

Centered in Christ

Bonaire First Baptist Church

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April 2018

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4/1	Easter Sunday
4/7	Men's Breakfast 8:00 am
4/8	Deacons' Meeting 5:00 pm
4/10	Women on Mission 10:00 am
4/19	Joyful Hearts Luncheon 12:00 pm
4/20	Secret Church
4/22	Fourth Sunday Prayer
4/29	Canned Food Drive

Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday

The praise band and choir will lead us in worship on Palm Sunday and Easter with new and familiar selections. The Palm Sunday worship service on March 25th will feature the children leading us in worship with the adults, and a time of reflection with the ordinance of the Lord's Supper.

The Easter worship service on April 1st will be a great time of celebration in music as we focus on the resurrection of our Savior. It is our hope that the music, scripture, and preaching of the Word will provide a stirring reminder of the death of Christ and a joyful celebration of His resurrection. We hope you will plan to join us for these special times of worship!



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April 4 - Regular Club

April 11 - Regular Club

April 18 - Theme Night
Double Awana Buck Night

April 25—Store Night

Club	Place	Design	Speed	Place
Puggles/ Cubbies	1 st	Olive Hardeman	Isaac Sexton	1 st
	2 nd	Isaac Sexton	Ezra Sexton	2 nd
	3 rd	Ezra Sexton	Ava Sweatt	3 rd
Sparks	1 st	Harrison Gardner	Harrison Gardner	1 st
	2 nd	Aiden Evans	Ges Sumrall	2 nd
	3 rd	Elisha Hedrington	Alyssa Ballrd	3 rd
T&T	1 st	Darren Heisterkamp	Kate Hinman	1 st
	2 nd	Brianna Talbert	Jase Ballard	2 nd
	3 rd	Christian Brown	Destiny McGirr	3 rd

Student Ministries

April

Centrifuge and Missionfuge payments are due in April

4th Resume Wednesday night service

8th Student Nursing Home ministry
4:00 pm

May

6th Student Nursing Home ministry

20th Formal Parent Student Dinner
6:00 pm

20th Graduation Recognition in the am service
(Please get your name, high school and the college you are going to into the office)

June

10th Youth Nursing Home ministry

Students Study and Swim begin on Sunday June 10th

Backyard Bible Clubs

Youth Camps

June 4-8 Missionfuge

June 11-15- Centrifuge

June 18-22—VBS

June 29-July 6 Jamaica Mission Trip



Please be praying for Jamaica and our Mission Team: Pastor Aaron Dumas and the people of FBC Kingston, David Knight, Stephanie Knight, Stanton Lee, Lindsay Lee, J.C. Gravely, Brandon Cauley, Lindsey Cauley, Cassidy Erickson, Carrie Hickman, Wyatt Hickman, Andrew and Caroline Adams, Rachel Tisdell, and Luke Roberson.

Also, be praying for our college and high school students working at Christian camps this summer. A couple are for the whole summer and others for a couple of weeks.

Camp Grace: Caleb Knight, Lydia Ezell, and Wyatt Hickman.

Missionfuge: Camille Hickman, Rebekah Ezell.

Centri-kid: Philip Knight.



Men's Ministries

Men's Breakfast
April 7th
8:00 am

Ladies' Ministries

*Women on Mission
Meeting
Tuesday, April 10th
10:00 a.m.*



*Joyful Hearts' Luncheon,
Thursday, April 19th,
12:00 pm*



On Sunday, May 6, our annual Mother and Daughter Tea will be held at 3:00 pm in the Family Life Center. Mothers, daughters, grandmothers, sisters, aunts, and friends of all ages are invited to attend. Bring a cup or tea pot with a special memory to share. Look for sign-up sheets soon.



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Secret Church 18
Friday, April 20, 2018
Cults and Counterfeit Gospels

The apostle Paul was astonished that some followers of Christ in his day were “turning to a different gospel,” and he pleaded with them not to be deceived by those who wanted to “distort the gospel of Christ.” These warnings given to the church in the first century are just as relevant today for the church in the twenty-first century.

For the good of our souls and for the sake of the church’s mission, followers of Christ need to ask, “What false gospels are being taught today?” and “How can I recognize the true gospel among so many counterfeits?” Answering these questions will be the aim of Secret Church 18, “Cults and Counterfeit Gospels.”

We will consider the claims of Jehovah’s Witnesses, Mormons, and other groups that claim to teach the truth. We will also explore more subtle distortions of the gospel, including prosperity teaching that is rampant across the church. In the end, our goal is to walk away from this Secret Church not only enabled to discern false gospels, but also equipped to share the true gospel with people around us and with peoples around the world.

Please sign up by April 1st so that books can be ordered.



Luke 24:5-6 (NASB) and as *the women* were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, *the men* said to them, "Why do you seek the living One among the dead? "He is not here, but He has risen. Remember how

Greetings to the Saints At Bonaire,

I hope this newsletter finds you doing well. It is Tuesday on Holy week when I write this article and pray for all of you.

As I began to write this article the special edition of "Table Talk" that David Knight gave me caught my eye. I picked up and started to read some of the articles that I had not read yet. This particular edition is special because it focuses on the life of R.C. Sproul—the founder of Ligonier Ministries and subsequently "Table Talk." R.C. was a great fan of Martin Luther and so he named his monthly magazine in honor of Luther's "table talk" conversations.

There is a picture on the front of the magazine with one of the last pictures of Sproul and I thought, my how he changed and yet he didn't change...The same voice, same passion and beliefs, the same smile, well the same —just older. I learned about R.C. Sproul in 1986, before he was even 50 years old. I was at Mercer University when I came across "Knowing Scripture" which led me to "The Holiness of God."

It would be an accurate statement to say that the latter book brought an earthquake to my life. The more he talked about GOD, about GOD's holiness and our creatureliness the more I became amazed and confused. Amazed at a vision of GOD's glory I had never been told about, and confused as to why no one talked like this in my world. My desire to know more about the GOD of the Bible was akin to my excitement when I was first converted. It was more intense than my call to ministry (I was pastoring my third church at that time).

In those days there was no you tube—there was the new technology of VHS. When I began to watch Sproul's teaching lessons put out by Ligonier I was even more taken. Sproul did two things that I thought were magnificent: he could teach hard things in ways that helped people grasp them and he had a lot of mannerisms like T.V.'s Lt. Columbo. What a great combination!

Through the years I attended several of his conferences, a special pastor's conference (where about 100 of us spent the week with R.C., Ligon Duncan, Mark Dever...) and I had him as a professor for a class in Seminary. As I observed his ministry I realized more and more the impact GOD had brought about through this man.

Now R.C. has gone to be with the glorious GOD whom he spoke of with such passion. And we have tremendous resources available from his life time of ministry that we pray GOD will use to raise up leaders in the future who have a passion for the GOD-centered gospel.

Yours In Christ

Kenny

Christian Clippings

Johnny: "I fell into a mud puddle."

Mother: "What? With your new pants on?"

Johnny: "Yes, I fell in so fast I didn't have a chance to take them off."

The day after major oil companies announced price increases on heating oil, a Yorkshire, England, fuel company received a telephone call from one of its regular customers, a convent in Brighouse. "By how much," a nun inquired, "had the oil price gone up?" A sales official decided to break the news gently. "Are you sitting down, Sister?" she asked. The nun replied, "No, I am kneeling."