

CALENDAR

Thursday, April 25
 10:00 A BBQ, Rm 225
 5:00 P Youth Musical Rehearsal
 Zumba
Friday, April 26
 7:00 P Youth Musical *Guys and Dolls*, Sanctuary
Sunday, April 28
 9:00 A Library Open
 9:15 A Bible Study
 10:30 A Worship

Extended Teaching Care
 Nancy Richardson, Pam Harris, Katie Stark, Annie-Claire Mote, Catherine Guffey

11:30 A Youth Advisory Mtg., CCR
 2:00 P Youth Musical *Guys and Dolls*, Sanctuary

Monday, April 29
 11:30 A Holy Grill
 6:30 P College Bible Study,
Bobby Rayburn's

Tuesday, April 30
 9:30 A Yoga
 11:30 A Holy Grill
 5:00 P Zumba

Wednesday, May 1
 7:00 A Men's Prayer Bkft.
 11:30 A Holy Grill
 4-7:30P Blood Drive, RM 102
 5:00 P Chapel Bells
 Library Open
 5:15 P Family Night Dinner
 6:00 P Adult Prayer Ministry
 Youth Bible Study
 Children's Choirs
 6:20 P Adult Bible Study
 6:40 P Mission Groups
 7:00 P Waging Peace Reh.

Thursday, May 2
 10:00 A BBQ, Rm 225
 11:30 A Holy Grill
 5:00 P Zumba
Saturday, May 4
 10:00 A Waging Peace Reh.

YOUTH

Guys and Dolls Youth Musical Rehearsal Monday-Thursday, 5-8 p.m.

Performances scheduled for:
 Friday, April 26, 7 p.m. and
 Sunday, April 28, 2 p.m. in the
 sanctuary. This is a fundraiser
 for the youth. A suggested
 \$10/adult & \$5/school-aged
 children donation would be
 appreciated.

Children & Youth Summer Events

Day with Dr. T
 Children - May 30
 Youth - May 31

Music Camp:
 June 17-21

Kids Camp:
 (Talladega, Ala.)
 June 27-30

**VBS: "Finding Hope: A
 Field Trip of Faith"**
 July 15-19

Youth Camp:
 (Panama City, Fla.)
 July 24-28

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H H A T S



Youth Musical Performances

Friday, April 26, 7 p.m.
 Sunday, April 28, 2 p.m.
 (suggested \$10 adults/\$5 kids donation)

Golf Tournament Friday, May 17

Tee Time: 2 p.m.
 The Oaks at Sherwood

- \$50 per person/\$200 per team
- Youth Fundraiser

Call the church office to register you or your team.



"The Cycle of Hope"

One week ago another tragedy gashed our nation and shattered us. The bombing in Boston is the latest in a never-ending string of collective and personal tragedies. It overshadows, for a while, everything else. Have we already forgotten about the Newtown shootings? We all must move on in our own way and in the grace God gives us. But we must never forget the lessons we can learn through suffering of any kind.

In one of the most memorable and moving passages in the New Testament, Paul wrote of a kind of "cycle of hope" (see Romans 5:3-4). He believed hope in God through Christ was inexhaustible, and that God transforms all suffering into strength and even greater hope. Paul used three very important words to describe this cycle.

The first is **suffering**. The word means to crush, press, compress, and squeeze. It is derived from a Greek word that means "to break," and refers to tribulation, trouble, and affliction. Suffering is a fact of human life. It is an uncomfortable echo of the original Breaking, our Fall into sin. God did not create suffering, but the cross stands as His ultimate effort to reverse its effects.

Suffering leads to **endur-**

ance. This is one of the two great Greek words for patience, and this one refers to bearing up under stressful circumstances (the other word refers to bearing up with stressful *people*). Christian endurance refuses to surrender to circumstances or succumb to suffering.

The third word is **character**, and this is what endurance produces. It refers to something that is proved or has met the criterion of a test. You may have heard it said that "tough times reveal character." While true, the New Testament teaches us that tough times build character, and that is certainly the meaning in Romans. It is simply an uncomfortable fact of life that the only way we grow is through facing pain and refusing to give in.

The great truth of Christianity is that we do not face pain or stress alone. We do not grow character ourselves. We walk with Christ, who walks with us, and He guides us through darkest times with the light of hope. Another tragedy will come, of that we can be sure. But we can also embrace hope, always looking for the eternal dawning of God's light.

Grace,
Terry Ellis



ADULTS

Interfaith Federation WORLD PREMIERE CONCERT:

Waging Peace

May 5, 2013-4:00 pm

Broadmoor Baptist Church

Choir representatives from all over our city will present this powerful orchestrated work written specifically for our area and the violence we encounter and the peace we desire.

Blood Drive

Wednesday, May 1
4-7:30 p.m., Rm 102

Please call the church office to schedule a time to help with this life saving ministry.

"The 7 Signs in John"

Adult Wednesday
Bible Study
6:20 p.m.

The signs are not power displays. They have a purpose. They point to something God can do for you.



Register: www.cbfla.org

CBFLA Spring Conference May 17-18

Hosted by BBC

Guest Speaker: Suzii Paynter

Schedule of events:

Friday, May 17, 6:30 p.m.-Dinner
Saturday, May 18, 8 a.m.-Breakfast
8:30 - 11:45 a.m.-Breakout sessions
12 p.m.-Lunch & Closing Comments

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

BR Rehab Hospital

Tom Averett

Home from the hospital

Doris Evans

Thank You

Words of sincere appreciation have been received from:

Sharon Harley

Fae Foster and Hayes

Hofman

Annie Stringer

In Loving Memory

Jo Edwards united with this church on September 6, 2009 and departed this life on April 21, 2013.

MISSIONS

"Holy Grill"

April 29- May 2

11:30 a.m.

- Volunteers still needed Thursday
- Call the church office to volunteer
- Transportation provided

Southeast Ministries

Items needed for the food pantry: Peanut Butter & Jelly, Vegetable Oil, Canned Meat, Tuna Fish & Fruit, Macaroni & Cheese, Dried Red Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Jiffy Cornbread Mix. Put items in barrels at any church entrance.

Wednesday Night Dinner May 1

Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy, Spinach, Rolls, Apple Cobbler

To Reach
On Call Minister
call
328-3474