



"Pauses for Lent"

Sometimes a pause is good for the soul. It gives us the chance to regroup, reflect, and refocus. Lenten pauses can be a time of spiritual refreshment. It gives us a chance to clear space in our lives for God, it helps us identify obstacles that keep us from God, and it provides opportunities to help us remove these obstructions.

Lent serves as our annual invitation to come closer to God. It offers us a gift of time and a promise of closeness. It gives us time to see our current state of affairs in complete honesty. It gives us a time and a place we feel God wants us to find.

This Lenten season, we are providing a devotional guide to be used in the homes of our church family. Each day we will have the opportunity to focus on solitary words such as Dust, Love, Light, Bread, Water, Treasure, Peacemaker, Forgiven, Rest, Free, Betray, Temptation, Wept, Listen, etc. Each word is designed to take you to a place that prepares you for Holy Week and Easter Sunday. It also encourages us to think, pray, and do.

These books will be available this Sunday, February 26th after the morning worship service. You are invited to take one per household and join together with your church family as we prayerfully pause, focus on a single word, read a scripture and a brief meditation related to the word, and then offer a prayer.

Pauses for Lent will be a time for all of us, children through adults, to experience God working in our daily lives. Welcome the Lenten season as an opportunity to clarify your relationship with God. Please join us for this daily time of rest, reflection, and renewal, beginning on Wednesday, March 1.

May we join our hearts and voices with the psalmist who prayed:

*As a deer longs for flowing streams,
So my soul longs for you, O God.
My soul thirsts for God, for the living God.
When shall I come and behold the face of God?*

Bobby

ADULTS

Ladies Book Study

Begins Monday, February 27
1:30 p.m.

The books are \$5, and are available for pick up in the church office.

Wednesday Night March 1

Dinner, 5:15 p.m.

Chicken Tenders with
White Gravy, Oven Baked
Sliced Potatoes, Green
Salad, Cookies

Bible Study, 6:15 p.m.

"Know Your Audience"
Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21

Block Party

Saturday, April 1
5:30-7:30

As part of the *Dawnings Love Your Neighbor* initiative, Broadmoor is hosting a block party for our community. There will be live music, soft drinks, hot dogs, community helper booths and much more! We need volunteers to help set up, clean up, and to act as hosts/hostesses to be cheerful neighbors in our community. Please call the church office to sign up!

Communion at Home

Please call the church office at 927-5454 if you or someone you know would like to receive communion at home from our Deacon Ministry Team.

Dynamic Duo

Sunday, March 5
4:00 p.m.

Steve Valenzuela and Prentiss Mouton, two of our music interns, will perform a vocal concert in the sanctuary ranging from music theater to opera.

Brave Heart

Monday, March 6
1:00 p.m.

Preschool Committee Meeting

Wednesday, March 8
5:00 p.m.

2017 Attic Trash & Treasure Sale

To benefit Habitat for
Humanity of GBR
March 10-12
Old Mervyns at Cortana Mall
Free Admission
Credit Cards accepted

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

BRG-Bluebonnet

Jo Sanches

Ochsner New Orleans
Danette Parker

Neuromedical Center
Glenn Barnes

Congratulations

Joshua and Jessica Best on the birth of their son, Joshua Haas. The proud grandparents are **Ken and Susan Best.**

In Appreciation

Words of sincere appreciation have been received from:
Judy Dupre'

Ministry on Wheels

If you are willing and able to drive church members who can no longer drive to the grocery or Dr. appointments, please call the church office to put your name on the list. Conversely, if you are a church member that needs a ride to a Dr. appointment or similar activity, let the church office know so that we can put you in touch with someone that can help you.

NEW DEACON BIO

My name is Circe Bridges. My husband Jeremy and I became members of Broadmoor Baptist Church in 2013. I grew up attending Catholic, Baptist, and Lutheran churches, depending on whether I went to church with my parents or my grandparents. I graduated LSU with a BS in secondary science education and a MA in education. After teaching gifted science for ten years, I am currently a stay at home mom to my two wonderful daughters, Penny and Clementine.

Until joining Broadmoor Baptist, I never felt a connection with my church community. The friendliness and compassion of BBC is unbelievable. I am reminded daily as to why this is the best church for me and my family. I am humbled by this opportunity to serve others and pray I will be able to serve you well.

CALENDAR

Thursday, February 23

10:00 A BBQ

Friday, February 24

9:00 A Yoga

Sunday, February 26

9:15 A Sunday School

10:30 A Worship, Communion

Extended Teaching Care

D'Wana & Sarah Chiles, Allison

Roark, Lauren, Paul & Ryan White

5:00 P Youth Choir

5:45 P Belles and Beaux

6:00 P Youth Bible Study

7:00 P College Group Bible Study

Monday, February 27

PRESCHOOL CLOSED

1:30 P Ladies Book Study begins

Tuesday, February 28

PRESCHOOL CLOSED

9:30 A Yoga

5:30 P First Place for Health

Wednesday, March 1

ASH WEDNESDAY

Pauses for Lent begins

7:00 A Men's Prayer Breakfast

5:00 P Chapel Bells

5:15 P Church Family Dinner

6:00 P Children's Program

Youth Bible Study

6:15 P Adult Bible Study

7:00 P Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, March 2

10:00 A BBQ

Friday, March 3

9:00 A Yoga

Jambalaya Sale

Sunday, March 12

Jambalaya plates will be sold after church for \$7 each. This is a fundraiser for the Youth to attend Passport camp.

YOUTH

Ice Skating

Youth and Children

Saturday, March 18

7 p.m., Leo's

Progressive Lock-In

Friday, March 24, 8 p.m.

to Saturday, March 25

Please call the church office to sign up. Chaperones are needed. Bring money for Waffle House.

Six Flags

Over Georgia

April 21-23

Cost is \$40. We need a minimum of 10, no more than 25. Please call the church office to sign up.

LLL

Bellingrath Gardens

Depart March 23, 8:30 am

Return March 24, 6:00 pm

This will be an overnight trip with a visit to Malbis Memorial Church, the USS Alabama, and the City of Fairhope. Cost is \$150. Please sign up in the church office.

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40 Words for 40 Days



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Beginning Wednesday, March 1.

Communion Sunday

February 26

10:30 a.m.

