

PILGRIM'S PROGRESS

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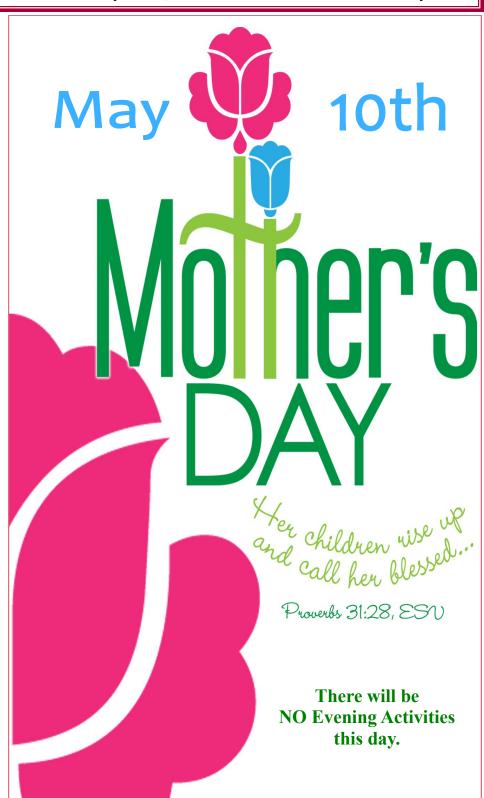
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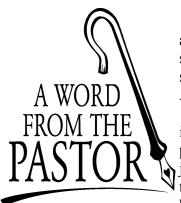
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The month of May is now here. Summer is around the corner and school will be out very soon. It seems like yesterday the school year started and our church was planning for Autumn and Winter events.

The month of April was a wonderful month in the life of our church. We continued to see people surrender to Christ, be baptized, and join the church. With so much growth over the last two years the new sanctuary is becoming even more of a necessity. Even

though there is very little space on Sunday mornings I want to praise God for your continued faithfulness to attend and praise God for His continued faithfulness to us as well.

May is sure to be a very busy month for our church. On Sunday, May 3rd we will have two important activities. First, at 3PM we will have our first informational meeting about the 2016 Haiti mission trip, and at 6PM Gary Williams is going to host an important safety seminar for our church. I want to encourage teens, parents of children and teens, and all adults to attend this safety seminar. Please check your weekly bulletin for a list of announcements and events. Once again, I covet your prayers and am thankful to serve as your pastor.

Grace and Peace.
Bro Geoff



Thursday, May 7 is set aside as the National Day of Prayer. The theme is "Lord, Hear our Cry" based on 1 Kings 8:28. Please set aside time in your day to pray, seeking God for a spiritual awakening in our community and in our nation.



Thank you to all who gave. May God multiply your gifts greatly for His kingdom work.

Total Given: \$4,310.00



Men, if you signed up for the GridIron Conference, your final balance is due on Sunday, May 3rd. See Bro. Darren for your amount owed. Thank you.



Financial Peace University begins Sunday, May 10 at 2 p.m. and continues weekly through July 12th. If you want to attend you may go online to sign up and purchase your materials. The link is http://www.daveramsey.com/fpu/locations/org/37016/class/277484 Dustin Thames is the facilitator.



For Kids K - 6th grade

May's Theme is:

HONESTY... choosing to be truthful in whatever you say and do.



When we are honest, when our words line up with our actions, people know they can trust us. Our relationships grow stronger. God understands the relationship between honesty and trust. God is honest. He has proven from the beginning that He can be trusted, even to the point of sending His Son. And we are called to reflect the image of God to a world around us that is desperate for people who will live with integrity.

May Memory Verse:

"Keep me from cheating and telling lies. Be kind and teach me your law." Psalm 119:29



Monday, May 25th

The church office will be closed in honor of this holiday.



EASY WORSHIP

11:00 Polly Brunson

11:00 Angila Walker

11:00 Kim Sayer

10:00 Victoria Hurley

11:00 Kim Sayer

8:30 Verda Jones

6:00 pm Robert Bartor

6:00 pm No Service

8:30 Verda Jones

8:30 Verda Jones

6:00 pm Robert Bartor

8:30 Verda Jones

6:00 pm No Service

8:30 Verda Jones

6:00 pm None Needed

KIDZ:

LIL'K

Neil & Donna Emirc

Jason & Nicole Rickmon

Vanessa Miller, Caitlin Hardwick

Natalie & Tressie Adams

MaryAnn & M.E. Cates

Crystal Foge

Katie Bartor

Kim Williamson

Brenda Wilde

Lauren Roper

CLUBHOUSE

11:00 Adam & Jessica Henry

Mark & Kathy McCranie

Jonathan & Roni Caswell

Malcolm & Kristy Spears

Blake & Misty Fortner

11:00 Robert Barton

8:30 Paul Jones

6:00 pm None Needed

11:00 Gary Williams 6:00 pm No Service

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

10:00 Gary Williams 6:00 pm No Service

11:00 Robert Barton

8:30 Paul Jones

6:00 pm Robert Barton

8:30 Paul Jones

8:30 Paul Jones

SPECIAL NEEDS

6:00

pm Paid Workers

6:00

pm No Service

6:00 pm Paid Workers

6:00 pm No Service

6:00 pm Paid Workers

Jennifer Stewart, Gina Williams

Williams, Shannon Gustin & Shianna

Wadsworth, Shawn & Kenya Risen

Carlisle, Dana Hardy Rebecca Sheets NURSERY

8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Taylor & Lindsay

11:00

Charlotte & Hana

8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Grant & Erin Adams,

11:00 Michele & Danielle

8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Levon & Lesley Nichols

8:30

Paid Workers

Billy & Kathryn Ziglaı

8:30

Paid Workers

Bob Adams Rodney Bolton Dylan Wadsworth USHER

11:00 Mark Wadsworth

11:00 Josh Adams

11:00 Brad Mainor

11:00 Bob Cooper

11:00 Brad Mainor

Jonathan Gatewood Mark McCranie

Aaron Cross

8:30 Kevin Morgan

MAY 31

Drew Hurley Mark Wilde

Larry Cunningham

8:30 Danny Spears

MAY 24

Jonathan Gatewood Mark McCranie

Aaron Cross

Matt Brunson

Ronnie Miller

Howard Carr

8:30 Stanley Bacon

MAY 3

May 3 - Sharon Cunningham

May 10 - Joye Garrett

May 17 - Donald & Sylvia Reeves

May 24 - Betty Melvin

May 31 - Max & Chris Moulton



Stats for APRIL

Stewardship through April 26, 2015

2014-15 Budget \$511,502.00 Weekly budget need \$9,836.58 Given YTD \$274,743.88

Total Receipts:

Budget \$31,602.24 Designated \$14,695.16

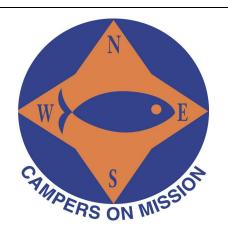
Sunday School:

Enrollment 457 Average Attendance 212

Building Fund:

Current Balance \$126,030.60

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Lunches for "Campers on Mission"

We will provide lunch each weekday for the workers that come here, free of charge, to build our new sanctuary. While we are not sure of the exact date that "Campers on Mission" will be here, we need to be organized and ready to feed them.

To accomplish this, we are asking if Sunday School classes, individuals or groups would take one day a week, or pick some days out of each month to provide lunch. This will continue until our building is done so we need to fill our calendar with volunteers. At this point we do not know exactly how many we will be feeding, and the number will change throughout the building process. If you are not able to volunteer your time to cook and serve these lunches, would you consider helping financially?

Contact Tammy Lawson at 850-259-3007 to schedule your day(s) or if you have any questions. Thank you for helping!!



The Pastor and church family wishes to offer our love and prayers to the following...

Mrs. Natalie Adams, Mr. Shawn Risen and the extended Risen family at the death of Mrs. Stephanie Risen Otstot, April 7.





End of Year "School's Out" Cookout & Swim Party

for all R.A.'s & G.A.'s
K (those moving up to 1st grade)
through 6th grade

Wednesday, May 27th 6-8 p.m.

The Henderson's Pond 1855 T W Drive, Baker For more information contact Bro. Darren or Mrs. Shana

Life Jackets will be required!!



Children's Camp dates are July 27-31 in Toccoa, GA. The total cost for your child is \$125 and a \$50 deposit is due upon sign up. There is still space available so see Bro. Darren to sign up.



Youth Camp dates are June 8-12 in Old Town, FL. The total cost is \$150 and there are only 12 spaces available. You still have time to sign up, so see Bro. Justin if you are interested.

O.B.A. Youth and Children's Camp

If the dates for our camps don't work for your students, or maybe they aren't old enough, or maybe you are wanting something a little closer to home, then check out the Okaloosa Baptist Association camp dates. They are held at Camp Okaloosa and cost is \$70. Some scholarships are available. Deadline for registration is June 1. Youth camp (grades 6-12) is June 22-26 and Children's camp (grades 2-5) is June 29-July 3. All information is in the office.



CHURCH /OFTBALL LEACUE

Our 2015 Softball League play has begun! This year we have seven men's teams: Pilgrim Rest, Live Oak Baptist, Emmanuel Baptist, Joy Fellowship, Christ Family, Milligan Assembly, and First Baptist Holt. There are three women's teams: Pilgrim Rest, Christ Family, and Milligan Assembly.

We play games at 6:30 and 7:45 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays. We have bleachers for your convenience or you may bring a lawn chair. We also have a concession stand available. We invite everyone to come out and enjoy the fellowship. Check you bulletin for date and time of Pilgrim Rest team games.

Thanks, Recreation Committee



The Rocky Bayou Christian School Saxon Library is having a huge end of the year book sale to support the school library system.

When: May 9th, 8 a.m.—12 p.m.
Where: RBCS Niceville Campus
in front of the library

Prices: Majority will be 25 cents to \$1. Special sections will vary

Special Sections: Theology, Free, Rare and Antique, National Geographic, plus a HUGE Fiction & Non-Fiction section ranging from

Children to Adult



High Schools

BAKER:

Candace Leigh Anderson James Austin Booker Madison Paige Cain Lauren Marie Caperton Triston Dakota Carroll Rachael Elizabeth Carver Kelsey Nicole Coates Alante Lewis Coleman Josephine Amber Czarnecki Billy Ray Fleming Jonathan Wesley Gatewood Samantha Leigh Gunter Alvssa Rai Lee Austin Lee Martin Benjamin Alexander Martin Joshua Mitchel Mayhew Jacob Daniel McKenzie Hartley Kyle Moate **Brittany Nicole Motley** Percy David Oglesby Ralphalontae Tarian Poythress Ian Ross Stoutenburgh Sarah Nicole Tankslev Montana Blake Walker

CRESTVIEW:

Virginia Galvan

Colleges

University of West Florida Terry N. Griner Bachelor's in English

We will recognize all graduates on Sunday, May 31st during the evening service. There will be a banquet for our high school graduates and their families immediately following the service in the Fellowship Hall.



By Baptism:

Douglas, Mariah (parents: Justin & Charla)

Brunson, Brooke 9150 Will Sexton Rd, Milton, 32570 850-957-4548 Deacon: Mark McCranie

Mowery, Kenney 1232 E Chestnut Ave, C'vw 334-324-2928

Deacon: Travis Adams

Cox, Trent Hunter 9150 Will Sexton Rd. Milton, 32570 Deacon: Mark McCranie

Hass, Clayton 214 Luston Dr, Crestview 850-450-4563 Deacon: Billy Ziglar

Davis, William W. "Will" 5661 Godwin Lane, Baker 716-449-8151

Deacon: Josh Adams



Okaloosa Baptist Association is hosting a Men's Wild Game dinner at 5 p.m. May 9th, at Camp Okaloosa. Bring your wild game (cooked) and enjoy this time together. If you plan to attend please call the office so we can let the Association know how many to expect. Thank you.

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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

TUESDAY

7:00 pm Praise Team Practice

WEDNESDAY

6:30 pm Prayer Service / RA's, GA's,

Mission Friends, Youth Bible

Study & Prayer Time 7:30 pm Sanctuary Choir Practice

CHANGE FOR CHILDREN'S HOME

Hope you have already begun

collecting your change for the Florida Baptist Children's Home. We begin our collection on May 10th, Mother's Day. We will collect through June 21st, Father's Day. See Vel Joiner for details.

May 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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5 pm Budge 6 pm - Saf Presentatio Children's Coun Youth Council	on	5 BAMA 8:30 6 pm; F.H. Stampin' Up	6	7	8	9 Wild Game DINNER Camp Okaloosa
10 Financial Peace Intro.	11	12 6:30 pm Properties Comm	13 CONFERENCE	14	15 Office Closed	Men's Fishing Tournamen
17	18	19	20 DEADLINE	21	22	23
4 pm Deacon Mt 24	25 _{Memori}	26 d	RA & GA Year End Swim Party	28	29	30
Graduate Recognition			2 Swill dity			



- Dakota Blackburn Ralph Ellis Caitlin Hardwick
- Maiyah AriasTara ReedBrenda Wilde
- 5 Lauren Adams Lindsay Gatewood
- 6 Chelsa Brogan
- 7 Stanley Bacon
- 8 Mallory Anderson
- 9 Peggy Hardy
- 12 Scott Cunningham Andrew Fogel
- 13 Hartley Moate Ragenia Nichols Lauren Steele
- 14 Neil Emiro Kristy Spears Mackenzie Taylor
- 15 Adam Richards
- 16 Kailyn Ellis Tammy McGraw
- 17 Summer Anderson Josh Cadenhead Anne Garrett
- 18 Mason Styron
- 19 Debbi McCart
- 20 Gina Mayhew Dale Mitchell Kim Moss Tim Robertson
- 21 Wendy Mainor
- 22 Kaylee Albright Austin McCart McKenzie McGraw
- 24 Beverly Bourke Jordan Gatewood Barry Lee Kaylyn Pownall
- 26 Celeste Arias
- 27 Emily Stuckey
- 28 Denice Reed
- 29 Polly Brunson Daniel Burke
- 30 David Stewart



- 1 Travis & Lindsay Adams Bill & Marilynn Adams Jim & Elaine Skates Hugh & Julia Troyer
- 10 Grant & Erin Adams
- 11 Mark & Charlotte Wadsworth
- 15 Paul & Darlene Costinett Jason & Kimberly Hood
- 16 Ronnie & Vanessa Miller
- 18 Aaron & Jessica Cross Richard & Barbara Martin Cliff & Joyce Troyer
- 19 Kendall & Aileen Helms
- 20 Dustin & Rachel Thames
- 24 Bob & Ruth Cooper
- 26 Adam & Jessica Henry Keith & Michelle White
- 28 Stephen & Tammy McGraw Sam & Judy Steele
- 29 Scott & Rebecca Holovack Andre & Melody Moreau
- 30 Matt & Lauren Roper



Eula & Glynn Dotson Betty Melvin / Barbara Griffiths 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 Lonnie Henley / Jim Skates Tom & Carlotta Garrett Tyler Sasser / Lacy Adams Lucien LeMarchand / Lynn Garrett Richard Martin / Sam Carver Ida & Jessie Moore / Inez Holland Cliff & Joyce Troyer Ezra & Ragenia Nichols Florence Myrick / Hank Thurber Linda Richardson / Paul Garrett Our President, Nation & Military Unsaved / Unspoken



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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							
Prayer Meeting/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						
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Our annual church-wide kickball tournament will take place on Sunday, May 24th at 5:00 p.m. at the ball field. This will take the place of our regular evening services. There will be fun and food for the whole family. Start getting your teams together to compete. There will be some rule changes this year, so check with Bro Darren or Bro. Justin for all the details. Hope you'll come out and join us!!



May 20, 2015



Ladies, our next
Stampin' Up meeting
will be Tuesday, May 5th
at 6:00 p.m.
in the Fellowship Hall.
Please note change of day!!