

## Ponderings From the Pastor

By Brad Taylor, Pastor

Every Sunday in the month of May is packed with exciting opportunities to grow. A church-wide pot-luck dinner will take place immediately following the May 7 morning worship service. This is a great opportunity to enjoy the fellowship of your brothers and sisters in Christ. The food for this meal is provided by those that attend. Come, bring something tasty that will be enjoyed by everyone.

This year, Mother's Day will be recognized on May 14. As is our custom, we will be recognizing those mothers who are in attendance that day. However, this year we would like to give everyone an opportunity to honor your mother in a special video presentation on this special day. To include your mother, please text a picture of you with your mother to 918-978-5711. Please include your name and the name of your mother with the picture. The deadline for pictures to be accepted is May 7.

Another exciting element of the Mother's Day service is a Parent/Child Dedication. This is a special time for parents to make a covenant before the church to bring their child(ren) up in the training of the Lord. You are invited to take part in this special time with your child(ren). Please contact me for more information about how you can be part of this exciting service.

Pre-Teen Day Camp will be July 10-13. Camp is for third through fifth grade students. Camp is limited to the first 25 registered students. The theme for this year's camp is "Follow." Most activities will be held at Oak Grove Baptist Church. Students will travel by vans to fish and swim. There will be a brief meeting for those interested in serving on the camp staff on May 21 immediately following the morning worship service.

# Welcome

### New Members:

Rob and Debbie Capps

Marlene Fritts

# Daily Bible Reading Plan To Read The Bible Through In 2023

## MAY

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| <input type="checkbox"/> May 1 - Song 6, Heb 6       | <input type="checkbox"/> May 11 - Isa 9:8-10:4, Jas 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> May 22 - Isa 23, 1 John 1 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 2 - Song 7 Heb 7        | <input type="checkbox"/> May 12 - Isa 10:5-34, Jas 4  | <input type="checkbox"/> May 23 - Isa 24, 1 John 2 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 3 - Song 8, Heb 8       | <input type="checkbox"/> May 13 - Isa 11-12, Jas 5    | <input type="checkbox"/> May 24 - Isa 25, 1 John 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 4 - Isa 1, Heb 9        | <input type="checkbox"/> May 14 - Isa 13, 1 Pet 1     | <input type="checkbox"/> May 25 - Isa 26, 1 John 4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 5 - Isa 2, Heb 10       | <input type="checkbox"/> May 15 - Isa 14, 1 Pet 2     | <input type="checkbox"/> May 26 - Isa 27, 1 John 5 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 6 - Isa 3-4, Heb 11     | <input type="checkbox"/> May 16 - Isa 15, 1 Pet 3     | <input type="checkbox"/> May 27 - Isa 28, 2 John   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 7 - Isa 5, Heb 12       | <input type="checkbox"/> May 17 - Isa 16, 1 Pet 4     | <input type="checkbox"/> May 28 - Isa 29, 3 John   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 8 - Isa 6, Heb 13       | <input type="checkbox"/> May 18 - Isa 17-18, 1 Pet 5  | <input type="checkbox"/> May 29 - Isa 30, Jude     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 9 - Isa 7, Jas 1        | <input type="checkbox"/> May 19 - Isa 19-20, 2 Pet 1  | <input type="checkbox"/> May 30 - Isa 31, Rev 1    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> May 10 - Isa 8:1-9:7, Jas 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> May 20 - Isa 21, 2 Pet 2     | <input type="checkbox"/> May 31 - Isa 32, Rev 2    |
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## Sermon Calendar

May 7 — The Dream, Daniel 2

May 21 — Nebuchadnezzar's Song, Daniel 4

May 14 — The Gift of Children, Psalm 127

May 28 — The Conversion, Daniel 4

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## Van Schedule

May 3 — Toney Robbins, Keith Hardison, Sharon Lee, Mike Mayfield, Gail Mayfield

May 10 — Toney Robbins, Keith Hardison, Sharon Lee, Mike Mayfield, Gail Mayfield

May 17 — Toney Robbins, Keith Hardison, Sharon Lee, Brittaney Day, Michelle Hill

May 24 — Toney Robbins, Keith Hardison, Sharon Lee, Dawn Benson, Michelle Hill



MAY

# May 2023

Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Matt Chambers bday	<b>4</b> Robin Robbins bday	<b>5</b> Adult Game Day 11am	<b>6</b> Jerry McEntire bday
<b>7</b> Church-wide potluck dinner	<b>8</b> Maci Moss bday	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> Crafty Christians 10am	<b>12</b> Hunter Collier bday	<b>13</b> Summer DeMauro bday
<b>14</b> Parent/Child dedication; Mother's Day	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> Tommy Stroud bday	<b>19</b> Kathy Plunkett & Samantha Taylor bdays	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b> Senior recognition; Pre-teen day camp mtg; Deacons mtg	<b>22</b> Richard Robertson bday	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> Tony Drabenstott & Cassell Drew bdays; Senior breakfast; final Awana session	<b>25</b> Crafty Christians 10am; Catoosa graduation	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b> Falls Creek parent/ camper mtg	<b>29</b> Memorial Day	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>			

# OGBC Youth News

Submitted by Matt Shepard, Youth Leader

OGBC Youth had an awesome time at the Drillers' game April 23! Drillers won 3-2 in a great game.

This month will be a busy one with the school year coming to an end and celebrating our graduates: Kayla Edmonds, Micah Holloway, Sean McGhee, Xander Raber and Corban Zugelder.

We will also be getting ready for Falls Creek (June 12-17) as it is approaching quickly.

Upcoming dates to remember:

- Sunday, May 21, Senior Recognition and Backyard Games and Food (for all youth 6th-



12th);

- Wednesday, May 24, our church is hosting senior breakfast for Catoosa High School. Please let me know if you can help ASAP (adults);
- Thursday, May 25, Catoosa

Graduation;

- Sunday, May 28, Falls Creek Parent/Camper meeting, 5 p.m.

If you have any questions, please email Matt at:

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