

## PILGRIM'S PROGRESS

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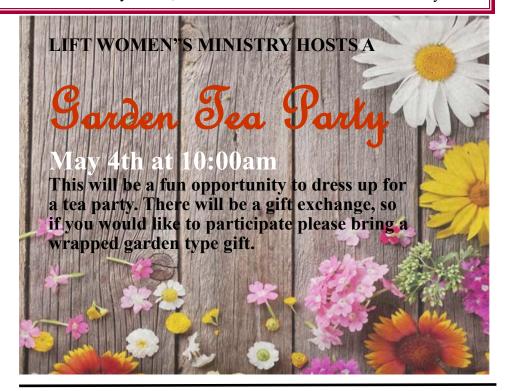
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## Office Closed









Wow! Wow! Wow! That is all I can say when it comes to what God did at PRBC during the month of April. We saw a half dozen people saved, we had our first 32531 outreach, we celebrated a \$122,000 Joash offering, we had over 200 names turned in on "Who is Your One Sunday", and to top it off we had 621 in attendance at Easter. If that doesn't excite you I am not sure what will.

Even though we saw some great success in April I am more excited about May. On May 5th we will have our baptisms at the beach. Once again the event will take place at Henderson Beach State Park at 6pm. Come join us for this exciting time of worship and baptism celebration.

Something you will hear more about in May is the opportunity to purchase 9 acres of the large field next to the church. This is an exciting opportunity that can open the door for so much at PRBC. Currently we are landlocked with no room to grow because any new building construction that takes place would require additional paved parking for which we have little to no room. The 9 acres will allow us to do multiple things. First, it will allow us at some point in the future to build a family life center and/or fellowship hall combination. Everyone who has ever stepped inside our fellowship hall knows it is too small to currently meet our church needs. Second, the church owning the 9 acres will allow the cemetery to expand. Currently there is a small parcel of land right behind our cemetery which at this time cannot be utilized by the cemetery because it is the only land left where we could put ANY additional paved parking that could be required by the county if the church were to expand. It would be nice for the cemetery to be able to expand. Third, the additional land will allow the church to do the unknown. We know what we can do at this moment as well as what we cannot do due to space and land restrictions. It is exciting to think about what God can do in the future that is beyond anything we can imagine. Our church has existed for 131 years and I am excited as to what the next 131 may look like.

Many of you may already be asking, "How are we going to buy the land?" At this point we are not that far along in the process. We have simply been offered the opportunity to purchase it. The full church body will have to approve everything before we ever get to the point of actually purchasing the land. I am simply making everyone aware of the possibility that is before us. What I am asking each of you is this, pray! Pray that God will give the building committee direction. Pray that God will provide the finances needed if and when the time comes. Pray that God will make His will abundantly clear and we as a church will follow obediently.

It truly is an exciting time at PRBC. I want to encourage each of you to remain faithful in your weekly attendance, in your giving, in your evangelism, and in your zeal for the Lord Jesus. As always, I covet your prayers.

Grace & Peace,

Pastor Geoff



Don't forget about our ongoing 552 challenge. We are challenging all who can to give an extra \$5 for 52 weeks. Let's all step out in faith and see what God can do.



The first outreach challenge was well attended. Thank you to all who came out and reached out to others in our community. Our next scheduled *Outreach 32531 Event* is Sunday, June 2nd from 2-4pm. Please meet in the fellowship hall and help us continue to reach out to our community.



Please visit **pray.com/prbc** and enter your cell phone number to keep updated in the community of Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church. Bro. Geoff will use this to send out announcements and keep you in the know. You also can communicate with the church congregation as well! If you have any questions please see a staff member. We strongly encourage you to download this free app to your cell phone.

# MAY VOLUNTEERS



May 5th Larry & Sharon Cunningham

May 12th Joye Garrett

May 19th Donald Reeves

May 26th OPEN



# STATS FOR APRIL

Stewardship through April 28th, 2019

2018-2019 Budget \$688,565.00 Weekly budget need \$13,241.63 Given YTD \$415,139.83

**Total Receipts:** 

Budget \$65,194.61 Designated \$35,037.00

**Sunday School:** 

Enrollment 475 Average Attendance 187

**Building Fund:** 

Current Balance \$21,385.78

	May 5th	May 12th	May 19th	May 26th
USHER	8:30 Kevin Morgan 11:00 Shane Oglesby Bob Cooper Adam Henry Wade Walker	8:30 Tommy Eiland 11:00 Joe Brunson Matt Brunson Dustin Oglesby David Oglesby	8:30 Kevin Morgan 11:00 Brad Mainor Dalton Richards Ronnie Miller Blake Lawson	8:30 Tommy Eiland 11:00 Jack Adams Larry Cunningham Jeremy Russell Austin Davis
NURSERY	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Aggie & Mary Oglesby Mallorie Holovack	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Tiffany Williams, Joye Garrett Elizabeth Chaitha	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Angie & Spencer Mandley Whitney Walker	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Grant & Erin Adams Charles & Gayle Gordon
	6:00 Henderson Beach Baptisms	No PM Services Mother's Day	6:00 Paid Workers	6:00 Kickball Tournament
E.K Ministry	Cyndi Otto & Taylor Grace	Debra Schneider & Emma Hipps	Kathryn Phillips & Sophia Chaitha	Emily Chaitha, Bryce Hipps, Rhena Collier
LIL' KIDS CHURCH	Donna & Lindsey Emiro	Lindsay & Lauren Adams	Tammy & Mackenzie Lawson	Emily Gelb & Caitlyn Hardwick
KIDS CHURCH	Scott & Becki Holovack	Donna Emiro & Rachel Thames	Malcolm & Kristy Spears	Patrick Ellis & Jen Prows

## SENIOR ADULTS

#### Senior Adult Upcoming Activities

Monday, May 6th at 11am is the Senior Adult Luncheon. We will be serving fried chicken. Please bring your favorite side dishes.

Monday, May 20th the Senior Adults will be visiting the National Naval Aviation Museum in Pensacola.

## LIFT WOMEN'S COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

LADIES, JOIN US FOR COFFEE & FELLOWSHIP EVERY FRIDAY MORNING IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL FROM 9:00-10:30AM. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, CONTACT BECKLHOLOVACK.



## **Baptizing Coast to Coast**

On May 5th we will be baptizing at Henderson Beach at 6:00pm. If you are interested in being baptized, please sign up in the foyer so we will know the approximate number of baptisms.

There are two separate sign

There are two separate sign up sheets regarding this occasion.

There will be a sign up sheet for baptism and a sign up sheet for anyone interested in riding the bus to Henderson Beach.

## **Summer 2019**

STUDENT LIFE YOUTH CAMP at Shocco Springs in

Talladega, AL.

#### JUNE 3rd-7th

If you made your deposit on or before 3/31/19 then your cost in full is \$225.

Camp Cost is: \$255 per camper

Total amount is due by May 15th



#### 2019 Seasonal Vegetable & Fruit Order Forms

Order forms for seasonal vegetables and fruit are located in the Welcome Center. For every 10lb bag sold \$2.00 goes towards our music program at PRBC. Last day to order is May 8th & pick up is May 25th at 5968 Hwy 4 West, Baker, FL. If you have questions call Jil Barefield 850-582-4900 or 850-902-9885.

## SHADY GROVE



**Jiffy Cornbread Mix** 

Elbow Macaroni

**Canned Corn** 

**Canned Ravoli** 

5 bottles of Syrup

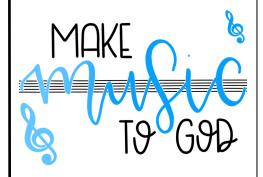




Emma Barksdale Lila Bolton Isabella Cain Lindsey Emiro Emily Gelb Alyssa Henley Bryce Hipps Olivia Hurley Elizabeth Kempski Mackenzie Lawson Zachary Lawson Gina Mayhew Gavin Parr Austin Peecher **Derek Peoples** Payton Rockwell Shelby Sloan Lindsey Stewart Paige Stoughton Alyson Watson

## CONGRATULATIONS SENIORS!

We will have a Graduate Recognition Service for our PRBC seniors on Sunday, May 19th during the 11am service. A luncheon for the graduates and their family will follow. Graduates please RSVP with number attending by May 13th to Tammy Lawson 850-259-3007. Also your pictures need to be turned into Justin no later than May 13th.



We are looking for more members for our choir and orchestra. We have begun having a choir in both morning services. If you would like to join the choir or if you play an instrument and are interested in joining the orchestra, please see Bro. Stephen for more information.

## EXTRAORDINARY KIDS MINISTRY

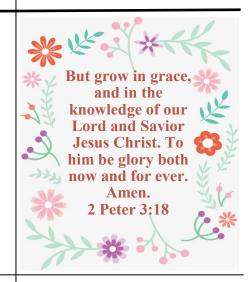


\*\*YOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED AND APPRECIATED.

CONTACT SANDEY TRIMMER FOR DETAILS OR QUESTIONS AT 850-826-0357



All children K- 5th grade, join us in children's church at 11:00am





We invite you to come to Sunday School at 9:45am. Classes available for all ages.



Fundraiser Yard Sale for the Breaking Ground Ministry

Saturday, May 11th at Welton Law Firm in Crestview. All donations can be picked until May 10th. Call Shana Lawson at 850-685-4918 to arrange for pickup.

### Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church

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#### WEEKLY RECURRING SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

#### **SUNDAY**

8:30 am Worship 9:45 am Bible Study

11:00 am Worship

#### TUESDAY

10:00 am Men's Bible Study 7:00 pm Praise Team Practice

#### WEDNESDAY

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

6:30 pm Adult Bible Study

7:30 pm Sanctuary Choir Practice

#### Friday

9:00 am Lift Women's Coffee Fellowship



Free Dental Clinic at Baker Rec. Center May 20-24 8am-5pm

## May 2019

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

			7:30pm Youth Council MTG	2	Women's Ministry Meeting 9:00	4 Women's Ministry Garden Tea Party
5 Henderson Beach Baptism 6pm	6 SR Adult luncheon 11am	7 10:00 am Men's Bible Study	8 CONFERENCE	9	10	11
12 Mother's Day No PM Service	6 pm Stampin' Up	14	15	16 8am Sr Adult Council	1 7 Office Closed	18
19 Graduation Recog. Service 11am 6:00pm Night of Worship	20 Newsletter DEADLine	21	22	23	24	25
26 Glickball 6:00pm	27	28	29 Baccalaureate 6:30pm at PRBC	30 7:30pm BHS Graduation	31	

## MAY



- 1 Dakota Blackburn Ralph Ellis Caitlyn Hardwick
- 2 Maiyah Arias Brenda Wilde
- 3 Ann Van Zandt
- 5 Lauren Adams Jim Castonguay Lindsay Gatewood
- 6 Zade Thompson
- 7 Stanley Bacon Woody Davis
- 13 Jared Glenny Ragenia Nichols
- 14 Dakota Campbell Neil Emiro Kristy Spears MacKenzie Taylor
- 15 Luke Ferrand Adam Richards
- 16 Vickey MacDonald
- 17 Summer Anderson Dennis Donaldson
- 20 Christy Key Trey Kolmetz Gina Mayhew Dale Mitchell
- 21 Wendy Mainor Kelsee Stewart
- 22 Austin McCart
- 23 Dillion Baggett
- 23 Westin Douglas
- 24 Beverly Boutke Jordan Gatewood
- 25 Kelly Copeland
- 27 Ron Gigler
- 29 Polly Brunson Daniel Burke
- 30 Spencer Mandley Becky Steele David Stewart
- 31 Joey Lambert Angila Walker

## MAY



- 1 Travis & Lindsay Adams Jim & Elaine Skates Hugh & Julia Troyer
- 10 Grant & Erin Adams
- 11 Mark & Charlotte Wadsworth
- 14 Jason & Shannon Boone
- 16 Ronnie & Vanessa Miller
- 18 Aaron & Jessica Cross Richard & Barbara Martin
- 19 Kendall & Ailene Helms
- 20 Dustin & Rachel Thames
- 23 Bob & Debra Schneider
- 24 Bob & Ruth Cooper Jared & Jennifer Glenny
- 26 Charles & Romona Arrasmith Keith & Michelle White
- 28 Sam & Judy Steele Scott & Rebecca Holovack



Morris & Maxine Adams Stanley Bacon / Betty Melvin Bob Walker Sr. / Mark Wilde Barbara Griffiths / Patsy Coco Jim & Elaine Skates Betty LeMarchand / Maleia Spears Bill Raley / Lynn Garrett Glyn Garrett / Mary Jane Stewart Patricia Treat / Sylvia Pace Jim & Velmaree Joiner Bob Adams / Lacy Adams Tina Cadenhead / Nola Rowell Melba Shue / Wanda Hunter Mary Richardson / Cliff Troyer Ezra & Ragenia Nichols Richard & Barbara Martin Florence Myrick/ Paul Garrett Mavis Smith / Dorothy Robinson Our President, Nation & Military Unsaved / Unspoken





If you have an upcoming surgery scheduled during the next month, and would like a pastoral visit, please call the church office. We would like to know about these ahead of time so we can get the surgery on the calendar, plan a visit and so we can also be in prayer for you. Thank you!

#### Pilgrim's Progress — May 2019

Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday

Morning Worship8:30 AMSunday School9:45 AMMorning Worship11:00 AM

Wednesday

Awana, M.S. & H.S. Youth
Adult Bible Study
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

6:00 PM
6:30 PM
7:30 PM

CHURCH LEADERSHIP

Senior Pastor
Worship Pastor
Assoc. Pastor to Students
Assoc. Pastor to Children & Discipleship
Office Manager
Part-time Secretary
Custodian

Dr. Geoffrey Prows
Rev. Stephen Ferrand
Rev. Justin Lewis
Rev. Michael Barksdale
Connie Morgan
Emily Chaitha
Miley Coburn



#### KICKBALL TOURNAMENT

Sunday, May 26th at 6:00pm More information coming soon. Look in your bulletin weekly for more details.



May 20, 2019



Ladies, our next Stampin' Up meeting will be Monday, May 13th at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.