



SIMPSONVILLE

BAPTIST CHURCH

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Abide Ladies Retreat

Friday, April 29 6-9pm

Saturday, April 30 8am-12pm

Speaker Sessions led by

Angie Melton

Liz Encinia

Summer Pack

Held at Simpsonville Baptist Church
Please join us as we seek to Abide in Christ and
Grow Together in His Word!

Sign up in the foyer of the FLC.

Kingdom Life by Steve Boyd

Confession of Sin...the Way God Intended.

Confession is the appropriate response of both the convicting and the glorying ministry of the Holy Spirit. First, our rightful posture of confession comes when we embrace the truth that our sin separates us from God and His purpose. We are simply convicted of sin and humbled to confess. Secondly, confession responds to the truth and testimony of the Holy Spirit that God is perfect, holy, and just. We desire to see, respond, and confess His glory, the very attributes of God.

It's a good day when we are aware of our sin. Psalm 51:4 says, "For I know my transgressions and my sin is always before me." We should daily confess our sin to God. Our relationship to the Lordship of Jesus and yielding to the Holy Spirit are indicators and signs that we desire to please and honor God in all we say, do, and think. When we sin, we hurt our relationship to God. When we remain in sin, we withdraw our availability to God and the Holy Spirit is grieved and quenched.

The Bible further teaches in James 5:16, "Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed." It's a great day for the church when we can talk freely about our sin without judging one another. The appropriate posture for the church and the confessor is to embrace the truth spoken with grace and love. Of course, there are always consequences of sin, and we can learn to see punishment as a good discipline and correction. As we mature, we give thankfulness for God for humbling and breaking our spirits before Him and others.

Churches don't teach and talk enough about confession of sin. To grow to spiritual maturity, we must confess our sin in prayer before God. Confession daily postures us correctly before God. Why don't we confess our sin to one another? It's because of the pride of exposing our sin and the distrust of one another as to how we will be treated.

Confession brings healing from sin, guilt, shame and embarrassment. We must bring our sin out of the darkness (secrecy) into the light (God and other believers). Confession will not only give us freedom but also provide healthy accountability for our sin from trusted and loving faith family.

March 20 Ministry Meeting Report

The following agenda items were approved.

Community Ministry Center Study Team:

Dale Kramer (team lead), Cecil Jones, Bob Melton, Chet Miller, Linda Otterback, Dixie Taylor, Mary Wyatt

New Building Workgroups:

Decor/Furnishings; Landscaping; Technology/Security; Parking/Entrances

- New storage shed for Music Ministry
- 375 new chairs for worship
- Mission Team reported the support of \$250/month for Ryan and Mandy Gossom as new Family Life missionaries.
- Scott Sageser, church project manager for the new building, reported the expectation for steel to arrive in mid-September with anticipation of the existing building being demolished in August.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEEDS



We are extremely grateful for our children's ministry volunteers, however we are finding ourselves extremely understaffed regarding our children's ministry needs. We don't have people to cover for illnesses or emergencies, and we have reached the point where we MUST divide our elementary Sunday School into two groups. It is very difficult to teach K-5th grade with our increasing numbers of children attending.

Please contact Angie in the church office (722-5246) if you can help in these areas:

Teacher for K-2nd grade

Teacher for 3rd-5th grade

**Substitute for Elementary or Preschool
Sunday School**

**Substitute for Elementary or Preschool
Children's Church**

**Discipleship Teacher for
Wednesday Nights**

Nursery Workers for 11am Sunday School

Our growth as a church is severely impacted by our ability to provide a healthy and secure children's ministry program.

PRAYER NEEDS

We will begin to list the church family prayer needs each month. We encourage you to send cards, make phone calls or even provide a meal for those recovering from surgery and illnesses. All of these help to make SBC a little smaller and feel like family!

Mattie Johnson, Edith McGowan, Lori Cheppo, Larry Kerr, Linda Bannon, Vicki Moore, Ann Desilets, Robert and Doris Cissell, Michell Whited, Byron Thompson, Allen Ruble, David Teagarden, Bonnie Sheehan, Bill Wells, Linda Crenshaw, Patty Poulter

Family of Joyce Golden (Linda Ashby's mother)

Family of Bruce Jump (Sharon Hamilton's brother)

Family of Nancy Eddington

Family of Gerry Ennis (Gay Snider's sister)



Shelby Touched Twice Clinic

Saturday, May 21

First Baptist Church, Shelbyville
1516 Midland Trail

10am to 4pm

Shelby Touched Twice provides free medical and dental care to our community. They also offer a hot meal, toiletry bags, food boxes and prayer support.

Volunteer's needed

- **Shepherds:** Shepherds escort the visitors through the Clinic sharing Jesus while showing love and making the visitors feel special.
- We also need kitchen helpers, clean-up crew helpers, hairstylists, prayer warriors, doctors, nurses, dentists, hygienists, chiropractors, and registration workers.
- We need people to just come and show love to those who need to feel special.

To volunteer: www.shelbytouchedtwice.com

Financial donations may be mailed to:

Shelby Touched Twice
c/o Salem Baptist Church

8311 Mt. Eden Rd., Shelbyville KY 40065



Meadow Ridge Blessings Box

The Blessings Box at Meadow Ridge is used every day of the week.

Donation requests: cereal, oatmeal, cereal bars and PopTarts, canned meats, spaghetti and spaghetti sauce, dried black beans, soup mixes, white rice, sugar, corn meal, toilet paper, paper towels, dish liquid, tuna helper-type products, vegetable oil, canned fruit and vegetables, bags of apples/potatoes.

Cereal and canned fruit are high priority items.

Donations of food can be dropped off at the church office or placed directly in the box. Monetary donations can be taken to the church office.



Your generous giving to the annual Annie Armstrong Easter Offering makes an eternal impact across North America. You and your church are the fuel that enables thousands of missionaries to be sent, to plant churches and to serve the needs of people who desperately need a gospel witness.

Annie Armstrong Offering for North American Missionaries

Annie Armstrong (1850–1938) was a bold advocate for missionaries and their work. She championed missions support among Southern Baptist churches and helped create a rich legacy of people awakened and responding to God's call to pray, give and go.

Since 1895, the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering has empowered Southern Baptists' missional work to reach the U.S., Canada and their territories. Generation after generation, we've united to reach people born on our shores and the nations who come here to make a new home.



100% of your Annie Armstrong Easter Offering gifts go directly to the mission field.

**Church Goal: \$3,500
Giving to Date: \$25**

Send a note of encouragement to our Homebound friends this Easter!

Liddie Harper
110 Cardinal Dr Simpsonville 40067

Ruth Phillips
903 Meadow Ridge Simpsonville 40067

Bonnie Pruitt Masonic Home
711 Frankfort Rd. Shelbyville 40065

Tina Ball
PO Box 147 Simpsonville 40067

Lillian Brewer
7477 Brunerstown Rd Shelbyville 40065

Marie White Amber Oaks Assisted Living
156 Haven Hill Rd. Shelbyville

Joyce Crawford 208 Old Veechdale Rd Simp.

Juanita Myers 370 Colt Run Rd Simpsonville

Lewis & Rose Brewer
710 Schumacher Dr. Simpsonville

Mattie Johnson
1316 Oak Ridge Court Simpsonville

Wendell Casey Crescent Place Assisted Living
148 Allen Dr., Shelbyville



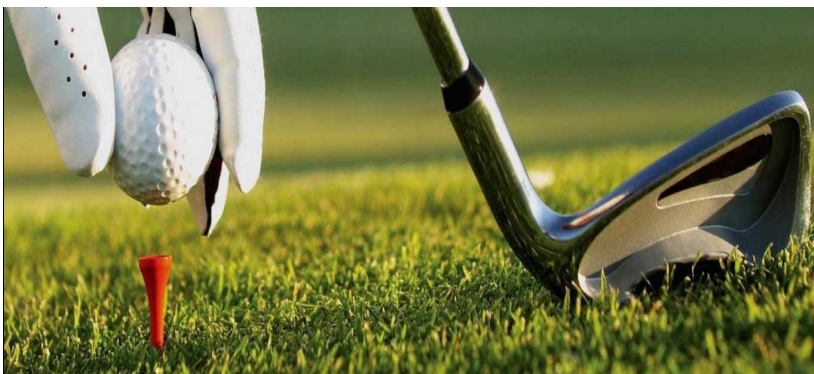
ALC Pregnancy Resource Center Baby Bottle Campaign

This campaign runs from
Mothers Day through Father's Day.

We are seeking an individual that would like to manage our SBC campaign.

You would need to number the bottles, pass them out in May, keep track of bottle signups, and collect them throughout the month leading up to Father's Day.

You would not be responsible for counting the money.
Please contact Angie in the church office if you are interested.



Men's Summer Golf League

**Every other Thursday night
beginning May 12**

Weissinger Hills in Shelbyville

Cost: \$20 per night for 9 holes.

Hi, Men... Just wanted everyone to know that I have set up our **Thursday night Men's Golf League** at **Weissinger Hills** again this year. We will meet **every other Thursday night** beginning May 12 through September. The dates reserved are: **5/12, 5/26, 6/9, 6/23, 7/7, 7/21, 8/4, 8/18, 9/1 and 9/18**. That would be ten evenings. **The cost is the same \$20 per night to play 9 holes.** (Weissinger is undergoing some needed improvements, so the 9 holes are scattered throughout the course at this time. That will change over the course of the summer and possibly get to us back to playing either the front or back 9 before September ends.)

The GOOD NEWS is that we will be able to meet together before we play like we did before COVID hit in 2020. **Tee times will start at 5:20pm**, so plan to warm up before then and we'll gather for prayer at the practice tee before we start going out in foursomes (or less if needed). I expect all groups to be teeing off before 6pm. (That will be important to get 9 holes in before dark in May.)

I hope you can join us for the fellowship, but **I need to hear from everyone who plans to play this year! Please send me a message using my cell number or email address listed below. Please include your name, phone number and email address** in case I don't have you in my contacts already. I need your contact info to let you know of any changes (e.g. rainouts).

Our Simpsonville Baptist Church Thursday night men's golf league is open to everyone, so feel free to invite your friends and neighbors. **You WILL NOT have to email or call the golf course to get a tee time this year**, but I would like to know if you are coming, so email or text me the week of our Thursday night outings, so I'll know how many to expect and schedule.

Lowell Ashby

502 777-2540 or lowellashby9@gmail.com



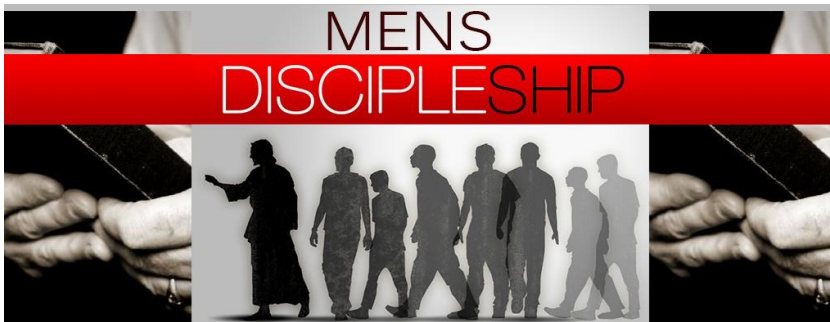
**Saturday, April 2
7:30am**

**Cracker Barrel in
Shelbyville**

Please join us!

APRIL

- 1 Makray Sageser
- 2 Alison Puleo, Lauren Wilkins
- 4 Jeff Read, Tammy Thomas
- 7 Pat White
- 8 McKenzie Parks
- 10 Ozzie Bradley, Angela Gossett
Ryan Marchesseault
- 12 Kevin Cunningham
- 14 Kory Hacker
- 15 Donna Ward, Rowan Whitehouse
- 16 Sovanna Chhan, Clark Jesse
- 17 Bonnie Sheehan
- 18 Tina Ball
- 19 James Minor, Denis Tocci
- 20 Kacey Frazier, Johnny White
- 21 Alana Ruble
- 25 Zoe Maxwell
- 27 Edith & Gary McGowan
- 29 Heather Janes
- 30 Mandy Gossom



Join us on Wednesdays at 6:15pm.

Room 201

Facilitated by Bob Melton.

Directory Update

**Dale & Cathy Carlson: 1003 Cayes Circle,
Cape Coral, FL 33991**

Building Team Report

The Building Team is excited to report that the drawings have been reviewed by the team and currently in the permitting process for review. Teams are being formed to select interior finishes. The steel manufacturer has given a tentative delivery date of mid-September. Currently this would allow for a start date of 1st of August to be ready to receive and erect the building. You will start seeing construction for the temporary entrance that will be through the door located at the end of the nursery hallway. To date this year, we have spent \$11,398, consisting of the loan closing and contractor costs, including permitting. Looking forward to getting the finalized schedule from the contractor to provide more insight as the project progresses.

Scott Sageser

New Building Teams

We are excited to have three teams in place that will allow us to move forward with the new building.

The **Green Team** has two components: landscaping and décor/furnishings.

Landscaping: Cindy Childers, Lisa Davis, Debbie Willman (Chair)

Décor: Anita Hoops, Carlette Stalker, Caroline O'Daniel, Paula Garner, Molly Hefner and Renea Sageser (Chair).

This team is already meeting to choose paint and flooring colors, finishes and fixtures, hardware, and furniture.

The **Blue Team** will be taking care of our technology and security needs. This includes wiring, cameras, locks, alarms, and communication.

Team members: Mike Waterman, Randall Childers, Nathan Sangster, Roy Shuler and Troy Fulkerson (Chair)

The **Gray Team** will be making decisions on parking and temporary entrances. This team is still being formed.

Team members: Garry Huff, Ryan Gossom (Chair)

Church Staffing Update

In July of last year, we looked at our children's and student ministry directory and knew we didn't have enough population in these areas to validate calling two full-time ministers. We also were cautious, not knowing if giving to operating budget would be sustained. We presented to the church a new full-time position called Family Pastor, and we are thankful that God has led us to Jesse Wright!

Jesse, Rachel, James, Ella and Hannah will be moved here by April 1.

In September, Pastor Steve asked the Personnel Team to consider a new full-time position to lead in Adult Discipleship. The church in Ministry Meeting approved the position. That minister would be responsible for the following:

- 1) Develop a discipleship model encompassing new members, new Christians, young believers, growing believers, and mature believers.
- 2) Develop opportunities for spiritual growth that would include, but not be limited to, the following: Bible Basics; Discipleship classes for doctrine, ministry, service, etc; Spiritual gift inventory; Collaborate scope and sequence with other pastors for children/students.
- 3) Develop new Sunday School classes and Home Groups.
- 4) Develop a website presence publicizing all discipleship classes.
- 5) Create opportunities for adult teacher support and training.
- 6) Preview all teaching material for doctrinal integrity in accordance with the 2000 Baptist Faith and Message.
- 7) Collaborate with Men's, Women's, and Family ministry leadership.
- 8) Serve as staff representative on Property Team, Ministry Involvement Team, and First Impressions.
- 9) Support, oversee, and review office support staff and custodial staff.

Currently, the Personnel Team is interviewing for this position. Please continue in prayer that the Holy Spirit would lead the church and a specific person to this position.

THE GOD WHO ANSWERED HIS PRAYER

“God, if you are real, give me a reason to not go back to my dorm tonight.” This month, we had the opportunity to receive a team from YWAM to partner with us in doing evangelism on our campuses. One student they met at UofL was an outspoken atheist. Once he heard the true gospel, he became a little more interested to hear more about God. The YWAM students invited him to our Cru weekly meeting happening that night. He spoke to God and said, “God, if you’re real, give me a reason to not go back to my dorm tonight” and said if that happened, he would come to our weekly meeting. When he left the meeting and went back to his dorm, his key card wouldn’t work. When he asked the front desk worker about the issue, he said, “I’m not sure what happened but **all our key cards just randomly stopped working**”!! He kept his promise and came to our weekly meeting that night and heard the gospel clearly proclaimed. He is very interested in learning more about this God that answered even his skeptical prayer. **Please pray that he would continue to pursue the knowledge of the truth. Praise the Lord for answering His prayer!**

THE BUSYNESS OF STUDENTS

We recently had a meeting with the other religious organizations on campus and we all made the same realization from the semester: all our students seem to be experiencing a sort of fatigue we haven’t necessarily seen before. The Spring semester is always busy, but this year more than ever, students seem to be very overwhelmed by their many commitments on campus. I’m thinking it might have something to do with how difficult these past couple years have been for everyone. Please pray for the physical, mental, spiritual, and emotional health of our students as they navigate these difficult college years. **Pray that our student leaders would fix their eyes on Jesus and never waver from that gaze.**



Some of our students preparing to share their faith on campus



Praises & Prayer Requests

- Last month, I had you pray for a student who was experiencing backlash from her parents regarding her plans to go on a Summer Mission. She is still discerning where the Lord would have her to go and her parents have stopped threatening to kick her out of the house. Praise the Lord!
- Please pray for more students to continue to follow the Lord in obedience during the Summer!
- One of my disciples has been having lots of Spiritual conversations with her Dental Hygiene buddies. Please pray that those conversations would continue!

Blessings,

Katie Harrod



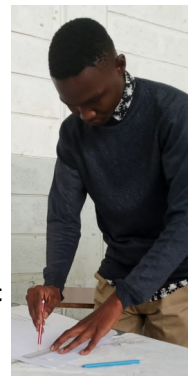
Mijomboni Orphanage Update

The Rescue Center has had a month of valleys and hilltops. They had a record number of children vetted to become residents. Unfortunately, it was discovered that government officials had been bribed \$20 to recommend children of colleagues who had both parents. The officials were in the process of creating fake death certificates for the each of the parents. This will give you an idea of the type of corruption that is present and that Nathan, our Administrator, deals with on a daily basis. It will also show the quality of the care that Center provides to the community; that parents would go to these lengths to have their children become residents speaks volumes. We are greatly blessed to have Nathan and Shilla at the helm!

Of better news is that one of our church families has sent several sewing machines to the center to help them begin a new tailoring class for widows and single moms in the community. Bricks are being made and an addition to the center is well under way.

Nathan sent this prayer need for a young man, David Mulla, who is struggling to pay for his education. *"Opening a door of a school is closing the door to the prison cells. Without education our rescue efforts will have no impact. A case in point is of young man David Mulla who scored highly in High School and was selected to join The Technical University of Kenya. Well wishers helped him to start his first semester, the second semester he has none to lean on and cannot continue his courses. If none comes to his aid, his life will be wasted, from what he writes to me, he may be ruined. Such cases turn to crime to further their life. One of his texts reads "if this situation continues, I may decide to terminate myself."*

The Rescue Center is the first step to saving lives. However, the needs in this country are very great. From the story above we see how difficult it is to live if a young man sees suicide as the only option of not being educated. We thank you for your prayers and generosity on behalf of Ultimate Wings and the Orphanage.



Global Prayer Needs for April

- 1 Iran-Pray for the safety of underground printers involved in the production of Farsi Bibles.
- 2 China-Pray that Christians will remain faithful to Christ under all circumstances.
- 3 Algeria-Pray for Christians who suffer at the hands of their unbelieving families.
- 4 Pakistan-Pray for impoverished believers and for those imprisoned for their faith.
- 5 Columbia-Pray that families of martyrs will remain faithful and continue to heal emotionally and spiritually.
- 6 Kazakhstan-Pray for Pastor Zhetis and his family, who are continually threatened by local authorities.
- 7 Comoros-Pray for Bible translations in Comorian dialects.
- 8 Israel-Pray for Christian families in the Hamas-controlled Gaza Strip who face continual pressure.
- 9 Afghanistan-Pray for front-line workers involved in evangelism, discipleship and house churches.
- 10 Kuwait-Pray that persecuted believers who fled the country will be able to visit their families.
- 11 Philippines-Pray for front-line workers, Mary & Ruth, beginning work in a new community among the Maguindanao people.
- 12 Nigeria-Pray that more Fulani will come to Christ through a new outreach in northeastern Nigeria.
- 13 Uganda-Pray for the courage and stability of Molly and Shanita, whose mother was killed for her faith.
- 14 India-Pray for Christian organizations, as many are being shut down by new government regulations.
- 15 Tanzania-Pray for Christian converts from Islam, who suffer greatly at the hands of family members.
- 16 Cameroon-Pray that church leaders will lead God's people biblically in love and wisdom.
- 17 Laos-Pray for unity among the new generation of Christian leaders despite their different ethnicities.
- 18 Saudi Arabia-Pray for the protection and growth of small local fellowships though out the country.
- 19 Myanmar-Pray for churches in Myanmar as they navigate political instability and uncertainty.
- 20 Bahrain-Pray that Jesus Christ will be revealed to those persecuting believers.
- 21 Lebanon-Pray for those ministering to Syrian refugees in the Bekaa Valley.
- 22 Sri Lanka-Pray for those reaching out to children.
- 23 Turkmenistan-Pray that the government will officially recognize the Bible in the Turkmen language.
- 24 North Korea-Pray for the engineers responsible for keeping daily gospel radio broadcasts on the air.
- 25 Nepal-Pray for Christian widows in Nepal who face severe discrimination.
- 26 Syria-Pray for Pastor Victor in Afrin, who is faithfully sharing Christ amid great turmoil.
- 27 Vietnam-Pray for new believers experiencing persecution through the loss of homes, land and livelihood.
- 28 Azerbaijan-Pray that churches will reach out to those who lost income during pandemic quarantines.
- 29 Eritrea-Pray for the government, those in authority and Eritrea's long-time leader, Isaias Afwerki.
- 30 Burkina Faso-Pray that new believers will be able to get their own copy of God's Word.





The Circus came to Adventure Club in March!



APRIL

1. Nahum 1-3
2. Habakkuk 1-3
3. Zephaniah 1-3
4. Haggai 1-2
5. Zechariah 1-2
6. Zechariah 3-4
7. Zechariah 5-6
8. Zechariah 7-8
9. Zechariah 9-10
10. Zechariah 11-12
11. Zechariah 13-14
12. Malachi 1-2
13. Malachi 3-4

NEW TESTAMENT

14. Matthew 1
15. Matthew 2
16. Matthew 3
17. Matthew 4
18. Matthew 5
19. Matthew 6
20. Matthew 7
21. Matthew 8
22. Matthew 9
23. Matthew 10
24. Matthew 11
25. Matthew 12
26. Matthew 13
27. Matthew 14
28. Matthew 15
29. Matthew 16
30. Matthew 17



PICKLEBALL

MONDAYS AT 6PM
\$2 PER PERSON PER NIGHT

Classic Worship

Thursday, April 7 at 10am

Guest Speaker Cindy Childers

Cindy Childers is a wife, mother, grandmother and child of God. Member of SBC since 1993. She is a member of the Vineyard Sunday School class and also teaches the Quest Sunday School class. She has worked at Masonic Home for the past 13 years and has had the privilege to care for many in our church home.

Come at 9:30am for snacks and fellowship!



SBC Prayer Wall & Enews

Want to keep updated on church ministries and events and the needs of our church family?

Contact Angie in the church office to be added to our news feeds.

A note from Jesse & Rachel

Church Family,

Rachel and I want to express a heartfelt thanks for your warm welcome of us to Simpsonville. We feel your love and want you to know that we share your excitement to do ministry together. I want to provide a quick update on our transition and a few ways you can be praying for us. First, we are set to close on our home in Mount Vernon on Friday, April 1. In case you have not heard, we found a home in Todd's Station! Once we close in Mount Vernon, we will simultaneously begin the closing process on our new home in Simpsonville. That date is tentatively set for April 22nd. Please join us in praying that we can close on each home without complications. A more specific request would be that our children adjust to the move well. Transitions are tough, and Rachel and I want to steward this season with our children wisely. Thanks to our generous church family, we are currently finalizing housing plans in Simpsonville for our time between closings and are very thankful for those willing to accommodate our needs. The next several weeks will certainly be busy, but our hearts desire is to settle quickly, so we can minister well to the families of SBC. We appreciate your prayers as the Lord continues to guide us throughout the rest of our move.

In Christ,

Jesse, Rachel, James, Ella, and Hannah

Isaiah 26:3

And to help you get to know them a little better, we asked them to share some personal trivia.

1) What you are reading now?

Jesse - *How To Be A Hero To Your Kids* by Josh McDowell and Dick Day

Rachel -Wait, Jesse has time to read?!

2) What is your favorite book of the Bible? **Jesse** -Colossians **Rachel** -Ephesians

3) What is your favorite restaurant? **Jesse** -Cheddars **Rachel** -Malones

4) What is your favorite vacation spot? **Jesse** -Wilmington, NC **Rachel** -Bahamas Cruise

5) What is one place you have always wanted to visit? **Jesse & Rachel** - Hawaii

6) What types of interests and hobbies do you have? **Jesse** - Weight training and smoking meat **Rachel** -baking

7) What is your favorite Bible verse?

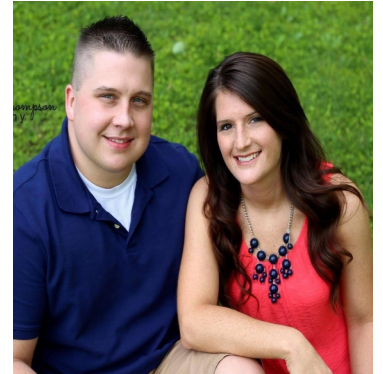
Jesse - *"Have you never heard? Have you never understood? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of all the earth. He never grows weak or weary. No one can measure the depths of his understanding. He gives power to the weak and strength to the powerless. Even youths will become weak and tired, and young men will fall in exhaustion. But those who trust in the Lord will find new strength. They will soar high on wings like eagles. They will run and not grow weary. They will walk and not faint."* Isaiah 40:28-31 NLT

Rachel - *"The Lord directs the steps of the godly. He delights in every detail of their lives. Though they stumble, they will never fall, for the Lord holds them by the hand."* Psalms 37:23-24 NLT

8) Tell us one of your fun accomplishments!

Jesse -In 2021, I watched the entire Star Wars saga while running on the elliptical!

Rachel -I can still do a backhand spring!



Friday, April 1 at 6:30pm

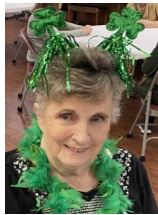
Held in the Fellowship Hall

Bring your favorite board games, Rook, dominoes, etc. and an appetizer or dessert.

Hosted by Bobbie Erlandson.

Women's Bunco

Thursday, April 7 at 6:30pm
Bring a container of insect repellent!
Please sign up in the foyer of the FLC.



Not only did they have a little bit of fun but they collected hundreds of different make-ups, perfumes, and nail polishes for homeless women and those at AWAKE. The women were so blessed and said that "the gifts made them feel feminine, human and not homeless."

Ladies Mission Trip June 12-17

EKY SONrise will be going to Lynch and Cumberland in June to work with several of the ministries in the area. We will be staying in 2 houses and sharing accommodations with ladies from other areas of our state and South Carolina.

This is always a great opportunity to share the Gospel with locals, develop friendships with other ladies, and help the missionaries who live in these communities.

**Our lodging is limited to the first 40 who respond.
The cost for lodging and meals is \$40 per day.**

We will be working with Heritage Ministries, Freedom Center, Willing Hearts, Shekinah Village, and others. There will be a worship service each evening and a fun activity on Tuesday afternoon at Willing Hearts.

As always, our work will be flexible as we let God lead us on mission. Our emphasis will be on prayer in various communities.

We will need ladies to be in charge of meals and help in preparation of various activities. Contact Linda Otterback at lindaotterback@twc.com to RSVP your attendance.



Women's SONrise Community Bible Study

**Tuesdays at 9:30am
Held at the Warehouse**

**Led by Linda Otterback
Light refreshments provided.**



We have just rolled out our new women's ministry Facebook and Instagram pages. We will use these accounts as a private group to share upcoming news, events and prayer needs. Our hope is to keep more ladies informed of ministry opportunities and ways to get to know each other and lift one another to the Lord!

**You can find our FB page under
Abide Women's Ministry | Simpsonville
and Instagram Abidewomen_SBC**



**Joy in the Mourning Widows Fellowship
Friday, April 15
10am**

**Coffee and snacks provided!
Held at the Warehouse
7387 Shelbyville Rd., Simpsonville**

**Led by Sharon Hamilton
sharonhamilton40065@yahoo.com; 502.220.8557
and
Bobbie Erlandson
e.bobbie@yahoo.com; 502.645.6946**

Women's Discipleship
Wednesdays at 6:15pm
Meets in Room 103.
Facilitated by Angie Melton.



Staying connected to friends, family, and small groups has never been easier. Watch content together on RightNow Media with our new groups feature. One person can play, pause, and rewind videos for the entire group. Everyone can use the chat window as the video plays. Use the groups feature to learn, encourage one another, and grow in your faith.

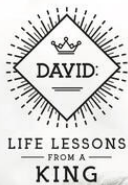
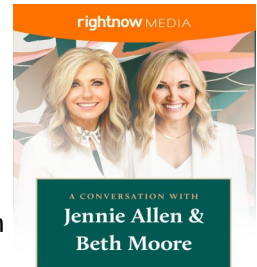
New Feature: See your whole group and discuss the series with the new built-in video chat function! Also, you can connect all of your devices to RightNow Media?

Go to <https://help.rightnowmedia.org/hc/en-us/articles/4415483863821-Connect-Your-Devices> to connect to FireTV, Roku, Apple, Chromecast, Android or PC.

A Conversation with Jennie Allen & Beth Moore

Jesus never promised that life would be easy. As Christians, we are not immune to the troubles of this world. So, what do we do when we encounter difficult circumstances or when we find ourselves in the “dark night of the soul”?

Join Jennie Allen and Beth Moore as they explore how to make it through the difficulties of life with our faith intact. Through their conversation, we can learn afresh why belief in God and trust in his Word are critical to a fulfilling life in Christ. No matter the circumstances, there is joy in Jesus.



Life Lessons From A King David Merritt

When it comes to reading biographies, the best biographies tell the stories of men and women who have not only experienced great success, but have overcome extreme failures. The story of David is no exception. In this series, we are going to dive deep into David's

biography as the greatest king who ever lived. He was a king who succeeded fantastically, but he also failed miserably. Therefore as we study his life, there is a lot we can learn from King David about what to do and what not to do in our own walk with Christ.



A Six-Part Bible Study Video Series with Tim Tebow on Living a Mission Possible Life

We want to do more than just exist. We want our lives to count. We want to believe that there's more to our time on earth than just feeling pleasure, pursuing goals, and gaining social status.

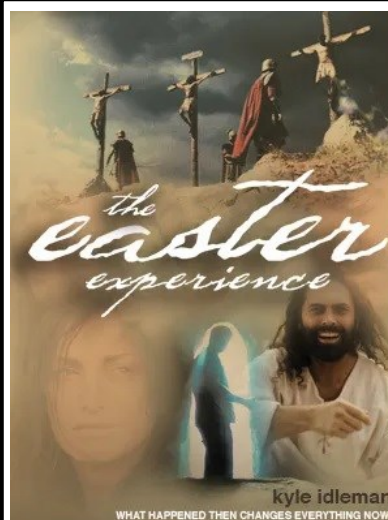
Deep inside, we know the truth: our life's mission is to live with purpose. For followers of Christ, living out that mission is possible because of what God has done for us through Jesus. We just need to know the steps to make it happen.

In this exclusive Bible study series, which includes six fifteen-minute video sessions, Tim Tebow introduces the tools you need to set your priorities and align your choices with God's call on your life. Accompanied by his Bible, a notebook, and a cup of coffee, Tebow guides viewers through Scripture and offers a clear plan for encouraging us to find our unique, God-given sense of mission so that we can live out the life of purpose we desire.

Each video features motivational teaching and Bible study and closes with a specific Mission Takeaway. So grab your Bible, a pen, and maybe your favorite drink and join the conversation.



The Story of Jesus' resurrection comes alive for children in this animated show. Based on the award-winning Spark Story Bible, The Story of Easter will captivate children as they learn about God's love for the world through the miraculous life and ministry of Jesus.



The Easter Experience brings the passion, and resurrection of Jesus to life through dramatic storytelling and challenging teaching done in a highly cinematic style. Through these in-depth teachings, your small group will grow spiritually, bonding with each other as well as with the eternal message of Easter.

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Easter Sunday
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April 17
Worship at 9:45am
No Sunday School or Children's Church

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