

Dear Church Family,

I write these words the week after Easter Sunday. Just after we have traveled through the Lenten season. Just after we have faced the drama of Holy Week. And now we are basking in the glory of the Resurrection as we revel in this Easter season!

It is exciting indeed to celebrate our Lord's victory over death and the grave, yet many have not experienced the power of the Resurrection in their lives. Some don't really believe that it is possible for a dead man to get up and walk. Others accept it as a historical fact, but they say, "So, what?"

Most folks I come into contact believe the facts of the Gospel story...and that is it. They brush off the joy and say, "What does that have to do with my life?"

During this Easter season—especially the month of May—we will be giving this mindset some thought as we ask the question, "What Difference Does the Resurrection Make"? On the first three Lord's Days in May we will contemplate on I Corinthians 15:1-11 and examine the lives of three individuals and/or groups of believers who lives were changed dramatically by the Resurrection.

I encourage you in the coming days to spend time reading these scriptures and dwelling on them. As individuals let us ask, "what difference does the resurrection make in my life today?"

Right after Easter Sunday it is easy to have an "it is finished" outlook. Let me encourage you to not give up, to not become overwhelmed, but to truly "get all excited" in the joy of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Let's join together and seek what truths the Holy Spirit will spread in our lives today!

Speaking of May...we have an excellent opportunity to pray for our community and to join hands with other believers this month. Each year, the first Thursday of May, is known as the National Day of Prayer.

This year we will gather with Christians from throughout Scott County to pray for our community, our nation, and our world. And I am inviting YOU to come and be a part of this step of faith.

We will join hands in faith on Thursday, 2 May at 12 Noon on the lawn of Scott County Court House at the Gazebo in Scottsburg. Sponsored by the Scott Area Ministerial Association, we will lift up holy hands and prayers to the Lord, as area clergy lead us. Different pastors have been assigned various areas of emphases in their prayers and I have been asked to lead our focus on education and schools.

Many bemoan the fact that prayer has been taken out of so many areas of our community and this is an excellent means to show that prayer is alive and well in Scott County! Come and join us as we minister before our Holy God and our community.

After all, the Resurrection does make a difference!

In Christ's Love, Pastor Tim



THANK YOU! We raised \$1,200 on the fish fry with the help of Combat and we raised a little over \$500 with our Marion-Kay Spice orders! THANK YOU! That puts us at a total of about \$4,000. We are about 2/3 of the way there for funding for the mission trip! We will need right at \$6,000 to make this possible. We have about 2 months to raise the rest of our funds to be able to go. As well as needing the rest of the funding we will also need the items donated that we will be taking with us to work with as well. We will be getting that list of items out to you very soon as we are coming up pretty close on time for the mission trip! We have two more fundraisers planned here soon. By the time this is published one of those will have already happened, the Princess Party on April 27th. As well as the Superhero Party on May 4th, which is new this year. I will report next month on how these did but our teens are very excited about these two events.

On May 5<sup>th</sup> we will be taking a trip to Indiana Caverns in Corydon for our first Sunday gathering. We will leave immediately following worship and return around 8pm. Then on May 18<sup>th</sup> we have planned a trip to the Edna Martin Christian Center in Indianapolis to volunteer. Our third Sunday gathering will be cancelled due to the annual Spring Singspiration. Then on the 25<sup>th</sup>, for those who signed up, we will be going with the church to the Louisville Bats game.

With this being said, I would also like to give a reminder that all of the funds we raise through fundraisers goes into the youth account. So, even though we have raised a little over \$4,000 for our mission trip, the other outings and fun things we do still need to be funded as well. The youth work very hard to raise the money to be able to do all the things we do and I just wanted to say thank you. Thank you for your prayers, thank you for your donations, thank you for being the Church. God is doing great things in the lives of these teens. It is with the help of your faithfulness that we can continue to reach the next generation for Christ.

And as always, if you haven't gotten to know these amazing girls and guys yet, I encourage you to do so. You are missing out on a true blessing. Sure, they are crazy, a little loud and full of energy, but they love God and they have hearts for Him. Get to know them, you won't regret it.

God's Blessings, Pastor Tyler and Leah

# COFFEE CREEK ASSOCIATION SPRING SINGSPIRATION AT KIMBERLIN CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH, MAY $19^{\rm TH}$ AT $6~\rm PM$

Churches of the Association will bring special music that evening as we come to support the Southeastern Baptist Youth Camp with supplies and monetary donations. The list of items needed follows:

Paper Towels\*
Napkins

Disposable Plates (reg. & small)
Freezer & Storage bags (gal. & qt.)

Trash bags (40 gal. or larger)

Dishwasher soap (Cascade packets)

Antibacterial concentrate (for mop buckets)
Antibacterial Spray (Lysol, Spic & Span, etc.)

Brooms (no straw brooms, please)

Disposable Bowls Liquid Hand Soap refills Toilet Bowl Cleaner Sponge Mops

**Hydrogen Peroxide\*** 

\*items most needed

Please bring these items that day or evening to KCBC.

Please be praying for those going on the Mission Trip this summer:

#### **ADULTS:**

Pastor Tyler & Leah Griffin
Angie Avendano
Andrew Joyce

### YOUTH:

Ethan & Isabel Hill
Hunter Joyce
Deanna Kriete
Josh Riley
Alec Beaver
Bree Haysler

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YTD needed: \$107,372 YTD received: \$104,932

(September 2, 2018-April 21, 2019)

America for Christ offering goal: \$1,300.00 Total Received: \$1,400.00 Something Beautiful something good. Here we are entering into May already. Is it me or is this year just flying by. As I was coming down my driveway the other day I couldn't help but see the beauty that this time of year brings. Along my drive there are two beautiful lilac bushes and I have driven by them hundreds of times, yet this time as I drove by I was drawn to their breathtaking beauty as their buds had burst into the most gorgeous purple. Looking at this I thought about how just a few months ago these same bushes were so ugly. They were brown and barren and almost unnoticeable as they blended in with the taller and more dominant trees around them. It seemed like they were just a waste of space as old man winter had its grip on them. Yet as time wore on and the days got longer you could see tiny buds of life start to sprout until eventually they burst into the brilliantly breathtaking trees that I was amazed at on my way home. You know at one point our life was like that. We were under the grip of old sulfur breath and we were blended in with the more dominant and shiny things of the world until we felt worthless. Yet at some point we came in contact with the light and a little bud began to sprout, and as we walked in the light supplied by the Son we became glorious creatures in God's sight. Just like the song continues to say, all I had to offer him was brokenness and strife, yet he made something beautiful of my life. Praise God for the beauty he can find in all of us if we just let him.

Perry Stainbrook

## Joys of motherhood

- A hug for no reason.
- Belly laughs.
- The light-bulb moment when your child understands something you've been trying to teach them.
- Smiles and giggles.
- Mud pies.
- Arms raised in the air after a big accomplishment.
- Hearing Scripture and prayer from your child's lips.
- Quiet moments on the couch.
- Reading aloud together.
- A family meal filled with conversation and laughter.
- Watching your child be kind to another.
- Recognizing a moment you'd like to freeze in time.
- A child's look of surprise and joy.
- A quiet conversation that heals a wounded heart.
- The words "I love you" and a sticky kiss.

-Unknown

## HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

## **Future Events**

- June 2<sup>nd</sup> CPR & First Aid Training, 1:00-5:00 PM
- June 6<sup>th</sup> Youth Volunteering at the Clearinghouse, 9 a.m.-12 PM
- June 8th CPR & First Aid Training, 1:00-5:00 PM
- June 8<sup>th</sup> Youth Lock-in, 6:00 PM 'til 12 PM on Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup>
- June 9th Youth/Promotion Sunday
- June 9<sup>th</sup> Church Picnic on the grounds 12-3 PM
- June 13<sup>th</sup> Youth Volunteering at the Clearinghouse, 9 a.m.-12 PM
- June 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> Old Settlers in Lexington We will have a booth there this year.
- June 15<sup>th</sup> VBS Float in Old Settlers' Parade, 11:00 a.m.
- June 16<sup>th</sup> Community Worship Service at Lexington Ball Park, 10 a.m.
- June 16<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> Teen Camp at SEBYC
- June 18th Red Cross Blood Drive at KCBC
- Iune 23rd VBS Float in Scott Co Fair Parade
- June 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> Kindergarten Camp, SEBYC
- June 29<sup>th</sup>-July 6<sup>th</sup> Youth Mission Trip to Monson, MA

### **MAY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**

- 1 Chris & Malina Jeffries, 1998
- 3 Samantha Riley, Barb Roth, Zachrey McNeely
- 4 Marvin McClellan
- 5 Gloria Gibson
- 8 Colton Howard
- 9 Nellie Moore, Eian Brown
- 11 Katie Daniel
- 13 Michael Bautista
- 16 Karen West
- 17 Chloe Hargrove
- 18 Jeff & Angie Riley, 1996
- 18 Ronnie & Rita Sidwell, 2013
- 18 Kelly Barnes, Trenton Jeffries, Vincent Spicer
- 19 Tyler Griffin, Sam Beverly
- 20 JoAn Azure, Erica Mattingly
- 21 Lawrence Parks, Taylor West
- 23 Gabrielle 'Gabby' Nay
- 24 Mike & Megan Gregg, 2008
- 25 Nina Wells, Jack Davidson
- 26 Taylor Griffin, Kelsie Cull
- 28 Becki Hall
- 29 Bobby & Barb Deal, 1970
- 31 Tyler & Leah Griffin, 2014

If your birthday or anniversary is not on this list, be sure to let church secretary, Judy Peacock know.

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT FAMILY MEALS

The Wednesday night family meals are open to everyone. It costs just \$1.00 per person (to help cover the cost of the entrée). We ask that you bring an item to share from the lists below or check the Sunday bulletin for the TBA entrée'. If you would like to prepare the entrée for one Wed. night, please sign up on the sheet on the desk in the small fellowship hall.

MAY 1 - Meat Balls (Rita Fields)

Mashed Potatoes, Corn, Carrots, Salads, Rolls, Dessert, Drinks

MAY 8 - Smoked Sausage (Hazel West)

Fried Potatoes, Green Beans, Corn, Rolls, Desserts, Drinks

<u>MAY 15</u> - (TBA)

Desserts, Drinks

<u>MAY 22</u> - (TBA)

Dessert, Drinks MAY 29 - (TBA)

**Dessert**, Drinks

### CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR COLLEGE & HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Brittney Walsh, Masters Degree from Ball State

Abigail Walsh, Bachelor's Degree from Ball State

Mickey Hall Jr., Bachelor's Degree from University of Louisville Maria Gary, High School Graduate from New Washington High School Rachael Wagner, High School Graduate from Scottsburg High School Autumn Wilson, High School Graduate from Scottsburg High School

They will be honored on our Youth Sunday, June 9th at the end of the Morning Service.