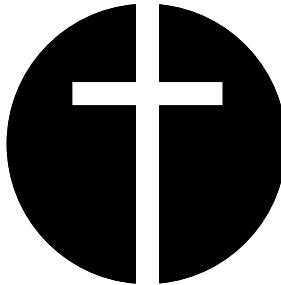


**2016**

# Hamilton Street Baptist Church



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"Check-in" every time  
you're here!



Hamilton Street Family,

I want to thank you all for welcoming me during my first month as your interim pastor. You all have been so friendly and open toward me. I have felt very much at home. If you've been away, I have been preaching through Isaiah on Sunday mornings, teaching on the kingdom of God on Sunday

evenings and talking about how to properly read and interpret the Bible for our Wednesday night Bible study. I hope to see you at one of these opportunities to learn about God's Word soon. I have been very pleased to see so many people step up and continue serving the church during this period of transition. Let's keep this up! There is a temptation in some churches to let things slide while waiting for a new pastor. We all need to be driving the mission that God gave this church forward during this time. It is my prayer that I lead well in this position as you search for a permanent pastor.

Your brother,  
Bill

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click "Give"  
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**606-268-1957**





## **Jesus Sees, Jesus Knows, Jesus Saves**

Join us as we dive deep to find the truth below the surface at our Submerged VBS! As students submerge themselves in God's Word, they will discover that Jesus didn't just see what's on the outside of people. He looked deep down on the inside.

**Sunday, July 10 -  
Thursday, July 14  
5:30 - 8:00 PM  
Ages 4 - Grade 12  
Register at  
[www.hamiltonstreet.org](http://www.hamiltonstreet.org)**

Please register your children now to help us better prepare! If you have questions, please contact

Tanya Tatro.

*Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know my concerns. See if there is any offensive way in me; lead me in the everlasting way.*

*Psalm 139:23-24*

King James 2000 Bible

"Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creation: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new."

The house we live in is kind of unique. We were told when we bought it, that it once resided on the corner of Illinois and Baltimore where the Sherwin-Williams store currently sits. The original house was a small, 2-story structure with 2 bedrooms upstairs and a single bathroom. After it was brought out to the county and sat on a basement, it was renovated several times and is now about twice its original size.

In the almost 2 years we have lived here, we have done several renovations ourselves. Most of these renovations have been uncovering the "old" house and restoring its original charm. We have taken out carpets to restore original hardwood floors, repainted rooms to give them a fresh feel, and used a variety of wood sources to create new and unique room accessories. In our own way, we are putting our family's personality into the house.

Although we are doing a lot of cosmetic work on the house, it's still an old house. The walls are still lath and plaster. The hardwood floors are still supported by 75 year old floor joists. Short of tearing the whole house down and starting over, the house will never be "new".

By contrast, each of us as Christians is able to become new by

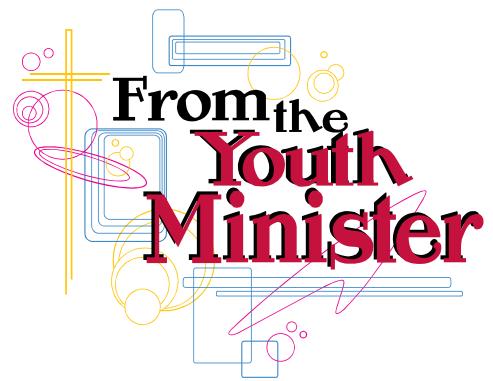


### **Twin Pines**

Tuesdays @ 9:30 am

### **Highland Crest**

Sunday, July 10, 2 pm



the power of the shed blood of Jesus Christ. We are the workmanship of the Lord; our hearts recreated and renewed, reconciled to our Creator. As we talk about in Youth group, we are made new unto good works. The Holy Spirit guides us towards sanctification; the state of proper functioning. Baker's Evangelical Dictionary of Biblical Theology defines sanctification of someone or something as "to set that person or thing apart for the use intended by its designer".

Our house was intended to be a home for families to enjoy one another's company with love and caring for each other. God intended for His creation to find their home in Him. A home filled with God's everlasting love; a love that was perfectly expressed in the person of Jesus Christ. Where is your home?

*Tony Keene*, Youth Minister  
tony.keene@sbcglobal.net

### **Vital Signs**

#### **Year to Date (06/22/2016):**

Budgeted Offering:	\$170,379.32
Received Offering:	\$158,617.06
Budget Expenses:	\$164,348.98

Bldg Fund Offering YTD: \$4,591.69

#### **YTD Average Attendance:**

8:30 a.m. Worship:	93
11:00 a.m. Worship:	133
Worship Total:	228
Sunday Morning Small Groups:	145



This month is The Month! Only 10 more days before our deep sea adventure begins, and there's so much to pray about! Will you please join us in talking to Our Father about VBS?

**PRAY** that many children, youth, and families would learn about and attend our VBS so they can hear the good news about Jesus Christ.

**Ask God** for wisdom to know who you should invite.

**PRAY** for empty calendars and light family schedules during VBS week so children and youth can participate.

**PRAY** that the Holy Spirit will be softening hearts and drawing unbelievers to Himself.

**PRAY** for the many VBS volunteers at our church – that they would experience God while preparing lessons, music, snacks, decorations, etc. and that they would have wisdom in leading kids to Christ.

**PRAY** that God will give our teachers and assistants wisdom, patience, and good health.

**PRAY** for good weather, cool temps and dry skies.

## The Mission of HSBC

Honor God's Truth

Share the Gospel

Build Believers

Care for Others

**Ask God** to provide inspiration for eye-catching decorations in each classroom and activity setting.

**Ask God** to help recreation leaders play games that honor Him and each student.

**PRAY** for Bible study leaders. Ask for God's guidance as they prepare their lessons and for boldness to share with boys, girls, and teenagers how to have a personal relationship with Christ.

**Ask God** to mend broken hearts, heal relationships, and bring hope to our deep sea divers, their families as well as to our VBS volunteers and church family.

**PRAY** for VBS participants who will attend our church for the first time. Pray that God will help them find love and acceptance.

**PRAY** for music and missions leaders. Pray that God will touch hearts through the music. Pray that people will learn about missions and how they can be involved.

**PRAY** for crafts, recreation, and snack leaders to be filled with joy and enthusiasm. Many participants build relationships as they play games, complete crafts, or fellowship around snacks.

**PRAY** for effective follow up with unchurched children and families after the VBS decorations have been packed away.



Are you age 50+? Do you like to socialize, eat, and attend activities where you can meet new people and learn new things? Then we have the group for you!

The former JOY (Just Older Youth) group that met at Fellowship Baptist Church has expanded, changed its name, and is reaching out to any and all older adults in the area.

They will meet on the first Thursday of every month at 6:30 p.m. Location and programs will vary. The first meeting is scheduled for July 7 at Fellowship Baptist Church at 6:30 p.m. The program will be a speaker reporting on their missionary trip.

The August 4 meeting will be held at Hamilton Street Baptist Church at 6:30 p.m., when the Senior Songsters choir will present their summer program. Future meetings will be publicized in the church bulletin.

The HSBC contacts for The Sonshine Group are Pam and Jim Barnett. Please contact them by phone or email with any questions. Their phone number is 660-341-3146 and email is pjbarnett@cableone.net.

**BUCK DENVER asks... WHAT'S IN THE BIBLE?**

Luke 19:10

**For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.**

# JULY CALENDAR

July 2	8:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast, Rosie's Northtown Café
July 3		Sunday Evening Services Dismissed
July 4		Independence Day, Office Closed
July 5	9:30 a.m.	Twin Pines
	6:00 p.m.	Nominating Committee
July 6	6:00 p.m.	Prayer
	6:30 p.m.	Adult Bible Study / Youth
July 7	6:30 p.m.	The Sonshine Group at Fellowship Baptist Church
July 8 & 9		Grand Oaks, Intro to Camp, Grades 1-3
July 9		THBA Youth to Six Flags
July 10	2:00 p.m.	Highland Crest
July 10-14	5:30 p.m.	Vacation Bible School
July 11		Book of Reports Due
July 12	9:30 a.m.	Twin Pines
July 15	6:30 p.m.	VBS Family Night, At the Pool
July 17	4:30 p.m.	Deacons
	6:00 p.m.	Business Meeting
July 18		Newsletter Items Due
July 18-23		Grand Oaks, Children's Camp
July 19	9:30 a.m.	Twin Pines
July 20	6:00 p.m.	Prayer
	6:30 p.m.	Adult Bible Study / Youth
	7:30 p.m.	Church Council
July 23	11:00 a.m.	Mobile Food Pantry
July 26	9:30 a.m.	Twin Pines
July 27	6:00 p.m.	Prayer
	6:30 p.m.	Adult Bible Study / Youth
	7:30 p.m.	Staff



**Saturday, July 2  
8:00 a.m.**

**Rosie's Northtown Cafe**  
Contact Dana Brown



*College Student Small Group Leader  
Stacy Tucker-Potter,  
tucker\_potter@yahoo.com  
find her on Facebook or stop by her  
office in McClain Hall 205 on the  
Truman campus.*

We offer Associate Membership to college students who wish to be a part of our body without giving up their membership in their churches back home. If you are interested, contact Bill at [bvictor@mobaptist.org](mailto:bvictor@mobaptist.org).

# PASTORAL SEARCH COMMITTEE

Pastor Search Committee met on June 13th and reviewed our individual top 5 candidates from the 77 resumes that had been submitted. We had great discussions about many of the men we reviewed...including watching parts of sermons, visiting church websites, and looking at Facebook posts. We finalized on a potential candidate and contacted him about his interest in the position. He responded positively so we sent him a questionnaire to request additional information and sermon links. He has just sent us the requested information so we will be reviewing it and will schedule a meeting soon to compare notes. We are still very early in this process and are committed to letting God lead in His time. Please continue to pray for us as we seek God's will together.

Tony Keene (Chair)  
Mike Brummit  
Tabitha Cleaver  
Bertha Crump  
Elsie Rudd  
Tanya Tatro  
Jonathan Walker



## NOTES ON WORSHIP

David Cook, interim music  
[david.cook.fm@sbcglobal.net](mailto:david.cook.fm@sbcglobal.net)



I was in the car with Cedric and Skyler with the radio turned up, and the song "God is on the Move" came on. It's a great upbeat song reminding us that God is still working in our midst even though we may not always sense it. As the song was finishing up, Skyler asked "Did he sing 'God is on the moon?'" I told him no, and told him what the singer was singing. Cedric then chimed in, "Oh, I thought he was singing 'God is on the roof.'" They then came up with how it could be put on Brain Games, as they saw something similar in that TV show. Such is life in the Cook-mobile! While some people may question the song for its lack of anything deep or substantial theology, I think its purpose is totally different. The chorus is catchy, and I find it going in my mind at times. It then makes me more aware of what God is doing around me, and that God is still moving and working in the hearts of people. In fact, a few Sundays ago, in the middle of Bill's sermon, two teenagers started walking by the windows of the church and bouncing a ball on the brick in between the windows. It was obvious they had no idea what went on at church as they stopped halfway down the building, probably when they actually noticed people sitting in the building. They stopped bouncing the ball and left. I recognized one of the kids – I had him in class this past year. I felt God say "Pray," so I started praying for that kid. While at the pool, my attention was taken to some other kids that I know, and I felt God say "Pray." As I am looking around, I am seeing ways God is working, and how I need to learn to pray more effectively for that which is going on around me. It's easy for us to look at the big picture and not be happy with what we are seeing around us in our government and schools, etc, and if we aren't careful, we don't see how God is on the move, or maybe even begin to doubt that God really will move in our midst. There's a battle for our mind, and the catchy chorus of "God is on the move" is going to help me get my mind in focus and prepare my heart to see God do something great. God is on the move – let's move with Him!

### The purpose of the Church is to glorify God by fulfilling the Great Commandment

(<sup>36</sup>"Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?" <sup>37</sup>Jesus replied: " 'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.' <sup>38</sup>This is the first and greatest commandment. <sup>39</sup>And the second is like it: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' <sup>40</sup>All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments." Matthew 22:36-40)

and the Great Commission

(<sup>18</sup>Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup>Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup>and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." Matthew 28:18-20).

Church Council met recently and discussed the following items.

**SMSG** – Sunday Morning Small Group Promotion went well. For the time being, the 18-36 months class is going to Miss Vicki's. Grade 6 – 8 is still without leadership. There would be between 8-10 kids in that group and about the same number in Sr. High, so leadership is needed due to the number of students and the wide age range of those attending.

**Finance Committee Policy** – This item regarding staff mileage reimbursement was deferred to the Personnel Committee. No one representing the Personnel Committee was present, so the item was tabled until the next meeting.

**Food 4 Kids, June 13-17** – Workers are in place for the week.

**ATSU Orientation, July 11-15** – The event the Taste of Kirksville is basically their activity fair. It has been open to ATSU organizations, and the community is represented primarily by restaurants. If we would like to participate next year in some way, we will need to pursue this earlier in the year.

**Gideons** – We have had a request from the Gideons to speak to small or large groups. It was suggested a Sunday Morning Small Group could invite them to speak, or possibly be

invited to speak to the Deacons, at men's breakfast or another men's event.

**Prayer Request Protocol** – Kay asked for guidance when compassionate non-family members ask for individuals to be put on the email or phone prayer chains or in the bulletin. It was agreed discretion is advised, including contacting the individuals involved if appropriate.

**Mission Trip E-mail** – A fundraising letter for an upcoming mission trip was emailed to the church asking for it to be forwarded to our members. This was referred to the Missions Committee to establish protocol.

**Escrow Pastor Charles' last checks** – The Personnel Committee gave Pastor Charles his salary, unused vacation and sick leave, etc. He has asked the church to escrow about \$7,000 to be set aside until 2017 so he will be under Social Security's maximum allowable earnings. Both the Personnel Committee and Finance Committee recommend we do this. The question was brought up if this was legal and/or ethical and if not, if the church should participate. Our accountant's professional opinion will be solicited.

**Kristin Grimsley Missionary to Bolivia Testimony** – Kristin is on furlough from Bolivia and available for speaking. Kristin is not affiliated with HSBC, and having no connection here, it was recommended this request be referred to the Missions Committee.

**worship@fairgrounds** – The Fairgrounds staff have been contacted several times and a verbal commitment has been secured for the facilities on August 28, but attempts to obtain contracts so we can pay the appropriate deposits have been futile. The Fair Board has done away with having someone at the office. It was noted the Bounce



Would you like to save your  
pop can tabs for the  
**RONALD McDONALD HOUSE?**  
There's a collection bin in the foyer.  
Contact: Mary McIntosh

## Summary of Church Council Agenda Items



### COUNCIL MEETING

House that we borrowed last year was defective, and we do not want to use that one again. Further comments were made that perhaps having other games would be better than a Bounce House on concrete. Further planning and discussion was tabled until the next meeting.

**Discipleship** – This discussion was tabled until next month. Talking points will include expectations of members in volunteer service and being intentional about mentoring someone into a position of leadership.

**Senior Fellowship** – The new multi-church Senior Fellowship is meeting once monthly on the first Thursday of the month. They would like to schedule August 4 to have the Senior Songsters perform here. They would need both the sanctuary and multipurpose space for a fellowship following. As there were no calendar conflicts, this event was scheduled.

**Evening Services** – It was agreed to dismiss evening services on Sunday, July 3 (4<sup>th</sup> of July weekend) and Sunday, September 4 (Labor Day weekend).

**June Business Meeting** – It was decided we do not have business to bring before the church body, therefore the June Business Meeting will be cancelled.

# Mobile Bible Apps for Bible Memorization and Spiritual Growth

This is the second article in a series written by Antoine R. J. Wright, published on May 18, at [www.churchtechtoday.com](http://www.churchtechtoday.com).

## Using Audio Bibles

Using an audio bible for scripture memorization seems like it would be challenging, but that's only if you think of audio bibles as talk radio (they talk and you listen). If you look at each chapter or book as it were your favorite song, and constantly listening to it causing you to remember the lyrics, then it becomes something to better understand.

Several bible apps have audio bibles as a part of their package (YouVersion, Faith Comes By Hearing, etc.), and some even have audio scriptures in languages you may have never heard of (check out [5fish.mobi](http://5fish.mobi) for example).

The key is to start with a plan (perhaps stay on one chapter for a week, listening only for a few days, and then teaching yourself how to talk alongside the playback by the mid-week), and do your best to stay consistent. Perhaps even using that tip we mentioned earlier in using the tasks app to remind you of your memorization plan.

## Using Scripture Memorization Apps

What seems to be an obvious route would be to simply find an app or service and use that. One app that I have seen recently that seems to tick all the boxes is called Remember Me. Made for nearly any mobile device platform (iOS, Android, Kindle Fire, Windows, and even Blackberry 10), it basically allows you to add a verse and use several different study methods in order to engage in scripture memory. **Remember Me** even offers several games to also aid in your practice and application of memorizing scripture. It's pretty cool, and not too expensive (Free in Google Play, \$2.99 in iTunes App Store).

Now, you can find a few hundred similar apps for various platforms. I'd probably not do any of them a great service by listing them – I can't remember them all. But, you can use the search terms "scripture memory" and "bible memory" and find several options (Bible Memory Verses, BibleMinded, VerseByHeart, and too many more)

## BONUS: RECORDING YOURSELF

In another lifetime, I did public poetry performances. And to get myself ready for those

performances, I would teach myself to remember what I had written by recording my voice and then learning my mimicking myself. It turned out pretty well, and I would recommend that as a method for those of you who might need an audio kick, but would like something a bit more personal than what some other apps or services offer.

The only note that I would make is that you should check with the publisher of the version of scripture you are using for your personal recordings if this is something you see that you would share with others. Some publishers and countries have laws about this covered in the framework of public performances.

No matter the methods you employ, using your mobile device to help you remember Scriptures is something you should not be afraid of, but you definitely embrace. What are some ways that you have used your mobile devices, or Bible apps, to help you with scripture memorization.



Contributions are donated to the Christian Community Food Depot.

I want to share with you an article that I received in my email box recently. It was written by Phil Nitz, Worship Leader at Christ Church in Nashville. In his article, Phil talks about the importance of choirs in churches today.

Imagine that it's Christmas Eve. You and your family have just finished watching your favorite Christmas movie, donned your festive pj's, hung your stockings, and shaken all of your presents one last time to venture a guess as to what's inside. And now, before the children go to sleep, it's time to read the Christmas story from the book of Luke. You read these familiar passages as your family listens intently. You begin to recall all those childlike images you've painted in your head since your Sunday School days. And now it's the part of the story where the shepherds are keeping watch over their flocks by night...

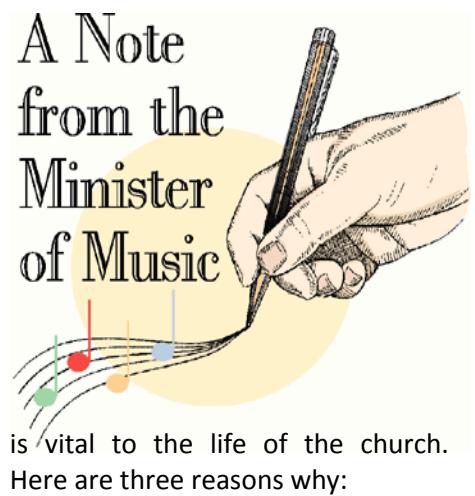
"And lo, there appeared in the night sky a bearded man in his late twenties with a guitar and thick-rim glasses, and he said unto them, 'Hey guys, this is a new one – sing along if you know it!'" And suddenly with him was a man playing a djembe, a bass player, and his wife, who is a pretty good singer. They sang songs of praise for about 20 minutes, and the younger shepherds really enjoyed it because of how fresh it

sounded, and the older shepherds were very confused."

As you already know, this is *not* what Luke actually wrote. The real events were much more special, much more otherworldly, and much more impactful on these lowly shepherds. These men were moved by the words of a heavenly choir – a message delivered with the power of a "multitude" of angelic voices, and they quickly went to Bethlehem to see the newborn king.

Music is a beautiful medium of worship, and we should always be thankful for the people who put the time and energy into preparing and leading our times of corporate worship. However, it is important to notice the cultural shift that is occurring in many churches today. The scenery is changing, and many traditions that have been held by Christians for hundreds of years have all but disappeared. Our sanctuaries look less like sacred spaces set aside for encounters with God and more like black box theaters or the set of American Idol. Metal scaffolding has replaced the arched columns, simple music stands have replaced lecterns, and the guitar-driven praise team has replaced the choir.

At HSBC, we have embraced the praise team approach to music worship but we believe the choir still



is vital to the life of the church. Here are three reasons why:

The choir is an **opportunity** for involvement. A church's ministry is only as effective as the people in its congregation who choose to get involved. Small groups, outreach teams, and the arts have provided great opportunities for congregants to sow into the life of their church's ministry, and the choir falls under all three of those categories. I've often heard the choir referred to as "the church within the church." When you join a choir, you're not just singing notes together, you're doing life and ministry together.

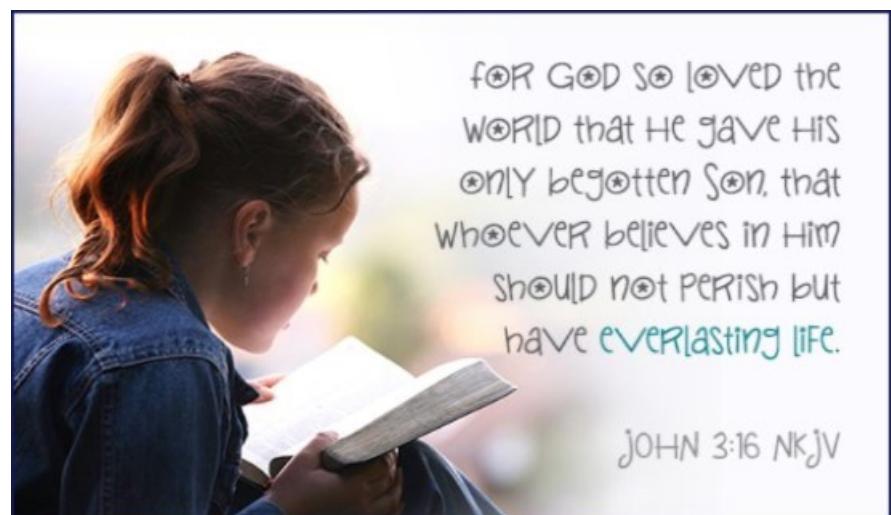
The choir is an **extension** of the pulpit. There are so many fantastic songs that have been written for the Church and many that have yet to be written. But

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# small groups

*Community happens in circles,  
not rows. There's a small group  
for everyone, regardless of age.  
Join a small group today.*

Contact: Pam Barnett, Sunday  
Morning Small Groups Director



**(8:30 A.M. MUSIC MINISTER  
CONTINUED)**

not all songs are necessarily suitable for *corporate* worship. There are songs that teach, encourage, compel, and call to action, and the choir is a marvelous mouthpiece for such things. By presenting these kinds of songs, the choir takes on a pastoral role, and it brings a rich dynamic to the theme or message of that particular service.

The choir is a **reflection** of heaven. The prophet Isaiah gives us a glimpse into God's throne room with angels singing together, "Holy, Holy, Holy is the Lord Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory" (Isaiah 6:3). John paints a similar picture in the book of Revelation. There is a heavenly choir that sings God's praises for all eternity. When we see our friends and family in the choir loft singing in harmony of voice and spirit, I believe we are momentarily transported (even if only in our minds) to the throne room of heaven. Furthermore, we often see a wide array of ages, ethnicities, and cultural backgrounds on display in the choir. This, too, is a reflection of heaven – God's people, of every age and every race, worshipping together as one body.

We must not discount the richness the choir brings to the church's worship experience. Our choir practices resume Sunday, August 7, at 5:00 p.m. I want to expand the choir, and we especially need men! Come join us in worship from the choir loft!

See you in worship!

**Jim Barnett**, 8:30 am Music Minister  
[musicjim@sbcglobal.net](mailto:musicjim@sbcglobal.net)



**ADAIR COUNTY  
MOBILE FOOD  
DISTRIBUTION  
Saturday**

**July 23**

**11:00 am - ???**

Hamilton Street Baptist Church  
802 W. Hamilton St.  
Kirksville, MO



We've been needing more workers, so if you have the morning of July 23 open, please sign up in the foyer to help. Signing up in advance helps us plan ahead.

In June 10.5 tons of food were distributed to 262 families covering more than 667 individuals. That represents serving nearly 3% of Adair County in 3 hours!

There are no income guidelines. Recipients need to bring a photo ID, Social Security cards for each family member in the household, proof of

Adair County residency & a container to take home the food.



If you would like to donate aluminum cans to the Youth, place them in Doug Athon's pickup bed on Sunday mornings, usually parked near the bus garage.



Nursery (birth—age 2) and Children's Church (ages 3-5) will be provided in the 4-H building. Every parent and child will be asked to register and each wear an armband for security.

In addition to our worship service and a free meal, we'll also have some fun and games for all ages in the afternoon.

#### VBS PRAYER WALK GUIDES

are in adult Sunday Morning Small Group classrooms and the foyer. Please pick up one and pray through our church facilities sometime before VBS begins. You are welcome to come pray at the church during the day when the office is open.

Bring a prayer partner!



## worship@fairgrounds

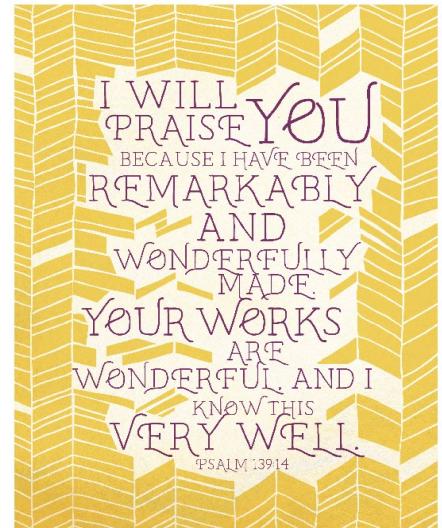
### NEMO Fairgrounds

### Multipurpose & 4-H Building

Sunday • August 28 • 11:00 am

Everyone in our community is invited.

Spread the word!



## VBS OFFERING

We will collect items  
for Operation Christmas Child  
shoe boxes.

What kinds of items are we  
collecting?

### “Wow” ITEM

Delight a kid! Start with a medium to large item that will capture the child's attention the instant he or she opens the box.

Ideas include: Soccer ball with pump, Stuffed animal, Toys (puppets, trucks, etc.), Doll (baby, Barbie, etc.), Musical instrument, Outfit, Shoes

### OTHER SUGGESTIONS

#### Toys

Include items that children will immediately embrace such as toy cars, yo-yos, jump ropes, balls, toys that light up and make noise (with extra batteries), etc.

#### School Supplies

Pens, pencils and sharpeners, crayons, markers, notebooks, paper, solar calculators, coloring and picture books, etc.

#### Non-liquid Hygiene Items:

Toothbrushes, bar soap, combs, washcloths, etc.

#### Accessories:

T-shirts, socks, hats, sunglasses,



hair clips, jewelry, watches, flashlights (with extra batteries), etc.

#### Crafts

Make your own items such as hair bows, finger puppets, and friendship bracelets.

You can find instructions on making simple items on Pinterest.

<https://www.pinterest.com/occshoeboxes/>

Pinterest also has age and gender-specific ideas.

#### A Personal Note

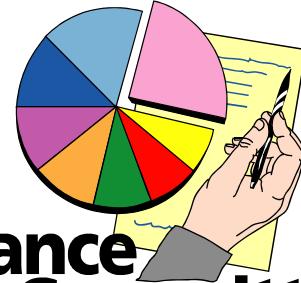
You may enclose a note to the child and a photo of yourself or your family. If you include your name and address, the child may be able to write back.

#### Do NOT INCLUDE

Used or damaged items; war-related items such as toy guns, knives, or military figures; chocolate or food; out-of-date candy; liquids or lotions; medications or vitamins; breakable items such as snow globes or glass containers; aerosol cans.



## Finance Committee



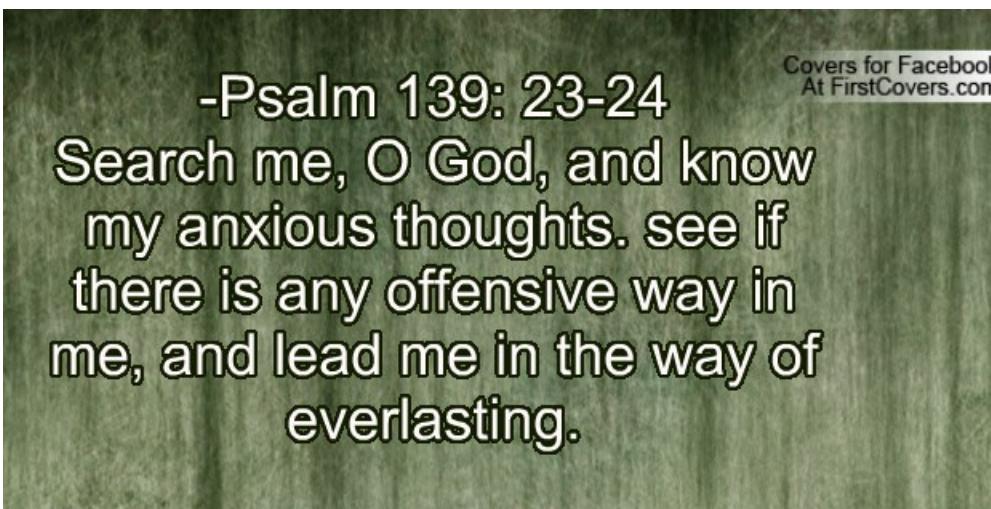
Summer is here! Have fun but don't forget everything we have is not really ours. When we die our possessions don't get to Heaven with us.

Genesis 28:20-22 New International Version (NIV)

<sup>20</sup> Then Jacob made a vow, saying, “If God will be with me and will watch over me on this journey I am taking and will give me food to eat and clothes to wear <sup>21</sup> so that I return safely to my father’s household, then the LORD will be my God <sup>22</sup> and this stone that I have set up as a pillar will be God’s house, and of all that you give me I will give you a tenth.”

If we are faithful to the Lord and live for Him, then giving is very easy. If He is first in our life then giving Him His money back is very easy. Tithing isn't about the money, it's about your heart. Be faithful and obedient.

*Jonathan Waller,  
Finance Committee Chair*



-Psalm 139: 23-24  
**Search me, O God, and know  
my anxious thoughts. see if  
there is any offensive way in  
me, and lead me in the way of  
everlasting.**

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## Vacation Bible School

*Sunday - Thursday*

*July 10 - July 14*

*5:30 - 8:00 PM*

*Ages 4 - Grade 12*

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### SERVICE TIMES

Sunday:      8:30 a.m.      Traditional Worship  
                  9:45 a.m.      Small Groups  
                  11:00 a.m.      Contemporary Worship  
                  6:00 p.m.      Worship

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUMMER SCHEDULE:

6:00 p.m.      Prayer  
6:30 p.m.      Adult & Youth Bible Studies

### Looking Forward

- August 4
  - August 7
  - August 14
  - August 27
  - August 28
  - September 4
  - September 5
  - September 11
  - September 18
  - September 24
- The Sonshine Group @ HSBC  
Adair County Detention Center  
Choir Rehearsal Resumes  
Twin Pines  
Mobile Food Pantry Distribution  
THBA Youth Pool Party @ Kv Country Club  
worship@fairgrounds
- Evening Services Dismissed  
Labor Day, Office Closed  
Lord's Supper in both AM Services  
Highland Crest  
THBA Annual Meeting, Rehoboth  
Downtown New Student Welcome  
Budget Requests Due  
Kirksville Manor Care  
Mobile Food Pantry Distribution