

***GOD CALLS US TO REPENTANCE**

Psalm 25:11 For the sake of your name, O LORD, forgive my iniquity, though it is great.

Psalm 79:9 Help us, O God our Savior, for the glory of your name; deliver us and forgive our sins for your name's sake.

Daniel 9:19 O Lord, listen! O Lord, forgive! O Lord, hear and act! For your sake, O my God, do not delay, because your city and your people bear your Name."

Jeremiah 14: 7, 9 Although our sins testify against us, O LORD, do something for the sake of your name. For our backsliding is great; we have sinned against you.

Why are you like a man taken by surprise, like a warrior powerless to save? You are among us, O LORD, and we bear your name; do not forsake us!

***GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND BY CONFESSION OF SIN**

To you, O Lord, we lift up our soul; in You we trust, O our God. No one whose hope is in You will ever be put to shame. Show us Your ways, O Lord, teach us Your paths; guide us in Your truth and teach us, for You are God our Savior, and our hope is in You all day long. Remember, O Lord, Your great mercy and love, for they are from of old. Remember not the sins of our youth and our rebellious ways; according to Your love remember us, for You are good, O Lord. For the sake of Your name, O Lord, forgive our iniquity, for it is great. Look upon our affliction and our distress and take away all our sins. Guard our lives and rescue us; let us not be put to shame for we take refuge in You. May integrity and uprightness protect us, because our hope is in You. Redeem Israel, O God, from all their troubles! Amen. ~from Psalm 25

***GOD ASSURES US OF OUR FORGIVENESS Exodus 34:5-7a**

Then the LORD came down in the cloud and stood there with him and proclaimed his name, the LORD. And he passed in front of Moses, proclaiming, "The LORD, the LORD, the compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness, maintaining love to thousands, and forgiving wickedness, rebellion and sin.

***GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND WITH PRAISES FOR THE FORGIVENESS OF OUR SINS** *Offering*

BAPTISM

Sophia Lois Spearing

***BAPTISMAL PRAYER**

Beneath the Blood Stain'd Lintel

GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND BY THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

GOD CALLS US TO CAST OUR CARES ON HIM

Psalm 37:4

GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND BY BRINGING OUR PRAYERS AND PETITIONS

Drew Martin, Assistant Pastor

GOD SPEAKS TO HIS PEOPLE THROUGH HIS WORD

Exodus 3:11-15, 20:1-7

"The Third Commandment: The Gift of God's Name"
Kevin Skogen, Senior Pastor

***GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND WITH PRAISE All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name**

***GOD BLESSES HIS PEOPLE**

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**Those who are able, please stand.*

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICES

Please join us for our 6pm Sunday evening worship service. We are studying The Revelation. Pastor Skogen is in the Sanctuary at 5:30pm each week for an open forum for questions/discussion prior to the service.

BABY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nathan and Jacqueline (Jax) Spearing, and big brother, Eli, welcomed a baby girl, Sophia Lois, on Sunday, July 4th at 7:47pm. Sophia weighed 8lbs, 10 ozs, and was 21 in long. Meal coordination information is forthcoming.

Mark and Sonya Armistead welcomed a baby daughter. Annabelle Leigh Armistead was born on June 26, 2010 at 1:36pm weighing 7 lbs. 5 oz and 21 in. long. If you would like to minister to them by providing a meal, contact Libba Roberts at 910-281-3798 or libbrob@gmail.com.

YOUTH (6th – 12th Grades)

HS & MS SUNDAY SCHOOL meets in room 103 (upstairs) and is studying Mark's Gospel this summer.

BASIC BLOWOUT is July 17-23. Information, including a packing list, is available on the Youth News page of the church website.

YOUTH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

****Please note the time changes due to VBS****

Tuesday 6 HS Bible Study (4PM at the Martin's)

Wednesday 6 Pizza & Park, 6-8 pm. Meet at How Ya Doin' Pizza at 6 pm and then head over to the Southern Pines Park for Frisbee until 8 pm. How Ya Doin' only accepts cash, so be sure to bring some with you!

Thursday 6 MS Bible Studies 12:30-2:30 at the church.

HAVE QUESTIONS about our ministry to youth & families? Please contact Asst Pastor Drew Martin (drewmartin@nc.rr.com or 692-5834).

YOUTH WEBSITE: www.sandhillspca.org/youth

MUSIC MINISTRY

Adult choir practice and Covenant Kids Choir are on summer break. We will resume in August.

If you play an instrument and are interested in sharing your gift, please contact Amy Ivey at mivey@nc.rr.com.

Additional help is needed to operate the sound for Sunday worship services, both morning and evening. No prior experience is necessary other than an ear for music balance. Training will be provided. Contact Chuck Robbins (949-2001) or Amy Ivey (mivey@nc.rr.com) for more information.

MISSIONS COMMITTEE

Thank you for your support for Life Care Pregnancy Center. We still have outstanding baby bottles. Please return them as soon as possible-full or empty. They can be left at the reception desk in the Narthex.

WANTED: Mentor Moms for the 2010-2011 MOPS Year
Are you a Mom with children who are teenagers or older? Someone that friends have sought guidance and support from in the past? A woman who would like to encourage younger women in their faith and in their life, a Titus 2 woman? Do you have a love of God and his teachings? If so, SANDHILLS MOPS WANTS YOU! Sandhills MOPS meets the 1st & 3rd Wednesday from 9:15-11:15 from September - May. If you are interested in becoming a Mentor Mom or have someone in mind, please contact Nancy Moyer at 255-0366. We look forward to hearing from you!

Sandra Hart one of our missionaries that we support through MTW and is serving in the Philippines reports that there is a short term medical missions trip being planned for Nov. 7-20. (The dates are not firm, yet.) She ask us to pray about coming. They need doctors, nurses, dentists as well as non medical folks to come be a part of an unforgettable experience. More details to follow. If interested, please contact Gene or Betsy Fuzy at 245-2201 or genefuzy@gmail.com

WELCOME VISITORS!

We welcome all who are visiting with us today. Please complete a visitor's card (found under the seats in the sanctuary) if you have not already done so. Place it in the offering plate or on the reception desk in the Narthex. Please pick up a coffee mug in the reception area. We pray you feel welcome and will worship with us again.

If you need a new **nametag**, or were not given a new one, please fill out an **Need A Nametag** form (in the Narthex on the reception desk).

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

WOMEN'S SUMMER BIBLE STUDY: Due to VBS, the women's bible study will not meet this week. We will resume next Wednesday, July 21st at 9:30am.

MEN'S MINISTRY INFORMATION

D.A.W.N. MEN'S GROUP (Discipleship And Weekly Nurture) is now meeting every Wednesday morning at 6:30am at the church. Please contact Wayne Gomillion with questions or comments at (910) 585-2400 or gomillion@charter.net.

FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE EVENTS

The Fellowship Committee has planned a church picnic for September 18th at 4pm at Cannon Park. Please watch the bulletin for more information as it becomes available.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Genesis 1: Space Probe lifts off TODAY with our Pre-Registration Event from 3-5 pm. All are encouraged to attend. This will be a time to get a heads start on this year's music, make a craft, meet your teachers, and find out how your Starship can compete in the race to Lifestar! Learn some new music at each quarter hour and meet your Star Commander for the week and her crew with a special skit at 3:45! Stardate One will commence on Monday, July 12 from 9am to 12 noon and will continue through Friday, July 16. Touch Down will be highlighted with a Family Night Closing Program on Friday, July 16 at 6:30 p.m. All are invited to attend! Please fill out RSVP on insert if you plan to attend. If you have not yet registered your child, please do so today! Forms are located in the church entry. Snack donations are still needed (see insert) If you have any questions please contact Sheila Theune at sheilatheune@usa.net or 692-8458.

KITCHEN CONSTRUCTION ZONE

Beginning July 17th, the kitchen will be closed until further notice due to a major renovation project. Water will be turned off and we will be in an active construction mode. New cabinets, counters, floor, paint, new look - all done to enhance our church fellowship. We are looking for three or four workers to assist in demolition, painting, etc. If you are interested please call Marcia Musselwhite (910-528-2019) or Janet Harkey (910-690-3782).

OUR MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS:

Greeters:

Today: Andy & Cathy Wilkison, David & Charlene Vermeulen
Next Week, July 18th: Bill & Dale Crisp, Lorraine Buracker & Sylvia Lee

Nursery:

Today

10:40 Baby Nursery: Paul & Kristin Rizzo, Paige Harrelson
Two and Three Yr Old Nursery: Roger & Cathy Marx & kids

Sunday PM Service:

Next Sunday, July 18th:

10:40 Baby Nursery: Jason & Holly Weiss, Jason & Kallie VanZee
Two and Three Yr Old Nursery: Lauren & Leslie Proulx
Sunday PM Service: Bill & Dale Crisp

Children's Church:

On Summer Break

Deacon on Duty: Charlie Proulx

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, July 11

11:00am Worship Service
3:00pm VBS Pre-Registration
5:30pm Revelation Discussion
6:00pm Evening Service

WEDNESDAY, July 14

6:30am DAWN Men's Group
9:00am VBS
6:00pm Youth Group

MONDAY, July 12

9:00am VBS

THURSDAY, July 15

9:00am VBS
12:30pm MS Boys Bible Study

TUESDAY, July 13

9:00am VBS
4:00pm HS Bible Study@Martins

FRIDAY, July 16

9:00am VBS

SATURDAY, July 17

Basic Blowout

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 17-23: Youth Basic Blowout

4:00pm, Sunday, September 18th: Church Picnic at Cannon Park

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MEDITATION

Ezekiel 36:20-23, 39:25 And wherever they went among the nations they profaned my holy name, for it was said of them, 'These are the LORD's people, and yet they had to leave his land.' I had concern for my holy name, which the house of Israel profaned among the nations where they had gone. "Therefore say to the house of Israel, 'This is what the Sovereign LORD says: It is not for your sake, O house of Israel, that I am going to do these things, but for the sake of my holy name, which you have profaned among the nations where you have gone. I will show the holiness of my great name, which has been profaned among the nations, the name you have profaned among them. Then the nations will know that I am the LORD, declares the Sovereign LORD, when I show myself holy through you before their eyes.

"Therefore this is what the Sovereign LORD says: I will now bring Jacob back from captivity and will have compassion on all the people of Israel, and I will be zealous for my holy name.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Gene Fuzy, Ruling Elder

PRELUDE

A time of quiet preparation for worship

***GOD CALLS HIS PEOPLE TO WORSHIP**

Revelation 5:11-14

***GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND WITH PRAISE**

Agnus Dei (Worthy is the Lamb)