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

Letter from Rob Hatfield



This year's theme for Vacation Bible School (also known as VBS) is "Game On!" There will be all kinds of sports imagery, illustrations, games, activities, crafts and Bible stories related to the central message of Christianity - the good news that God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes

in him shall not perish but have eternal life. When children encounter and understand the key message that God loves them enough to send His son to die for their sins, the "Game IS On" in their hearts. Please join me in praying that all the children who come in contact with the good news of the gospel during VBS will be receptive to His enduring love. Pray also for all the workers who will be diligently loving our children in words and actions throughout the week.

In addition to praying, I hope if you have children or grandchildren you have already signed them up for VBS. If not, it is not too late! Just follow the link <u>www.shbc.cc</u> and sign up online. Our children are also welcome to invite their friends to come and experience the joy of VBS at Spring Hill with us. As a reminder, our VBS is Sunday (June 3) - Wednesday (June 6) nights 5:30-8:00 p.m. and is open for all 4K -6th grade children.

Our new prospective Student and College Pastor Josh Karl has begun meeting with various groups of people on our campus. On Wednesday night he was able to spend time with our student ministry leadership as well as lead our students during their Wednesday night worship service. Josh will be back on Saturday afternoon for some time with our student parents at 4:00 p.m., followed by a cookout at 5:00 p.m.. Please look inside this newsletter for more information on Josh's background. I look forward to his sharing his testimony in both of our worship services on Sunday morning and am excited about the possibility of him joining our ministry team at Spring Hill. At the conclusion of our services on Sunday we will have a Special Called Business meeting for the purpose of calling Josh Karl as our Student and College Pastor.



Please join us as we serve the women at *McKemie Place* on **Thursday, June 7**. Bring your favorite salad, side dish or dessert to add to our fried chicken dinner. We will gather in the Activities Center parking lot at 5:30 p.m. and depart at 5:45 p.m. Your good food, your presence, your smiles, your prayers and other expressions of God's grace mean so much!

Spring Hill Baptist Church Vacation Bible School June 3-6, 2018 from 5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

For children who have completed 4K - 6th grade Visit www.shbc.cc to register or call 342-5320



Attention Completed Grades 1st - 6th

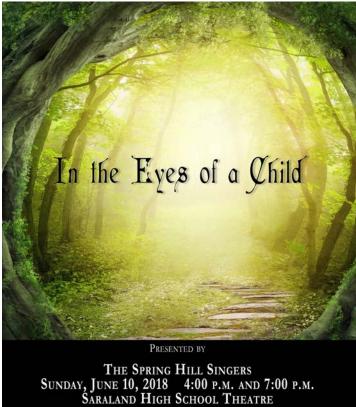


Sign-up has begun for our field trip to Ocean Adventures on Monday, June 11, from 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. This trip is for children who have completed 1st-6th grades. To register,

please turn in \$10 and a completed registration form to the Education Office. Space will be limited. Registration forms are available in the Education Office.



Our College Ministry is having a "Summer Sunday School" class that started this past Sunday and will continue to meet through Sunday, August 5, 2018. The class meets at 9:45 a.m. in the Fireside Room of the Activities Center, with Kenny Lambert and Michael Sherman leading the class. If you have any questions about this summer class, please call Bob Gladney, 342-5320.



FREE ADMISSION AND FREE PARKING

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Tickets for Church Members: June 3 and June 10 Sanctuary Foyer 9:30 - 11:00 a.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 <u>www.shbc.cc</u>.

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June 3:	Ezekiel 13-15
June 4:	Ezekiel 16-17
June 5:	Ezekiel 18-20
June 6:	Ezekiel 21-23
June 7:	Ezekiel 24-27
June 8:	Ezekiel 28-31
June 9:	Ezekiel 32-34



Weightloss Summer Challenge Class June 4- July 9, 2018 (6 weeks) Every Monday at 10am

Cost: 6 weeks for \$60, and if you meet your goal weight, you get \$30 back at the end.

For details about the classes and to register by visiting the Activities Center or online, <u>www.shbc.cc/ministries/</u> recreation-sports

Are You In A Sunday School Class?



Sunday School at Spring Hill Baptist Church is the engine that drives the train. Sunday School is our primary reaching, teaching and loving tool. Through Sunday School we develop Christ-centered relationships, engage in meaningful Bible Study, and bring others into the church family.

If you haven't done so in the past, make Sunday School a priority. We have many great classes from which you can choose. Be sure you are found faithful by attending Sunday School this Sunday and throughout the summer!!

Meet Josh Karl Student & College Pastor Candidate



Josh Karl will be here this weekend in view of a call to be our Student & College Pastor. Josh and his wife Megan have two daughters, Evie (7) and Harper (3). Josh graduated from Northwestern State University and will receive his Master of Arts in Christian Education degree from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary by May 2019. He and Megan served two years in Tallin, Estonia with the International Mission Board. Josh worked in business as he helped plant two churches in Shreveport, LA and now in New

Orleans, LA while he is attending New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary. He is also serving in the Church-Minister Relations/Alumni Office at the Seminary.

Megan graduated from Northwestern State University with a degree in English and Creative Writing. She currently teaches English to international students at St. Martin's Episcopal School in Metarie, LA.

Students and Parents will have an opportunity to meet Josh this Saturday, June 2 in the Activities Center:

4:00 p.m. Parent Meeting – Room 236

5:00 p.m. Cookout for Students and Parents – Back Room 6:00 p.m. Sing Hill Singers Rehearsal – Gym

This is what Josh's references say about him:

"Josh desires to do well in all he attempts for the Lord. He desires to serve the local church and has studied and led well as a seminary student." Jody Dean, Assistant Professor for Christian Education – New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary

"Josh is a subtle motivator who uses his people skills and relational skills to motivate those around him to serve and he also leads out by action. Josh and Megan are top notch people and some of the finest folks that we have had in 29 years of ministry." Bill Collins, Baptist Collegiate Ministry Director – Northwestern State University

"Josh demonstrates a strong interest, concern, and desire to help, encourage, and teach students. He has strong interpersonal relationship skills in addition to being outgoing, warm, and welcoming to new people that he meets." Jeannie Bozeman, Distinguished Professor of Social Work – New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary

On Sunday, June 3 Josh will share his testimony in the 8:45 and 11:00 worship services. At the end of each service, (8:45 – Dining Hall and 11:00 - Sanctuary) we will have a Special Called Business Meeting for the purpose of calling Josh Karl as our Student & College Pastor.

THIS WEEK AT SPRING HILL

Sunday, June 3	
8:45 a.m	Contemporary Service
9:45 a.m	Sunday School
11:00 a.m.	-
5:30 p.m	
6:00 p.m	
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Monday, June 4	
5:30 p.m	Vacation Bible School
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Tuesday, June 5	
5:30 p.m	
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Wednesday, June 6	
No Wednesday Night Supper, Prayer	Meeting & Bible Study
5:30 p.m	Vacation Bible School
7:00 p.m	
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Thursday, June 7	
3:30 p.m	MAGIC to SummerTide Theatre
5:30 p.m	
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Friday, June 8	
6:00 p.m	SHS Rehearsal
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Saturday, June 9	

3:30 p.m.....SHS Rehearsal (Saraland High School)



May 27, 2018 STEWARDSHIP

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Projected Weekly Needs	72,708.25		
Sunday Contributions	31,944.98		
Projected Needs to Date	.1,439,049.00		
Given to Date	.1,124,864.67		

SUNDAY SCHOOL

ENROLLMENT

Adults	683	Adults	262
Young Adults		Young Adults	58
Youth		Youth	56
Preteen	65	Preteen	20
Children	111	Children	27
Preschool	130	Preschool	50
TOTAL	1,465	Sub-total	473
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		Gordon Oaks	12

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When you see this symbol it means this ministry opportunity is made possible by your contributions to the 2018 Mission and Ministry Plan.



July 16-20, 2018 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Sign up online at <u>shbc.cc/smash</u> Church Members use the code SMASH2018 for 15% off



July 16-20, 2018 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. for completed K5-6th grade Cost is \$10 | Register online at <u>shbc.cc</u>

Max camper capacity is 50, so register soon!

Children who are registered for SMASH who wish to participate in Basketball Camp will be walked over by camper staff to the Activities Center.



Light of the Village Summer Camps need housing for two of the male interns, who will arrive the weekend of June 3 and depart the weekend of July 23. These are college students who help at the camps. Please contact Beth Klees (bklees@shbc.cc or 342-5320) if you are interested in helping.

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Activities Center 342-5375

Colleen Smith ... Recreation/Activities Coordinator Enrique Castillo Recreation Ministry Assistant Ashley Johnson Upward Sports Director

Weekday Preschool Education Office 342-6044

In case of emergency over the weekend, you may reach the minister on call at 342-5320.



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 June 3, 2018 Preschool A: Jody & Katie Crane (Early) Garrett & Holley Rice (Late) Preschool B: John & Pam Adams(Late) Matt & Theresa Pastorcich

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