

PILGRIM'S PROGRESS

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Sunday School Promotion Day Newsletter Deadline



Sunday, August 30th 4:00 p.m.



The Women's Ministry Team invites you to help us minister to families in our community by donating school supplies, new or gently used children's clothing, athletic shoes, and jackets.

Requested school supplies donation list:

24-count box of crayons
bottles of glue
glue sticks
pencils
blue ink pens
notebook paper
composition books
single-subject spiral notebooks
erasers (handheld and pencil top)
pocket folders
pocket folders with brads/prongs
index cards
colored pencils
I-inch 3-ring binders
pencil boxes/pencil bags

highlighters blunt tip scissors

8-count washable markers

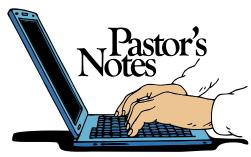
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Donate new or "gently used" children's clothing children's athletic shoes children's jackets

Contact Trish Butler at 305-7911 or Becki Holovack at 865-2231 for additional information.

School supply donation box located in foyer. School clothing donation box located in fellowship hall.



Greetings Pilgrim Rest Church family! It is hard to believe summer is winding down and school will be in session in just a matter of days. I hope and pray this summer was a happy one for you and your family. As Autumn approaches I want to encourage

you to do a couple of things. First, if you are not plugged into Sunday School I want to encourage you to give it a try. We have wonderful classes for all ages. Sunday School not only offers a time to dig deeper into God's word but also offers a time of great community and fellowship. If you are currently not attending you are missing out on a wonderful blessing. Second, I want to encourage each of you to invite someone to church with you weekly. Our new building will be open soon and there will be plenty of space, but go ahead and start inviting people now. Third, make note of all the events and happenings that will be going on in the upcoming months. In September, Ronnie Tullos will be here to lead us in our Fall revival. In October, we will have our annual tailgate Sunday. This year's speaker will be Jason McLeod who starred in the movies *Facing the Giants* and *Fireproof*. Please make plans to attend both these events. As always I ask for your continued prayers for our church, community, and church leadership.

Grace and Peace. Bro Geoff



We are seeking 2 adults to assist in our special needs class during Sunday School. This would only require you to miss your current Sunday School Class 1 time every 8 weeks.

We are also looking for anyone interested in teaching a Sunday School class. As we continue to grow new classes will be needed.

If you would fill any of these needs, please contact Drew Hurley, Sunday School Director at 850-259-6583 or by email at drewhurley@embarqmail.com.



We are planning a mission trip to Haiti for next summer. If you are interested in participating, you are encouraged to attend an informational meeting . . .

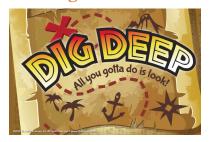
Sunday, August 2nd 3:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

Bro Geoff is the contact person for this event.



For Kids K - 6th grade

August Theme:



We will be learning about seeking WISDOM. Wisdom is valuable. We're hoping to help kids dig deep into the Bible and discover some of God's wisdom along the way that will help them in the years to come. After all, finding wisdom isn't that difficult—all you have to do is look.

Our theme verse will be:

"Choose my teaching instead of silver. Choose knowledge rather than fine gold. Wisdom is worth more than rubies. Nothing you want can compare with her."

Proverbs 8:10-11

Make sure to join us each Sunday!



September 20-23 Ronnie Tullos, Minister

Begin now to pray for revival.



EASY

WORSHIP

11:00 Polly Brunson

11:00 Angila Walker 8:30 Verda Jones

11:00 Kim Sayer

11:00 Victoria Hurley

11:00 Victoria Hurley

8:30 Verda Jones

6:00 pm Open

8:30 Verda Jones

6:00 pm Open

6:00 pm Robert Barton

8:30 Verda Jones

6:00 pm Robert Barton

6:00 pm Robert Barton

6:00 pm Robert Barton 11:00 Gary Williams 8:30 Paul Jones

8:30 Paul Jones

John & Crystal Fogel

6:00 pm Angila Walker

8:30 Verda Jones

6:00 pm Robert Barton

HOUSE

CLUB-

Shawn & Kenya Riser

KIDZ'

LIL' K

Taylor & Lindsay Carlisle

NEEDS SPECIAL

Kim Williamson

NURSERY

Nichols

6:00 pm Paid Workers

Williams, Levon & Lesley

USHER

11:00 Mark Wadsworth

Bob Adams

Shane Oglesby Dylan Wadsworth

8:30 Stanley Bacon

8:30 Danny Spears

AUG 23

Drew Hurley Mark Wilde

11:00 Bob Cooper

Mark Wilde Drew Hurley

Larry Cunningham

8:30 Stanley Bacor

AUG 30

Paid Workers

8:30

Paid Workers

Larry Cunningham

AUG 2

SOUND

11:00 Robert Barton

8:30 Paul Jones

6:00 pm Robert Barton

6:00 pm Mark McCranie

Aug 2 - Melody Bolton

Aug 9 - Bob & Joan Barton

Aug 16 - Joyce Blalock Cosson

Aug 23 - Bob & Sandy Adams

Aug 30 - Mark & Johnnie Gelb



Stats for

Stewardship through July 26, 2015

2014-15 Budget \$511,502.00 \$9,836.58 Weekly budget need Given YTD \$399,988.79

Total Receipts:

Budget \$35,445.06 Designated \$26,279.50

Sunday School:

Enrollment 463 223 Average Attendance

Building Fund:

Current Balance \$92,130,31

8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Jennifer Stewart, Gina 11:00 Josh Adams Spears, Pat Oglesby, Heather 11:00 Gary Williams 11:00 Sarah Purvis, Lana 8:30 Paul Jones 8:30 6:00 pm Paid Workers 8:30 Tommy Eiland Cynthia & Lauren Steele Matt & Polly Brunson Jonathan Gatewood Paid Workers Howard Carr Ronnie Miller Katie Barton AUG9 AUGUST VOLUNTEERS Christine Burke, Brenda 11:00 Brad Mainor 11:00 Robert Barton 11:00 Matt & Lauren Roper, 8:30 Paul Jones 8:30 8:30 Kevin Morgan Dana Hardy, Rachel Thames 6:00 pm Paid Workers Roger & Melissa Gatewood Matt Brunson Paid Workers Aaron Cross Mark McCranie Crystal Fogel AUG 16 11:00 Gary Williams Eiland, Tom & Kim Moss 11:00 Tommy & Rhonda 11:00 Bob Cooper

6:00 pm Paid Workers

Douglas, Blake & Misty

6:00 pm Paid Workers

11:00 Charla & Mariah

Emily Chaitha, Mackenzie

Mary Ann & M.E. Cates

Lauren Roper

Jeremy & Angie Arias

Shannon Gustin



The 2015 softball season ended in June. Despite the fact that we had quite a lot of rain out games (many of which we never made up) we had a wonderful time of fellowship together.

There were a total of 7 men's and 3 women's teams. Our own PRBC men and women's teams took 1st place. Milligan Assembly men took 2nd place and Christ Family men took 3rd place.

A big thanks goes to all who participated and helped out in any way to make it all happen.



Attention Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church Parents of Special Needs

Friday, August 14th from 5:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Let us care for your special needs child and their siblings while you enjoy the evening off

Contact Drew Hurley with any questions or to let him know you will participate.



The Pastor and church family wishes to offer our love and prayer to the followings...

Mr. David Howard and family at the death of his nephew in Texas.

Mrs. Johnnie Gelb and family at the death of her mother, Nancy McDougald.

Mr. Robert Powell at the death of his brother, Phillip Wayne Powell.

Mr. Dustin Thames and family at the death of his father, Michael Thames.

Mr. Adam Henry and family at the death of his mother, Rhonda Denise Henry.

THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

Mrs. Velmaree Joiner wanted to say a BIG Thank You to all who contributed to this year's Children's Home Offering. We collected a total of \$2,102.05. Thank you so much for giving generously to help "rewrite a child's broken story."

We received the following information from the Florida Baptist Children's Home and thought you might be interested to see how your gifts are used. This is a breakdown of their operating income and expenses.

OPERATING INCOME			OPERATING EXPENSES		
Individuals	6,252,373	40.7%	Residential Care	4,714,938	30.5%
Churches	1,283,300	8.4%	Campus Facilities	734,920	4.7%
Businesses & Foundations	266,567	1.7%	Foster Care, Adoption & Families	2,987,986	19.3%
Wills & Estates	186,000	1.2%	Emergency Shelter Care	459,951	3.0%
Restricted Gifts	1,204,738	7.8%	The Porch Light	291,649	1.9%
Cooperative Program	1,169,141	7.6%	Orphan's Heart	2,901,177	18.7%
Fees for Services	2,688,123	17.5%	Ministry Support	1,517,312	9.8%
Family Support	165,051	1.1%	Public Relations & Development	1,743,371	11.3%
Investments & Transfers	1,887,500	12.3%	Capital Repairs	122,367	0.8%
Other	245,273	1.7%			
TOTAL OPERATING INCOME	15,348,066	100.0%	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	15,473,671	100.0%

In addition to the above income, individuals, through estate plans, added \$1,082,342 to endowment and building needs. The endowment produces critically important predictable income to help children for generations to come.



Mandatory registration will be from 1:30 - 2:00 p.m. on August 8th in the Fellowship Hall. You will receive a launch number at registration and this is also how you will be entered for door prizes.

There will be a guest speaker after registration, prior to launch. You will receive a sack dinner to take with you. You will depart the church by order of launch number

Launch is from the South Hurricane Lake boat ramp. Weigh in is at 8:00 p.m. at the boat ramp. Winners will be announced after the last boat weighs in and awards will be given accordingly.

Our PRBC Men's Ministry is the sponsor of this FREE event. If you have any questions, contact David Stewart 850-758-8849.



Thursday, August 6th 6:30 p.m. Marcus Pointe Baptist Church Pensacola, FL

Cost is \$5 and includes a BBQ meal and your entry for door prizes.

See Dave Stewart for more information.



By Baptism:

Kimbrell, Isaac 6222 Old River Rd, Baker 573-821-5751

Deacon: Travis Adams



Back to School

Please be praying for all of our teachers, students and other school personnel as they return to school this month.

Teachers return August 10th Students first day, August 17th



For all parents of 6th - 12th grade students.

Sunday, August 23rd in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the 11 a.m. worship

There are some exciting things happening in our Middle & High School Ministries. So make plans now to join us!!



The building committee is seeking skilled and dedicated volunteers to become "Members on Mission." The mission is to help with the construction of our new sanctuary. See the sign up sheets in the vestibule for the areas where volunteers are needed. If you have any questions contact Kenny Lawson at 850-259-3009, or Brad Mainor at 850-974-5422.



Airfare deposit of \$100 will be due by August 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 SLAM

MONDAY

7:00 pm Praise Team Practice

WEDNESDAY

6:30 pm Adult Bible Study, RA's, GA's, Mission Friends, Youth Bible

Study & Prayer Time

7:30 pm Sanctuary Choir Practice



"I'm going into all the world to make disciples of all nations. So I might be a little late for dinner."

AUGUST 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 PROMOTION SUNDAY 3 pm Reach Haiti Meeting	3 Building Comm.	4	5	6:30 pm Sportsman's	7	8 SCHOOL SUPPLIES FISHING
Youth Council	Mtg. 6:30 pm			Night Out @ Marcus Pointe		TOURNAMENT
9 4 pm Budget Mtg. Children's Council	6 pm; F.H. Stampin' Up	6:30 pm Properties Comm	12 CONFERENCE	6:30 pm Special Needs Comm. Mtg.	5:30 - 9:30 pm PRBC Parents of Special Needs Night Out	15
16 4 pm Deacon Mtg.	17 Back to School	18	19 DEADLINE		BHS Kick-off Classic @ Jay	22
23 6 - 12th grade Students Parent Meeting - Noon	24	25	26	27	28 BHS Football @ Holmes County	29
4 pm Church Council	31					



- Angie Crinklaw Michelle Davis Christina Ziruolo
- 3 Justin Adams Will Davis Jr. Paul Garrett
- 4 Ashley McIver
- 5 Paisley Anderson
- 6 Blake Lawson Michael Weekley
- 7 Maleia Spears
- 8 Alan Pierce Lauren Roper
- 9 Rodney Bolton Jason McDaniel Marlene Melvin
- 10 Julia AdamsCandace AndersonDalton Richards
- 11 Howard Carr Victoria Hurley
- 12 Corine Williams Gina Williams
- 13 Inez Wadford
- 14 Seth Tolbert
- 15 Payton Rockwell
- 16 Brett Barnhill Leona Campbell Cheryl Ward
- 17 D. A. Davis Gavin Fortner
- 18 Madison Cain Jason Godwin Kelsee McGraw
- 19 Hannah Cox Cole Roper
- 20 Morgan Cross
- 21 Eric Arias
- 22 Lauren Caperton Rebecca Holovack
- 23 Maxine Adams Gene Stanley
- 24 Samantha Carver Bonnie Ellis Austin Fogel Sarah Tanksley

- 25 Sandy Adams Ryan Gelb Leroy Pierce Sr.
- 26 Roni Caswell Marie Jeter
- 27 Charlotte Dunkle Lindsay Garrett
- 28 Sanford "Sam" Carver Betty Richards
- 29 Allysa Lee Julia Robertson Melba Shue
- 30 Cameron Lawson Mason Spears
- 31 Alec Black Kaitlyn Rickmon Keith Stanley Jacob Williams



- 9 Morris & Maxine Adams
- 10 Lucien & Betty LeMarchand Kevin & Kara Hilton
- 17 Gary & Michele Williams
- 20 Justin & Tiffany Adams Kenny & Tammy Lawson
- 30 Mark & Johnnie Gelb



Meet your Deacon Sunday evening September 6th, 6:00 p.m.

More information to come.



Eula & Glynn Dotson Barbara Griffiths / Jim Skates Gene Stanley / Merline Myrick Gladys Fleming / Leona Hilton Juanita Kilpatrick / Clara Moore Glyn Garrett / Mary Jane Stewart Mary Richardson / Grace Gillem Patricia Treat / Glenda Davis Jennifer Derrick / Donna Way Tom & Carlotta Garrett Tyler Sasser / Lacy Adams Lucien LeMarchand / Lynn Garrett Richard Martin / Sam Carver Cliff & Joyce Troyer Ezra & Ragenia Nichols Florence Myrick / Hank Thurber Linda Richardson / Paul Garrett Our President, Nation & Military Unsaved / Unspoken



The Budget/Finance Committee is beginning work on next year's budget. They need all budget requests turned in to a member of the committee by August 30th. All department & committee heads will receive a budget worksheet in the mail. If you don't receive yours by August 7th, please contact the church office. Thank you!

Pilgrim's Progress — AUGUST 2015

Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church						
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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						
Adult Bible Study/Mission Groups	6:30 PM					
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:30 PM					
CHURCH LEADERSHIP						
Senior Pastor	Rev. Geoffrey Prows					
Assoc. Pastor to Children & Music	Darren Williams					
Children's Minister Assistant	Robert Powell					
Assoc. Pastor to Students	Justin Douglas					
Office Manager	Connie Morgan					
Part-time Secretary	Connie O'Neill					
Custodian	Cathy Sigler					





All Children and youth classes will promote on Sunday, August 2nd.

Please report to your current class as usual. Bro. Darren will come and take those promoting within the children's department to their new classes. Bro. Justin will direct the youth as to when to change classes.

If you have any questions, contact Drew Hurley, Sunday School Director.



August 19, 2015



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