

Monthly Newsletter of
Woodland Hills Baptist Church
| August 2017

the connection

AWESOME AUGUST

Coming to WHBC
Mondays in August

Meal 6:00pm
Service 7:00pm



August 7
Dr. Matt Queen
Southwestern
Baptist Seminary



August 21
Blue Sky Revival
Carrollton, Georgia



August 21
Dr. Roc Collins
Director of Evangelism
Tennessee Baptist Convention



August 14
Bro. Mark Humble
Faith Baptist Temple
Port Neches



August 28
The Erwins
Edgewood, Texas



August 28
Dr. Robert Jeffress
Pastor, First Baptist Church, Dallas

named
AWANA Ministry Conference
Saturday, August 12
Woodland Hills Baptist Church

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GRANDPARENTING MATTERS!

CONFERENCE

Inspiration Ideas Tools Encouragement Vision Resources

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interesting story that believe it or not revolves around a paraplegic on a stretcher carried by four men.

about to learn his greatest problem was not his sickness, but his greatest problem was his sin.

3. God Gets Excited When He Shows His Faithfulness

He really did ask "the" question and I want you to answer it. Which is easier for Jesus? To forgive a soul or to heal a body? Let me put it to you this way, to heal that man's body it took one breath, seven words and 2 1/2 seconds, but to forgive that man's sin, it took the blood of Jesus and the life of Jesus. One took a sentence, the other took his body. One took a moment, the other took his life.

Every problem, every struggle, every illness, every heartache, every pain you have is a physical reminder that your greatest need is spiritual. You see most of this world doesn't get that and neither did this crowd.

All around us there are hurting people...and most are ignorant or mixed up. They're thinking they're greatest needs are physical, yet their greatest need is spiritual.

Invite them to an **AWESOME MONDAY NIGHT** service this month at Woodland Hills. God has sent us some of the finest men in the world to preach right here in this pulpit. The singing is going to be out of this world. Let's pack the place out every Monday night for the glory of God!!!

Preparing People For The Coming Lord,
Bro. Charles

1. God Gets Excited When He Sees Our Faith

This man had four buddies who evidently had heard that Jesus was in town. They were determined to get their friend to Jesus. We read in verse 4, "They couldn't get to Jesus through the crowd, so they dug through the clay roof above his head. Then they lowered the sick man on his mat, right down in front of Jesus." You've got to admire these guys. Even though they couldn't go in, they didn't give up. The reason why they didn't give up was -- they had faith. God gets excited when He sees our faith in action!

2. God Gets Excited When He Shares His Forgiveness

Now the shock really sets in. Jesus looks at this man and simply says, "My son, your sins are forgiven." Now at least five people are royally ticked off. Think about those four friends up on the roof. They are hot, dirty, sweaty, probably facing a law suit, with a crowd that thinks they are a bunch of nuts and they go to all of this trouble to bring this man to a healer and instead they get a preacher. How about the paraplegic? He is laying there thinking, "Great, I can't walk and you want to preach a sermon. I am here to deal with my sickness and you are dealing with sin. What is wrong with this picture?" There is nothing wrong with this picture because this man was



What excites you the most? I don't mean just any one thing, but what are the things that come to your mind that really get you excited? I thought about this and this is just a short list for me...Knowing that I am going to heaven; Knowing that God loves me unconditionally; A romantic get away with Becky; Spending time with my family; Breaking one hundred on the golf course; Hot homemade chocolate chip cookies with lots of pecans!

Think about this question -- what excites God? There is a story of an incident that took place in the life of Jesus in Mark 2 that gives me some clues on when God gets excited. It is an

Monday, August 21 at 5:45pm
in the HillPerks area
(Visitation will be before
Awesome August Service)
Come and help us reach
out to new prospects.

REACH
HELPING OTHERS REACH JESUS



Are you new to Woodland Hills? Maybe you are curious about what we believe, or our vision, values, and the way that we carry out ministry? Maybe you have been attending Woodland Hills for a while, but you want to know how to take the next step to get more involved.

We want to invite you to attend 'Connection' where we will cover these vital topics. You will also get a chance to tour the facilities so that you will never get lost again. You will gain all the information to take the next step and get involved in serving and using your gifts here at WHBC.

Come join Bro. Kase and bring any questions that you have and we will do our best to answer them.

The next 'Connection' meeting will be **Wednesday, August 16 at 6:00pm** in the Conference Room. If you would like to attend please register online. If you have any questions please contact Bro. Kase at 903-757-3110.

CONCLAVE COUPLES

When: August 20 from 6-8pm
Activity: Volleyball
Cost: \$10 per couple or \$15 per family
On the Menu: Pizza King
RSVP: Website
(Must register online by August 17)



Childcare and children activities will be provided for children up to fifth grade who RSVP by August 17.



Building for Eternity
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Becoming Your Loved One's Caregiver By Focus on the Family

Most people begin to experience the consequences of aging gradually. Since you are aging too, you may observe yourself having certain difficulties even as you attempt to help a loved one who may be further along in years. For example, you may need bifocals, just as your elderly loved one may need cataract surgery. We are all on the same journey toward our final destination. We just have different roles at different times. If your loved one is ahead of you in years or is growing frail more quickly, one of your roles for a while will be that of a caregiver.

Difficulties by Degree Your loved one's difficulties may have increased slowly, making you a caregiver by degrees. Perhaps you first started driving Mom to her home after dinner at your place; then you had to write down important events on a calendar for her; now she needs daily visits so you can be sure she has taken her heart pills. As people live longer, many develop chronic ailments that require more hands-on assistance over a longer period of time. You may have become a caregiver precipitously, after your husband's stroke. Elders often take an abrupt downturn in health after an illness or accident that requires medical intervention and hospitalization.

Either way, you are finding that you must become a caregiver. The role means far more than caring about others or feeling concerned for their welfare. Most likely, you have always felt appreciative of and devoted to your parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, spouse, or older friends. But now they need more than your time and tender feelings. They need help with concrete tasks — paying bills, grocery shopping, deciding when it is time to see a medical specialist, or even changing soiled bed linen at 3 a.m. You may need to arrange for professional services and transport your loved one to appointments and social activities. As your elder's health deteriorates, you might be called upon to supervise financial affairs and medical treatments while working with professionals such as physicians, attorneys, CPAs, and insurance agents. When you assume such tasks and accept major responsibilities for the well-being of elderly adults, you become a caregiver.

The Spouse When spouses are present as elderly people fall ill, they almost invariably become the principal caregivers. Elderly spouses are often enormously loyal to each other. But this arrangement can be tenuous. If you are a caregiving spouse — unless you happen to be a young one — you probably feel the effects of your own aging. What if you are asked to help your wife learn to walk again after her stroke, but you do not feel all that steady on your own feet? One devoted husband needed to help his wife to the bathroom several times during the night, even though he needed to take pills for his own difficulty sleeping at night. If you are such a caregiver, you might think privately, We could both use help. But since I haven't had a heart attack in 10 years, nobody seems to notice my needs.

Lifelines for Caregiving When it comes to caregiving, you do not need to do it alone. Because of the needs of the aging population, a growing number of services and devices are available to help you, ranging from transportation services and adult day care to wheelchairs and home modifications. Yet one of the most frequent reasons caregivers give for not using a service is that they were not aware of it. Some caregivers report that they or their aging loved ones were "too proud" to use a service, such as adult day care (although some were confused about what adult day care is). Fewer people cite cost as a barrier to obtaining needed services.

When you seek out caregiving options for your elder, community services (especially those coordinated through your elder's local Area Agency on Aging), help from family, or a support group for yourself, it is not a sign of defeat or weakness. You will need a break from caregiving from time to time. High on your list of resources should be services for respite care that will provide opportunities for relief from the day in, day out responsibility.

Guidance From Others You will also benefit from the practical guidance of other caregivers, whether they are friends from church or the members of a caregiver support group on the Internet. When a caregiver named George was trying to decide how best to care for his grandma, who could no longer live on her own due to Alzheimer's disease, he called his pastor for advice. Although his pastor had never been through the rigors of caring for an aging loved one, his father had. So George called his pastor's father. He ended up calling the man on a regular basis for advice and emotional support.

"You can read the printed word, look at research on the Internet, and learn about dementia or other diseases, activities that are all well and good for the purpose of educating you, but the best help often comes from someone who has walked a mile in your moccasins," says George. "Somebody who's been through it can tell you, 'Here's what I did right, and here are some mistakes I made.' They can speak from the heart."

On the bad days, look forward; give your complaints to God with an attitude of resting in His perfect will. Remember that God placed you in your particular family and is aware of your needs. He is "a very present help in trouble" (Psalm 46:1 NASB). You might feel that somehow you have to have all the answers, but you do not. Caring for elderly adults comes with some uncertainties and surprises. Accept your human frailty and ask God to provide the strength for each day.

Christians are not meant to carry their burdens alone. As a caregiver, you will need not only professional help and social services from the community; you will also need support, encouragement, and inspiration from your church or religious community. Some churches have explored specific ways to help caregivers; others might be open to providing more assistance if they knew how. Your role may include asking for help that is already available, learning how to receive it graciously, or suggesting ways the church can be more helpful or available.

Discover the Fun!

August

2017

Aug 12

AWANA Conference

Aug 11

AWANA Worker Meeting

Aug 20

Promotion Sunday

Aug 30

AWANA Registration

Sept 6

AWANA Begins

Kid's Camp 2017



The Upper Room

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Just a Word...

At the beginning of Summer I was talking with several other Children's Ministers about how they run their ministries and what were some of their Summer plans. I was shocked to find out that there are many churches that shut down all children's activities in the Summer to "take a break." Don't get me wrong, I do believe that people need to refresh and renew, but as I reflect on June and July I see how God has moved through children and their families. Children have experienced God's love and fun and friendships through Wild Wednesday activities, various Sunday Summer Series in Bible studies, Vacation Bible School, Summer Camp, spending time serving others at Arabella through the Faithful Friends ministry, and so much more. Thank you leaders who step up to serve during the Summer to allow activities to continue for our children. Thank you for being a church who supports our children financially, and through prayer and encouragement. I consider it pure joy and count it as one of my biggest blessings to be able to serve my church family here. ~Christy Mayfield

Children's Summer Camp

Faith Explosion Kids Camp was a BLAST! We took 49 campers with us this year. Our children were able to swim, "blob", make crafts, play gaga ball, participate in recreation, and have good ole summer fun! They also participated in daily Bible Study that focused around Mark 16:15: Go into all the world, and preach the gospel to all creation. Kids spent time studying the Great Commission and how to put that into practice. Gene "Bubba" Wright was our camp pastor and shared the gospel in an entertaining yet clear way using a variety of object lessons. We had 14 children give their hearts to Jesus this week. Thank you church family for financially supporting our children through your tithes and offerings. We had several children that would not have been able to attend if it were not for you. (some of which got saved) Thank you to James Owen, Jason Hunt, Holly Fondren, Jennifer Koenig, Renae Purifoy, Skylar Fondren, Caylee Mayfield. And Katie Mitchell for chaperoning the Camp.

Faithful Friends is a Summer Children's group that meets every Wednesday morning and goes to Arabella to sing and visit with the residents. Meet at the church at 9:40 and return by 11:00. We will be visiting on August 2, 9, 16.

AWANA Worker Meeting

Friday, August 11 from 5:30-6:30 in the Conference Room

Any Leader planning to serve in AWANA, or interested in learning more about that ministry please plan to attend this very important meeting.

AWANA Conference

Saturday, August 12
(Normal Registration is \$39...Free for WHBC AWANA Leaders)

Sunday School Preview:

August 6 - Four Friends Helped

August 13 - Jesus Has Power Over Evil

August 20 - Jesus Healed a Woman and Raised a Girl

August 27 - Jesus Raised Lazarus

Back to School Supplies

We are collecting school supplies for children in need. If you would like to donate please leave at the Connection Center or drop them off at the office.

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MEANWHILE...

GAME CHANGER

YIPPEEE!!!

The Station

Preschool Ministry

AUGUST, 2017

Wednesday Evenings Series in August "Game Changer"

(2-PreK age)

In this series we will see that God wants us all to play on His team! Since God is our coach, we will huddle up with Him and our teammates every week to learn different plays (stories) from His playbook that will help us take turns, listen and not give up as we play on and off the field. As teammates on God's Team, we will discover how we can have fun and get more work done when we work together!

"When two people work together, they get more done." Ecclesiastes 4:9 (ERV)

COOL!



**Dates to
Remember**

**August 20
Promotion
Sunday**

**August 30
AWANA Registration**

**September 6
First Night of AWANA**



Preschool Worship
"Fear Busters"

In this series, kids will learn that they do not have to be afraid. Instead, they can bust their fears with the things we will teach them each week.

Rosio Newton
Preschool Director
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August, 2017
WHBC Student
Ministries
Newsletter
"You are the light
of the world."
Matt 5:14

Promotion Sunday

August 20

Welcome our new 6th graders!

Last Summer Late Night

August 23

Illuminate Youth Building

Get to Know Your Child's Friends

Jim Burns -President of HomeWord and Executive Director of the HomeWord Center for Youth and Family at Azusa Pacific University

During the teenage years kids' social lives begin to blossom and develop, often becoming the most important area of their lives.

The need for acceptance and belonging drives some young people into lives of moral compromise. Unfortunately, the desire to belong can sometimes be greater than the desire to live a life of non-compromise. Kids can view compromise as valuable if the end result is that their social group will accept them.

The priority of social development of adolescents is a good reason why parents should do whatever they can to get to know their teen's friends. Knowing your teen's friends will definitely provide insight into the morals and values that are influencing your son or daughter. In the process of getting to know your teen's friends, you will learn a lot about your own daughter or son as well.

Here are a few suggestions when it comes to getting to know your child's friends.

1. Never embarrass your kids in front of their friends. Doing so will lessen the likelihood that your kids will want to have their friends hang out when you are around.
2. Don't Act Like a Teenager. You're not one. Your kids know it. Their friends know it. Be friendly. Don't be overbearing when trying to get to know your child's friends. Be yourself.
3. Offer the Secret Ingredient for Friendship-Building. It's no secret that kids like to eat. And typically there's food around when we hang out with our friends. Take advantage of the food-friend connection by making sure you always have some "fun food" on hand when your kids bring their friends around.
4. Allow Kids to be "Kids." Sometimes teenagers just need to "let off a little steam." When they do, they might act a little weird at times. But as long as they're not doing anything illegal or immoral, just let them be. Don't constantly nag them about normal "kid" behaviors.
5. If space and resources allow, consider having a dedicated "kid-friendly" area in your home. It's a good idea to turn an unused room or space in your home into a "kid-friendly" area where your kids and their friends can hang out. This way, as a parent, you can pop in periodically, have some interaction with the group, and then pop back out again.

How to Study the Bible with Your Kids

By Tim Pollard

As a parent, it can be overwhelming to think about sharing God's Word with your kids. After all, the Bible is the most important book you will ever read and study with your family. It may feel like a daunting task.

1. Start early. You can begin studying the Bible together as a family the moment your child is born. Will she understand? No. But she will grow in understanding as you spend this special time together. Your kids spend more time with you than anyone else. You get to see who your kids really are—not the ones that show up when you're in public and make you wonder, Who is that kid and where did she come from? When your kids grow and get older, they will be able to draw from the memories of your family spending time with God. And they too will understand the importance of allocating that time to Him.



2. Decide on an approach. Decide how you will study Scripture. There are many ways you can approach this study, so choose the one that works best for you and your family. You can study the Bible in its book order, find a chronological study plan, an intentional discipleship plan or pick a topic from the Bible and study various Scriptures that relate to that topic. You can also check out ministry resources for kids and books for kids. The best solution is the one that makes you most comfortable and leads to telling your kids about Jesus.

3. Use helps. You don't have to be some super know-it-all about the Bible to lead your family to study God's Word. Many resources give helpful advice about telling Bible stories or giving additional background for passages. If your kids are studying a particular curriculum at church, check and see if there is an app with Bible study helps.

Also consider using a children's story-book Bible to help frame stories in a way your child will understand. You don't have to read it from the storybook Bible; just use the phrasing to help you tell a story in a way that's relatable for your kids.

4. Follow up. Each week at church, your child most likely receives some communication that helps you know what she learned during Bible study. Use this resource as a starting point for re-telling and reviewing the Bible story your child learned that week. If the curriculum comes with a take-home page, use that page as part of your devotional time to reinforce a learning activity with which she would already be familiar. If your child does not bring home a take-home page, ask your child's teacher or ministry leader if something is available.

5. Don't sweat it. Your kids are going to benefit from a time of togetherness and Bible study. I remember my dad sitting us down every night and sharing from the Bible. (Honestly, I can't remember what he said, but the point is, I remember the investment.) Don't worry about using eloquent words; just be faithful to share. God's Spirit will impress upon your child's heart the truths he needs to hear.

6. Be consistent. Kids love routine, and it fits well into their little worlds. Find a time and place that will work for you and be consistent. Be sensitive to the time needs of your child and don't overwhelm him unnecessarily, but do something every day. Change up the order of your devotion frequently to add freshness to the daily routine. Ask an older child to lead part of the devotional time. Guide by helping whenever you can.

7. Have fun. Think about ways to add some fun elements into your Bible study. Use Bible study tools to find interesting facts about your topic or little-known stories that might make an impact on your child. Play games. Sing silly, fun songs. Figure out what makes your child excited and use some of that to keep things lively.

8. Be you. Most importantly, be the only one you can be—you. Don't try to be someone other than who you are. You will do the best job by just being you. You may not know the answer to every question your child poses, but that's OK. Take time to discover together the answers to the questions.

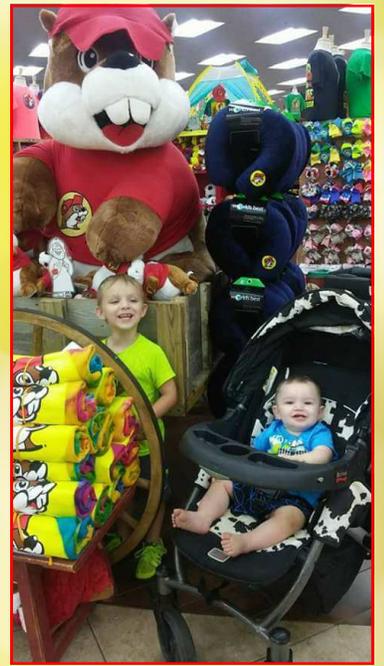
God gifted you with a child to shepherd. By taking time each day to start a routine, you are helping to teach your child about Christ and, at the same time, instilling the importance of a daily quiet time with God.





Flat Jesus

This Summer WHBC is taking Flat Jesus on their Summer adventures. This is in order to share Jesus with others. Here are some of the places we have taken him.



Kids Camp 2017



Our students helping Clearwater Baptist Church with VBS



Had a great HS guys trip to Arkansas!

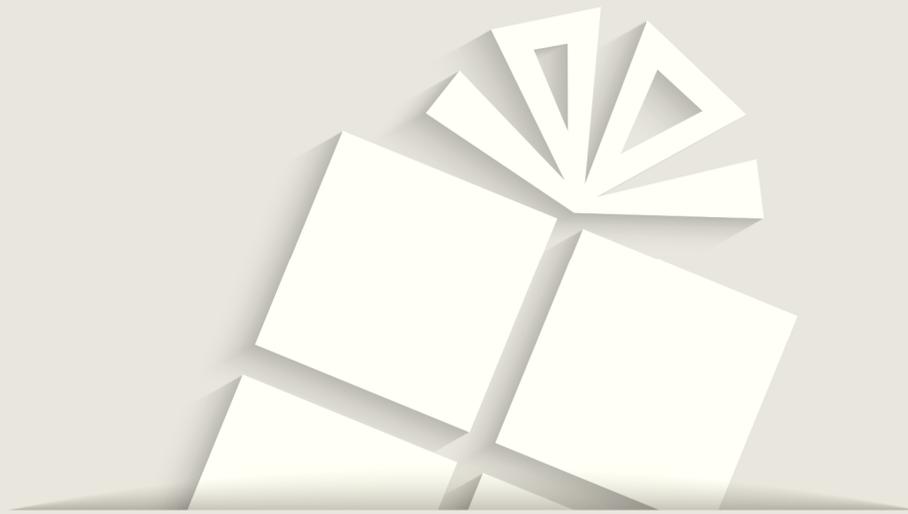
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Shamgar 8:30am	2 Arabella Service 10:00am	3 Eden Place Meal/Service Doulos Hosting 6:00pm Hawkins Creek 10:15am	4 Adult Game Night 6:00pm	5
6 Baptisms AM Service Modisette/ Hopkins Wedding Shower 2:00pm No Evening Services	7 Awesome August Meal 6:00pm Service 7:00pm	8 HillToppers 10:30am	9 Arabella Service 10:00am	10 Hawkins Creek 10:15am	11 Grandparenting Matters! Conference AWANA Worker Meeting 5:30-6:30pm Conference Room	12 Grandparenting Matters! Conference AWANA Conference 8:00am-4:00pm
13 No Evening Services	14 Awesome August Meal 6:00pm Service 7:00pm	15 Shamgar 8:30am	16 Arabella Service 10:00am Choir Resumes 6:00pm Connection 6:00pm	17 Hawkins Creek 10:15am	18	19 LeTourneau Church Fair
20 Conclave Couples 6:00pm No Evening Services	21 Awesome August Meal 6:00pm Service 7:00pm	22 HillToppers 10:30am	23 Arabella Service 10:00am	24 Hawkins Creek 10:15am Page Place II 6:30pm	25	26 College Slip-n- Slide Kickball
27 LifeGroups Leaders Meeting 12:00pm No Evening Services	28 Awesome August Meal 6:00pm Service 7:00pm	29 Shamgar 8:30am	30 Arabella Service 10:00am	31	August is NO TIE month at Woodland Hills!	




Sister Sister Rally at WHBC
 September 28, 2017
 Visit whbchurch.com for more information





August Birthdays & Anniversaries

1-Carson Castanon	8-Charles Johnson	15-Mark Francisco	22-Jimmy Nolan
1-Karen Crawford	8-Lexie Miller	15-Christina Southard	23-Mitchell Flowers
1-Kim Melton	8-Hannah Ritchey	15-Jane Tarver	24-Zoey Adams
1-Darla Worsham	9-Pamela Fisher	16-Gail Hatfield	25-Dustin Neal
2-Rylee Adams	10-Parker Fenton	16-Thomas Smyser	25-Bennett Sieber
2-Dolores Richardson	10-Teresa Gibson	16-Jennifer Wheeler	26-Elizabeth Brown
2-Mary Smyser	10-Carolyn Jordan	17-Ameree Flores	26-David Richardson
3-Sonya Hoch	10-Amy Myers	17-Lois Graham	26-Patty Story
3-Shelbie Townsend	10-Alexis Smith	17-Buddy Lautaret	26-Pat Westbrook
3-Ora Williams	11-Corlis Collins	17-Danny Miller	27-Karen Pettit
4-Paul Garmon	11-Brittany Kuykendall	17-Mike Stallcup	27-Ryan Weaver
4-Abigail Owen	11-Jeri Kay McEntire	17-Gloria Williams	28-Kevin Arnold
4-Bob Ponder	11-Michael McGee	18-Amy Timmons	28-Barry Cates
5-Pam Kent	11-Randall Motley	19-Scott Brown	28-Darlene Hardin
5-Wesley Propps	11-Deanne Purifoy	20-Dillon Arnold	28-Terry Stone
5-Denise Stewart	12-Rachel Barker	20-Gerald Cooper	29-Belinda Damuth
6-Virginia Belcher	12-David Fanguy	20-Marty Mayfield	29-Judah Dillard
6-Alyssa Foster	12-Payton Luther	21-Cathy Boobar	29-Flo Loftin
6-Jon Mark Purifoy	13-Carla Buchanan	21-Beverly Fleet	29-Lawson Perkins
7-Cindy Haley	14-Stacie Fenton	21-Stormy Hobden	29-Timothy Welch
7-Charlie Johnson	14-Barry Keys	21-David Koenig	30-Laquita Cummings
7-Shirley Stauss	15-Kenneth Bowens	21-Charlene Stevens	30-Barbara Gravitt
7-Michael Stevens	15-Ron Bublitz	22-Billy Crump	30-Klaira Waalwyk
8-Ricky Gibson	15-Donnie Fenton	22-Monica Kuykendall	30-Leroy Worsham

1-Donnie & Stacie Fenton
2-Bill & Gail Hatfield
2-David & Jennifer Koenig
2-Steve & Mandy Williamson
4-Aaron & Jennifer Perkins
6-Ray & Cecelia Hairston
6-Nathan & Lynnette Smith
6-Don & Jennifer Wilbur
8-Ricky & Teresa Gibson
8-Gregg & Patty Story

9-Kent & Sandy Mullikin
11-Boyd & Cheri Golden
11-Sidney & Linda Pierce
11-Keith & Mary Ann Sanders
12-Bill & Sharon Copeland
12-Randy & Connie Huston
13-Johnny & Becky Horton
16-Thomas & Mary Smyser
18-Darin & Tabitha Lair
18-Wes & Denise Stewart

19-Keith & Patty Childress
19-Bill & Ashleah Daugherty
21-Vernon & Betty Mosley
22-Rickey & Donice Rogers
22-Joe & Beverly Warren
24-Bobby & Cindy Wells
27-Clark & Marilyn Sexton
29-Vernon & Donnie Freeman
31-Alton & LaDonna Blair

MORE THAN AN INSTITUTION

by Kason Kuykendall

Why are so many less religious today than previous generations?

According to numerous studies, many are less likely to be as religious as their parents or grandparents because they lack trust in institutions. Perhaps the

clearest step we can take is to invest time and energy into the community life of the church, and make every effort to make the church feel more like a *family* than an *institution*.

That *sounds* simple, but is it? Maybe, or maybe not. Regardless, here are a couple of simple things that we can do to feel more like a loving family and less like a stuffy institution.

Do non-churchy things together.

Do life together with your church. If the only time you get together with your church family is in the sanctuary on Sunday mornings or in your Sunday school classroom, your church family is probably going to feel less like a family and more like a social club or class at school.

Go bowling together. Eat meals together. Go on vacation together. Have Christmas parties and birthday parties, bridal showers and baby showers.

Talk about your love for football, or music, or cooking shows, or video games. Play board games. Go to the park. If you and some church friends are far away from family, spend the holidays together.

Do non-churchy things with people in your church, and it will start to feel less like a club or school and more like a family.

Care for each other.

Perhaps you've just had a baby and you need someone to help make and deliver meals. Maybe you just had a major surgery and need some help getting to work for a couple of weeks. Maybe your house flooded, and you need someone to store some of your stuff for a month or so as you fix up your basement.

Whatever it is, however big or small, the people who make up the local church need to bear the burdens of one another. We must do this not only because Scripture says to do so (Gal 6:2) but because, in doing so, we reflect the love of Jesus and attract outsiders to the loving, sacrificial body of Christ.

Families sacrifice for one another in order to bear the burden of others and love well.

You may say, "Kase this all sounds great, but how do we do this?" We do this though our LifeGroups! The whole reason we call them LifeGroups is because it is a group of people that we navigate life with, it is a group of people that we connect with, that we grow with, and that we serve with.

If the church feels like an institution to you; you are missing out on so much! Find a LifeGroup and become a part of a family!

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WOODLAND HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH
LIFEGROUPS
CONNECT GROW SERVE

LifeGroup Leaders Meeting Sunday, August 27
Lunch Immediately Following Morning Service
RSVP Bro. Kase by August 20



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Baptisms
Next Baptism is Sunday morning
August 6. Contact Bro. Kase
if interested in Baptism.



weekly schedule

- SUNDAY**
8:45am Coffee & Donuts
9:15am LifeGroups
10:30am Worship
- MONDAY**
6:00pm Meal August 7, 14, 21, 28
7:00pm Awesome August Service
August 7, 14, 21, 28
6:00pm Celebration Place
6:30pm Celebrate Recovery
- WEDNESDAY**
6:00pm Children Activities
6:00pm Youth Activities
6:00pm Adult Bible Study
(Choir Resumes August 16 at 6:00pm)



NO Sunday Night Services
Services are moved to Monday
Nights August 7, 14, 21, 28



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Join us for a Wedding Shower
in honor of
Ali and Layne
MODISETTE HOPKINS
Sunday, August 6, 2017
2:00 in the afternoon
Woodland Hills Baptist Church
Fellowship Hall
The Couple is registered at
Bed, Bath and Beyond, Amazon, Dillards

HillsPraise RESUMES!!!
Set your clock! Mark your
calendar! Make a note!...
HillsPraise Choir resumes
Wed, Aug 16, 6PM in the choir
rehearsal hall. Won't you
come join us in preparation for
WORSHIP?? I want to see you
there!!-Aaron

**August 16: Choir rehearsal
resumes**
**August 20 First Sunday back
in the loft**

412 Back in Session!!
We anticipate the return of our
college students in the next couple
of weeks. Join us in praying them
through another semester of college
life. We love and appreciate the
faithfulness of our college and
career students, and they appreciate
your dedication in praying for them
often.

Upcoming College/Career Dates:
August 19: LeTourneau Church Fair
August 26: Slip-n-Slide Kickball