

# HILLCREST BAPTIST CHURCH

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January 7, 2018

Announcements		Keith Ruether
Mission Moment		
Welcome & Prayer		Pastor David Brown
Worship in Praise	<b><i>"A New Hallelujah"</i></b>	
Hymn Medley	<b><i>"The Solid Rock"</i></b> <b><i>"Heaven Came Down"</i></b>	Hymn #406 Hymn #438
Special Music		Linda Dudley
Offertory Hymn	<b><i>"Revelation Song"</i></b>	
Offertory Prayer		John Stowe
Children 3 years-Grade 3 leave for Children's Church		
Message	<b><i>Facing Your Fears in the New Year</i></b> <b><i>"Why Shouldn't I Be Afraid"</i></b> <b><i>Psalm 23</i></b>	Pastor David Brown
Opportunity to Respond	<b><i>"I Give You My Heart"</i></b>	

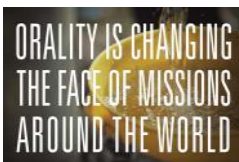
Hillcrest Baptist Church exists to see lost people saved,  
saved people disciplined, and disciplined people sent.

**Weekly Opportunities for Worship and Service  
January 7—January 13**

**Worship & Activity Schedule**

<b>Today</b>	<b>9:00 am</b> Connection Corner
	<b>9:30 am</b> Life Groups
	<b>10:30 am</b> Praise Celebration
	<b>5:00 pm</b> Deacons Meeting Mission Team in Library
	<b>6:00 pm</b> Evening Worship Jesus >Religion—Bradley Jemes Sharing God’s Word Through Storying— Mark and Mary Ann Randall Youth—Chuck Tyrrell Children—Doug & Marty Kinnett, Donna Jennings
<b>Monday</b>	<b>5:30 pm</b> Upward basketball practice
	<b>6:00 pm</b> Leadership Team
	<b>6:30 pm</b> Upward basketball practice
	<b>7:30 pm</b> Upward basketball practice
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>10:00 am</b> Ladies Bible Study—Marty Kinnett’s home
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>4:45 pm</b> Meal—Soup
	<b>5:40 pm</b> Awana
	<b>6:00 pm</b> Prayer/Bible Study Youth
	<b>7:30 pm</b> Choir Rehearsal
<b>Friday</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b> Associational Men’s Retreat, Lake Ozark
<b>Saturday</b>	Associational Men’s Retreat, Lake Ozark

Sharing God’s Word Through Storying will begin this evening at 6 pm in the Conference Room.



**BIBLE STUDY**



A new Wednesday night study will begin soon. If you would like a book, please sign the list in the Information Corner.

“The Greatest Thing in the World— A Study on Agape”

**Agape**

The Spiritual Disciplines class is starting a series on “Walking the Walk—Studying God’s Word to Learn His will.” The first study begins today.

**New Study**

A new 6 week Bible study called *Jesus is Greater than Religion* will begin this evening.



**Last Week at Hillcrest**

Life Groups	128
Praise Celebration	183
Evening Worship	—
Awana	—

**Budget Offering**

Requirement weekly	\$ 7,615.00
Received 12/31/17	\$ 7,498.08
Budget amount needed to date	\$205,488.08
Received to date:	\$200,972.44

**Loan**

Paid on loan principal this week	\$ 475.00
Loan balance	\$ 381,255.09

**Lottie Moon Offering Goal**

**\$5,200.00**

**Received**

**\$7,031.00**



**MEN’S WINTER RETREAT**



“The Good Fight” will be held at Cross Pointe Conference Center at Rocky Mount, MO, January 12-13, 2018. Check-in begins at 4 pm on

Friday and the conference is over after lunch on Saturday.

The keynote speaker is Spencer Plumlee, Senior Pastor of Riverview Baptist Church, Osage Beach, MO.

Cost is based on number of persons per room.

Registration forms are available at the Welcome Center and need to be returned to the Associational Office ASAP.

Ladies,

If you would like to be part of the Secret Sister exchange, or want



more information, please contact Jill Ambrose today.

**MISSION TRIP TO  
SENEGAL**



The next team going to Senegal is Ann Holley and Mary Ann Randall. They will be gone January 19-29. If you would like to give toward tents, SD cards, Bibles or their travel expenses, please designate on your offering envelope.

# ANNOUNCEMENT

We are going to leave up the Lottie Moon post office. If you normally receive a reminder card, Connection Corner schedule, nursery schedule, singing schedule, security schedule or any other reminders routinely in the mail, please check your mailbox for them instead. I will also put a calendar in each mailbox and instead of stapling inserts in the bulletins, they will be put here also. If your name is not on there, please let me know.

Dear Church Family,

*Thank you!*

We just wanted to say thank you for the many acts of kindness you showed to us this past Christmas season. We have enjoyed the goodies (in moderation of course) and think that Hillcrest has many wonderful cooks. We love you all and look forward to all that God has in store in 2018.

Love,  
Pastor David, Gena &  
the boys

Pastor Bradley & Hillcrest Baptist Church,

**THANK YOU!**

Bradley—Thank you for the kind words and testament you spoke at mom's service. Thank you for the beautiful Bible. I'll treasure it always.

Cerissa Welsh

Dear Friends,

I want to express my gratitude for the generous gift you sent to Samaritan's Purse. Thank you for your partnership and for praying for this ministry. It means more than you know.

In all that we do around the world, we want to share God's love .

May God richly bless you,  
Franklin Graham



**Operation Christmas Child**  
A PROJECT OF SAMARITAN'S PURSE

Kid's class begins again tonight at 6 pm led by Doug and Marty Kinnett and Donna Jennings. They will be working on mission projects as well as studying God's Word. Bring your kids to the FLC while you enjoy a class or evening worship.

## KIDS + MISSIONS



Operation Christmas Child Shoebox items for January are:

Hats, Gloves & Scarves



### JANUARY FOOD OF THE MONTH

Food of the month for January is spaghetti sauce.



A new sermon series from the book of Joshua will begin this evening on Courageous Christianity.

GriefShare will begin on Tuesday, January 23, at 6 pm in the Conference Room for 13 weeks. If you want to attend, please sign up in the Information Corner. If you know of someone who might be interested in the class, please let them know about it. Don and Vicky Copling will be the leaders.



Thank you to all of you who have bought gifts and committed to pray for my loves. I am so grateful for such a loving church family!

Love,  
Christina



### YOUTH EVENT!

Winter Jam will be Thursday, January 25, at JQH Arena in Springfield. Cost is \$15 and the vans will be leaving Lebanon right after school is out. Contact Bradley for a permission slip.



Have you gotten your invitation from RightNow Media? If not, please contact us we need your email address to make you part of this new ministry.

# Sermon Notes

## SUNDAY MORNING

### Facing Your Fears in the New Year "Why Shouldn't I be Afraid" Psalm 23

1. If the Lord is my shepherd, I can trust His \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 1-2)

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2. If the Lord is my shepherd, I can trust His \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 3)

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3. If the Lord is my shepherd, I can trust His \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 4)

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4. If the Lord is my shepherd, I can trust His \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 5-6)

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The Bottom Line? \_\_\_\_\_ beats \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_.

## SUNDAY EVENING

### Courageous Christianity "Boldly Going Where You've Never Gone Before" Joshua 1:1-9

1. To boldly go where you've never gone before you must \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_.

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2. To boldly go where you've never gone before you must \_\_\_\_\_ with you.

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3. To boldly go where you've never gone before you must have \_\_\_\_\_.

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4. To boldly go where you've never gone before you must \_\_\_\_\_.

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## WELCOME CENTER & USHERS

**Today, Jan. 7**  
**Welcome Center**  
Carol Pace  
Cheryl Foltz

**Ushers**  
Ben Foltz  
Gary Pace  
Jim Long  
Larry Hill  
Justin Slye  
R. D. Brown

**Next Sunday, Jan. 14**  
**Welcome Center**  
Kay Cruz  
Sharon O'Dell

**Ushers**  
Jim O'Dell  
Tim Blake  
Mark Randall  
Paul Dudley  
Justin Stephens  
John Stowe

## CHILD CARE

**Today, Jan. 7**  
**Morning Service**  
Dale & Ava Baker  
Ben & Callie Shaw

**Evening Service**  
Deidra Edwards  
Jackie Senate

**Children's Church 3 yr.-K**  
Marty Kinnett  
Jennifer Kinnett

**Children's Church Gr. 1-3**  
Shawn & Sara Light

**Wednesday, Jan. 10**  
Tim & Nancy Blake

**Awana, Jan. 3**  
Pastor David

**Next Sunday, Jan. 14**  
**Morning Service**  
Judy Clark  
Casey Copling  
Deidra Edwards  
Halie Howlett

**Evening Service**  
Sue Stowe  
Jane Bunch

**Children's Church 3 yr.-K**  
John & Amanda Frazier  
Anna Stephens

**Children's Church Grade 1-3**  
Robert & Donna Jennings

**Wednesday, Jan. 17**  
Paul & Mary Dudley

**Wednesday, Jan. 17**  
David Veanes

## SECURITY MONITORS

**Sunday Services**  
9:00 am  
5:30 pm

**Awana**  
4:45 pm

**Today,**  
Justin Slye  
Justin Stephens

**Wed. Jan. 10**  
Keith Ruether

**Next Sunday, Jan. 14**  
Don Copling  
Don Porter

**Wed. Jan. 17**  
Doug Kinnett

**Today** **CONNECTION CORNER** **Sunday, Jan. 14**  
Bill & Linda Salsman Tricia Cusic & Jill Ambrose

## DEACON ON CALL

**Week of Jan. 7** **Week of Jan. 14**  
John Stowe 573-645-0201 Jack Francisco 718-3140

## VAN DRIVER

**Today** **Sunday, Jan. 14**  
Tim & Nancy Blake Doug Kinnett & Rod Everage

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Donald Copling Custodian	108	417-718-2185

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