

PICTORIAL DIRECTORIES ARE HERE!!

The Pictorial Directories are in! The directories will be available for pick up in the church office during office hours, and in the Welcome Center on Sunday mornings before and after worship. Please take one per family.

MEN'S ROUNDTABLE BIBLE STUDY

The Men's Round Table starts Monday, August 5th, at 6:30 p.m. in the youth building. We will be studying ideas from the book *Defying Normal*. Dinner will be provided



EXTENDED SESSION ROTATION

It is time to create the extended session rotation for the upcoming school year. Thanks to everyone who served in 2018/2019. If you are currently a part of this ministry and would like to change rooms, or can no longer serve, please contact Elizabeth Stone (864-353-9557) by August 11. We currently have three rooms of children that need volunteers to care for them during the worship service each week. If you would like to join this ministry, you would be welcome. It is a simple way to serve the children of our church and show the love of Jesus. Contact Elizabeth for details.



SUMMER AT FIRST

Please join us for **Lemonade on the Lawn** every Sunday in July following worship. Enjoy cookies and lemonade while visiting with friends.

Our **Summer Sermon Series** for July is entitled *Living in God's Amazing Grace*.

Again this July, we will acknowledge the heat of summer with **No Tie July!!**

FINANCIAL NEWS

Sunday Receipts (7-21-19)	\$	9,890.22
Year to Date Requirements	\$	417,719.48
Year to Date Receipts	\$	453,026.53
Sunday Receipts (7-28-19)	\$	15,910.00
Year to Date Requirements	\$	432,123.60
Year to Date Receipts	\$	468,936.53

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

Sunday School classes are reminded that their teacher assignments for next year must be given to Randy Fagg before August 4, 2019. It will soon be time to prepare the 2019-2020 Leadership Report.

YOUTH

Youth Bible Study is meeting on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the youth building through the month of August. I hope you will join us as we work through a study called *Truth Matters!*



"BACK TO SCHOOL GIVEAWAY"

It is important that all students feel confident and ready for the first day of school! We have an opportunity to make a difference in the lives of students and their families in Anderson School District 2 by partnering with others in collecting needed school supplies to be given out on August 9. There is a materials list in your Sunday School box as well as a teacher's wish list. As a church we are asking each Sunday School Class to collect supplies that are on the list or give money to support this effort. All your contributions will go directly to the area that you designate. Please have your supplies in by Thursday, August 8th.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday, August 4

10:00 a.m.

Sunday School

10:55 a.m.

Worship Service

Monday, August 5

6:30 p.m.

Men's Bible Study/Youth Building

Tuesday, August 6

5:00 p.m.

WEE Team Meeting

6:00 p.m.

Minister of Music Search Committee Meeting

7:00 p.m.

Property & Space Committee Meeting

Wednesday, August 7

6:00 p.m.

Youth Bible Study/Youth Building

Thursday, August 8

11:00 a.m.

Sunday School @ The Maples/Martha Pitts

LOOK UP LODGE REPORT

Our trip to Look Up Lodge was amazing! Thank you so much to the chaperones who gave their time to love and serve our kids. The theme for the weekend was God's "I AM" statements. We spent time learning about what it means to believe that God is who He says He is. The children were encouraged to seek Him and live for Him in their daily lives. We want to say a special thank you to everyone who prayed for our children and who gave financially to make this trip possible. Please continue to pray that all of our kids would come to know Christ with saving faith and live as His disciples as they learn and grow.



FIVE GIFTS FROM GOD

Love makes our friends a little dearer.
Joy makes our hearts a little lighter.
Faith makes our paths a little clearer.
Hope makes our lives a little brighter.
Peace brings us all a little nearer.

~ Author unknown

AUGUST 4, 2019

Worship Service T. Dale Lynch
Living in God's Amazing Grace Sermon Series
Grace That Changes Us
2 Corinthians 5:16-21

Offertory Prayer Jay Blake
Counting Committee Dawn Cothran, Becky Lowe
& Terrie Lollis

Usher & Safety Team Rex Maynard, Buddy Dempsey
Lane Ashley & Thomas Bell
Audio Visual Jimmy Ouzts & Tommy Norris

Deacon Greeters for August 4, 2019

Joseph Brice Marshall Keys
Chris Strickland Greg Tysl

Deacon Offertory Team for August 4, 2019

Jay Blake Marshall Keys
Chris Mumblow Mac Horton

Extended Session for Sunday, August 4, 2019

Nursery: Ross & Anna Pruitt
2's & 3's: Jeremy & Katy Sauceman
4's & 5's: Caroline & Emily Brown
Ext. Session Coordinator: Teresa Strickland (940-8639)

Children's Sermon: Grace Wurst

PRAYER CONCERNS

Patewood
Glenn Finley – (Mac Horton, deacon)

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 5 (Mon) Men's Bible Study begins
August 7 (Wed) Youth Bible Study begins
August 30 (Fri) Feed the Bears at BHP

THANK YOU NOTE

Our church family received a thank you note from Meredith Mitchell. This note and others items of interest are placed on the information board beside the office.

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THY WILL BE DONE

How many times have we prayed this? Everyone wants to know the will of God when they pray.

And this is the confidence that we have in him; that if we ask any thing according to his will, he heareth us, and if we know that we have the petitions that we desired of him. 1 John 5:14-15

Adrian Rogers said "the prayer that gets to heaven is the prayer that starts in heaven." He goes on to say that the Holy Spirit which lives within the Christian, finds that desire in our heart, and we send it back to heaven in the power of the cross. When the word of God gets in us, the Holy Spirit begins to pray in and through us and we begin to pray "Thy Will Be Done."

~ Randy Fagg

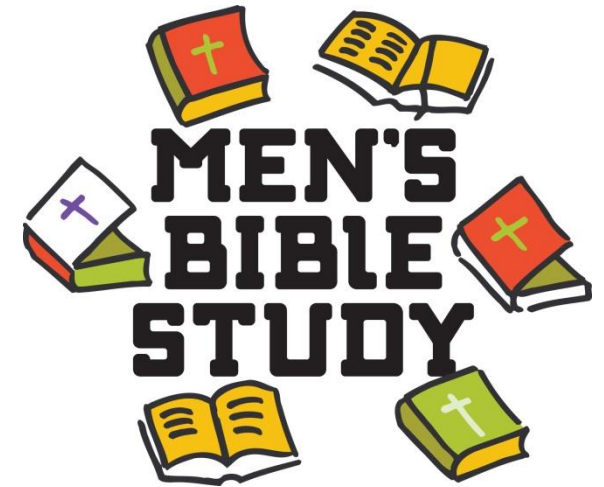
AS FOR ME
AND MY
family,
WE WILL SERVE
THE
Lord.
JOSHUA 24:15. NLT



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MONDAYS IN AUGUST

AUGUST 5th
6:30 P.M.
DINNER & BIBLE STUDY
YOUTH BUILDING