

Those to Serve

July 22		July 29	
Morning Worship		Morning Worship	
Opening Prayer	Bob Williams	Opening Prayer	David Blair
Song Leader	Greg Fabian	Song Leader	Gary Adams
Communion		Communion	
Presiding: Kevin Scarsdale		Presiding: Chris Peters	
Charlie Story	Jeremy Brown	Tim Nations	Nathan Scarsdale
Kent Wroe	Paul Hamilton	Bob Williams	James Maxcey
Clifford Layton	David Clayton	Logan Lindelof	Matthew Fabian
Closing Prayer	Lynn Adams	Closing Prayer	Ben Lenamon
Nursery		Nursery	
Dallas Maxcey	Laurie Maxcey	Nina Layton	Mitzi Williams
Evening Worship		Evening Worship	
Opening Prayer	Nathan Scarsdale	Opening Prayer	
Song Leader	Tyler White	Song Leader	
Communion	Paul Hamilton, Charlie Story	Communion	
Closing Prayer	Claude Anderson	Closing Prayer	
Nursery	Mitzi Williams	Nursery	
Both Services		Both Services	
Ushers (*indicates head usher)		Ushers (*indicates head usher)	
*Clifford Layton, Logan Lindelof, Eugene Priestley		* Derek Mauney, Paul Hamilton, Demetris Kelly	
Announcements	Kevin Scarsdale	Announcements	Kevin Scarsdale
Greeters		Greeters	
Minnie Harris, Jeanette Hays		Bob & Mitzi Williams	
Building Lock Up	Kevin Scarsdale	Building Lock Up	Chris Lindelof
Sound & Projector	Banyai & Whitmire	Sound & Projector	Banyai & Whitmire
July 18		July 25	
Building Lock Up	David Blair	Building Lock Up	Kevin Scarsdale

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Worship Times:

Sunday

Bible Study9 am

Morning Worship.....10 am

Evening Worship.....6 pm

Wednesday Bible Study.....7 pm

ELDERS

Gary Adams 281-997-3790
 Greg Fabian 713-305-1626
 Chris Lindelof 281-997-6437
 Kevin Scarsdale 713-447-1866

DEACONS

David Blair
 Demetris Kelly
 Rick Nudelman
 Bobby Parker
 Chris Peters
 Charlie Story
 Bob Williams

MINISTERS

D.C. Brown Pulpit Minister
 Paul Cartwright Youth & Family Minister

MISSIONARIES

Benin, West Africa:
 Paul Tohionon - Bohicon
 Rene Kouagou - Besse
 Pascal Djedatin - Dassa
 Jonas Sambieni - BTC and Glazoue
 Theophilus Mpo - Beterou
 Raoul Baya - Natitingou
 Boniface Yentekoua - Kaboua
 Dorothee Tchekpo and Andre Assogba - Save
 Portsmouth, Dominica, West Indies
 Lewis Romain

Gene Rowe Prison Ministry

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we get to participate in living here on the Texas Gulf Coast. We are close to the Kemah Boardwalk, Pleasure Pier in Galveston, and a host of other places you can go to cool off from the heat. At our church camps, the kids always look forward to the hour or so during the day that they get to spend either in the Medina River at Camp Bandina or the pool at Camp Thousand Oaks Ranch. In order for the kids to enjoy being able to swim, we have to have lifeguards certified by the state of Texas in case any of our swimmers get into trouble.

The process of becoming a lifeguard is not an easy one. There is a time commitment involved for the classes and the studying one must do outside of the classroom, a great physical demand on the body of the person who is trying to get certified, and a very mental component to the strain that this training and the actual job of being a lifeguard entail. Knowing all of this, we still have young men and women that volunteer to sacrifice their time every summer to get certified and work at our camps for free in order that our children might be safe. As I consider the demands involved in becoming a lifeguard, I see a connection to the Christian life.

As Christians, there is a definite commitment that we must make in order to be pleasing to God (Joshua 24:15; Hebrews 10:25), the need for great amounts of study both at home and when we gather together (2 Timothy 2:15; Acts 17:11), and the physical demand for us to "go out and make disciples" (Matthew 28:18-20). The most obvious comparison between a lifeguard and a Christian is that fact that they are both in the life-saving business. When a lifeguard sees someone drowning, they go to them, help them, and if the person requires first aid, then administer it. As a Christian when we see someone "drowning" in a life of sin, it is our job to go to them and administer first aid using

LIFEGUARDS

God's word. The writer of the book of James said it quite eloquently in James 5:20.

James 5:20
20 remember this: Whoever turns a sinner from the error of his way will save him from death and cover over a multitude of sins.

Let's be on our guard as Christian lifeguards for people who are drowning in a life of sin.

Be Strong and Courageous,
 Paul



THE FRANKIE SMITH AG PROJECT

The Frankie Smith Ag Project is amazing! DC reports that the crop production exceeds anything in Benin. The Benin government's agriculture minister brings people to the school and gives tours of the Frankie Smith Ag Project. The corn is taller than any corn around, and the ears are full. The chickens produce several dozen eggs per day. The hog barns have been so productive that they are now in the process of building a second barn. They have 170 tilapia growing in one of their holding tanks used for irrigation; this is a second generation of tilapia. The rabbits have multiplied, and they are now producing enough meat, poultry, and vegetables to meet all their needs and are able to sell some.

DC has met with each of the students who are at school as a result of the Frankie Smith Ag Project's scholarship program. Each one has a specific area of responsibility and oversight (vegetables and corn feed, poultry, swine, and rabbits). Each one is extremely proud of his area of responsibility.

Thanks to David, Martha, Susan, and Leah for making this project possible!

YOUTH EVENTS JR. & SR. HIGH



Bay Area Wide Devotional - July 23 - 7 PM at Hidden Valley; van will leave the Annex at 5:45 PM.
Bay Area Wide Devotional - July 30 - 7 PM at Graeber Road; van will leave the Annex at 5:45 PM.
Bay Area Wide Devotional - August 6 - 7 PM at Westside (Alvin); van will leave the Annex at 6 PM.

Dear Pearland church family,

Deborah and I have officially retired as of June 29. We sold our Pearland house and moved to our house in Salado.

We have enjoyed working in this congregation and getting to know each of you the past 11 years. We know the Pearland church will continue to grow as Pearland continues to grow.

If you are passing through Salado, give us a call. Here is our contact information:

Larry & Deborah Roberson
 2721 Chisholm Trail
 Salado TX 76571

Email: lroberson1@gmail.com

Larry's cell: 713-299-2799
 Deborah's cell: 281-787-1073

We will miss this church family.

In Him,

Larry & Deborah Roberson

KEPT IN PRAYER

DC Brown and George Akpabi. So far, 19 people have been baptized. Please continue to pray for DC and George as they continue their preaching.

Rick Nudelman is currently in Memorial Hermann SE with gallbladder problems. He will be put on medication; surgery will be scheduled at a later date.

Our sympathy to the family of **Bill Moody**, who passed away on Tuesday, July 17. Bill was a faithful Christian and an elder. Bill was the brother-in-law of Jean Coe.

Ryan Goodner, grandson of Virginia Visel, is doing better after a high temperature and a seizure.

In Continuing Need:

Our Members: Tracy & Martha Cain, Peggy Chisum, Evelyn Cordell, Daisy Dees, Paul Dillon, Billie Dykes, June Evans, Hugh & Pat Fletcher, Rossie Gilbert, Dorendia Hamilton, Noah & Murrell Hill, Kaliya Kelly, Dorothy Kirkland, Von Knight, Clifford Layton, Claudia Martin, Betty Pridgen, Brenda Riggs, Doris Stuteville, Bob Young. **Shut-In:** Katie Barnes, Libby Clayton, Wilma Koob. **Others:** Tom Althaus, Julie Searcy Anderson, Timothy Anderson, Mike Carter, Marjorie Garrison, Jim Godwin, Frances Grams, Dee Grigg, Rocky Harvey, Florence Henshaw, Leslie Hunt, Janice Jackson, Wanita Jones, Bartis Knight, Kerry Lemoine, James Lewis, Brent Lindelof, Landon Lovett, Lyle Martin, Pat Miller, Carmon Moon, Lauren Murphy, Cloey Pruett, Barbara Shane, Rick Stone, Colten Ullrich, Lavonne Welch, Scott Westmoreland.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kevin Scarsdale is the contact elder for July. If you would like to schedule a meeting, please see Kevin.

July 29, 2012

Invite someone to be your guest and to stay for a great meal!

Friends

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Family Day



August Events

- 4-8 Campaign for Christ - If you are interested in attending, please contact Demetris Kelly or Paul Cartwright. Information is on the bulletin board.
- 5 A baby shower announcement for Kristin White is on the bulletin board.
- 6 Secret Sisters - Details to be announced later.
- 11 Ladies Prayer Breakfast - 8 AM - Kelley's
- 11 Elders, Deacons, Ministers Meeting - 9 AM
- 13 Golden Agers Luncheon - 11:30 AM - Annex
- 20-24 Meals on Wheels. See Leah Bateman to volunteer.

July Birthdays

3	Nina Layton	5	Larry Roberson
6	Gabriel Alatrash	6	Leon McHargh
8	Linda Fabian	12	Shane Harder
17	Amy Cuellar	19	Logan Lindelof
22	Jenna Genaro	23	Sarah Brown
24	Neil Barnhill	25	Suzy Jones
27	Jack Cherry	27	Leah Gartrell
29	Logan Finch	31	Kylee Fabian
31	James Maxcey		

July Anniversaries

7	Demetris & Kaliya Kelly	25	Paul & Judy Dillon
28	Jeremy & Heather Cook	31	Jack & Dorothy Cherry

*We will not intentionally omit anyone from the birthday/anniversary list. If you have not turned in the **Members Information Update Sheets** to the office, please do so..*