

Arkansas Travelers Baseball Game

Let Coronado Baptist Church "take you out to the ball game" on Thursday, May 29. Enjoy AA baseball, food, and fellowship in the private Dickey Room at Dickey-Stevens Park in North Little Rock. The all-you-can-eat buffet includes hamburgers, hot dogs, and sides. The doors open at 5:35pm; the buffet will be available from 6:05-8:05pm; and the game starts at 6:35pm.

Do you have friends or neighbors who enjoy sports or just like social outings? Take this opportunity to invite them to a fun and informal church event.

The cost is \$23 per person, which includes your ticket, the buffet, and tax. Please see more details, sign up, and pay at the welcome table. The deadline is Sunday, May 11.

Please contact Marcus Everett with any questions: 501-282-4884.



TRAVELERS BASEBALL GAME

THURSDAY, MAY 29

Deadline to sign up and pay is Sunday, May 11.

Game ticket with all-you-can-eat buffet in hospitality room before the game. Cost: \$23 each.

Dinner: 6:05-8:05pm; Game Time: 6:35pm

Sign up and pay at welcome table or call Marcus Everett. Make checks payable to CBC or pay Marcus.

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Do April Showers Bring May Flowers?

You have heard it and probably said it: "April showers bring May flowers." Certainly, we have had more than our share of April showers in the Village this year. Now we await the May flowers. However, for some, the pollen

brings May hay fever and allergies!



Dr. Dennis Phelps

In the Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 5), Jesus turns His teaching from the disciples' relationship to the world, to how to reflect Kingdom living in our relationship to each other. He gets very personal, practical, and specific as he talks about anger, resentment, opponents, sexual fantasies, marriage, promises, hospitality, and even financial loans in Kingdom living.

In v. 45, Jesus teaches that rain (as well as sunshine) is part of every person's experience. Difficulties, challenges, pain, and troubles invade our lives. We don't seek them; they just come. It may be the result of a decision we made (or didn't make), or someone made for us. It may be the consequence of our fallen world. Nevertheless, the rain falls (sometimes in flooding torrents).

So what about the flowers? Will they always follow the rain? Not necessarily.

The sun does rise on the Christ-follower, as well as the lost. However, remember that this world is not all there is to life. There is an eternity that follows this brief season on earth. For the one not following Christ, there will be darkness, aloneness, separation, and anguish. For the follower of Christ, there will be light, fellowship, comfort, joy, forgiveness, and love.

Several years ago, Emily began her undergraduate studies at seminary. As a teenager she had a call to gospel missions. She had already traveled to help with VBS in Oklahoma, as well as missions to Belize and Guatemala. She had an honest, joyful, infectious laugh and smile.



During the 2017 Christmas break, Emily traveled with her brother, cousin, and a friend on her third trip to Nakaru, Kenya, to share the gospel with young people. While serving she developed a blood clot in her lungs. At the age of 21, she died among the young people for whom God had given her a deep love. After her family navigated the complexities of returning her body to America, it arrived in a beautiful handmade wooden casket. It was crafted by the people as an expression of their gratitude and love for her young life and compassion for them in Jesus.

As the sanctuary filled for the celebration of her life, the theme was Romans 8:18. This reference was tattooed on Emily as a reminder before she came to seminary.

When the torrential rain floods your life, turn to Romans 8:18 and anticipate the Son breaking through the clouds. The flowers will burst forth for the Jesus-follower.

"For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory that is to be revealed to us."

MISSIONS

ABSC FREE DENTAL CLINIC AT CBC

Our church hosted a free clinic for the community on Saturday, April 5, in cooperation with the Arkansas Baptist State Convention. The clinic was funded by our annual Dixie Jackson state mission gifts.



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The day before the clinic, a team of ABSC staff and volunteers from around the state rolled in with a truck full of equipment. With help from CBC members, they efficiently set up registration, waiting, treatment, and discharge areas, as well as a room for one-on-one evangelism. Later, they trained over twenty-five CBC members to help at the clinic.

When volunteers arrived at 6:30am on Saturday, six patients already were waiting in the parking lot, although registration did not begin until 8:30 and the Village was under flash flood warnings. Patients traveled from as far away as Pine Bluff,



Fort Worth, and Tulsa. They included people of all ages.

Professional services were provided by two retired dentists, one hygienist, two pharmacists, several pharmacy students, and assistants. Also, three retired nurses from our congregation helped with triage. Despite thunderstorms, tornado

watches, and a brief power outage, the final patient was discharged by 3:00pm.

In total, about fifty patients were treated. Services included seventy X-rays, eighteen cleanings, and fifty-four extractions. Medications were dispensed to thirty patients. The estimated value of these services is \$18,620!

Our members shared the gospel on site with each attendee personally. **Praise God for the four professions of faith that were reported.** Also, each person was contacted personally by our CBC follow-up team after the clinic. Please pray for all those who attended and for the ABSC Missions team.





MISSIONS (CONTINUED)

MAY MISSION EMPHASIS:

Children & Family MINISTRIES

Prayerfully consider your gift to this ministry. Special offering envelopes will be available in May.

Arkansas Baptist Children & Family Ministries (ABCFM) was established in 1894 to provide a home for children in need of family. Today, the organization encompasses six ministries with one mission: offering hope and healing to children and families through Christ-centered services. As a faith-based, non-profit organization, ABCFM addresses the comprehensive needs of Arkansas families, providing the resources and support necessary for healthy futures. Services include foster care, adoption, biological family support, family care, pregnancy support, preschool, and counseling.





659

children served through foster care, adoption, preschool & family care

25,254

counseling sessions provided

237

families provided services

65,291

nights of peaceful sleep were provided by foster families

209

children found permanency

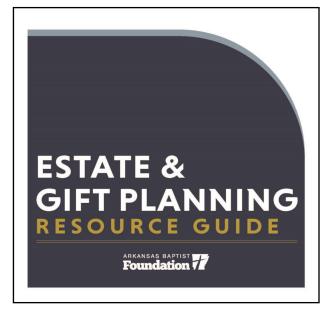
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decisions to follow Christ were made

MUSIC, OUTREACH & SINGLES



(Above and right) The New Horizons Band gave a concert at Coronado Baptist on Sunday evening, March 30.



During our coffee fellowship on April 10, attorney Dillon S. McClain, Vice President of the Arkansas Baptist Foundation, made a presentation about ABF's estate planning services. (Left) Copies of the ABF's Estate & Gift Planning Resource Guide are available at the resource table, or you may download it here: https://www.abf.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/08/2024-Estate-Gift-Planning-Resource-Guide.pdf



On Thursday, April 17, eighteen singles and friends met at Molly O'Brien's for dinner and fellowship. Everyone had a great time and the food was good.

The singles will meet again at Sunset Grill on May 15. The food is good, the staff is friendly, and they have trivia night on Thursdays.

~ Juanita Wilbanks

FELLOWSHIP

(Right and below) A group from CBC traveled to Ouachita Baptist University on Gold Tiger Day, April 11, for the student production of "Hello, Dolly!" and dinner at The Fish Net.



(Below) The CBC neighborhood group led by Marcus and Bunny Everett met for dinner on April 15 at Blue Ember Grill. They bid farewell to snowbirds Dennis and Marilyn TerHark, who have returned to Iowa until next winter.









EASTER SERVICES & BREAKFAST

On Easter Sunday, April 20, we gathered on the parking circle for a sunrise service and then shared breakfast in the sanctuary. Our 10:00am resurrection celebration featured scripture readings and beautiful Easter music by the Coronado Choir. Several visitors joined us for worship.

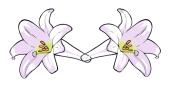
He is risen... He is risen indeed!











MEMBER NEWS







Anniversaries

May 1	John Ridgell
May 14	Cathy Heilman
May 15	Marcia Melton
May 16	David Chester
May 18	Jon Underwood
May 26	Tom Lamay

May 14 John and Kathy Skinner May 27 Dennis and Robbin Phelps



Birthday celebration for Elaine Davis on April 4.

Directory Changes

Please make the changes below on your church directory. <u>NEW DIRECTORIES WILL BE AVAILABLE BIANNUALLY.</u>

The directory is ONLINE at Instant Church! Please log in to check your information and contact the office if you have any corrections. If you need a printed directory, please ask the office. Thank you!



If you are moving or have an email or phone number change, please call the church

office at 501-922-3218 or email us at: office@cbc-hsv.org

ADD: Sulinda Moffett ("friend of the church"): 24 Cresta Circle, Hot Springs Village, AR, 71909; Sulinda@att.net; phone no. 501-276-2774; member of Joy Bible study class

May Prayer Calendar

Deacon:

John Skinner

Bible Study Class:

Dayspring

Special Emphasis:

AR Baptist Children & Family Ministries

Church Family:

Week of April 27

David & Virginia Ellison

Marcus & Bunny Everett

Week of May 4

Bob & Rose Frey

Del & Diane Gann

Week of May 11

Ed & Sue Garrett

Brett & Ann Gause

Week of May 18

D.G. and Joyce Graham

Stacy & Tami Green

Week of May 25

Dean & Cheryl Hannan

Kelly Hardin



Thank You!





A heartfelt and special thanks to Marsha Allen. You have faithfully, skillfully and prayerfully led us in worship as our pianist since 2023. Your ministry to us has touched our hearts. our lives, and our souls as you gave strength to our voices by playing the melodies we sang. We will miss you, but are excited for you as you continue your service to God by walking alongside Doug as he serves as interim pastor of First Baptist Church, Dumas, AR. We will pray for you and Doug as you minister together in Dumas.

A big thank you to the Coronado choir, guest singers and accompanists for the hard work, effort and time you put in to make our Easter morning service a meaningful time of worship. You told beautifully the gospel story beginning with the trial and judgment of Jesus, His crucifixion and burial and ending with His resurrection. Christ is risen! He is risen indeed! ~Pastor Dale Clancy, Choir Director



UPCOMING SERMONS & EVENTS

Exciting things are happening at Coronado this year!

- SUNDAY A.M. SERMONS IN MAY—Messages on Acts 25-28
- SUNDAY P.M. SERMONS IN MAY—"How Can We Thrive?"—All His Family at the Table, pt 7 (John 17:11, 20-23); "Should We Even Gather for Corporate Worship?" (Heb 10:23-25); no evening service on May 11 (Mother's Day) or May 25 (Memorial Day week)



Bible Studies Leadership Training:The Five Handles for Effective Bible Studies

Continues on Mondays, May 5 thru 19
4:00-5:30pm
Conference Room

For all adult Bible studies teachers and officers.

Contact Jim Burk with any questions.

"Lord, please show us Your Ways, Your will, and Your glory" (Ex 33:12-18).

SINGLES DINNER

Thursday, May 15 – 4:30pm Sunset Grill



GUESTS WELCOME!

(Dutch treat)
RSVP to Bonnie Stephens at
#817-855-0707 by May 14.

SAFETY PRESENTATION—

Thursday, May 8, at 9:30am—HSV Police Chief Kristi Bennett and Fire Chief Jeremy Simmons will be our special guests at Koinonia & Coffee. They will discuss best practices for home safety, security, health crises, handling emergencies, and concerns about a neighbor or friend. Invite a guest!

- AGING WELL AT HOME— Monday, June 23—senior adult services expo at Coronado Baptist Church, presented by Oaklawn Center on Aging.
- MEDICARE AND HEALTH CARE PRESENTATION—

Thursday, July 17, at 9:30am—Willie Bobo and a nurse practitioner from Sage Health Bryant will be our guests at Koinonia & Coffee. They will discuss Medicare, health care issues, and the services available from

Sage Health, a national multidisciplinary practice directed toward seniors. Free.

• **HOLY LAND TRIP**—Coronado Baptist is going to the Holy Land in 2026! Walk where Jesus walked. Experience the Bible come to life as you tour Israel and read the stories of the places you see. Membership at CBC is <u>not</u> required. Flyers are at the resource table. Early enrollments get a discount. Contact Pastor Dale Clancy.



MAY ACTIVITIES

MISSION EMPHASIS:



Arkansas Baptist Children & Family Ministries

~ ACTIVITIES ~				
Thurs	5/1	National Day of Prayer		
		Strength and Balance Class (Sanctuary)	6р	
Sun	5/4	Celebrate May Birthdays & Anniversaries	8:30a	
Mon	5/5	Deacons Meeting	2:30p	
		Bible Studies Leadership Training (Conf Room)	4-5:30p	
Tues	5/6	Nominating Committee Meeting	9-11a	
Wed	5/7	Staff Meeting	1:15p	
Thurs	5/8	Safety Presentation by Police & Fire Chiefs at Coffee	9:30-11a	
		CBA Lunch/Executive Board Mtg at Mill Creek Bap	11a	
		Strength and Balance Class (Sanctuary)	6p	
Sun	5/11	Deadline to Sign Up & Pay for Baseball Game		
		Mother's Day / <u>NO</u> Evening Service		
Mon	5/12	Bible Studies Leadership Training (Conf Room)	4-5:30p	
Tues	5/13	Old Rascals Lunch (Location TBA)	11:30a	
		CLT Meeting	2p	
Thu	5/15	Singles Dinner at Sunset Grill	4:30p	
		Strength and Balance Class (Sanctuary)	6p	
Mon	5/19	Bible Studies Leadership Training (Conf Room)	4:00-5:30p	
Thu	5/22	Chapel Service at Lake Forest	11a	
Sun	5/25	No Evening Service		
Mon	5/26	Memorial Day/ Office Closed		
Tues	5/27	Old Rascals Lunch (Location TBA)	11:30a	
Thurs	5/29	Travelers Baseball Game	5:35p	
Sun	Weekly	Coffee & Fellowship (Atrium) / Intercessory Prayer (Rm. 8)	8:30a	
	Weekly	Bible Study for All Ages	9a	
	Weekly	Worship	10a	
	Weekly	Worship	6р	
Tue	Weekly	Ladies' Prayer Time	1p	
Wed	Weekly	Choir Practice	4p	
	Weekly	Prayer Meeting & Bible Study	6p	
Thu	Weekly	Koinonia & Coffee	9:30-11a	

ANNOUNCEMENTS



In observance of Memorial Day, there will be no evening service on Sunday, May 25.

Our church office will be closed on Monday, May 26.

DEADLINE FOR NEWSLETTER ARTICLES IS THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH.

COME WORSHIP WITH US AT CORONADO BAPTIST CHURCH OF WATCH OUR SERVICES ONLINE

Sunday Coffee Fellowship - 8:30 am Sunday Bible Study for All Ages - 9:00 am Sunday Morning Worship - 10:00 am Sunday Evening Worship - 6:00 pm Wednesday Bible Study/Prayer - 6:00 pm Thursday Coffee Fellowship - 9:30-11:00 am

To join our services "LIVE," go to our church website at www.cbc-hsv.org and look under the "Sermons" tab. You don't need to go online early...just a few minutes before the service time. If you miss a service, you can watch any date or time on our website.

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