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Newsletter Deadline Stampin' Up

CHRCHOTTICEHOUS

Mon.-Thurs. 8am-4:30pm

> Friday 8am-2pm

CLOSED COOD FRIDAY

APRIL 10th

ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING

FOR NORTH AMERICAN MISSIONS



"I passed on to you as most important what I also received: That Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that He was buried, that He was raised on the third day..."

1 Corinthians 15:3-4



Greeting PRBC family! I pray this newsletter finds each of you safe and doing well. We are certainly living in some different and difficult days. Many of you have probably found yourselves living a much different life than just a few short weeks ago. I know personally it has been difficult not being able to see each of you week after week at church. I so look forward to the day when we are back together. My hope and prayer is that by Easter we are meeting together again.

Even though we are not meeting physically church services are still taking place. Remember, you can find us on Facebook live each Sunday during normal service hours. I invite each of you to gather around your computer, tablet, smart tv or even your smartphone and worship the LORD. None of this caught God by surprise and I believe God is going to use the virus to draw people to Himself and to be honored and Glorified. This virus creates so many new opportunities for the church as people are dealing with both physical needs and spiritual needs. With that said, church business has not stopped. We are at the office daily doing the work of ministry utilizing the technology God has given us. Please continue to pray for your staff during this time.

You may be wondering what faithful church membership looks like during this time. First, as previously mentioned join in on the livestream if you have the ability to do so. You will get to hear the praise team lead us in song as well as get to hear the preached word. You will also get to hear the latest updates concerning church life. Second, continue to be faithful in your giving. To be honest, March giving was way down which we did expect. However, you have the opportunity to worship through giving even though we are not physically meeting. You can either mail it in or you can go to prbc.church and click the online giving button. Third, check on and reach out to each other. We are church family. Call members of your Sunday school class or grow group. Check on those whom normally sit near you on Sunday morning and if you are not able to do that, pray for each other. We need to come together, loving each other, caring for each other perhaps like never before.

This tough season will pass and God will be glorified. Wash your hands, practice social distancing, and stay safe. I love each of you and look forward to seeing you soon.

Grace and peace,

Pastor Geoff



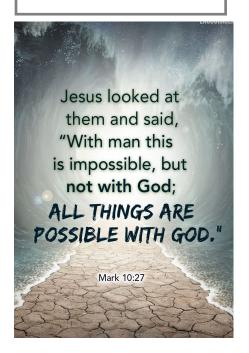
OUTREACH CHALLENGE

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.



2 million in 2020

Our 2020 challenge is to meet our budget and pay off our church building loan. Let's all step out in faith and see what God can do.



Due to COVID-19 concerns
Stay up to date on any schedule changes.

It will be updated on the website:
pilgrimrestbaptist.org & our Facebook page.



No Altar Flowers Scheduled this month

April Volunteers

We appreciate all our volunteers. Will send schedules next week.

Monthly Contact

Joye Garrett 850-902-3637

STATS FOR MARCH

Stewardship through March 22nd (4 out of 5 weeks)

2019-2020 Budget \$723,670.00 Weekly budget need \$13,916.73 Given YTD \$307,738.64

Total Receipts:

Budget \$42,710.85 Designated \$10,530.00

Sunday School:

Enrollment 456 Average Attendance 180

Building Fund:

Current Balance \$16,088.26 **JOASH** \$3,200.00

Ideas for Spending Time with Family

Strawberry Lemonade

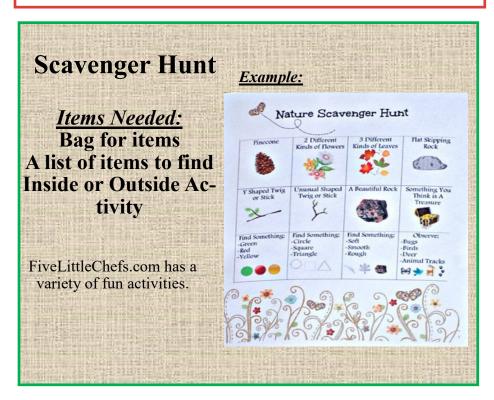
Ingredients

- 16 ounce fresh strawberries
- 12 ounce pink lemonade concentrate
- 1 2 liter lemon lime soda

Instructions



- 1. Cut the green stems off the fresh strawberries, then half the strawberries
- 2. Combine the cut strawberries and pink lemonade concentrate in a blender. Blend until smooth.
- 3. In a large pitcher or punch bowl combine blender ingredients with lemon lime soda. Just barely stir to combine. Too much stirring will reduce the fizz.
- 4. Serve with plenty of ice



Senior Adult Activities

Due to COVID-19 concerns all Sr. Adult activities have been cancelled. We will keep you updated. If you have computer access, the webpage is www.pilgrimrestbaptist.org.

The announcements & newsletters are on this website. If you have any questions, please contact David Van Zandt @ 850-974-1360 or the church office@850-537-9221.



CORONAVIRUS UPDATES

All updates will be available on our Facebook & webpage. Sermons will be put on Facebook Live during our normal Sunday service times at 8:30 & 11:00am. Our webpage also has newly updated information every Friday to inform people about our church & give updates on changes in activities.



Sunday Sermons are on <u>FACEBOOK LIVE</u> at 8:30 & 11:00am. If you don't have a facebook account, archived sermons are available on our webpage at pilgrimrestbaptist.org.

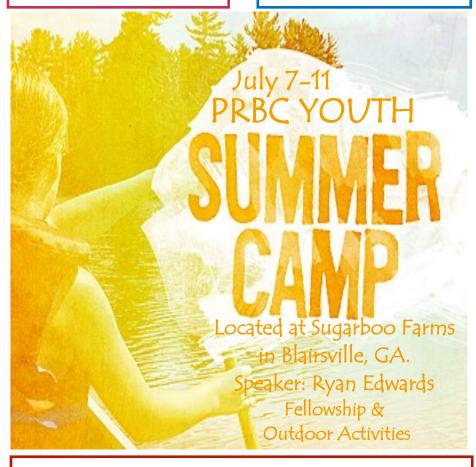


Backpack Buddies

Our Backpack Buddies are suppling needy families with food during the weekends. We need donations of food items to help meet these needs. Peanut butter, jelly, mac & cheese, oatmeal, rice, loaves of bread, Ramen Noodles and any canned meals are appreciated. Please place all donations in the container in front of the Fellowship Hall. It will be checked every day at 5pm.

If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.

2 Chronicles 7:14 KJV





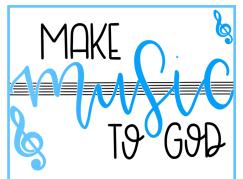
Match box cars
Hot Wheels
Yo-yos
Jump ropes
Balls

(tennis balls, soccer ball with pump, small nerf ball)

PLACE IN MISSION BOX IN THE CHURCH OFFICE



Please stay updated on our Facebook page and website for any changes in Youth Activities. Call Tammy Lawson at 850-259-3007 with any questions regarding the Youth Ministry.



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.



Our "L3" College and Career ministry focuses on those between the ages of 18 and 24. We meet Sunday mornings at 9:45 a.m., Sunday nights at 6 p.m. & Wednesday nights at 6 p.m.



All children K- 5th grade Look Forward to seeing you SOON!





A new opportunity can be used for giving your tithes and offerings. Using your mobile phone, send the keyword PILGRIM REST to 77977 to have the giving link immediately delivered to your mobile phone.

Please be aware that message & Data rates may apply. For full Terms & Conditions please visit https://pushpay.com/terms. For the Privacy Policy please visit https://pushpay.com/privacy. For help reply HELP or STOP to cancel.



All information regarding children's activities will be on our Facebook page and our church website.

BE BLESSED



EXTRAORDINARY KIDS MINISTRY



*VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED AND APPRECIATED.

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

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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

Sun

9:00 am Lift Women's Coffee Fellowship

Mon

April Calendar Announcement

These are the events on the April 2020 calendar. Due to Coronavirus concerns be aware that changes will possibly take place. Please keep updated on our website & facebook page or call the church office near the time of the event for any updates.

Sat

April 2020

Wed

Tue

			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
			CONFERENCE		OFFICE CLOSED GOOD FRIDAY	
12	_{6 pm} 13	14	15	16	17	18
EASTER SUNDAY	SEAVELY			8am Sr. Adult Council	17 Newsletter DEADLine	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
New Member's Cla 4 pm Deacon Mtg	ass					
26	27	28	29	30		
Homecoming						



BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Jason Sowell
- 2 Rene Copeland Stella Hurley
- 3 Ivan McCart
- 4 David Howard
- 5 Nola Rowell
- 7 Wade Walker
- 8 Patrick White
- 9 Kendall Helms Richard Martin
- 11 Mallorie Holovack
- 13 Tommy Eiland Taylor Grace Whitney Walker
- 14 Dana Hardy Tom Moss Austin Olgesby
- 15 Richard McChristy David Phillips
- 17 Vickie Jeter
- 18 Morris Adams
- 20 Emily Gelb
- 21 Sandra Garrett
- 22 Jayden Barton Shiana Youngblood
- 25 Kathy McCranie Miranda Sowell
- 26 Cassie Bacon Sandi Senory
- 28 Avahlyn Jones GraceLynn Villa
- 29 Jollie Carver Lindsay Emiro Pam Gunter Paul Gunter Savannah Risen
- 30 Eli Garrett



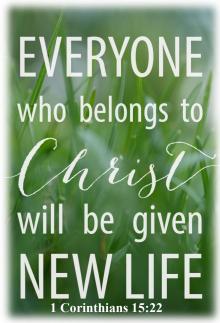
ANNIVERSARIES

- 1 Austin & Liz Youngblood
- 2 Diane & Christine Burke
- 5 Jeremy & Amy Russell
- 6 Wayne Jr. & Diana Henderson
- 8 Ralph & Bonnie Ellis Daniel & Rebecca Pittman
- 11 Jonathan & Roni Caswell
- 16 Scott & Nicole Cunningham
- 17 Jonathan & Cherie Gregory
- 18 Salvador & Sheila Rodriguez
- 21 Andy & Trish Butler
- 24 Andrew & Bessie Orsa
- 29 Paul & Pam Gunter



Morris & Maxine Adams Stanley & Cassie Bacon Betty Melvin Bob Walker Sr. / Mark Wilde Barbara Griffiths / Patsy Coco Jim & Elaine Skates Betty LeMarchand / Maleia Spears Lynn Garrett / Kendall Helms Glyn Garrett / Leona Campbell Mary Jane Stewart Patricia Treat / Sylvia Pace Jim & Velmaree Joiner Bob Adams / Lacy Adams Tina Cadenhead / Nola Rowell Angie Bradley / Cliff Troyer Ezra & Ragenia Nichols Richard & Barbara Martin Paul Garrett / Sandey Trimmer Dorothy Robinson / Marlene Melvin Richard Williams Our President, Nation & Military Unsaved / Unspoken First Responders Healthcare workers The World wide Coronavirus Concerns & the individuals impacted by this virus.





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 — April 2020

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday

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

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 Children & Discipleship
Senior Adult Pastor
Office Manager
Part-time Secretary
Custodian

Dr. Geoffrey Prows
Rev. Stephen Ferrand
Rev. Michael Barksdale
Rev. David Van Zandt
Connie Morgan
Emily Chaitha
Miley Coburn







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