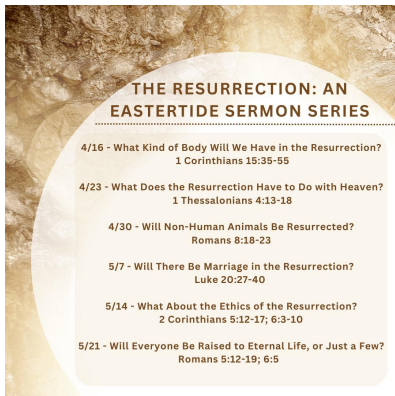


Your Weekly News from PHBC



PULASKI HEIGHTS
BAPTIST CHURCH

Tuesday, May 16, 2023



The Resurrection: An Eastertide Sermon Series

Have you ever wondered what kind of body Jesus inhabits in his glorified state? Or perhaps you've wondered if the general resurrection includes non-human animals. There are many knotty questions about Jesus' resurrection and the future resurrection of the saints. Join us for a six-week sermon series that explores these questions and relates the answers to Christian discipleship.

Summer Sermon Series: "Becoming the Gospel: Entering the Joy of God's Mission"

In June, we will begin a sermon series on the mission of God. Starting in Genesis and moving all the way through scripture, we will explore how God has graciously invited us to participate in his mission, and we will consider what it means to *become* the gospel. Join us!

New Sunday School Lesson Series

As Christians we are committed to worship, prayer, study, fellowship, and service. However, serving others often becomes a nice addition to the other aspects of Christian life rather than a core demand of following Jesus. In this lesson series, we will consider service as a primary practice of Christian discipleship and interrogate reasons that we give for not serving others. This will be a hopeful and challenging time together as we use a book called *No More Excuses* written by Pastor Justin to dive deeper into what it means to follow Christ as the One who told us that even he came into the world not to be served but to serve. The book will be distributed on the first day of class. Hope to see you all there!

- 4-16 Introduction: Why No More Excuses? Justin Barringer
- 4-23 Ch. 6: Money: Who is Our Master? Justin Barringer
- 4-30 Ch. 1: Skills: What are My Gifts and How Can I Use Them? Matt Dodrill
- 5-7 Ch. 4: Shame and Apathy: How Do I See Well So I Can Serve Well? Justin Barringer
- 5-14 Ch. 2: Fear: What if Serving Costs Me Something Dear to Me? Justin Barringer
- 5-21 Ch. 7: Time: What Was I Created to Do with My time? Matt Dodrill
- 5-28 Chs. 3 & 5: Space: What is Our Relationship to Our Various Environments? Justin Barringer
- 6-4 Conclusion: Where do we go from here?

Our Worship - Sunday, May 21, 2023

Will Everyone Be Raised to Eternal Life or Just a Few?
Scripture - Romans 5:12-19; 6:5
Sermon - Matt Dodrill

Deacon of the Week -
Steve Sipes

Hyde Parlor Renovations

We are accepting contributions for the parlor renovations. If you would like to give, please designate on the envelope "Parlor Renovations". Thanks so much for your prayerful consideration to this worthy endeavor.

Finance Committee and Church Treasurer



- May 17 Card writing
- May 24 Product drive for Arkansas Women's Outreach
- May 31 Pack bags for homeless ministry
- June 7 Make laundry detergent
- June 14 Pack bags for homeless ministry
- June 21 Card writing
- June 28 Product drive for Arkansas Women's Outreach

- Off in July and August -

Card writing: Cards and pens will be available in Hicks Hall. Grab a seat and write a letter (or letters!) to a homebound member or someone in the congregation who needs a word of encouragement or gratitude.

Product drive for AWO + "women in the Bible": Bring the following items to Hicks Hall: tampons (any size), pads, panty liners, and baby wipes. After sorting them, we will have a brief Bible study on one or two "forgotten" women in the Bible.

Make laundry detergent: Pastor Justin will teach us how to make laundry detergent, which we will then distribute to our underserved neighbors. We will also put them in our Little Free Pantry.



- 18 - Rhys Rogers
- 22 - Andrea Garrett
- 26 - Lynda Yeldell
- 27 - Virginia Hummel
- 27 - Whitney Broadway McDonald
- 28 - Debbie Tillery



The Church Office will be closed Monday, May 29, in observance of Memorial Day.



Partners Mömandpöp cordially invite PHBC families to two special events this month! On May 20 at 10:30 am in the Sanctuary will be the showcase of their PLAYmaking classes, plays created and performed by children ages 6-10. Enjoy our original adaptations of Red Riding Hood, Rapunzel, Beauty and the Beast, Cinderella and more!

The following Saturday at 10:30 enjoy the kick off to Mömandpöp's summer tour with their brand new show called "All in this Together." With a message of unity, kindness, and being joyful together, the show is powered by the rockin' original music and comedy of Mömandpöp! Both performances are free! Spread the word!

Our Resident Partners can be found at <https://www.phbclr.com/resident-partners>. Please check them out to see all the exciting community-building and service going on in our space throughout the week.

The church's calendar can be found at <https://www.phbclr.com/calendar>. You should be able to find an up-to-date schedule of events. If you want to add something to the calendar, please email mmiller@phbclr.com



Calling All Puzzle Enthusiasts

(and those who are not-so enthused.) Sunday, March 19th, we set up a puzzle table in Hicks Hall. We're inviting everyone to join together for some fun and fellowship. Put in a few pieces, sort by color, whatever you like.

Puzzles will be replaced regularly so stop by and see what's new. Everyone is needed to complete the picture of our community. Without you, we can't see the full picture.

Prayer Team

As Christians, we are a people who pray. In an effort to help our congregation better be in prayer for one another, we now have a prayer team that will be available during Sunday services. Harriett Phillips, Wes Porter, and Jim Cox would love to pray with you about your joys, struggles, grief, and anything else you would like someone to bring to God on your behalf. Also, prayer cards are available. Please write down your prayer needs and either drop them in the offering plate or give them directly to a member of the prayer team. This is a beautiful opportunity for our church that we now have a dedicated and trustworthy group who will pray with you and for you. I pray that we would each be moved by the Spirit to boldly and humbly ask these folks to pray for us.

Needlework Ministry

If you're interested in sewing, crochet, needlepoint, cross stitch, or other forms of needlework, we have a ministry for you! The Needlework Ministry meets in Hyde Parlor each Saturday from 10 am to 12 pm. The group can make blankets, quilts, baby booties, and other such items for people in nursing homes, nicu units, etc. Or, the group can make decorative items for the church. It's up to you! No needlework background is needed to attend. Just come and learn!

2023

Total Budget \$505,517.32
Given to Date \$293,968.62
Needed for the Year \$211,548.70



Anonymous Gift

We want to thank the anonymous donor who gave \$11,000 to our church this week. We are so thankful for this gift, and we are incredibly thankful to the donor whose generosity bears witness to a generous God. Thank you!



!!MAINTENANCE REQUESTS!!

An email inbox has been established to document and compile repair and maintenance requests for the church building and grounds.

Please submit any needed repair or maintenance requests (big or small) to maintenance@phbclr.com

Jubilee Ministry

For the month of May, we are collecting canned goods to be stocked for benevolence and the Jubilee Ministry.

You can place your donations in the containers outside Hicks Hall.



The Hillcrest Farmers Market

Summer Market
7 am - 11 am

If you are interested in volunteering, please contact the Farmers Market at hfm@phbclr.com.



Prayer Concerns

Freda and Leon Arnold (parents of Dirk Arnold)
Cooking in Bloom (resident partner)
Virginia Davis (mother of Shane McNary)
Sam Fulks (family of Mark Robertson)
Michael Ghidotti (son of Ruth Harvey)
Peggy Goff (mother of Judy (Ray) Higgins)
Ann Hamblet (friend of Deborah Beard)
Rachelle Herring (family of Julie Anne Warmouth)
Chuck Kelly
Angie Lane
April Lane
Bob Leckie
Laura and Dr. Bert Miller
and several members of their family
The family of John Nolen
(friend of Deborah Beard)
Maraget Nutt (mother of Beth Nutt)
The family of Malin Opitz, her parents Patty and Jonathan (friend of Paisley and Adeline Dodrill)
Oleta Prater (aunt of Dirk Arnold)
JoAnn Ridout
Rhys Rogers
Devonne Sears (Cooking in Bloom Chef)
Eddie Sligh
Cheyenne Staggs and baby Riley
(friends of Dirk Arnold)
Jerry Staley
Mike Turner

Praying For Our Homebound

Mary Jo Mizell
Parkway Health Center
14324 Chenal Pkwy, G-130
Little Rock, AR 72211
Carolyn Oswald
#17 Parkway Heights
14322 Chenal Pkwy
Little Rock, AR 72211
Shirley Reid
Brookdale Chenal Heights
One Chenal Heights, #221
Little Rock, AR 72223

MISSIONARY PRAYER CALENDAR:

Poprad, Slovakia -- smcnary@cbf.net
Dianne, Shane, Taylor and Allie McNary

CBF:

May 14- May 20
Chaplains and Pastoral Counselors
Scott McBroom, South Carolina
Patrick Cardwell, North Carolina
Melina Grier, Missouri
James Jeffers, Alabama
Larry Layne, Alabama
Lauren Hall, Texas
Steven Harris, Virginia
John Reeser, Georgia
Jennifer Call, Virginia
Clay Polson, Texas
Greg Slate, Colorado
Mary Ahn, Illinois
Mark Sumrall, Texas
Julie Perry, Virginia
Marcy Thomas, Tennessee

Field Personnel & Children, Engagement Partners
Lauren Bass, Cambodia
Alex Ruble, Southeast Asia
Nell Green, South Carolina

PHBC YouTube Channel

Below is a link to our YouTube channel, which is how you will access live streaming on Sunday mornings. On Sunday at 10:45 am, simply click this link or type "Pulaski Heights Baptist Church" in the YouTube search bar. Make sure you select the channel with our updated logo. When you arrive at the page, you have the option of subscribing to the channel. All you have to do is click the "subscribe" button.

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQEzu58lgD9esZ9pBL_rslw/featured

Email Announcements

We encourage everyone to keep a close check on your emails. This is the most efficient way the church office has to disperse information about our church life. Also, we ask you keep any of our members who do not have access to email informed.

Thanks for your understanding concerning this matter.

Your PHBC Staff

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