

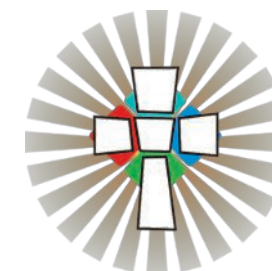
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For the past few summers, we have taken a break from our normal Sunday night schedule for what we have called LifeGroups. I am always encouraged by those who attend LifeGroups as I hear their testimonies of how much they enjoy this time of Bible Study together. So, this year as in the years past we are excited about LifeGroups! I have already begun making short videos that we will use to introduce and make application for our weekly times together and I am excited about this summer's study. I thought it would be a good time to answer some questions about LifeGroups and hopefully encourage some of you who do not attend – to attend – I assure you if you do, you will not regret spending time with your faith family, studying God's Word and fellowshiping together.

LifeGroup FAQs:

What will we study during LifeGroups?

This year we are doing something different than we have in the past. I, along with Steve, Corbin and Bristina, have selected some topics that we think will be useful for us to study together. Some of those include: A Call to Simplicity, A Call to Prayer, A Call to Worship, A Call to Commitment and others! This will be a great summer study.

What do we do with our Children?

Children are gifts from God and we want you to include your children in your LifeGroup. I know that children might disrupt your study, and they may walk in and have a need from a parent. But we celebrate that and want you to bring your children wherever you determine to go to study the Word. Students will meet at Corbin's home each week, but your children should go with you.

What are the dates for LifeGroups?

LifeGroups will meet May 27, June 3, June 10, June 24, July 1, July 15, July 22, and July 29. We will not meet June 17 because of Father's Day and we will all meet together at FBC on July 8 for LifeGroups Worship, a time to come back together and celebrate.

Who are the host homes?

We are still in need of host homes. As of today, we have three host homes, and we need at least four more. If you are willing, please sign-up or call/text me!

What will we miss if we choose not to participate?

You will miss gathering with the bride of Christ if you choose not to participate. You will miss sweet fellowship. You will miss Bible Study. You will miss laughter. You will miss encouraging others through struggles. You will miss celebration. You will miss growth. I hope you won't miss!

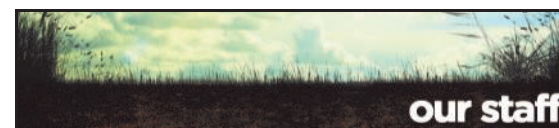
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The work of the Kingdom is the work of the Church

The Church at Work:

Tithes & Offerings:
 April 2018

Tithes & Offerings	55,301.00
SS Literature & Supplies	42.78
Children's Ministry	995.00
Youth Ministry	625.00
Social Committee	836.00
Building Fund	900.00
Annie Armstrong	3,328.00
Jeannine Leach	740.00
Haiti Missions	2,667.00
Backpack Ministry	174.00
Total Offerings	65,608.78



our staff

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Church Hostess: Karen Adkins	Associate Secretary: Margaret Rush

nurseryworkers

**SUNDAY MORNINGS
11:00 AM**

May 6

Melissa Carleton, Hilda Ferguson

May 13

Sandy Robinson, Whitney Capps

May 20

Mim Lott, Diane Norman,
Brandi Hansford

May 27

Kim Breland, Peggy Quinn



ATTENDANCE

April 1

287

April 8

225

April 15

217

April 22

176

April 29

224



TEACHERS:

May 6

Madonna Capps

May 13

Tammara Kennedy

May 20

Sandy Robinson

May 27

Renee' Adkins



New Members

Baily Johns

Shane & Lauren Robertson

**Deacon
of the week**

May 6

Joey Ezelle

May 13

John Henry

May 20

Jordan Robinson

May 27

Larry Driskell

**Wednesday Night
MENU**

May 2

Chicken Nuggets,
French Fries, Vegetables

May 9

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs,
Sausage Dogs, Chips,
Baked Beans

*Last Wednesday Meal

**STUDENT MINISTRY
DATES:**

Kayak Trip - Saturday, May 19

Cost: \$25.00

Fuge Camp - July 1-5

Cost \$279

Please pay your \$50.00 deposit as
soon as possible.



Celebrate with Our Seniors!

Sunday, April 6

Senior Recognition during
morning service.

Reception after Evening Service.

Congratulations,

Parker Breland, Lilly Burton, Mackenzie Dolan,
Dylan Hall, Lane Hanna, Matt Hennington,
Barley Johns, Macy Lott, Brant Lowery,
Jasmine McDonald, Eric Ogletree, Maloree Rigdon,
Katie Wolverton, Joey Chandlee, Julia Alexander!



Share God's love with our
special Home Bound
members through cards,
visiting, and prayer.

Maurice Cooksey
Elawease Boler
Jackie Richardson
Bonnie Ferguson
Floyd & Mary
Stafford Smith
Molly Parks
Shirlen Thomas
Ruby Jean Chaney

Rosemary Langley
Sewanna Dewease
Shirley &
Chester Estes
Lois Griffis
Chloe Luke
Pauline Gomillion
Bill Edwards

MAY 2018

Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.
6 8:30am - Deacons Meeting A.M. Worship - HS Senior Recognition Nursing Home Ministry-Children Book Signing 5pm - Prayer Meeting 6pm - Last D-Groups Meeting 7pm - Senior Reception	7	8	9 * Last Wednesday Night Supper 6:30 Children's Activities 6:30 Elevate Student Worship 6:30 Refresh Worship	10 FLC Reserved	11	12 FLC Reserved
13 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship 4:00pm - Baccalaureate Service No Evening Church Services	14	15 Sanctuary Reserved	16 6:30 Children's Activities 6:30 Elevate Student Worship 6:30 Refresh Worship	17	18	19 Youth Kayak Trip
20 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship 5:00pm - End of School Celebration	21	22	23 6:30 Children's Activities 6:30 Elevate Student Worship 6:30 Refresh Worship	24	25	26
27 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship 5:00pm - LifeGroups Begin	28	29	30 Summer Choir Practice Begins on Wednesdays 6:30 Children's Activities 6:30 Elevate Student Worship 6:30 Refresh Worship	31		

