

Heritage Weekly

“We proclaim Him, admonishing every man and teaching every man with all wisdom, so that we may present every man complete in Christ.” Colossians 1:28

January 22, 2017

Church Wide

Membership Matters Class Sunday, January 29 ~ If you have an interest in joining our local church body or have questions about our church, please join Pastors Marty Brown, Jim Jackson and Rocky Hails for our **Membership Matters Class next Sunday, January 29, 9:00 a.m.-Noon in the Heritage House, Room 202**. Please pick up a Membership Packet at the Welcome Center in the Commons. There is important information in it for you about Heritage and a registration card to fill out and place in an offering pedestal or take to the church office. Contact Carolyn Dittmer at 773-3333, x116 with childcare questions.

Deep Impact is Feb 17-19 ~ This is one of the biggest **student ministry** (7-12 grade) events of the year! This year we will be gathering with some other churches (Henderson Hills, Quail Springs and First Baptist Edmond) for our large group teaching and worship times held at Quail Springs Baptist Church. This will provide an incredible opportunity for hundreds of students from the area to gather together and worship the Lord. Our prayer is that this corporate gathering will show a broader picture of the church and encourage the students to realize they are not alone in their faith. Other than the main sessions, the weekend will be the same as previous years with about 8-10 students staying at a Heritage host home along with two Heritage small group leaders; Wrap-up will happen at Heritage on Sunday morning in the Youth Room. The three primary goals of Deep Impact include: 1) Connect with Christ--personal spiritual growth 2) Connect with Others--a deepening of relationships with one another 3) Outreach—encouraging our students to reach out and invite others to come and hear the Gospel. Students may sign up in the Café. Contact Kicker with questions kicker@delightinGod.org.

Baby Dedication, February 26 ~ Much like when a man and woman make vows to one another before God and many witnesses for the purpose of marriage, **Parent Dedication** is a time when parents commit before God and the church to raising their children according to the principles found in God's Word. There is a **required foundations class on Sunday February 19 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 312** for all who would like to sign up for baby dedication. If you have questions or to sign up, please contact **Shawn McGill at 773-3333, x109 or shawn@heritagefamily.org by February 12**.

Passion Conference Report ~ Heritage sent 11 college students to Atlanta to worship, be challenged with Biblical teaching, and to “make History” with 55,000 students from every state and 90 countries. Passion Conferences exist to challenge college age students to say goodbye to lesser things and to say yes to Jesus, The One who gives and sustains life. We heard from John Piper, Francis Chan, and others as this generation was challenged to live by The Word and not their own thoughts and feelings. Isaiah 55:8 “For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the Lord.” Often we believe things about ourselves, our “bad” circumstances, and about who Jesus is without going to The Word, without considering He doesn't think like us, He doesn't respond like us, and that His ways are perfect and good—always! **Everything we do, everything we think about must be filtered through the Word.**

Music Search Team ~ This is an extremely important time as we continue the search for God's man to lead us in our worship ministry. The Elders have appointed Josh Duggan, Joy Fischer, Dennis McGee, Cindy McWilliams, Tracy Rader and Pierson Whittington to serve as our church's representatives to prayerfully receive and consider recommendations for our next worship pastor. We should all be praying diligently for them and for their work in the days ahead. You may send recommendations to mary@delightinGod.org.

Senior Adult Ministry

Jubilee Conference in Branson, April 26-28 ~ Once again the Senior Adults (55 & Better) have the opportunity to attend the Jubilee Conference in Branson, Missouri, that features the best in traditional gospel music and Bible-based preaching that is sure to challenge your heart. The cost of the trip is \$275 per person which includes the conference, lodging, bus ride and meals except one. More information will be given to you at the sign-up table or contact Sally or Gary Riffey at 840-4882. **This Sunday, January 22, sign up will be available at the Senior Adult Luncheon in the Chapel, and the last day to sign up will be Sunday, January 29 in front of our Senior Adult Sunday School classroom (Room 106) before 9:00 a.m. and in the Commons after the worship service at the table in the Commons.**

Senior Adult Luncheon, January 22 (New date) ~ Our monthly Senior Adult luncheon is **today, Sunday, January 22 in the Chapel/Café at 12:00 p.m.** after the worship service (it was postponed from last Sunday 1/15 due to the threat of ice). Please bring a side dish of salads, vegetables or desserts--enough to serve eight people (someone will be at the door under the awning on the north side between 8:45-9:00 to pick up your dish, or you may bring your dish to the east kitchen). Join us for this special time of fellowship!

Women's Ministry

It isn't too late to join the new ladies' Bible studies! One on Wednesday evenings by Jennifer Rothschild, and two time choices available for the Kelly Minter Bible study—Thursday mornings or Thursday evenings:

Me, Myself & Lies by Jennifer Rothschild Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in Room 412-413 (Ed. Bldg). In this 7-week study Jennifer will take us through the disparaging things we commonly say to ourselves and teach us to practice how to tell ourselves the truth about who God says we are. The workbook can be purchased at LifeWay or through Jennifer's website. Be sure you order the workbook and not the hardback. Contact Karen Cowan (751-2464) for more information; you may sign up in the Commons.

All Things New ~ Ladies, come join us on Thursday mornings 9:30-11:30 through April 27 in the Heritage House for this new study by Kelly Minter. We will learn how God can use us in our culture, how suffering can help us comfort others, how to leave our old self behind as we celebrate our new life in Christ, and many other important topics. We will use Kelly's DVD study and **take two weeks for each lesson** giving us more time for group discussion, fellowship, and application. Contact Cindy McWilliams with any questions you might have 823-4700 or heymac4@cox.net; sign up in the Commons.

All Things New ~ Kelly Minter's 8-session study of 2 Corinthians led by Darise Hails **Thursday evenings at 6:30 p.m. in Room 104 (Main Building)**. The city of ancient Corinth was much like our own modern-day cities: a melting pot of electrifying cultural experiences to be had, along with the myriad pitfalls of spiritual depravity. Still, Paul wrote to the church of God in Corinth, meaning God's church is to thrive in any city and every circumstance in which we find ourselves. Paul's letter is as timely as ever. Sign up in the Commons or contact Darise (630-7422) with questions. Books can be purchased at Lifeway.

Groups@HBC Highlight

Adult Bible Fellowship at 9:00 a.m. on Sundays, **Wednesday Groups** at 6:30 p.m., **Small Group Bible studies**, and **Home Groups** are about seeing all adults in every stage of life grow in their walk with Christ and each other. Our intention is to develop folks who will delight in God and declare His glory. Consider today where you could join your brothers and sisters in Christ to connect with those who are "well-pleased to impart to you not only the Gospel of God, but their very lives also." Stop by the Welcome Center to pick up the Groups Brochure or visit <http://delightingod.org/adult-bible-fellowship/> for specific group descriptions.



Discovering the Author's Intent (Derrick Pemberton & Jeremy Wright) Room 405 ~ What!?

That's not what I meant! Has that ever been your cry after someone misinterpreted what you had said or written? How often have Paul and John also "rolled over in their graves" when we have done the same thing with what they have written? It can happen easily. Just take a sentence out of a paragraph, letter, or Gospel. Simply use their statement without sufficient knowledge of them or their audience. There are a number of ways to ensure that we will miss what they actually meant to say. Yet, discerning what they "intended" to say is vitally important for our lives, for that is where God's message awaits us. Join us as we learn to discover this intended message. Join us as we give new life to our Bible reading, discipleship, teaching, counseling, and beyond!

Fellowship Meal for Wednesday, January 25 ~ Join us Wednesday, 5:00 to 6:15 p.m. in the Education Building for HBC's Fellowship Meal. Adults are \$3.50 and \$2 for children; maximum per family is \$15. **On the menu is Lasagna, Salad, & Dessert.**

HBC Notes

- Please notify the church office of an upcoming surgery, the birth of a baby, or a hospital stay if you would like a visit from our staff, and if you would like to have our prayer warriors intercede for you. We need your help to stay informed.
- Any member who would like to ask for prayer or a question of the governing elder body will be welcome to do so during the first thirty minutes of any regularly scheduled elder meeting. Please contact the chairman, Jeff Plangman, through the church office at least one week prior to the meeting and ask to be placed on the meeting's agenda.
- You do not have to miss a Sunday sermon when out of town or not feeling well stuck at home. You can watch our Sunday service live or recorded on this link http://original.livestream.com/heritage_baptist.
- Online giving is another option for making donations to Heritage. You will be able to easily manage your giving and specify where the funds should be applied. Go to <https://hbcokcok.infellowship.com>; the site will also allow you to review your contribution history. If you have any questions, you may contact Carolyn Dittmer at 773-3333, ext. 116 or email her at carolynd@heritagefamily.org.

Calendar Highlights

Sunday, 1/22

8:30 a.m. Prayer in Auditorium
9:00 a.m. Bible study for all ages
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
12:00 p.m. Senior Adult Luncheon
12:15 p.m. Elder Meeting
4:00 p.m. Servant Ldrship Trg (11-12 grade)

Tuesday, 1/24

9:00 a.m. Prison Ministry
BSF Meets at Heritage
11:30 a.m. Quilting Ministry

Wednesday, 1/25

5:00 p.m. Fellowship Meal
6:30 p.m. AWANA (3 yrs-4th grade)
The Bridge (5th-6th grades)
Created to Connect
Discovering the Author's Intent
4-Men
Share & Prayer
Students (7-12 grades)
Women's Bible Study (Cowan)

Thursday, 1/26

9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study (McWilliams)
11:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Group in Yukon
3:00 p.m. Whiz Kids
6:00 p.m. Perspectives @ Bridgeway

6:30 p.m. College/Career Bible Study
Women's Bible Study (Hails)

Coming Soon!

1/29 Membership Matters Class
The Lord's Supper Observed
2/5 Journey ABF Class Luncheon
2/17-19 Deep Impact Weekend
2/19 Parent Class for Baby Dedication
2/26 Baby Dedication
3/3 Cinderella Banquet
The Way of the Master begins
3/12-16 Barnabas Trip—Students
3/15 Wednesday PM Activities Canceled
4/16 Resurrection Sunday Celebration
4/26-28 Jubilee Conference in Branson