

## CALENDAR

**Thursday, August 8**

10:00 A BBQ  
5:00 P Zumba

**Friday, August 9**

6:30 P College Bible Study,  
Bobby's house

**Sunday, August 11**

9:00 A Library Open  
9:15 A Bible Study, *Promotion Sunday*  
10:30 A Worship

**Extended Teaching Care**

Valerie Barnes, Amanda Goncu, Paul White, Jennifer, William & Joseph Fishburn

6:30 P Youth Aloha Sunday

**Monday, August 12**

6:00 P Trustees Mtg., CCR

**Tuesday, August 13**

9:30 A Yoga  
1:30 P Obituary Class, CCR  
5:00 P Zumba  
6:00 P First Place, SDR

**Wednesday, August 14**

7:00 A Men's Prayer Bkft.  
5:00 P Missions Committee Mtg.  
Library Opens  
5:15 P Family Dinner  
6:00 P All-Church Talent Show  
7:15 P Sanctuary Choir

**Thursday, August 15**

10:00 A BBQ  
5:00 P Zumba

**Friday, August 16**

3:30 P "Project Uniform", CAH  
6:30 P College Bible Study,  
Bobby's house

## YOUTH

### Youth Parents' Meeting

August 18, 6 p.m.  
Topic: Social Media

### Youth Dodgeball Tournament

August 24  
Cost: \$4 and a friend

We will join again with UBC & UMC.

## CHILDREN

### Celebrating Preschool

Sunday, August 18

During morning worship, our ELC and church preschool workers and all preschool families will be honored. Following worship preschool families are invited for a lunch in the Church Activities Hall. Please call the church office to reserve your spot.

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# Sunday School

## Promotion

August 11, 9:15 a.m.

- Children and youth move to new classes
- Adults are encouraged to find a Sunday School class for Bible study
- Incoming 1st and 6th graders will be presented with Bibles during morning worship

**aloha** Sunday

Youth  
6:30 p.m.

Meet at the White's for  
food and fun!



# Sunday

For Incoming 1st graders  
& Incoming 6th graders

Sunday, August 11  
More details to come!

Mark Your  
Calendars!



## "Trusting God Through the Storm"

In the dim and distant past I read an academic article about three Roman emperors' response to storms. I do not remember the author, but I have some notes I made from the paper.

According to Suetonius (d. ca. A.D 125), in *Lives of the 12 Caesars*, Augustus had an ongoing fear of storms and carried with him a piece of seal skin as a charm against lightning. When the weather grew ominous, he withdrew to an underground shelter. Suetonius noted that Augustus' response to storms reflected his attitude toward religion. He was afraid of Zeus/Jupiter.

Tiberius believed in fate, but was terrified that a storm would take his life. He wore a laurel wreath to protect him whenever the weather looked threatening. I think Jim Cantore does this.

Caligula, a genuine psychopath, "shut his eyes and buried his head beneath the bedclothes at the most distant sound of thunder; and if the storms came closer would jump out of bed and crawl beneath."

The Caesars were the most powerful men in arguably the most powerful empire the world had ever seen. But weather frightened them like

little children.

Contrast their fear with Jesus' response to a storm: "And a great storm of wind arose, and the waves beat on the boat so that the boat was already filling. But Jesus was in the stern asleep on a cushion" (Mark 4:37-38). Of course, you know the rest of the story. Jesus got up, said "Peace! Be still!" and the storm ceased.

The stilling of the storm is the most memorable part of the story, but the more important and applicable part for us is Jesus' calmness before He stilled the storm. His peace is a portrait of perfect trust in the Father.

You will face a storm this week. An illness. A death. A financial challenge. The start of school. You will never have the power of a Caesar, but you do not need to fear any storm as they did. Jesus wants us to trust Him as He trusted the Father. He is Lord over all storms. He has the power to still any one of them. More importantly, He has the power to guide you through them.

Grace,  
*Terry Ellis*

## ADULTS

### First Place 4 Health Tuesdays, 6 p.m.

If you are interested or have any questions, contact Laura Boord at 925-5264.

### All Church Talent Show

August 14, 6 p.m.

This will be part of our kick-off for Wednesday Family Night Activities. See Paul to sign up.

### Can You Help!

We are looking for help with our roses in the east parking lot. Mrs. Elaine Sicard has been caring for them and needs to take a break. If you are interested in helping keep these beautiful flowers looking great please call the church office.

**Church-wide  
Ministry Fair  
Sunday, September 8**  
Watch for more details on how you can become involved in the ministries of your church.

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

### A Grave Matter August 13, 20, & 27 1:30 p.m.

led by Joe Cannon

The church is sponsoring a brief series on writing obituaries. The sessions will last one hour. Members are encouraged to have pre-prepared obits for themselves and family members.

### LLL Middendorf's Lunch Trip August 22

### Sunday School Teacher Weekend September 6-7

Our Sunday School teacher weekend has been rescheduled. Contact Bobby for details.

### Wednesday Night August 14

Chicken & Sausage Jambalaya, Asian Slaw, Mississippi Mud Pie, French Bread

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

### BRG Bluebonnet

Nadine Smith

Ollie Steele Rehab

Jeanne Wallace

Home from the Hospital

Wendy Miller

### In Loving Memory

*Floyd Carwile united with this church on February 2, 2005 and departed this life on July 30, 2013.*

*Leland "L.C." Ricks, Jr. united with this church on September 24, 2006, and departed this life on August 6, 2013.*

### Sympathy

We express our sincere sympathy to:

**Ruth Carwile** on the death of her husband, **Floyd.**

**Juanita Cole** on the death of her husband, **Luther.**

**Nita & Chris Hannie & family** on the death of her grandmother.

### Thank You

Words of sincere appreciation have been received from:

**The Melba Chapman Family  
Charles & Alice Steele**

## GRACEWORKS

# Project Uniform

**Broadmoor  
Elementary  
Mission**

Navy blue shorts & burgundy polo style shirts  
(sizes 5-14)

Volunteers needed:

**Distribution Day: August 16**  
**Setup day: August 15**



Contact Jennifer  
Robinson  
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247-7450