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Love God ... Love Each Other ... Love the World

Letter from Rob Hatfield



We recently concluded another successful season of Upward Basketball. Ashley Johnson, our Upward Coordinator, once again did a wonderful job of using sports to proclaim the good news of Jesus. There were 257 kids in the league with 68 who said they were unchurched. This year I had the privilege of being

an Assistant Coach for Alex's (my oldest son) team. Each week, as we gathered to hone our basketball skills, we were also building relationships with boys and demonstrating God's love in word and deed. I am so thankful we have a recreation ministry that gives me a non-threatening way to invest in kids, teach them about who God is and play basketball too. We are truly blessed to have such an awesome ministry, and I hope you will pass on a good word of encouragement to Ashley soon!

This week marks some days when many in our congregation will be taking some days off because our children are out of school. I don't know about you, but I am thankful for the opportunity to take a few days off from "regular" life to go on vacation with my family. Whenever we are able to take time to be away from normal life I have things that I know will happen (Lord willing) and things I am hopeful will occur. I know, for instance, that we will spend copious amounts of time with friends and family and play an almost unlimited amount of games with our children along the way. I know Laurie and I will seek out ways to invest in our sons as a group and

as individuals (one-on-one). I know we will have adventures and conversations, walks and talks.

I am hopeful that in the midst of our activities we will make memories that will last a lifetime that are filled with laughter and love. I am hopeful that we will be able to model for our sons how to use activity and adventures as methods to building relationships. I am hopeful that the way we laugh, play and love will be passed on beyond our time together to future generations. I'm confident it is possible because one of the critical ways I learned how to use fun for relationship building was with my family on vacations.

I encourage you, if you are going out of town in these days, to intentionally use fun, adventures, and laughing to build stronger relationships for today and perhaps even for days off in distance.

February Business Meeting
Wednesday, February 21, 2018
6:15 p.m.
in the Sanctuary

DAVE RAMSEY FINANCIAL

PEACE

FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY

Sunday Nights | F-204 | 9-week session begins February 25 | 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Facilitators: Tremaine and Tracy Martin

Walk through the basics of budgeting, becoming debt-free, planning for the future and more in a small group setting.

Cost is \$100. (If you think that's expensive, attend 8 out of the 9 weeks and receive \$50 back at the end of the semester.)

Registration is open now at www.shbc.cc.

CENTRIFUGE FOR STUDENTS

Grades 7-8

Monday – Friday, July 9-13, 2018

Shalimar Retreat Center

Panama City, FL

Cost: \$250

Deadline to register: April 18, 2018



The Light of the Village: Food Donations to Needy Families

SHBC members have an opportunity to contribute food and household items to those in great need in Alabama Village. John and Dolores Eads have identified families who are struggling to make ends meet and need some help to care for their families. Each month 15-20 families will be chosen to receive help. SHBC members can help by bringing any of the following items and placing them in food collection boxes located on the church campus. These will be collected and stored until the end of the month. Items will be bagged and taken to LOV for distribution.

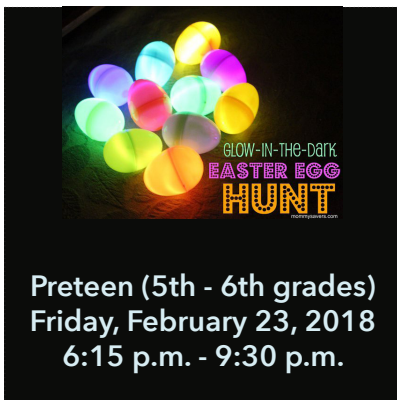
Items are being collected in marked boxes in the Education Office, the Activities Center and on the second floor of the Adult Sunday School Building.

Items Needed: boxed mac-n-cheese, canned spaghetti sauce, spaghetti noodles, ramen noodles, rice, beans cans of ravioli, corn, green beans, yams, collards, tuna fish, canned ham, canned chicken, Vienna Sausages, canned pears, peaches, fruit cocktail, apple sauce, peanut butter, jelly, cereal bars, crackers, loaf of bread, toilet paper, toothpaste, dish soap and bleach

You can help by: bringing items, helping prepare the bags each month, and/or helping deliver the food bags. Please contact Judy Wesson at 423-5402 if you would like to help.



Team Kid Races
Sunday, March 11, 2018



Preteen (5th - 6th grades)
Friday, February 23, 2018
6:15 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

BIBLE READING PLAN FOR 2018

Please continue to read with us this week. A reading plan will appear in The Messenger and Sunday Worship Guide each week and can be found on our website at www.shbc.cc.

February 18-24, 2018:

- February 18: Numbers 16-17
- February 19: Numbers 18-20
- February 20: Numbers 21-22
- February 21: Numbers 23-25
- February 22: Numbers 26-27
- February 23: Numbers 28-30
- February 24: Numbers 31-32





New Year's Resolutions? Come to the SHAC and join one of our fitness classes and let us help you get in shape in 2018!!

FEBRUARY 12, 2018 - MARCH 23, 2018

FITNESS SCHEDULE

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
6:00 - 6:30 a.m.		emPower-U Boot Camp Hannah		emPower-U Boot Camp Hannah	
8:00 - 9:00 a.m.		Zumba Julisa Theodore		Zumba Julisa Theodore	
8:15 - 9:00 a.m.		Pilates Lauren Carr		Pilates Lauren Carr	
8:30 - 9:15 a.m.					emPower-U Boot Camp Colleen Smith
8:45 - 9:15 a.m.	Balance & Agility Lisa Rush		Balance & Agility Lisa Rush		
9:00 - 9:30 a.m.		Tighten & Tone Lisa Rush		Tighten & Tone Lisa Rush	Tighten & Tone Lisa Rush
12:00 - 12:45 p.m.	Body360 Colleen Smith		Body360 Colleen Smith		
5:30 - 6:15 p.m.		emPower-U Boot Camp Kathleen Coffman		Zumba Kathleen Coffman	



SHBC WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, February 18

- 8:45 a.m..... Contemporary Service
- 9:45 a.m..... Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m..... Traditional Service
- 4:00 p.m..... Children's Bible Drill Practice
- 4:00 p.m..... SHS Rehearsal
- 4:00 p.m..... JHS Rehearsal
- 6:30 p.m..... Reflection Rehearsal

Monday, February 19

- 8:30 a.m..... Rescue Mission (Away)
- 6:00 p.m..... Precept Upon Precept Bible Study (AC)
- 7:00 p.m..... Reflection Rehearsal

Tuesday, February 20

- 9:30 a.m..... Home of Grace (Away)
- 11:30 a.m..... Koinonia Class Meeting
- 6:30 p.m..... Finance Committee Meeting
- 7:45 p.m..... Deacons' Meeting

Wednesday, February 21

- 4:45 p.m..... Supper (DH)
- 5:30 p.m..... Music & Missions
- 5:30 p.m..... W.O.W. (AC)
- 6:15 p.m..... Prayer Meeting & Business Meeting (Sanctuary)
- 6:15 p.m..... Young Adult Ensemble
- 7:05 p.m..... Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, February 22

- 9:15 a.m..... Ruth Bible Study (AC)
- 5:00 p.m..... Ladies' Dinner and a Movie

Friday, February 23

Saturday, February 24

SELF-DEFENSE CLASS

The class will be taught by Mike Barnett who is a professional fighter, Martial Arts instructor at Port City MMA, and a police officer for the city. The focus of the class is to teach smaller individuals to use leverage, joint locks, chokes, and positioning to submit or incapacitate larger opponents.

The class will begin Tuesday, February 27, at 7:00 p.m. in the Aerobics Room of the SHAC. It will meet every other Tuesday through April - this will be 5 classes. The cost is \$15 per participant per class.

FREE ADMISSION

EGG HUNT ON THE HILL

Saturday, March 24

9:00-11:30 a.m.

 Pony Rides, Inflatables, Train Rides, Face Painting, Crafts, Refreshments... and Much More!

251-342-5320

FREE ADMISSION

Tale of the Three Trees

 A musical adaptation of the American Folk Tale

 By Allen Pote

 PRESENTED BY THE YOUNG MUSICIANS

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 2018

AT 6:15 P.M. IN THE SANCTUARY



ACT LIKE MEN

MOBILE, AL | FEBRUARY 23-24, 2018
DAUPHIN WAY BAPTIST CHURCH

The Main Event is a Lifeway conference for Men at Dauphin Way Baptist Church. Cost is \$40 per person. Click the link below to find out more information about this event, register and purchase tickets: <http://bit.ly/2BFR2Pp>

Home of Grace for Women

Spring Hill Baptist has had a ministry with the ladies at the Home of Grace for over 20 years. Please pray about being part of this ministry team. If you would like more information or would like to join the team, contact Janice Butler at 634-1566.

Our next ministry date is February 20.

Waterfront Rescue Mission Ministry

Looking for a way to get involved! Join us as we minister to the men at the Waterfront Rescue Mission.

Our next ministry date is February 19.
Call 342-5320 for more information.

THE CHURCH STAFF

Church Office 342-5320

Dr. Rob Hatfield Pastor
Bob Gladney Executive Pastor
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Missy Powell Pianist

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Colleen Smith ... Recreation/Activities Coordinator
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Ashley Johnson Upward Sports Director

**Weekday Preschool Education Office
342-6044**



*Train up a child in
the way he should go:
and when he is old, he will not
depart from it. Proverbs 22:6*

**Extended Session
for week of February 18, 2018**

Preschool A: Lynn Jackson
Preschool B: Sean & Lyndsey Mahony (Early)

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