucien & Betty LeMarchand Tina Cadenhead / Nola Rowell Mary Richardson / Cliff Troyer Ezra & Ragenia Nichols Mary Hart / Florence Myrick Linda Richardson / Paul Garrett Our President, Nation & Military Unsaved / Unspoken

Pilgrim's Progress — April 2017

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES	
Sunday	
Morning Worship	8:30 AM
Sunday School	9:45 AM
Morning Worship	11:00 AM
Evening Worship, Kid's SLAM,	
& Youth Worship	6:00 PM
Wednesday	
Awanas, M.S. & H.S. Youth	6:00 PM
Adult Bible Study	6:30 PM
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:30 PM
CHURCH LEADERSHIP	
Senior Pastor	Dr. Geoffrey Prows
Assoc. Pastor to Music & Senior Adults	Darren Williams
Assoc. Pastor to Students	Justin Douglas
Assoc. Pastor to Children & Discipleship	Michael Barksdale
Office Manager	Connie Morgan
Part-time Secretary	Lindsay Carlisle
Temp. Custodian	Tom Moss





April 19th, 2017

NO Sunday School NO Evening Activities

Celebrating 129 years of ministry in our community!

After our worship time, everyone is invited to join in a time of fellowship around the table. Please bring covered dishes of your favorite sides and desserts to share, the church will provide the meat. This is a time for remembering and celebrating the impact of those who have gone before us, and also for looking to our future as we continue to follow God's plan. Please join us!!



Ladies, our next Stampin' Up meeting will be Monday, April 10th at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.