

DOUBLE SPRINGS Baptist Church

"MINISTERING IN THE NAME OF CHRIST"

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Join Us

SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:00AM

SUNDAY WORSHIP
10:50AM

SUNDAY & WEDNESDAY
YOUTH GROUP
5:30PM

MONDAY
YOUTH GAME NIGHT
6:00PM

WEDNESDAY
PRAYER MEETING
10:00AM

APRIL Birthdays

- 1 Kaitlin Byrd
Calyssa Matamoros
Susan Whisnant
- 4 Jan Blanton
Isreal Calderon
- 10 Beau Caldwell
- 11 Brenda Foster
- 12 Audrey Price
James Weaver
- 14 Robert Harrill
Sammy Miles
- 15 Scott Greene
- 16 Carl Soots
- 17 Betty Lovelace
- 18 Mary Parker
Wanda Scruggs
- 19 Laura Lattimore
Dawn Moore
- 21 Carter Greene
- 24 Patsy Cabiness
Gary Downs
- 27 Lauren Gold Deaton
- 28 Hudson Ware
- 29 Marsha Putnam

APRIL Anniversaries

- 5 Kendell & Nellie
Jones (64)
- 7 Jimmy & Glenda
Greene (9)
- 10 Scott & Myra
Ware (11)
- 14 Robert & Karen
Harrill (31)
Butch & Angela
Webb (42)
- 16 Bryan & Amanda
Sowell (16)
- 17 Paul & Rhonda
Tate (22)
- 23 Mark & Carla
Whisnant (5)

A WORD

from the PASTOR

The Tribulation

"For then there will be a great tribulation, such as has not occurred since the beginning of the world until now, nor ever will." (Matthew 24:21)

This verse is from Jesus' teaching on the end times, found both in the Gospel of Matthew and the Gospel of Mark, when the Church and individual Christians will be persecuted for standing on our beliefs. It is also the harbinger for the 2nd coming of Christ. As Jesus stated in verse 36 of this same passage in Matthew, *"of that day and hour no one knows...but the Father alone."* However, our Lord does tell us in Mark's account of this teaching:

"Now learn the parable from the fig tree: when its branch has already become tender and puts forth its leaves, you know that summer is near. Even so, you too, when you see these things happening, recognize that He is near, right at the door. Truly I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all these things take place." (Mark 13:28-30)

I firmly believe that Jesus is at the door. Though most of the suffering of the Church is in Asia and Africa, where 300 million fellow Christians are being persecuted, still our Biblical beliefs are under siege even in the America. Jesus states over and over again "be on the alert."

"Amen, Come Lord Jesus" Pastor Bill

A NOTE

for DSBC YOUTH

Hey Guys,

Spring is finally here! While the weather has warmed up and the rain is coming down, we know summer break is right around the corner. When I was in school this was the hardest part of the year. Summer was just out of reach and my tank was running on empty. As a result, my motivation would crash.

A verse that would pick me up was Colossians 3:23-24

"Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving."

While we all have our incentives to make good grades, we must also realize that everything we do is for the Lord! Yes, even school! We as Christians live for more, and work for more than just wages and awards. We work to glorify and honor our Lord in whatever we do. Not just because we have a great reward from Him, but also to be a great witness for the Kingdom. Finish strong guys!

Reese



April 4th | 10:00am

Join us for worship outside on the front lawn.

Bring a lawn chair and flowers to place on the cross.

Easter Egg Hunt



Saturday, April 3

10:00am

Mark Your Calendar

FRI, April 2 | Good Friday - Church Office Closed

SAT, April 3 | 10:00am - Easter Egg Hunt

SUN, April 4 | 10:00am - Easter Worship outside on the front lawn

SUN, April 11 | 7:30am - Brotherhood Breakfast

SUN, April 11 | 10:50am – Worship Inside with new seating arrangement. (see diagram)

SUN, April 11 | 11:50am - Children's Council Meeting

SUN, April 11 | 6:00pm - Deacon's Meeting

SUN, April 18 | Quarterly Business Meeting

SUN, April 18 | 4:00pm - Youth Advisory

MON, April 19 | 4:00pm - Church Council

PARKING LOT OBSERVERS

April 4 | Scott Greene & Alex Lattimore

April 18 | Beaman Washburn & Tommy Melton

April 11 | Brian Lee & Steve Greene

April 25 | Chuck Wise & John Whisnant

If you are unable to attend on the day you are scheduled, please make arrangements.

Relay for Life 2021 Information



- Registration for our Relay for Life Team is open. This year each person is required to do their own registration, either by going to the website below or calling their phone line.
- Online Registration:
 - Weblink: [Relay For Life of Cleveland County | Relay For Life \(acsevents.org\)](https://www.acsevents.org)
- You can also register by calling: 1-800-227-2345
- Our Relay team is Double Springs Baptist Church Conquerors, our event is Relay for Life of Cleveland County.
- Registered Relay for Life participants who raise \$100 qualify to earn a Tee-Shirt. To order your tee-shirt log in to www.ShopRelayRewards.org (same login as your event website) or call 1-800-227-2345.
- The 2021 Relay for Life event will look a little different. Right now, there are plans for a drive-through event (this may change with the evolving pandemic). The date of this year's event is scheduled for May 21st.
- If you have questions or need help with the on-line registration, please call Karen Crawford 704-472-1019.

LOOKING AHEAD:
VBS | June 6-10
Caswell (Youth) | June 28-July 3

BROTHERHOOD BREAKFAST
SPEAKER: Wesley Wells
APRIL 11TH | 7:30 AM | FAMILY LIFE CENTER

May 2021 Newsletter Information
Due April 19th (third Monday)



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