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Love GOD | Love EACH OTHER | Love THE WORLD



**Preteen Day at Gulf  
Islands Waterpark**

Monday, July 22  
Completed 4th - 6th Grades

\$25 includes admission, lunch, and use of a covered pavilion for the day

\*Sign up in the Education Office by completing a permission form and dropping off \$25 by Sunday, July 14.



**Basketball Camp II**

July 22-26, 2019  
2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Spring Hill Baptist  
Activities Center

Cost: \$25

Register: [www.shbc.cc/register](http://www.shbc.cc/register) | For boys and girls: rising 1st graders through completed 6th graders.

If you have already registered for the July 15-19 camp and would like to be added to the waiting list for the July 22-26 camp, please contact Colleen Smith, [csmith@shbc.cc](mailto:csmith@shbc.cc) or 251-342-5375



*We're going to try staying local this time and go to the Loaves & Fishes Family Restaurant at 13476 Tanner Williams Road in Wilmer, AL.*

Sign up in Sunday School to make your reservation. If you plan to ride the bus our meeting time is 5:50 p.m. We will leave no later than 6:00 p.m.

**Men's Night Out at  
Loaves & Fishes  
Family Restaurant  
Thursday, July 18, 2019  
at 6:30 p.m.**



Summer Music at Spring Hill

**July 15-19 | 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.**

Summer Music at Spring Hill is a music day camp that allows children to experience music in a variety of age appropriate activities. The day includes small group and large group learning situations.

**COST:**

- \$75.00 for one child
- \$120.00 for two per family
- \$150.00 for three or more per family

Activities include: playing instruments, singing, music crafts, games, and movement, as well as a rehearsal time for performance.

Sign up now by visiting [www.shbc.cc/register](http://www.shbc.cc/register).

**Preschool parents please join us for Preschool Share Time Friday, July 19 at 1:00 p.m.**

**Please join us for our SMASH performance Sunday, July 21 at 6:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Also, join us for an Ice Cream Social immediately following.**

# 2<sup>ND</sup> QUARTER FINANCIAL REPORT

APRIL 1 - JUNE 30, 2019

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### Understanding the Grace of Giving

In 1899, MORE THAN 500 BOOK TITLES were compiled in a biography on "Tithing and Systematic Proportionate Giving." Today, if we searched the world's bookstores and Internet libraries, we would find that teaching on giving is the "silent subject" of the Christian community.

Christians sit on untold quantities of wealth never imagined. Most Christian leaders of the last few generations have ignored teaching the biblical imperatives of giving. This departure is seriously making an impact on our ability to further the gospel to a hurting, confused and broken world. A materialistic undertow is threatening the spiritual vitality and financial stability of Christians and Christian ministries everywhere.

Listed below are seven principles of Christian giving that must be re-issued in our generation:

1. Give to God First - Genesis 14:17-20; Genesis 28:16-22
2. Give to God Systematically - Matthew 23:23; II Corinthians 8 & 9
3. Give to God Cheerfully - I Chronicles 29:14; Luke 6:38
4. Give to God Regardless of Your Circumstances - Psalm 50:10-12
5. Give to God Proportionately - I Timothy 6:18-19; I Corinthians 16:2
6. Give to God Thoughtfully - Proverbs 3:5-6; Malachi 3:7-15
7. Give to God Eternally - I Samuel 30:22; Hebrews 6:10

Make a spiritual decision today to set aside 10% or more of your income, blessings and assets for God's work. Set up a practical way to honor your commitment. Then, begin/continue giving faithfully, generously and cheerfully to the Lord's work through Spring Hill Baptist Church.

### Giving Supports Ministries

Giving to the 2019 Mission and Ministry Plan funds the outstanding summer opportunities like Vacation Bible School, Spring Hill Singers Mission Tour, Children's Camp, Church Picnic and upcoming ministries like Student M-FUGE, SMASH, 2 Basketball Camps, Upward Flag Football, Service Volleyball and our Mission Trip to Haiti.

## 2019 MISSION AND MINISTRY PLAN BY THE NUMBERS

April 1 - June 30, 2019

### APRIL WEEKLY GIVING

April 7	\$61,782.00
April 14	\$39,049.26
April 21	\$54,469.08
April 28	\$106,309.00
Total	\$261,609.34
Expenses	(\$234,784.50)
Difference	(\$26,824.84)

### MAY WEEKLY GIVING

May 5	\$52,044.50
May 12	\$46,175.75
May 19	\$47,106.52
May 26	\$39,875.00
Total	\$185,201.77
Expenses	(\$315,077.38)
Difference	(\$129,875.61)

### JUNE WEEKLY GIVING

June 2	\$55,210.50
June 9	\$56,723.25
June 16	\$41,214.56
June 23	\$54,115.00
June 30	\$46,253.76
Total	\$253,517.07
Expenses	(\$254,069.48)
Difference	(\$552.41)

### YEAR-TO-DATE GIVING - AS OF 6/30/2019

Budget Contributions	\$1,423,216.55
Budget Expenses	(\$1,532,178.59)
Difference	(\$108,962.04)
Global Missions / LoveWorks	\$170,785.99
Annie Armstrong Final (Thru 6/30)	\$29,552.52

### INTERESTING FACTS - AS OF 6/30/2019

Loan Balance to Date	\$1,300,343.30
Average Sunday School Attendance	518
Average Worship Attendance	636
New Members by Letter/Statement	10
New Members by Baptism	13

**Thank you for your faithful financial support of Spring Hill Baptist Church.**



## THIS WEEK AT SPRING HILL

Sunday, July 14

8:30 a.m. .... Contemporary Worship Service  
 9:45 a.m. .... Sunday School  
 11:00 a.m. .... Traditional Worship Service

Monday, July 15

8:30 a.m. .... Waterfront Rescue Mission  
 9:30 a.m. .... SMASH  
 2:00 p.m. .... Basketball Camp  
 6:30 p.m. .... Ladies' Bible Study

Tuesday, July 16

9:30 a.m. .... Home of Grace  
 9:30 a.m. .... SMASH  
 2:00 p.m. .... Basketball Camp  
 6:00 p.m. .... Finance Committee Meeting  
 7:15 p.m. .... Deacons' Meeting

Wednesday, July 17

9:30 a.m. .... SMASH  
 2:00 p.m. .... Basketball Camp  
 4:45 p.m. .... Supper (DH)  
 5:30 p.m. .... The Workshop: Students  
 6:00 p.m. .... Children: Yee Haw  
 6:15 p.m. .... Prayer Meeting/Business Meeting/Terry Richey Preaching  
 7:05 p.m. .... Sanctuary Choir  
 Rehearsal

Thursday, July 18

9:30 a.m. .... MAGIC: How to Fall Without Getting Hurt  
 9:30 a.m. .... SMASH  
 2:00 p.m. .... Basketball Camp  
 5:50 p.m. .... Men's Night Out at Loaves & Fishes

Friday, July 19

9:30 a.m. .... SMASH  
 1:00 p.m. .... SMASH Preschool Share Time  
 2:00 p.m. .... Basketball Camp



**Easter 2019**



**Egg Hunt on the Hill**



**Fruit of the Spirit Performance**



**Spring Hill Singers Tour to Chicago**



**Jr. High Singers Spring Performance**



**Churchwide Picnic**



**Children's Lake Forest Ranch**



## Worship Opportunities at Spring Hill

Sunday, July 14 at 8:30 and 11:00 a.m.  
Dr. Charles Carter

Wednesday, July 17 at 6:15 p.m.  
Business Meeting/Terry Richey



## Rescue Mission Ministry

Looking for a way to get involved? Join us as we minister to the men at the Rescue Mission. **Our next ministry date is July 15.** Call 342-5320 for more information.

## Home of Grace for Women

The Home of Grace ministry team will be going to the Home of Grace on **July 16** to offer a good meal, a listening ear and a touch of friendship and fellowship. If you feel led to join us, please call Janice Butler at 634-1566 to get more information.

## Giving Thanks

July 7, 2019

### STEWARDSHIP

Projected Weekly Needs .....\$62,813.75  
Sunday Contributions..... \$40,063.37  
Projected Needs to Date.....\$1,654,779.75  
Given to Date.....\$1,463,279.92

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

Adults.....259  
Young Adults.....47  
College .....8  
Youth .....42  
Preteen .....16  
Children .....26  
Preschool.....50  
Sub-total .....448  
OFF CAMPUS CLASSES  
Gordon Oaks .....9  
GRAND TOTAL .....457

Welcome  
New Members!



Hunter & Kim Whidden  
*Hunter by Letter  
Kim by Statement*

### Church Office 342-5320

Bob Gladney..... Executive Pastor  
Terry Richey..... Associate Pastor  
Randy Grim ..... Minister of Music  
Josh Karl..... Student & College Pastor  
Erica Holloway.....Minister to Children & Families  
Bill Taylor ..... Asst. Minister of Music  
Gretchen Crane..... Communications Director  
Denise Marsh .....Finance Director  
Debbie Rice ..... Children's Music Coordinator  
Missy Powell..... Pianist



*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 July 14, 2019

**Preschool A:** Bob & Sophie Ream

**Preschool B:** Zach & Kathleen Coffman (Early)

### 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.

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