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NEWSLETTER

Reflections

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Prayer Ministry Day Sunday, April 13, 2025

Over the past years, we have seen God at work in many ways in and through the BFBC family. One of those is the establishing of a culture of prayer. Jesus tells us we are to be a house of prayer and Paul teaches that we are to be a people devoted to prayer. The BFBC Prayer Ministry exists to unite our congregation in being people of prayer through teaching, equipping, and mobilizing us to pray. One special area of equipping is the Prayer Ministry Resource area in the Welcome Center, providing scripture prayer guides and prayer helps on various topics.

On April 13th, we will take time in the worship service to celebrate how God is deepening the culture of prayer and give each person an opportunity to engage specifically in one or more of the prayer opportunities at BFBC. While you will be given more information on the 13th, here are the specific areas of prayer focus to prayerfully consider:

- **Intercessory Prayer Ministry:** a ministry of intercession for our church and community, missions, government and world concerns, and numerous submitted prayer requests that are confidential.
- **Ministry Prayer Partners:** a ministry of intercession for our ministry staff leaders.
- **Men's Weekly Prayer Group:** a group of men who pray together every Thursday at 7:00 a.m. The focus of this prayer group is reading and discussing God's Word and responding in prayer.
- **Moms in Prayer:** this new area of prayer ministry focuses on moms gathering to intentionally cover their children in prayer.
- **Grandmothers in Prayer:** a group of grandmothers who pray together monthly for their grandchildren.
- **Prayerwalking:** a ministry of intercession on site. Individuals or small groups will pray on various sites throughout our community, on the church campus, and at our schools.
- **Student Prayer Ministry:** a ministry of intercessory prayer for our BFBC students, grades 6-12.
- **Praying for BFBC Widows:** a ministry of intercessory prayer for our widows.
- **Praying for BFBC Homebound members:** a ministry of intercessory prayer for our church members who are homebound.

Prayer is not only the heartbeat of our relationship with God, it is the conduit for His power and provision to enable us to help people connect with Christ and to see His Kingdom be realized on earth as it is in heaven! Would you be thinking and praying how you can be involved in the praying life of BFBC through Prayer Ministry? May God continue to grow us as a House of Prayer!

Rick Fisher – Prayer Ministry Coordinator

REVISED EASTER SCHEDULE SUNDAY, APRIL 20

7:15 AM: Sunrise Service at the Fountain by the Cemetery

8:15 AM: Easter Joint Worship Service with Spanish Translation

10:15 AM: Easter Worship Service

*Enjoy doughnuts and coffee served between all services
in place of full breakfast.*

WE WILL NOT HAVE SCHOOL

Remember to bring flowers for the outside Living Cross

TENEBRAE SERVICE

GOOD FRIDAY
APRIL 18
6:30

This service is a time of
somber reflection on Christ's
sacrifice on the cross.

It will consist of rhythms of
reading from God's Word and
musical reflections, culminating
in Communion together as believers.



EVERYONE IS INVITED!

Egg Hunt

Games

Free HOTDOGS

Petting Zoo

Interactive prayer-
walk sharing the
Easter story

EASTER HOPPENING

SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 4:00-5:30

BALLFIELD & BACK PARKING AREA

TEXT "REGISTER" TO 864-660 TO ATTEND OR VOLUNTEER!

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

The need and costs to do missions work in North America have never been greater. But God is doing amazing things through more than 3,000 missionaries we support through the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. Give today to our Annie Armstrong Offering to help us meet our goal and support North American missionaries.

Our Goal: \$12,000

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



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Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to:

Dawn Williams in the death of her sister,
Lynn Rogers.

Gina Simmons in the death of her mother,
Ann Mauldin.

DeDe Jones in the death of her brother,
Earl Chadwick.

Church Pictures Are Here!

If you had your photo taken for our new directory, your complimentary 8 x 10 print is now ready for you to pick up. You can get them in the Welcome Center on Sunday or in the church office during the week.

Grandmothers In Prayer

Sunday, April 6 at 4:00 in the
Fellowship Center

Deacons Meeting

Monday, April 7 at 7:00 pm in the Chapel

WMU Meeting

Grace Lyn Shockey Circle

Tuesday, April 8 at 12:30 in the
Fellowship Center
Speaker: Chad Rickenbaker
Refreshments will be provided

Friendship Group Luncheon

Tuesday, April 15, 11:00 am
Fellowship Center
Musical Program by Kimilee Bryant
Menu: Fried Chicken, Macaroni and
Cheese, Steamed Broccoli, Fruit
Sign up by April 10 in the Welcome
Center or call the office at 246-1921.

Weekly Opportunities

SUNDAYS

8:15 am
9:00 am
10:15 am
6:00 pm

Special Time of Prayer
Connect Groups
Morning Worship Service
Small Group Meetings
(reach out to Ryan Pate
for more info)

WEDNESDAYS

5:15-6:00
5:55-6:25
6:30-7:30

Supper
Grades 1-5 Choir
Kidzlife, Ages 3-Grade 5
Adult Bible Study
Bible Study in Spanish
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

7:35-9:00

Students: Doors open at 5:45, Service at 6:30,
Pick up at 7:45.

THURSDAYS

7:00 am

Men's Prayer Time

Wednesday Night Supper

Text the word MEAL to 864-660-7739 or
call the office at 246-1921.

**April 9: BBQ, Baked Beans, Fries and Slaw
or Chick-fil-a Nuggets or Sandwich with
chips.**

**April 16: Hamburger Steak, Baked Potato,
Salad or Chick-fil-a Nuggets or Sandwich
and chips.**

Reaching Center

For the month of April we are asking
for food donations of
SPAGHETTI SAUCE OR NOODLES

Easter Lilies

Each year we give you the opportunity to
purchase an easter lily in memory or in hon-
or of a loved one. The cost is \$12 and they
will be used to decorate the sanctuary on
Easter Sunday. You may pick up your lily
after the morning service on that day. Forms
are available in the Welcome Center or
church office. The deadline to purchase is
Sunday, April 13.

EXCITING EASTER CELEBRATION – BE A PART OF IT!

We are thrilled about Easter this year! God is growing our church, and it's an incredible time to be a part of what He is doing. Would you consider serving in one of these areas?

- **Hospitality Team** – Serve coffee and doughnuts with a warm smile.
- **Parking Attendant Team** – Help guests find a parking space smoothly.
- **Greeter Team** – Welcome everyone with joy and kindness.
- **First Impressions Team** – Greet guests outside as they arrive with a friendly sign.

If you'd like to serve, please sign up in the Welcome Center or online at bereafbc.org/register. Thank you for being a part of this special day - we can't wait to celebrate Easter with you!

CAMP CHERAW

Text REGISTER to 864-660-7739 to sign up.

The deadline to register is April 20! Final payments due May 1!

Jr. Week: June 8-12 (current 2nd-5th grades)

Sr. Week: June 1-7 (current 6th-12th grades)