

CALENDAR

Thursday, May 23

10:00 A BBQ, Rm 225
5:00 P Zumba

Sunday, May 26

9:00 A Library Open
9:15 A Bible Study
10:30 A Worship

Extended Teaching Care

Allison Roark, Sam Oakley, Donna & Sarah Patterson, Erika & Baileigh Futch

Monday, May 27

CHURCH OFFICE and ELC CLOSED

Tuesday, May 28

9:30 A Yoga
5:00 P Zumba

Wednesday, May 29

7:00 A Men's Prayer Bkft.
5:00 P Library Open
5:15 P Family Night Dinner
6:00 P Adult Prayer Ministry
Youth Bible Study
Children's "Summer Vacation"
6:20 P Adult Bible Study
7:00 P Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, May 30

8:00 A Children's Day with Dr. T
10:00 A BBQ, Rm 225
5:00 P Zumba

Friday, May 31

8:00 A Youth Day with Dr. T

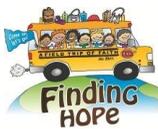
Saturday, June 1

9:30 A Preschool Day at the Zoo

VBS Registration

July 15-19

9 a.m.-12 p.m.



For ages 4 years old - 5th grade. Registration forms are in the church office.

Summer Music Camp

June 17-21, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Registration is under way for this summer camp experience! Stop by the office to register today! Cost: \$60.

YOUTH

Day with Dr. T Global Wildlife Center

Friday, May 31, 8 a.m.

Cost: \$10 for lunch

All youth (grades 6-12) are invited to this day with Dr. T. Meet in the gym. We will tour Global Wildlife at 9 a.m., check out the gift shop (bring extra money), and stop for lunch on the way back. Please call the church office if you plan to attend.

CHILDREN

A Day with Dr. T Thursday, May 30, 8 a.m.

Global Wildlife Center

Cost: \$10 for lunch

All children (grades 1-5) are invited to this fun day with Dr. T. Meet in the gym. We will tour Global Wildlife at 9 a.m., check out the gift shop (bring extra money), and then stop for lunch on the way back. Please call the church office to register your child.

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H H A T S

Summer Wednesdays at Broadmoor Financial Freedom

with Roger Sullivan
6:20 p.m.

Session 1:
Living within Your Means

Session 2:
Planning Your Future

Session 3:
Investment Basics

Taught by Roger Sullivan, Breaux Nader, and Brandon Hurley from Wells Fargo Advisors.

Children's

Summer Vacation

Begins May 22

Wednesdays, 6 p.m.

4 years old-5th grade



Join us for an evening of "Summer Vacation" fun while engaging in activities that teach children about their relationship with God.



"Handling Grief"

I recently spoke to a woman who recounted a terribly difficult time in her life. She had lost a child, the light of her life. The grief was intense, and she said that she remembers little of the three years after the child's death.

What really helped her was her father's counsel that even during her darkest times she had to find someone to help. She had to reach outside of herself and meet someone's need. It was mandatory. She said it made all the difference in the world.

Grief is extremely personal and individual. No two of us grieve the same way, and a one size fits all solution is simplistic, and even the stages can vary enormously. However, at least two qualities seem common to all the grief stricken.

First, grief tends to fold in on itself. It can be terribly lonely and even isolating. Many people have told me, and I have had the same experience, that soon after a loved-one dies life quickly gets back to normal for the rest of the world. Mourners can feel like everyone else is moving past them, not understanding the burden they are carrying. People say they understand, and to a degree they do, but they must get on with their lives and their

own burdens. It's very hard to share for very long. If not carefully checked the grief can become compounded and the mourner can spiral down more deeply into the sad self.

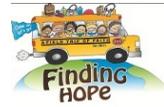
A second quality of grieving addresses part of the solution. You must do some things that get you beyond yourself, and I mean more than activities or going places. Find a way to help another person. God truly did construct us to find life by losing it (Matt. 10:39). If we make solving our grief the goal then we fall short. Find a way to give expression to the Second Greatest Commandment, even if it doesn't feel right.

"Blessed are those that mourn" is not trivial. The word means spiritual happiness. I'm sure this is true because in loving others, especially when working through your own pain, brings you closer to God's heart. And there you will be comforted.

Grace,
Terry Ellis

ADULTS

VBS: "Finding Hope- A Fieldtrip of Faith"



VBS Date: July
15-19

(4 years old-5th grade)

Registration for children and workers begins this Sunday. Please make plans to join us and to be a part of one of the most important children's ministries of the year.

Rent-A-Youth

Have a few things around the house that you need an extra hand with? Stop by the foyer to the left of the sanctuary and pick a youth to help you out. Youth are available for "rent" to help off-set the cost of camp. Any questions, call Dave in the church office.

LLL Trip to WWII Museum Friday, June 7

Call the church office to sign up for this trip to New Orleans.

Preschool Day at the Zoo

June 1, 9:30 a.m.

Are you the parent of a creeper-kindergartener? Are you looking to connect with other families? If so, meet us at the BR Zoo front gate. Church will cover the cost of admission. Call the office if you are joining us.

Sanctuary Choir CDs

Our long awaited Sanctuary Choir CD is here and for sale! Cost is \$15 and money will go to Southeast Ministries. Pick up your copy in the church office.

Church Library Wednesdays 4-7 p.m.

The BBC library has three main purposes: 1) Resource tool for Sunday School and lay leaders, 2) Spiritual formations tool and inspirational resource, 3) Entertainment - children and adults. Please take some time to come by the library to check out books from classics to the newest publications, as well as books that will inspire and teach.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

BRG Bluebonnet

Tom Averett

Peggy Spencer

Home from the Hospital

L. C. Ricks

Thank You

Words of sincere appreciation have been received from:

Doris Evens

Janelle Teekel

In Loving Memory

Robert "Buck" Kleinpeter

united with this church on March 3, 2003 and departed this life on May 18, 2013.

Wayne Gordon *united with this*

church on October 11, 1981 and departed this life on May 18, 2013.

GRACEWORKS

Uniform Drive

This summer, under our "Graceworks" banner, we will be partaking in a major project for our Broadmoor community. You have the opportunity to purchase, or donate money to purchase, uniforms for Broadmoor Elementary students in need. We will also accept gently used uniforms. The uniforms are navy blue shorts or pants, and maroon knit polo shirts. We will need volunteers to help fold and sort the uniforms and staff the distribution day. We need someone to step up and champion this cause as a leader. Please contact Bobby if you can be of service and leadership in this project. The distribution day is Friday, August 16th.

Wednesday Night Dinner May 29

Pork Chops, Macaroni and Cheese, Mustard Greens, Cornbread, Louisiana Fruit Bowl

**To Reach an
On Call Minister
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328-3474**