

## Building for Eternity

12 Hour Prayer Vigil  
 Saturday, May 6  
 Please sign up in the Foyer

Together  
 For His  
 Kingdom

**ANNIE  
 ARMSTRONG**  
 EASTER OFFERING®

Every year we honor the life and work of Annie Walker Armstrong (1850-1938) when we give to the annual Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for North American missions. As a tireless servant of God and a contagious advocate and supporter of missions efforts throughout the world, Annie rallied churches to give more, pray more and do more for reaching people for Christ.

We will be giving during the month of April. Just mark your envelop AA Missions. All of this money goes directly to the mission field in the United States and Canada.

## Calendar of Events

Childcare is provided through age 4 for Sunday School and all Worship Services

April 22-April 29		Cruise
Sunday April 23	8:45am 8:45am 9:15am 10:30am 3:30pm 4:30pm 6:00pm 6:00pm	Deacon's Prayer Meeting Coffee & Donuts LifeGroups Worship Service Summer Meadows Service BFE Leadership Meeting/Parlor Children & Preschool Choirs Doctrine - What We Believe Sermon Series Haiti Trip Meeting/Conference Room
Monday April 24	5:15pm 6:15pm 6:30pm	CR Meal Celebration Place Celebrate Recovery
Tuesday April 25	11:00am 6:00pm	HillToppers <i>On the Menu: Fried Chicken</i> Jump Start
Wednesday April 26	10:00am 5:15pm 5:30pm 6:00pm 6:00pm 6:00pm 6:00pm 6:15pm	Arabella Service Fellowship Meal <i>On the Menu: Taco Salad</i> Prayer Groups AWANA Blast! Youth Illuminate HillsPraise Choir Wednesday Night Gathering
Thursday April 27	10:15am 6:00pm 6:00pm	Hawkins Creek Service Jump Start Kindermusik
Friday April 28	9:30am 10:30pm	Kindermusik Kindermusik

**Charles Hunt**, Senior Pastor  
**Kason Kuykendall**, Pastor  
**Aaron Perkins**, Minister of Music  
**Clark Sexton**, Minister of Outreach  
**Kim Hall**, Day School/Nursery Ministry

**Jason Hunt**, Minister of Youth  
**Christy Mayfield**, Minister of Children  
**Rosio Newton**, Preschool Ministry  
**Paula McKinley**, Pianist  
**Sue Childress**, Organist

April 23, 2017



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## From My Heart...



In John 12:26, Jesus said, "If any man serve me, let him follow me; and where I am, there shall also my servant be: if any man serve me, him will my Father honor."

The middle of this verse caught my attention... "where I am, Jesus said, there shall my servant be also."

I realized this week that most of the time I'm asking Jesus to be where I am. I want Him to walk with me, talk with me and help me through life. Here, he's asking me to be where he is ... that is, to go where he goes. Where does Jesus go? We learn from the gospels that he goes to the lonely, the hurting, and to the oppressed. He's with those struggling with defeat and hoping for victory. He's with those who have nowhere else to turn. And that's where he wants us to be.

We are "where he is" when we encourage the discouraged. We go where he goes when we reach out to the disenchanted and the disenfranchised, when we express love, mercy and compassion to others.

There are opportunities each week to be a special blessing to people around us. Right now, you can bring diapers to a container in the Foyer and be a blessing to children in foster homes. How about on Wednesday night during supper at the church? Do you realize that many of the children and youth who are sitting at our tables get no encouragement from their homes? What a blessing you could be to them by simply patting them on the back, giving a smile, and saying I hope you're having a great time tonight. Jesus loves you and I do too!

Jesus reminded us, "I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me." (Matthew 25:40) He is waiting to meet you and I today, so that we can go and be a blessing to someone else. Can He count on us? Let's look for opportunities to express his love and to reveal his grace.

Pray for us this week...we're suffering for Jesus on the Caribbean cruise! See you next Sunday.

Preparing People For The Coming Lord,  
Bro. Charles

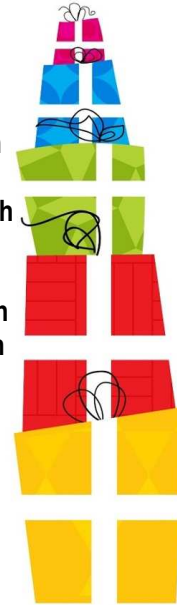
## Scripture of the Month

*"And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God."*  
**Romans 12:2**

### Happy Birthday

Donnie Freeman 23rd  
Bayli Pitts 23rd  
Shannon Clark 24th  
Marlin Conner 24th  
Vicki Eubank 25th  
James Davis 26th  
Brandie Graves 27th  
Sean Graves 27th  
Nancy Hancock 27th

Cindy Helms 27th  
Jedidiah Smith 27th  
Brenda Bevis 27th  
Michael Johnson 28th  
Chad Smith 28th  
Carolyn Fitch 29th  
Howard Hobden 29th  
Michael Purifoy 29th  
Larry Ward 29th



### Happy Anniversary

Ron & Vicki LeGrand 25th  
Doug & Suzi Arthofer 26th  
Harry & Linda Evans 27th

**Baby Sprinkle**  
Today, April 23  
Ashleah Daugherty  
& Andrea Dillard

There will be two tables in the foyer on Sunday, April 23 for each of the baby girls-to-be. Please drop off your well wishes and love offering (so each mom can purchase needed baby items).



## For Your Information

### DIAPER DRIVE

Mark and Monica Kuykendall's class is starting a diaper drive sizes 3, 4, and 5 to help foster parents in the Longview area. We will have donation boxes around the church to collect the diapers. National foster care month is May and we would love to present them with a large amount of diapers to help in just a small way. Diaper campaign runs through the end of April.

### NEW MEN'S CLASS BEGINS TODAY



Anthony Coleman will lead this LifeGroup class and it will focus on men ages 20 to 40. The class will meet in room A-212 (above office area). Contact Bro. Kase for more information.

### HAITI MISSION TRIP

Haiti Mission trip is scheduled for June 5-11. **Meeting for all those going tonight at 7:00pm.** Micah & Katie Huckaby, True Clark, Tina Clark, Lonny Jones, Denise Bowens, Sheila Conner, Mandy Reynolds, Jeannie Weaver, Nona Meisner will be traveling to Haiti to paint the outside of a school building. They are raising funds for air fare (\$1200 per person), their food and accommodations will be provided. If you would like to help please mark your offering envelope "Haiti".

### YOUTH FUNDRAISER



Join us after evening service on Sunday, April 30 at Panda Express for fellowship and fundraising! A portion of the cost your meal will go directly to the Youth Summer Camp fund.

### BUILDING FOR ETERNITY

If you did not receive a brochure about Building for Eternity this week, please call the Church Office at 903-757-3110.

### Special Gifts In Memory of Bessie Rainwater

(Mother of Liz Graham & Dot Gregory)  
The Seekers LifeGroup, Bob & Nora Chucci,  
Mike & Linda Riddick, Martha & J.E. Reed