

# HILLCREST BAPTIST CHURCH

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**December 30, 2018**

Call to Worship

*"Open Up the Heavens"*

Announcements/Welcome/Prayer

Pastor David Brown

Worship in Praise

*"At the Cross (Love Ran Red)"  
"Down at the Cross"*

Hymn #140

Offertory Music

*"We Will Remember"*

Offertory Prayer

Don Porter

Children 3 yrs.-9 yrs. leave for Children's Church

Special Music

Kathi Williams

Message

*Romans: God's Amazing Grace  
"Principles for Harmonious Living in the Body of Christ"  
Romans 14:1-23*

Pastor David Brown

Opportunity to Respond

*"Lord, I Need You"*

Lord's Supper

Departing Hymn

*"We Are One in the Bond of Love"*

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

**Weekly Opportunities for Worship and Service  
December 30—January 5**

**Worship & Activity Schedule**

**Today**      **9:00 am** Connection Corner  
                  **9:30 am** Life Groups  
**10:30 am** Praise Celebration  
                  **6:00 pm** Evening Worship  
                  Kids—Marty Kinnett & Donna Jennings  
                  Common Man, Uncommon Life—Rod  
                  Everage  
**Tuesday**      New Year's Day—Office closed  
**Wednesday** **6:00 pm** Bible Study and Prayer  
**Saturday**    **7:00 am** Men's Prayer Breakfast  
                  **10:00 am** Can We Talk



There will be no meal, youth, Awana or choir rehearsal this Wednesday evening. We will have prayer and Bible study.

1 CORINTHIANS 16:13-14

Be on the Alert,  
Stand Firm in the  
Faith, Act Like Men, be Strong.

**MEN'S WINTER RETREAT**

January 11-12, 2019

Cross Pointe Conference Center

Rocky Mount, MO On the Lake of the Ozarks



Special Guest-Spencer Plumlee,  
Senior Pastor  
First Baptist Church, Mansfield, TX

Worship with Nathan Warson  
LifePoint Church, Worship Pastor, Lebanon, MO



ALERT \* FAITHFUL \* HOPEFUL \* LOVING

**Registration forms may be picked up  
in Connection Corner.**

**Last Week at Hillcrest**

Life Groups	171
Praise Celebration	234
Evening Worship	—
Awana	—

**Budget Offering**

Requirement weekly	\$ 7,731.00
Received week of 12/23/18	\$ 7,753.39
Budget amount needed	\$201,006.00
Budget amount received	\$208,592.69

**Loan**

Paid on loan principal this week	\$ 3,404.19
Loan balance	\$ 322,637.90

We will be observing the Lord's Supper at the end of the service this morning.



**COMING IN JANUARY**

- 3—School resumes  
Homeschoolers resume basketball practice in FLC each Thursday
- 4—Pastors & Wives Fellowship
- 5—Men's Prayer Breakfast
- 6—Deacons' Meeting
- 7—Leadership Meeting  
Upward Basketball practice begins in FLC and continues each Monday and Tuesday
- 11-12—Men's Retreat at Rocky Mount, MO
- 13—DAMAC concert at Heritage Baptist
- 18—Game night
- 19—Men's Prayer Breakfast
- 20—Sanctity of Human Life Sunday  
Business Meeting
- 26—Upward games begin

Need something to do in January? There are a lot of activities going on here at the church. You can come watch basketball practice or games and interact with the people who are here. Or you can come to Game Night and play Mexican Train. If you don't know how, we'll show you. Men have their normal breakfast times and a retreat that will be awesome. Youth, invite your friends to go with you to the DAMAC concert!

### WANTED: VAN DRIVER

Requirements: Must like ice cream, kids, grown-ups, driving, little animals, pot holes, road closed signs, and last but not least, map reading.



Skills: Ability to drive many miles on a short road, answer the question "Are we there yet?", and pass the test, "This isn't my house."

Pay: A blessing every trip. See Tim Blake to sign up.



### WILL YOU HELP?

There is a sign-up sheet in Connection Corner for Upward Basketball and Cheerleading. If you would like to help with concessions, be a referee or scorekeeper, or will pray, please add your name.

### DAMAC

Hillcrest and Heritage will be sponsoring DAMAC in concert in Lebanon on Sunday, January 13. Beginning time is 5:30 pm. Youth, please let Pastor Bradley know if you plan to attend.



### LOTTIE MOON OFFERING

**GOAL: \$5,750.00**  
**Received to Date: \$6,824.53**



Youth still have cards for sale. They are only \$10 and are good for a year. Many food places, TanFastic, RiverFront Canoe Rentals, Pit Lane and Flashback Studio are included.



## YOU WILL BE MY WITNESSES

Acts 1:8

### Service Opportunities

#### Immediate Opportunities:

- Work in Awana
- Help with Upward Basketball & Cheerleading

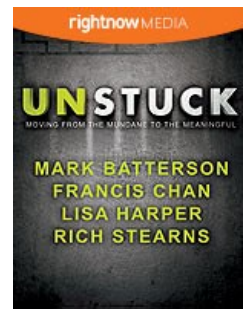
#### Ongoing Opportunities:

- Go on a mission trip
- Give to the Christmas Project for Hillcrest Education Center
- Donate to Human Trafficking victims

...and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost parts of the earth.

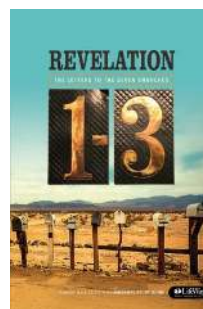
### DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING

A new Discipleship Training class, *Unstuck*, will begin on Sunday, January 20, at 6:00, and will be facilitated by Gena Brown.



This is not the same class that was held in the fall. This is a video driven class from RightNow Media that has several different authors, one of whom is Frances Chan. The class will meet for five weeks. A sign-up sheet is in Connection Corner.

### REVELATION 1-3



There is a sign-up sheet in Connection Corner for those who would like to have a Winter Bible Study book. The Sunday night sermon series beginning in January will be using this book as a guide. Cost is \$8.00.

### FINANCIAL REPORTS

Financial reports for November are in Connection Corner.



Wednesday night meals and Awana will resume on January 9.

# Sermon Notes

## MORNING WORSHIP Romans: God's Amazing Grace "Principles for Harmonious Living in the Body of Christ" Romans 14:1-23

1. We must always be careful to \_\_\_\_\_  
Biblical \_\_\_\_\_.
2. We must always be careful to \_\_\_\_\_  
our \_\_\_\_\_.
3. We must always be careful to \_\_\_\_\_  
offensive \_\_\_\_\_.

## EVENING WORSHIP "The Shrewd Steward" Luke 16:1-13

1. We are called to use opportunities wisely.
2. We are called to use material possessions faithfully.
3. We are called to serve God completely.

### WELCOME CENTER & USHERS

**Today, Dec. 30**  
**Welcome Center**  
Vicky Copling  
Nancy Blake

**Next Sunday, Jan. 6**  
**Welcome Center**  
Cheryl Foltz  
Sharon O'Dell

**Ushers**  
Don Copling  
Steve Scott  
Mike McDaniel  
Paul Dudley  
Dean Holley  
Gary Pace

**Ushers**  
Tim Blake  
Jim O'Dell  
Dean Morrow  
R. D. Brown  
Ben Foltz  
Shawn Light

### CHILD CARE

**Today, Dec. 30**  
**Morning Service**  
Kim & Justin Stephens  
Deidra Edwards

**Next Sunday, Jan. 6**  
**Morning Service**  
Kisha Lundblade  
Larry & Vicki Atkinson

**Evening Service**  
Jackie Senate  
Jane Bunch

**Evening Service**  
Deidra Edwards  
Jackie Senate

**Children's Church 3 yr.-K**  
Carolyn & Cindy Roberts  
Anna Stephens

**Children's Church 3 yr.-K**  
Deidra Edwards  
Freddy Jennings

**Child. Church Ages 6-9**  
Shawn & Sara Light

**Child. Church Ages 6-9**  
Robert & Donna Jennings

**Awana, Jan. 2**  
No Awana

**Awana, Jan. 9**  
Pastor David

**Nursery, Jan. 2**  
No nursery

**Nursery, Jan. 9**  
Sue Stowe  
Ann Holley

### SECURITY MONITORS

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

**Today, Dec. 30**  
Grant Kinnett  
Brian Wallace

**Sunday, Jan. 6**  
Jim Long  
John Stowe

**AWANA**  
4:45 pm

**Wed. Jan. 2**  
No Awana

**Wed. Jan. 9**  
Shawn Light

**Today**  
Chuck & Kathy Tyrrell

**CONNECTION CORNER**  
Tricia Cusic & Jill Ambrose

**Sunday, Jan. 6**

**Week of Dec. 30**  
Don Porter 532-3673

### DEACON ON CALL

**Week of Jan. 6**  
Don Copling 718-2185

### VAN DRIVER

**Today**  
Doug Kinnett & Rod Everage

**Sunday, Jan. 6**  
Tim & Nancy Blake

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