

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

February 12, 2017

Church Wide

Parent/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/Baby 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, **contact Shawn McGill at 773-3333, x109 or shawn@heritagefamily.org by Sunday, February 12.**

Cinderella Banquet (Father/Daughter Date Night) ~ Dad, you and your daughter(s) of any age are invited to a special event celebrating the love of a daddy and his princess—*A Night in Paris on Friday, March 3 at 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the Education Building.* For dads who really like the idea of spending special time with their daughters, but don’t know where to start, this is your opportunity! The idea is simply to enter her world and enjoy your time together. You’re modeling for your daughter the way any boy should act when she goes out on any date at any time. **Tickets for this night of fun and food are \$10 per person and on sale now until February 26 at the Children’s Desk in the Commons.**



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.

Student Ministry

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 during the worship service. **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. Church Body, pray for this event opportunity—that the primary goals will be reached.** Students may sign up in the Café. Contact Kicker with questions kicker@delightinGod.org. **For your convenience Katy will be in the Commons this Sunday, February 12th after the worship service to notarize waivers.**



Women’s Ministry

Cultivate Women’s Conference, April 7-8 ~ The Women’s Ministry of Heritage Baptist Church are pleased to host this “Cultivate” weekend featuring author, musician, and Bible study teacher Kelly Minter of Nashville, Tennessee. The weekend will be on Friday evening from 7:00-9:00 p.m. and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and will include messages from Kelly, corporate worship, guided prayer times, and a missions’ emphasis. We are excited about what God will do through this time set aside to focus on Him together for a time of refreshment from His Word. This event is also an opportunity for Heritage women to reach out to women of all ages, in all denominations, in all surroundings towns and communities. The cost is \$40—**sign up today in the Commons or on-line <https://hbcokcok.infellowship.com/Forms/332217>.**

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.



Thursday Men’s Prayer Group in Yukon (Jim Jackson) ~ Every Thursday from **11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.** men gather for lunch, fellowship, encouragement and prayer at the Interurban in Yukon (11316 W. Reno Avenue). Contact Pastor Jim, jim@delightinGod.org for more information.

Senior Adult Ministry

Our monthly **Senior Adult luncheon is Sunday, February 19 in the Chapel/Café at 12:00 p.m.** after the worship service. Please bring a side dish of salads or vegetables—enough to serve eight people—Janet and Sandy are making a special dessert for us this month. 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!

Ministry Opportunities

Prayer Room ~ “Satan dreads nothing but prayer. His one concern is to keep the saints from praying. He fears nothing from prayerless studies, prayerless work, prayerless religion. He laughs at our toil, he mocks our wisdom, but he trembles when we pray.” ~Samuel Chadwick. Hebrews 4:16, “Therefore let us draw near with confidence to the throne of grace, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.” Our church’s Prayer Room Ministry gives us a special opportunity to draw near to the throne of grace with requests for others. Would you like to commit to coming to our Prayer Room in the House one hour per week to intercede? Contact George Gilbert at 607-0808 or Carlita Johnson at 721-0263 with questions.

H.O.W.D.Y. Ministry ~ The first person anyone coming to visit Heritage encounters will probably be someone from this group. Heritage’s Opportunity to Welcome and Direct You is a vital ministry of folks who love to greet with a smile and help get you wherever you want to go at Heritage! Join our ranks—we need you! Each person is on duty once or perhaps twice a month; you will be reminded by email. Contact Harold Stansberry at 354-7695 or stnsbry@cox.net with questions or sign up.

Recommended Resources

Minibooks ~ If you have yet to glance at these great resources, please take a minute to stop by the Faith@Home Center and look through some of the 20 different mini-books that are available for a quick read or for purchase for \$2. Each one biblically addresses any number of topics from divorce recovery to parenting to eating disorders to grief to caring for aging parents and on and on. The clear and compassionate and biblical truths expressed in these books are sure to minister to you and equip you to minister to others. These and other tremendous counseling related resources can be found at cccf.org.

Faith@Home Center ~ Our elders and pastors believe God designed the family as the primary place for discipleship. The church exists to partner with you to equip you in whatever life stage you are in and as you guide your child’s faith journey one step at a time. Faith@Home located in the Commons is our resource center for items to help you in your faith journey—it provides both free resources and items for purchase. All resources are for everyone, and also to use to minister to family members, neighbors and friends. If you have questions, please contact Pastor Jimmy at jim@delightinGod.org or 720-1449.

True Worshipers by Bob Kauflin ~ The intention of this book is to help people in the congregation understand how to become the kind of worshiper God is seeking. In nine chapters, he covers what he believes are some of the basic misunderstandings and challenges Christians face in this area including: Is worship about giving or receiving? What is the essence of worshipping God? Why is it so important for Christians to gather? What’s the relationship between Sunday worship and everyday worship? How can I sing in a way that brings glory to God? What does God’s presence have to do with worship?

Vacation Opportunity ~ Come enjoy an **Historical and Archaeological tour of Israel June 7-18, 2017**. Explore the land and learn about Jesus in His Historical and Cultural setting. For more information call Bobby Peck at 405-205-1112.

Special Announcement

Congratulations to **Kyle and Rachael** on the birth of their daughter, **Ruth Elise Dickinson** born February 5th (7 pounds, 12 ounces, and 20 inches long)! Your Church Family rejoices with you on this precious gift from our Lord!

Fellowship Meal for Wednesday, February 15 ~ 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 Beef Enchilada Casserole, Salad, & Dessert.**

Calendar Highlights

Sunday, 2/12

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

Tuesday, 2/14

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

Wednesday, 2/15

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

6:30 p.m. 4-Men
Share & Prayer
Students (7-12 grades)
Women’s Bible Study (Cowan)

Thursday, 2/16

9:30 a.m. Women’s Bible Study (McWilliams)
10:00 a.m. In His Hands Ministry
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)

Friday, 2/17

7:00 p.m. Deep Impact—Students

Saturday, 2/18

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Coming Soon!

2/19 Deep Impact Wrap Up
Parent Class for Parent/Baby Dedication
Elders Meeting
Senior Adult Luncheon
2/26 Parent/Baby Dedication
3/3 Cinderella Banquet
The Way of the Master begins
3/5 HBC Annual Meeting—preempts ABF
3/12-16 Barnabas Trip—Students
3/12 The Lord’s Supper Observed
3/15 Wednesday PM Activities canceled
4/7-8 Cultivate Women’s Conference
4/14 Good Friday Service/The Lord’s Supper
4/16 Resurrection Sunday Celebration
4/26-28 Jubilee Conference in Branson
4/30 Membership Matters Class