

Messenger

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Schedule of Events

MAY:

2-National Day of Prayer

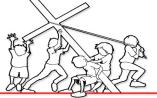
JUNE:

11-12 Southern Baptist Convention –Birmingham Alabama

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Photos County Reptist Association Summer Camps

Day Camp July 22

Kindergarten thru 1st Grade*

Overnight Camp

July 26-27 Grades 2 and 3*

Children's Camp

July 31-Aug 3rd Grades 4 thru 6*

Youth Camp July 15-19 Grades 7 thru 12*

*Grade Just Completed

DIRECTIONS Hwy 63 South, 13 mi just past the Lane Spring sign (on r1). Cross bridge at bottom of the hill, and take an immediate left and look for the Baptist Camp sign. Take the little road through the woods to the scenic PCBA Campground. 13.1 miles

Register thru your church or the PCBA office (364-8313) or phelpscountybaptist.org

Mustard Seeds

And because they did not think it worthwhile to acknowledge God, God delivered them over to a corrupt mind so that they do what is not right.

Romans 1:28

Do you ever just want to shout, "What it in the world is going on with this world?!?" The things that were once deemed right are now deemed wrong, and the wrong reasoned as right. It is not so much that it is anything new, it just seems to have intensified and multiplied at an unheard-of rate in recent times. But the existence of all kinds of corruption and its resulting doom have been with us for some time, e.g., see the message of Isaiah in Isaiah 5:18ff. Paul, the apostle, addressed the issue of sin run rampant as well in the beginning of his epistle to the Romans. The progression of such tumultuous sin has a natural, and unfortunately all too common, progression of repetition. It looks like this as described in the book of Romans:

- God clearly reveals Himself to people so that they might realize who He is (1:18-20)
- Sinful people, nevertheless, foolishly exchange adoration of God for obsession with His creation (1:21-25)
- Waywardness from God leads to disgraceful and disgusting acts that God at last allows them to engage and continue in, and to receive its ruinous consequences (1:26-32)
- God's righteous and just judgement falls on everyone who refuses to repent and turn to Him (2:1-16)

So, just how is the man or woman of God to respond to the torrent of rebellion, immorality, and waywardness that is surging all around?

- Know what the Lord Himself proclaims to be right and wrong. Study His
 word zealously. Pray to Him fervently. Listen to His Holy Spirit attentively.
 When we do this, we will be far less likely to replace His righteousness with our
 own self-seeking mores.
- Encourage others who are His disciples to do the same, and if you have the opportunity as a parent, pastor, teacher, or through some other avenue of leadership to teach them the righteousness of God, by all means do so.
- Be vigilant that what you say and teach correspond to the reality of your own actions. Paul speaks to that very issue to the Romans (2:1-11). That is not to say that we must have reached perfection before we can speak to God's righteousness, but that our normal way of life does not reflect the very actions that the Lord deems as sin.

Ken.

The world will continue to do what the world does. Unrepentant sinners will continue to sin as long as they are unrepentant, and to receive sins' just rewards. Oh, how urgent it is to share with them the good news that leads to life, and as we do, to be certain to live our own lives according to the

standards of the Holy and Almighty Lord, and not our own.

DOM Report- April 2019

Attended New Home Baptist Church Children's Camp Meeting Participated in International Connection Point Skate Friend of BSU Executive Board Meeting Judge for Children's Bible Drill Acts 1:8 Mission Vision Team Meeting Visited ICP Minister Attended Jerome Baptist Church Attended South Central Director of Missions Meeting Met with pastor of FBC Rolla **PCBA Executive Board Meeting** Preached at New Home Baptist Church Sunrise Service Met with pastor of Spring Creek Baptist Church Met with PCBA camp caretaker Shared about Honduras mission trip at Spring Creek Baptist Church Spoke at Tuesday evening BSU gathering

PASTOR SPOTLIGHT:

Paul Craine - Pastor, First Baptist, Jerome



Background: Vicky and I met in Germany while I was serving with the Army and she worked there for a government contracted site team. We were married December 10, 1988 and have 5 children and 21 grandchildren. Paul and Vicky have served with Child Evangelism Fellowship (CEF)27 years, serving as local directors in St. Joseph, MO; State Director

Columbia, MO; Directors of Native America Ministries in Flagstaff, AZ, and as Local Directors in South Central (Waynesville) since December 2007. Paul has served as Pastor for the First Baptist Church of Jerome since 2010.

When time allows they enjoy reading, maybe a ride on their motorcycle and relaxing with the dogs Sophie (rescue dog) and Henry.

Ministering on Ft. Leonard Wood, Paul and Vicky conduct Children's Church for Soldier Memorial Chapel Sunday morning. Children's Church for Cross Roads Service at the Main Post Chapel Sunday evening. Teen Bible study Monday evening, preschool class Tuesday morning, Kids For Christ Tuesday afternoon and Warriors For Christ Wednesday evening. The ministry's we conduct on Ft. Leonard Wood are based on Child Evangelism Fellowship's Good News Clubs. Paul also joins the CEF staff of Missouri in Warrenton, MO to conduct a Junior Christian Youth In Action(CYIA) in May and an intensive 2 week CYIA in June.

Camp Caretaker notes:

- * Tommy has been busy upgrading the lights and ceiling fans in the chapel. He has cleaned out the back rooms of the chapel from all the years of old stuff being collected.
- * There has also been some tree trimming between the chapel and dining hall.
- * A new gas BBQ grill has been purchased for our cooks and churches to use at camp and other times!
- * The parking lot at the PCBA office has had a much needed makeover. The gravel has been expanded to accommodate more stable parking.

Thank you Tommy!

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Pray for our students during this crazy time of the semester! They are looking at finals and projects due. We have four graduating with Bachelor's degrees: Abigail Davis, Jacob Johnson, Reuben French, and Seth Listhartke. Additionally, Barbara Rutter will receive her PhD and Brent Hrebec is completing his Master's and will receive it this summer.

We will have a very few students in town this summer and look forward to good Bible studies with them.

Here's some exciting news: The Missouri Baptist Convention owns the BSU property and is making plans and contacts to update just about everything. I don't know how soon it will get started, but we're ready for a bit more than a facelift around here.

Dr. Jagat Lamsal is ready to jump back into seeking to win internationals in Rolla. Please, pray for him as he continues recover physically and. You can contact Jagat at: jnlamsal03@gmail.com or 573-639-0254.

You can help ensure students at Missouri S&T continue to have experiences like this and like you enjoyed here at the Baptist Student Union. Please, pray about giving.

Please, <u>continue</u> to tithe through your local church and support our associations. Missouri S&T (MSM & UMR) graduates, more than many, are **blessed with jobs that pay well**. We would love for all alumni to participate as blessed by the Lord and led by the Holy Spirit.

If you would like to help, there are a number of ways to do so. **Checks** should be made out to the **Friends of the Baptist Student Union at Missouri S&T, Inc.** All donations should be mailed directly to Legends Bank at the following address:

Legends Bank P.O. Box 1517 Rolla, MO 65402-1517

The *PayPal* option, is available on our website: **rollabsu.com**. Remember that *PayPal* charges just over 3% per transaction. You may want to set up an **Authorization for Direct Payment**. The form is on our website. Thank you for your continued prayers and financial support. The Lord is using us to impact students' lives for the Kingdom. May the Lord bless you!

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WMU

Cherri Crump from Rolla 1st finished her 5 year term as Missouri WMU President.

Thank you Cherri for your dedication, time and service to Missouri WMU.



SPRING CREEK

For details, see http://springcreekbaptistrolla.org

- * Vacation Bible School, "Wild Encounters with Jesus" May 31, Friday evening, 5:30 - 8:00 PM June 1, Saturday 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM June 2, Sunday 11:00 VBS presentation, fellowship dinner afterwards, the church will provide meat, bring a side-dish or dessert. (ALL children pre-K through 6th grade are welcome!)
- * Independence Day Fireworks Display at Spring Creek July 7, Sunday evening, ice-cream social before dark, then fireworks (tentative - more details later)
- * Centered in the Outdoors July 20, Saturday all day Outdoor sporting activities, competitions, with prizes Lunch will be provided All ages welcome, with activities for children and adults (More details will be in the June update)

CAMP CLEAN-UP WEEK IS - July 1st thru 8th, 2019

ASSIGNMENTS FOR CAMP CLEAN-UP

CABIN

#1 **Edgar Springs** Spring Creek #2

#3 Jerome

#4 New Life Fellowship

#5 St. James

#6 #7 Newbura

PCBA Office

Macedonia #8

#9 Kentuck

Chapel – PCBA Office

Kitchen and Dining Room - Rolla First & Salem Avenue

Cooks Quarters (behind kitchen) - New Home Camp Director Quarters (back of dining hall) - Philadelphia Men's & Women's (Center) Shower House - Ft. Wyman Boy's & Girl's Shower Houses - Mt. Olive Pavilion, Nurses Station and Snack Shop - Mt. Zion

VBS 2019

FT WYMAN

VBS - Friday, June 21 6:00-8:30 PM

Saturday June 22 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM (lunch provided)

Sunday June 23 10:00-11:00 AM (during Sunday school time and Sunday evening at 6:00 for family night.

We are doing the Lifeway "Into the Wild" theme. Ages 4 thru 6th grade

FIRST BAPTIST, ST. JAMES

VBS - July 8-12, 9 am - 12 pm Theme is: In The Wild



MACEDONIA

We will be hosting Trinity River Band on May 19th Please be in prayer for Pastor Dave as he battles some health issues. God Bless!

MT OLIVE

VBS - JULY 8-12 6-8PM THEME: ROAR! Life is Wild!



PHILADELPHIA

*VBS = June 2-5 Ages 3-12th grade 6pm-8pm

*June 22nd - Singing w Matt Felts Dinner at 6:00 and concert 7:00

FIRST BAPTIST, ROLLA

VBS is June 23-26, 2019 each evening 6:00-8:30 p.m. with the Extravaganza on Thursday, June 27 with dinner at 6:00 p.m. in the Ministry Center and SplashZone 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Theme this year is: "ROAR! Life is Wild * God is Good!"

SALEM AVENUE

VBS = June 9-13 ATHENS: PAULS DANGEROUS JOURNEY TO SHARE THE TRUTH



MISSIONS ON THE MOVE:

SALEM AVENUE BAPTIST FOOD PANTRY.

The Food Pantry at Salem Avenue Baptist Church works cooperatively with GRACE to help provide food and essentials for individuals and families in need.

GRACE provides vouchers for families on a first-come, first-serve basis at GRACE on the morning that the Food Pantry is open. Once the vouchers are given, the church that has the food pantry for that day to call and find out how many families will be served that day. US Foods brings a truck to GRACE every week with produce to be used in the food orders that someone from Food Pantry picks up to be used. Perishables and other items are bought at Walmart to fill the food orders. The first client comes at 1:30 and then every 10 minutes until all the families are served.

Salem Avenue Baptist Church is responsible for the 2nd, 3rd and 5th Wednesdays and the 2nd Thursday of each month. Other churches that participate in food pantries during the month are First Baptist, Immanuel Lutheran, St. Patrick Catholic Church, First United Methodist, Redeemer Lutheran and Central Community Church of God.

Donations are always accepted for the food pantry. A list of items needed are in the church weekly bulletin or monthly newsletter.

The SAB Food Pantry is under the supervision of Charles & Kay Rauls, with the help of Joyce Knapp, Bill Bacon, Dottie Reno, Suzanne Phillips, Jaci Huebner and Trudy Matlock.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NEWBURG

April will be busy with our Prayer Warriors meeting at the home of our own Gloria Lewis on April 2nd.

On the 17th of April the Community Good Friday service will be held at our church beginning at 7:00 in the evening.

There will be an Easter Egg hunt in the afternoon on Saturday, April 13th at the church. Bring a basket!

Our Easter Service will be held on the 21st, Easter Sunday morning.

And don't forget our Abundant Blessings Food Distribution beginning at 9 a.m. on the 20th.

Psalm 34:18 "The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit."

TREASURER'S REPORT APRIL, 2019

PHELPS COUNTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
Edgar Springs	382.00	Pastoral Ministries	
Ft. Wyman		Conferences	
Jerome	184.00	Missions Team	
Kentuck		Baptist Student Union	500.00
Mt. Zion		DOM Office Exp	143.91
Macedonia	165.53	Office Equipment	123.33
Mt. Olive	126.76	Office Utilities	156.03
Newburg	149.94	Office supplies	56.48
New Home	324.00	Office Phone/Internet	280.24
Philadelphia	1,174.38	DOM Travel Exp.	230.26
Rolla First	1,500.00	DOM	1,894.74
Salem Avenue	1,660.23	Secretary	1,170.00
New Life Fellowship		Camp Caretaker	639.76
Spring Creek	746.12	Social Security Taxes	138.45
Mission Team Desig 3,790.00		Insurance/Workman's Comp	
St. James First	499.39	Camp Utilities	89.45
Winkler		Friends of BSU	
International Church		Camp Maintenance	335.98
Camp Income		Camp Development	
Total Church Income	10.823.71	Camp Program	
Misc. Income	,	Misc Items	554.13
Block Party		Block Party Exp	
,		Honorariums	
TOTAL DEPOSIT	10,823.71	TOTAL EXPENSES	6,256.28
Initial Year Balance	19,942.91	Old Balance	24,874.83
Total Income	70,817.58	Current Income	10,823.71
Initial Bal+ Income	90,760.49	Balance Plus receipts	35,698.54
Total Term Disbur	61,318.23	Current Month Disbursements	6,256.28
Current Year Bal	29,442.26	Current Month Balance	29,442.26
Initial Certificate	,	Current Certificate value	0.00

TREASURER .. Howard D. Pyron 4-30-2019

QUESTION OF THE MONTH:

"This Question of the Month is intended for personal reflection or group discussion in order to help every believer become a more faithful follower of Jesus Christ. Feel free as well to send any personal thoughts you or your group have discovered so that we can know, and where appropriate, share them with others. If you would like to share just let us know that you are responding to the Question of the Month either to ken@phelpscountybaptist.org or, if you don't do e-mail, call the PCBA office at 573-364-8313 with your response."

The Question of the Month for May, 2019 is "How does your church prepare people to understand a call from God to service?"

"How does it then train those who are called?"

TELL US WHAT YOU THINK!...