

HILLCREST BAPTIST CHURCH

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April 2, 2017

Baptism

Announcements

Keith Ruether

Mission Moment

Welcome & Prayer

Pastor David Brown

Worship in Praise

"Days of Elijah"

Hymn Medley

" O Worship the King"

Hymn # 16

"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

Hymn #333

Special

Steven Strauch

Offertory Hymn

"All I Have is Christ"

Offertory Prayer

Jim O'Dell

Offertory

Children 3 years –Grade 3 leave for Children's Church

Message

When Jesus Comes to Church
"The Ultimate Invitation"
Revelation 3:14-22

Pastor David Brown

Opportunity to Respond

"Softly and Tenderly"

Hymn #312

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

Weekly Opportunities for Worship and Service
April 2-April 8

Worship & Activity Schedule

Today	8:30 am Pictures for directory
	9:00 am Connection Corner
	9:30 am Life Groups
	10:30 am Praise Celebration
	12:00 pm Pictures for directory
	5:00 pm Deacons Meeting
	6:00 pm Evening Worship
	Team Kids—Sarah Hemphill
	Children—Marty & Jen Kinnett, Sarah Light
	Youth—Bradley Jemes
	Disciples Making Disciples—Mark & Mary Ann Randall's, 151 Smith Rd.
	Stepping Up—Chuck Tyrrell
Monday	6:00 pm Leadership Team
	Ladies Bible Study at Ava Baker's, 23821 Pine Tree Drive
Tuesday	10:00 am Ladies Bible Study at Ava Baker's home
Wednesday	4:45 pm Family Meal—Breakfast
	5:30 pm Fast Track
	5:50 pm Awana
	6:00 pm Bible Study/Prayer
	Youth
	7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	6:00 pm Coffee, Friends and Jesus
Friday	9:00 am WMU Annual Meeting
	5:30 pm Youth at Camp
Saturday	8:00 am Great Outdoors Day
	9:00 am WMU Annual Meeting

Last Week at Hillcrest

Sunday School/Life Groups	170
Praise Celebration	220
Evening Services	79
Awana	76

Budget Offering

Requirement weekly:	\$ 7,346.00
Received 3/26/17	\$ 7,280.00
Budget amount needed to date	\$ 286,501.00
Received to date:	\$ 299,968.61

Loan

Paid on loan principal this week	\$ 1,155.00
Loan balance	\$ 449,284.75

We are producing our own Church Directory!



Debbie Handley will be taking pictures in the foyer each Sunday morning for the next few weeks before Sunday School and after morning worship.



Thanks to all who have brought food to the last couple of funeral dinners. Please know that you are appreciated by the committee and the families that receive the food.

Kay Cruz and Benevolent Team

We will observe the Lord's Supper next Sunday morning, April 9.



Dear Church Family,

THANK YOU!

Our love and gratitude for your prayers for our son, Mitch, during this surgery in the Dominican Republic and flight back to the U.S. The calls from Pastor David, the texts we received, and the many prayers that went up were all very comforting in a stressful time.

His is recovering well in Sioux Falls. We know our Lord was in control and that He answered each prayer!

May God bless each of you,
 Randy and Debby Sutter

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Thank you to my wonderful church and church family for the love you showed my family in the death of Chuck Woolsey. The two Pastors were so uplifting that the funeral was not in the least depressing. And the meal after the funeral was beyond description. The ladies were so sweet and thoughtful that worked that day, and Dean worked so hard over the dirty dishes! What a sweet person—and besides that he got the basketballs out for the young ones. I really appreciate all that was done for us. I love you all!

Marilyn Crain

Please fill out the survey form attached to the bulletin and return it to the church office by next Sunday evening, April 9. We currently have positions open for:

- Grade 4-5 Sunday School
- Bereavement Team
- Finance Team
- Hospitality Team
- Mission Team
- Nominating Team



VBS WORKERS

We will have a short meeting after the morning service today. We will be ordering shirts and going over other information. If you haven't yet signed up to help, come anyway. We still have open spots.

IT TAKES MANY PEOPLE TO HAVE A SUCCESSFUL VBS!

Nominating Team will meet
next Sunday, April 9, at 5. pm.



The Missouri WMU Missions Celebration and Annual Meeting is at First Baptist Church April 7-8. Mary Ann Randall needs volunteers to help with collection of mission project items that will be donated at the Conference. Please contact Mary Ann if you are interested in helping.



There is a sign-up sheet in the information hallway for our Church League Softball team. If you want to play, sign up today. See Justin Stephens for details.

HELP NEEDED



Workers are needed to help with Great Outdoors Day on Saturday, April 8. We are in charge of the bounce houses, cotton candy, snow cones and games. There is a sign-up sheet in the hallway.

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We also need cans of soda for the ring toss game. If you would like to donate cans, please bring them to the office by noon Friday.



VBS ON MISSIONS

VBS Clinic, Tuesday, April 11, at 6:30 pm here at Hillcrest. Learn how VBS can be a mission outreach in your community.



There will be guest speakers, networking, sharing, praying, prizes and refreshments.

If you don't yet know where you want to help in VBS, please come to this meeting. It may help clarify what you need to do. **YOU** are needed!



We will be decorating for Easter! We don't yet know the price, but if you would like to donate a lily in remembrance of a loved one when we get that information, please mark an envelope "Easter Lilies" or give to Vicky Copling.

Lilies may be picked up after Easter services.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY

BLESSING BAGS



Women's Ministry and Children's Church are wanting to put together Blessing Bags. If you can donate items, they will be collected until Easter Sunday. The next week they will be put together at a camping get together.

A list of item needed is on a table in the information hallway along with instructions on how to package items. Feel free to take one of these lists.

Please place your items in the tub provided in the hallway.



The annual Awana Leader's Luncheon will be held on Sunday, April 23rd, immediately after the morning service in the Family Life Center. If you teach, work in the kitchen, drive/supervise a van, lead the music, do the stories, help with Fast Trac, etc. you are invited to the luncheon. Spouses and children are also welcome to attend. Please sign up on the list on the Awana table in the Information Hallway by Wednesday, April 19th.

GriefShare begins Sunday night, April 23, at 6 pm. If you know of someone who might benefit from this class, please give us their name and we will send them information.



There will be a Disaster Relief Training in Nixa, MO April 28-29. We will be taking a van for people of the association who want to be certified or re-certified. Registration is done online and you need to have a new background check and a letter of recommendation from the Pastor. The website is www.mobaptist.org/dr.

Pregnancy Support Center is holding their annual Walk 4 Life Thursday, May 11, at Atchley Park. Pledge sheets are located on a table in the Information Hallway. See Jane Bunch or Judy Clark if you have questions.



ANNIE ARMSTRONG GOAL \$6,000

Received to date \$1,862

Sermon Notes

SUNDAY MORNING
When Jesus Comes to Church
“The Ultimate Invitation”
Revelation 3:14-22

- Jesus extends the ultimate invitation despite a _____ of _____.
- Jesus extends the ultimate invitation despite a _____ of _____.
- Jesus extends the ultimate invitation despite a _____ of _____.

SUNDAY NIGHT
“Lessons From a Genealogy”
Genesis 5:1-32

- Seth’s life reminds us that God can take our _____ and give us a _____.
- Enosh’s life reminds us that God _____ our _____ and _____ our _____.
- Enoch’s life reminds us that it’s never _____ to _____ with _____.
- Noah’s life reminds us that _____ and _____ ultimately come from _____.

WELCOME CENTER & USHERS

Today, April 2
Welcome Center
 Kay Cruz
 Sue Stowe

Next Sunday, April 9
Welcome Center
 Nancy Blake
 Peggy Francisco

Ushers
 Justin Stephens
 Dean Morrow
 Jim O’Dell
 Dave Brisco
 John Stowe
 Jim Long

Ushers
 Tim Blake
 Justin Slye
 Jack Francisco
 Gilbert Mendoza
 Brian Wallace
 Mark Kontos

CHILD CARE

Today, April 2
Morning Service
 Dale & Ava Baker
 Kirsten Snow
 Ben & Callie Shaw

Next Sunday, April 9
Morning Service
 Judy Clark
 Casey Copling
 Jen Kinnett
 Sybil Oursbourn
 Halie Howlett

Evening Service
 Deidra Edwards
 Jackie Senate

Evening Service
 Jane Bunch
 Deidra Edwards

Children’s Church 3 yr.-K
 Kim & Justin Stephens
 Anna Stephens

Children’s Church 3 yr. –K
 Chuck & Kathy Tyrrell
 Freddy Jennings

Children’s Church Gr. 1-3
 Scott & Lynette Franklin

Children’s Church Gr.1-3
 Kalem & Kara Copling

Wed., April 5
 Don & Vicky Copling

Wed., April 12
 Mary Dudley
 Lacey LaFon

Awana, April 5
 Ann Holley

Awana, April 12
 Pastor David

<u>Today</u>	<u>CONNECTION CORNER</u>	<u>Next Sunday</u>
Ava Baker & Lynette Franklin		Netti Percival & Nancy Blake

DEACON ON CALL

Week of April 2
 Jim O’Dell 718-1271

Week of April 9
 David Veanes 532-1021

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