

FAMILY NEWS



Upcoming Events

- 6.21.17 Wednesday Night Bible Class, 7:00p.m.
- 6.24.17 Men's Bible Class, 9:00a.m.
- 6.25.17 Birthright Baby Bottles are due.
- 6.29.17 Ladies Night, Pool Party at Karyl Burress' house from 4:00p.m. to 7:00p.m.. Bring your swim suit and snacks.
- 7.16-19.17 VBS 6:00-8:00p.m.

Prayer Requests

- Missions (Matt & Hannah Bridges, Davie Guill, Mike and Kris Bridges)
- Hannah Baker, Donnie Guill (Mission UpReach)
- Grayson Carter- Ft. Riley, Kansas;
- Nathaniel and Alexis Goodley, Hawaii- Wheeler Army Airfield
- Steve Izard
- Dan Scott, Friend of Mike Spane
- Patrick Hutto
- Izzy -Robin Smith's Grandchild
- Suzanne Kennedy
- Nelson Bright, Karen Oliver's Uncle
- AJ McElfresh
- Sara Hanle
- Mollie Carr, Kathy Upton's Niece
- Nate Reynolds
- Travis Jex
- Caleb, Dawn, Rochelle and Youth - IMPACT

"DAILY BREAD"

Jesus asks us to pray *My Father*, Give me today my daily bread. This idea is so simple and yet very life changing. There are many operative words in this short idea. The key words begin with My and Father and those two connected. God is your own personal, possessive Father. Think about that. Jesus wants us to pray to our Father, the God of the universe, as if He were our own possession, as a Daddy. When a person internalizes the own, personal Father component of God, the whole relationship turns. This Father never lets us down, never falls short, never comes up empty handed. The trouble is we don't believe the God of the universe is our Father. Let's Believe!

Give me today. What we have today is all we have. What we had yesterday is gone. Today is a gift from God and today God is providing all we need. You have today, all that God gave you. Tomorrow, when it becomes today He will once again give you all you need for Today. The Trouble is we don't know how to live in today and relish with gratitude the gift of today. Let's learn these things!

My daily bread. Bread is everything from biscuits to salvation. Every human soul needs love which originates with God, is received as a gift, on a daily basis in a dependable supply, from our Father. Beyond Love we need joy, peace, purpose, safety, security, relevance, and oh btw, we need food, clothing and shelter. He provides all of these things under the tab, *Bread*. The trouble is we don't see that it is Him providing and we don't trust he always will. Help us do better God.

At the end of the day this prayer is actually a promise. Jesus said pray like this and we can be sure when we get out on a limb of faith for Him He will not let us down. May we all Pray this prayer with great desire and great expectations!

Your Shepherds

Assembly Times

- Sunday Worship 9:30AM
- Sunday Class 11 AM
- AWANA, Sunday 10 AM
- Wednesday, 7 PM Bible Study

Weekly Stats

- AM Bible Class 95
- AM Bible Class Average 92
- AM Assembly 139
- AM Assembly Avg. 126
- Contribution \$7,607.68
- YTD Average Weekly \$7,549.72
- Weekly Budget \$8,143.77

Shepherds

- Larry Baker 542.1600
- Dennis Carter 957.4625
- Rick Chamberlain 859.409.2063
- Rom Kellis 608.3423
- Wayne Kellis 404.376.4085
- Ernie Oliver 391.1312

GENERAL INFORMATION

VBS

Please don't forget to register your child for VBS and invite a friend. The link is:

<https://kideventpro.lifeway.com/myChurch/?id=39846>

Anniversaries:

- 6.6 Larry & Valerie Baker
- 6.11 Mike & Kris Bridges
- 6.13 George & Christina Stewart
- 6.15 Lance & Kelli Daniel
- 6.23 Steve & Erma Izard
- 6.24 Jimmy & Jeanie Kirby

Birthdays:

- 6.23 Mark Cox
- 6.23 Ruben Macedo
- 6.27 Phil Harrison
- 6.27 Victor Attal

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Online Giving!

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Contact the office for recurring payments.

Opportunities to Serve

June 25, 2017

Worship: Connor Watkins

Sound: Chester Warren

Lord's Supper:

Mark Cox

Servers in June:

Justin Muery
Michael Spame
Cliff Brown
Rob Brannan
Derek Baxley
Jake Wisniewski

Greeters in June:

James & Karen Bost

Nursery:

Alma Ulmer
Karen Bost
Christine Stewart

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Guyana, South America: Basil Seeram and Ronald Thompson (romtom15@yahoo.com)

AIM Davie Guill, Hannah Baker, Donnie Guill & Mission UpReach in Honduras: Kris, Mike, Kaylee Bridges, Matt & Hannah Bridges

Worship Leader: Connor Watkins 843.670.5375

YOUTH NEWS

The past two weeks, during class time, I have created a curriculum for the children that uses the same verses that the adults are studying through the book of James. It has been very rewarding to discuss them and what they mean. They are internalizing the concepts and thinking of ways that they can use them in their lives. In sports, their daily activities, listening to their parents, and more! Here's a little bit about our first lesson- We started with James 1 verses 2-4 and 12. We discussed that having perseverance through trials will bring blessings, and ultimately the crown of life! Each child shared something that they viewed as a trial (sports or activities that are difficult for them were prevalent in the conversation, but we also discussed some emotions and other situations).

I changed some lyrics to help them remember what perseverance is- "Just keep trying, just keep trying, just keep trying, trying, trying!" It was fun to hear how each of them said the word "perseverance", too.

Then, they were able to share how they can/do try to persevere in their "trial". These two verses pair very well and the kids were able to connect these concepts to their own lives! It's my favorite part of working with them- when they connect Biblical concepts and truths to their lives.

Blessings,

Lauren Brannan

MEN'S MINISTRY

Last week we discussed the hope we all have for transformation, the goal of a "spiritual" life, and the truth about spiritual disciplines. Some very insightful comments were offered and we were encouraged as a group as testimonies were presented illustrating the evidence of transformation all around us.

Thank you for all in attendance and I look forward to voices being added to our conversations every week.

This week we'll be working through the spiritual disciplines of Celebration, Slowing, and Prayer.

Meeting times will be the same as last week (7pm Wednesday and 9am Saturday) in the dining room (next to the main worship room).

See you there to hear what you might have to say about the richness of this life as God intends for us to live it.

"I always thank my God for you because of his grace given you in Christ Jesus. For in him you have been enriched in every way - with all kinds of speech and with all knowledge."

- 1 Corinthians 1:4-5

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