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Stampin' Up



If you are interested in facilitating or co-facilitating a Grow Group please sign up at the Welcome Center for the training class to be held on

Sunday, September 22nd.

We will go over the process of becoming a facilitator, the expectations for the position and where you feel God leading you to serve.

GROW GROUPS will begin Oct. 6th



SEPTEMBER 2ND

**OFFICE
CLOSED**



As we enter the last month of our church year I want to take a moment to reflect and offer thanks. I first want to thank God for another great church year for our church. God brought us a new student pastor, God allowed us to purchase the 9 acres next door to us without going into any debt, we saw dozens saved, and dozens more join our church. We saw the fellowship hall, children's building and youth room remodeled. We now are live streaming our Sunday morning services so no matter where people are they can at least watch PRBC on the web.

These are just a few of the things we saw God do in our church over the last year. I also want to say thank you to all the people who sacrificially gave money, time, energy, and effort because without your giving none of these things would be possible. As we enter the last month of the church year I want to make a challenge to each of you. I want to challenge you to finish strong. Let's meet our budget giving for the year. Let us have higher and higher attendance by inviting the unchurched to attend with us. Let us continue to pray for our "One" that we want to see come to Christ, and let us be found faithful in all God has called us to.

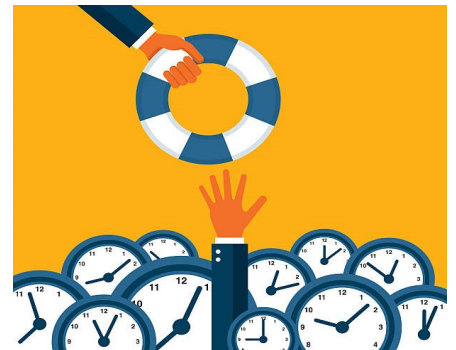
As always, I covet your prayers and thank God for each of you.

Grace and 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.



OUTREACH CHALLENGE

Who is your one?
The one you will pray for
and seek to lead to Christ.
Share your faith
intentionally, so they will
experience the same hope,
joy, and eternal life as you.



**Candidates
for
Church
Membership**

By: Letter

Andrew & Bessie Orsa
5333 Olin Merritt St.
Baker, FL 32531
850-902-7512
Deacon: Paul Jones

Nicole Welsh Cunningham
1487 Mill Creek Dr.
Baker, FL 32531
850-826-0154
Deacon: David Howard

By Statement

Gregory St. Romain
Unit 103 404N 8th St.
Eglin AFB, FL 32542
910-644-8372
Deacon: Kenny Lawson



pray.com

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.

SEPTEMBER VOLUNTEERS

	September 1st	September 8th	September 15th	September 22nd	September 29th
USHER	8:30 Kevin Morgan 11:00 Austin Davis Roger Gatewood Bob Cooper Jack Adams	8:30 Tommy Eiland 11:00 Ronnie Miller Bob Walker Jeremy Russell Wade Walker	8:30 Kevin Morgan 11:00 Matt Brunson Joe Brunson Sonny Steele Zane Steele	8:30 Tommy Eiland 11:00 Malcolm Spears Shane Oglesby Drew Hurley Larry Cunningham	8:30 Kevin Morgan 11:00 Adam Henry Brad Manor Travis Adams Dalton Richards
NURSERY	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Lesley Nichols, Pat Oglesby, Kaitlyn Ellis	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Sarah Purvis, Lana Spears, Isaac Mann	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Eliana Butler, Samantha Jones Debra Schneider	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Tommy & Rhonda Eiland Tracy Richards	8:30 Paid Workers 11:00 Angie & Spencer Mandley Mallorie Holovack
	6:00 Paid Workers	6:00 Paid Workers	6:00 Paid Workers	6:00 Paid Workers	6:00 Paid Workers
E.K Min. LIL' KIDS CHURCH	Sandey Trimmer & Taylor Grace Cynthia Steele & Zane Steele	Madison Cain & needs assistant Romona Arrasmith & Joye Garrett	Tiffany Williams & Lauren Adams Josh & Natalie Adams	Cyndi Otto & Taylor Grace Larica Redmond & Elizabeth Chaita	Kathryn Phillips & Emma Hips Caitlyn Hardwick & Dana Hardy
KIDS CHURCH	Travis & Lindsay Adams	Donna Emiro & Dana Hardy	Roger & Melissa Gatewood	Adam & Jessica Henry	Scott & Becki Holovack



Sept. 1st David Stanley Sr.

Sept. 8th Ralph & Bonnie Ellis

Sept. 15th Margaret Sasser

Sept. 22nd Dean & Priscilla Boan

Sept. 29th Open



Vanessa Miller
850-758-7818

STATS FOR AUGUST

Stewardship through
August 25th, 2019

2018-2019 Budget \$688,565.00
Weekly budget need \$13,241.63
Given YTD \$567,809.95

Total Receipts:

Budget \$42,978.10
Designated \$8,283.00

Sunday School:

Enrollment 451
Average Attendance 203

Building Fund:

Current Balance \$12,208.21

SENIOR ADULTS

Senior Adult Upcoming Activities

September 8th-9:45am Brunch

September 23rd— Desi's at 11am



Food Pantry Needs

Egg Noodles
Tuna
Canned Peas
Toothpaste
Toothbrushes

Need by Sept. 18th

Exodos Ministries 2019

Dinner and Auction

“Annual Fundraiser”

*Tuesday,
September 24, 2019*

*At Woodlawn Baptist
Church in Crestview, FL*

PRBC Family
You are invited to the
Marriage Ceremony of
Jack Glenney & Linda Tierney
on September 14th at 2:00pm.
Please RSVP to
lindatierneymsw@yahoo.com



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 Sept. 12th & pick up is Sept. 28th at 5968 Hwy 4 West, Baker, FL. If you have questions call Jil Barefield at 850-582-4900

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UGANDA MISSION TRIP




On Sunday, September 22nd at 3pm, we are having an informational meeting on our mission trip to Uganda.

Please make every effort to attend.



COME JOIN US!

WEDNESDAYS @ 6pm
SUNDAY MORNINGS @ 9:45am
SUNDAY NIGHTS @ 6:00pm



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



On September 29th at
3pm, a New Members
Class is scheduled. If you
are interested in knowing
more about our church,
please sign up in the
Welcome Center.



Worship Ministry Update:

Thank you to all who participated in and supported the Night of Worship. It was a wonderful evening lifting the name of Jesus high, and praising the wonderful creator we serve. I can hardly wait until next year!

In the meantime, the fall and Christmas seasons are already upon us. The students have started a band to lead worship in the student ministry on Wednesday nights, the senior adult choir is preparing to begin their ministry opportunities, and we should have already started streaming our services on *Facebook Live* by the time you read this! God is blessing our church and we cannot help but praise Him and recognize His blessings.

If you are not currently involved in the worship ministry, we would love to have you join us. The easiest way would be to join the Worship Choir on Wednesday nights at 7:30pm. We have lots of fun and love worshipping our Redeemer! Another area where we really need help is behind the scenes with the tech team. As God continues to lead and bless that ministry, we need people who can push buttons. You don't have to be an expert in color theory, light design, acoustical engineering, or visual composition (though if you are, PLEASE come serve with us!), we are looking for people who are willing to try and learn. If you are interested in helping us with our children and student ministries, we are always looking for people to serve there too.

Come & share in the joy of the Lord with us! Here are a few upcoming dates that are great starting points.

SEPTEMBER 17th@6:30pm **Christmas in September**-our annual Christmas Kickoff party. Wear an Ugly Christmas sweater, bring some sugar cookies and prepare for a fun evening as we start our Christmas celebration rehearsals.

DECEMBER 1st@6pm **Family Christmas** (Decorating Service) Relaxed family time sharing Christmas memories & music as we decorate the Worship Center.

DECEMBER 15th@6pm **Christmas Celebration**-Join us as the Worship Ministry leads us the Christmas Story as we celebrate Emmanuel, God with us.

JANUARY 14th@6:30pm **Winter Beginnings**-A time of fellowship & fun as we prepare for the Spring Season.



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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 Super Church, 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



*If my people who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.
2 Chronicles 7:14*

September 2019

Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Office Closed	10:00am Men Bible Study			Lift Coffee Fellowship 9:00am	
8 Sr Adult Brunch 9:45am 4:30pm Children's council 5pm Budget Mtg	9 6 pm Stampin' Up	10	7:30pm 11 Youth Council Mtg CONFERENCE	12	13	14 Tierney/Glenny Wedding
15 4 pm Deacon's Mtg	16	17	18	19 8am Sr Adult mtg	20	21
22 Church Council	23 Sr. Adults at Desi's 11am	24	25th SEE YOU AT THE POLE!	26	27	28
29	30					



- 1 Grant Adams
- 3 Lane Boone
William Emiro
- 4 Noah Barksdale
- 5 Kerstin Pratt
Catch Ward
- 6 Lacey Boone
Steve Combest
- 7 Jayne Lambert
- 9 Angelina Collier
Susan Miller
Avery Stewart
Chandler Stewart
- 10 Amy Barksdale
Beverly Clary
Caymen Mainor
- 13 Presley Nichols
Aidan Wadsworth
- 14 Sophia Chaitha
David Stanley
Bob Taggart
- 15 Debra Copeland
Mark Wilde
- 16 Michael Barksdale
Emily Chaitha
Diana Henderson
- 17 Jesse Barrows
Jon Hinchcliffe
Olivia Hurley
Brad Mainor
- 18 Ronald Garrett
Jamie Munn
- 20 Araya Carlisle
Haliegh Castonguay
Miley Coburn
Jared Nichols
Wyatt Russell
- 21 Ann Kilcrease
Shana Lawson
Mike Ward
- 22 Shannon Boone
Paul Copeland
- 23 Shellie Hood
Charles Smith
- 24 Elliott Howard
Zane Prestwood

- 25 Heather Lawson
- 28 Tracy Richards
- 29 Erin Adams
Virginia Galvan
Lane Hardwick
Velmaree Joiner
- 30 Florence Myrick



- 2 Jeremy & Angie Arias
- 9 Jim & Carmen Lundy
- 10 Shane & Cheryl Ward
- 11 Winston & Barbara Steele
- 14 David & Samantha Jones
- 19 D.A. & Liz Davis
Bill & Corine Williams
- 25 Buddy & Gail Adams
- 27 Clay & Amanda Tolbert
- 28 Donald & Judy Griffith
- 30 Thana & Emily Chaitha



The Women's Ministry would like to thank everyone who donated clothes, school supplies, cash donations, and volunteered their time! All of your efforts helped to make this year's Back to School Giveaway a huge blessing to families in our community.



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



If you have an upcoming surgery scheduled during the next month, 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 be in prayer for you. Thank you!

Pilgrim's Progress — September 2019

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday

Morning Worship	8:30 AM
Sunday School	9:45 AM
Morning Worship	11:00 AM
Bible Study (Men, Women, Youth & Children)	6:00 PM

Wednesday

Super Church, M.S. & H.S. Youth	6:00 PM
Adult Bible Study	6:30 PM
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	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



KIDS SUPERCHURCH

AGES 1ST- 5TH GRADES

COME JOIN US!

SUPER SEPTEMBER!!

CAN YOU DEFEAT A 5TH GRADER?

SEPTEMBER 4TH	FREE PIZZA
SEPTEMBER 11TH	FREE ICE CREAM
SEPTEMBER 18TH	FREE HOTDOGS
SEPTEMBER 25TH	FREE SNO CONES

DO YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO DEFEAT A 5TH GRADER?



September 18th, 2019

**STAMPIN'
UP!**

Ladies, our next Stampin' Up meeting will be Monday, September 9th at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.