

- 8:30a—Deacon's Prayer
- 8:45a—Prayer Time
- 12:30p—Budget Committee Meeting—Room #129A
- 7:15p—CCY S.N.A.C. at Schimanskis

THE WEEK

- Tues.** Mar. 7—11:30a—**J.O.Y.** Group Potluck Lunch—LaMarques will be sharing with us of their recent time in Togo—Food Assignments: A—F = Salad; G—M = Dessert; N—Z = Main Dish
- Thurs.** Mar. 9—9:30a **Pastors Fellowship** meeting at MFBC in the Library
- Thurs.** Mar. 9—7:00-9:00p Room #128 **Reserved**
- Fri.** Mar. 10—6:00p Men's Ministry **Wild Game Dinner** —Adults \$7—Children 12 & under \$5—register <http://bit.ly/wgd1234>
- Sat.** Mar. 11—9:00a—12:00p Noon **AWANA Games** practice in the East Wing
- Sat.** Mar. 11—9:00a **WM Leadership Meeting** in the Library
- Sat.** Mar. 11—9:00a **Emergency Training Class** in Room #128—all those working in a ministry who have not taken this class previously need to attend
- Sat.** Mar. 11—9:30a—3:00p Room #130A-B **Reserved**
- Sun.** Mar. 12—2:00a—Daylight **Savings Time** Begins



- Mar. 12—12:30p **Deacon's Meeting**
- Mar. 16—11:45a W.O.W. **Ladies' Lunch** at **Kona Grill** at The Village in Meridian/Sign Up
- Mar. 18—Sparks-A-Rama & **AWANA** Games at Kuna Middle School
- Mar. 18—9:00-12:30p — **Teacher Training Seminar** with Dave Lunsford at the church—Also speaking in the AM Service on the 19th
- Mar. 27—31 **Spring Break**
- Apr. 1—8:30a All Church **Work Day**
- Apr. 8—**One Day Bible Conference**—*The Christ in the Passover* with Tuvya Zaretsky Jews for Jesus —Sign up in the foyer —Cost \$20 first member of family \$5 for each additional family member

- Apr. 15—11:00a **Baby Shower** for Danielle Steinmeyer at the church
- Apr. 16—**Easter** 8:30a—Sunrise Service (outside); 9:00a Brunch (East Wing); 10:00a AM Service — NO SS— 6:00 PM Service

Ministry Assignments

March 5:

- Greeters:** Hendricks (F) Ham (B)
- Ushers:** Al/ James F./ Donn/ Carl/ Alan
- Nursery**
- AM:** Rosy Nelson/ Kathy Hamilton/ LeAnna Setter
- SS:** Hillary Ravenscroft / Carla Dolezal
- PM:** Robin Wojcik / Kathy Cornell
- Children's Church:** Kara Bourn Kaila Ho/ Hero Fife
- Children's Ministries PM:** Christy Ho
- Sound Booth:** Gary LaMarque (AM & PM)
- Security:** Dan Geib (AM) Mike Munger (PM)

March 12:

- Greeters:** Granger (F) Hafen (B)
- Ushers:** Lloyd/ Gary/ Thane/ Al
- Nursery**
- AM:** Kelly Munger / Olga Kryachun
- SS:** Dave & Jeanine Granger / Farel Flurry
- PM:** John & Erin Saltz
- Children's Church:** Kara Bourn Kim Moore / Hailey Hasenyager
- Children's Ministries PM:**
- Sound Booth:** Jonathon Knapstad (AM & PM)
- Security:** Craig Rhom (AM) Elaine Sturm (PM)

SUMMER CAMP DATES

- ⇒June 26-30— Junior Camp / \$240
- ⇒July 3-8— Family 1 Camp / Varies
- ⇒July 10-15— Junior High Camp / \$250
- ⇒July 17-22— Senior High Camp / \$250
- ⇒July 31-August 5—Family 2 Camp / Varies
- ⇒August 21-25—Adult Senior Camp / \$175 per person + (\$50) Lodging

Junior/Junior High/Senior High:

SAVE \$20 if paid before 6/15/17



**March 5, 2017
9:30 AM Service**

Pianist: Jim Dorris
Song Leader: Jim Cornell

Welcome & Announcements

Hymn #21—*O for as Thousand Tongues to Sing*

Hymn #640—*Psalms 22*

Hymn #312—*Calvary Covers It All*
Greetings

Special Music: Dave Peterson

Prayer & Offering: Pastor Dave

Song—*The Power of the Cross*

Message: *"The Death of Christ"*

Diego Ramos

Text: Matthew 27:45-53

Closing Hymn:

6:00 PM Service

Pianist: Michelle Leavell
Song Leader: Scott Schimanski
Hymn #503—*Since Jesus Came Into My Heart*
Song—*He Will Hold Me Fast*
Song—*The Cleansing Wave*
Message: Shepherd's Conference Report



For ages 2—5 years old during the PM Service



MARCH



As AWANA missionaries Jerry and Angie need full financial support from the Lord's people. Your sharing in this need is an investment in the lives of boys and girls. Above all may we encourage you to keep them near the top of your prayer list in these urgent challenging days?



Deposit Report 2017

General Fund Budget:
\$36,133.84

WEEK: February 26, 2017

General Fund: \$8,321.85
Special Fund: \$163.86
Deposit: \$8,485.71

MONTH: FEBRUARY

General Fund: \$39,332.87
Special Fund: \$*17,961.81
Deposits: \$57,294.68
Missions Conference Offerings: \$17,702.00*
(*Included in Special Fund amount)

General Fund Surplus as of 2/26/17:
\$2,344.66

BIBLICAL COUNSELING

BC Talks
Do Your Friendships Live Out the Gospel?
By Jonathan Holmes
The Journal of Biblical Counseling (30.2)

Friendship can be difficult. This is true of friendships both inside and outside the church. Why is friendship with believers sometimes difficult? Do our friendships merely scratch the surface of meaningful relationship? Do we pursue friendships where people can reveal their deepest struggles?

What is biblical friendship?
"Biblical friendships exist when two or more people, bound together by a common faith in Jesus Christ, pursue him and his kingdom with intentionality and vulnerability... (it) serves primarily to bring glory to Christ..."
Drawing from Proverbs, Tim Keller identifies four characteristics of friendship:

Constancy . A friend abides over the long term. He is closer than a brother. (Prov. 18:24)

Candor. A friend speaks love and truth for the good of a friend. (Prov. 27:5-6)

Carefulness. A friend is cautious in how and when he speaks wisdom. (Prov. 25:20)

Counsel. A friend speaks pointedly to encourage growth and godliness.

What biblical friendship is not:

It is not a social media friendship which is a relational substitute.

It is not a specialized friendship centered on a common activity or interest.

It is not a selfish friendship focused on the best interest of the self.

How to Form Biblical Friendships:

Invest time.

Embrace the right attitude and goals.

Talk.

Share meals.

Confront with care.

Threats to Biblical Friendship:

Personal sin.

The fear of being vulnerable.

False expectations.

"Through biblical friendship our shared lives can testify to the unity that comes from God himself."

Submitted by BJ Bourn