

THE MISSION



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FUN! Friday May 10th 5:30-7:30 PM

This is a Kid-friendly fellowship time with dinner, crafts & games! Sign up your children at the table in the Commons or contact Karen@broadusmbc.org. Adult & youth helpers are always needed.



Cost: 1 food item/child for the MCEF.

BROADUS 101

Sunday, May 19 from 9:00 -9:50 AM

Are you interested in learning more about Broadus Church and what it means to be a member here? Join this informative question and answer session with Pastor Phil. It's a great way to meet others new to the church, and to top it off, snacks are provided! We will meet in **Room 209** during the Sunday School hour, which means there is something going on for children & youth during that same time. Email phil@broadusmbc.org or call 779-2700 if you would like to attend.

Fellowship Luncheon (Pole Green Campus) Sunday, May 5th at 11:30am

Plan to stay around after church to enjoy good food and fellowship! Depending on the weather, we will either eat at the pavilion or take a few minutes to set up the worship center into a picnic venue. The church will provide fried chicken and drinks, and we ask members to bring sides and desserts. (As you arrive at church, there will be signs posted about where to drop off your food.) Sunday School classes will receive food suggestions, and those not in a class can bring anything they like to share. There is always plenty for guests, Hebron friends and those who forgot all about it, so don't leave hungry!

Connection Meals Weekend Friday-Sunday, May 17-19

We are currently planning for our third Connection Meals Weekend! The previous two have been great successes—with four homes hosting dinners in September, and six in January. New friendships are formed, and old friendships are nurtured.

We hope to have at least one dinner group take place each evening of the weekend, hosted in the home of a congregation member. Both campuses are encouraged to participate. If you are willing to host, please indicate it on your sign-up card or contact Pastor Phil directly. Most groups do a covered-dish style meal.

Please fill out a red sign-up card or call the church office. We need to know which dates work for you, how many are attending (including kids), and if you have any dietary restrictions. Participants will be contacted by a host one week prior to the dinner.



May 2024

Our church office hours are Monday-Thursday, 8:30am—12:30pm.

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SUNDAY MORNING AT POLE GREEN CAMPUS 9:00 AM Sunday School for All Ages 10:00 AM Worship Service—Inside & Facebook Live			1 Pole Green Midweek 5:15 Wed Dinner 6:00 Adult, Youth & Children Programs 7:15 Choir Rehearsal	2 <i>Bonnie Turner</i> <i>Norah Lauterbach</i> 9:00 Needle Arts & Crafts Group in CB 7:00 Praise Team	3 <i>Kristy Cosley</i> <i>Diane Durrer</i> <i>James Lance</i> <i>Kim Parramore</i>	4 Mo Hope Meal Ministry led by Life Church 9-11am Yard Sale Give-Away
SUNDAY MORNING AT HEBRON CAMPUS 9:30 AM Worship Service—Inside & Facebook Live 10:30 Sunday School for All Ages						
5 <i>Maurice Elmore</i> <i>Rowan Campbell</i> 11:30 Fellowship Luncheon at PG 2:30—4:30 Youth Converge	6 <i>Larry Allen</i> <i>Danna Duke</i> <i>Thomas Harmon</i>	7 <i>Nancy Tyler</i> <i>Rhett Pierce</i> 8:00 Women/Men Bible Study @ PG 5:00 Men's Book Club 6:00 Hebron Youth 6:15 Hebron Adult Bible Study	8 <i>Pat Harmon</i> Pole Green Midweek 5:15 Wed Dinner 6:00 Adult, Youth & Children Programs 7:15 Choir Rehearsal	9 <i>John Fuller</i> 7:00 Praise Team	10 <i>Kim Walton</i> <i>Doris Madison</i> <i>Elizabeth Mendoza</i> 5:30 Fun! Friday	11 <i>JB Edmonds</i> <i>Sean Donaldson</i> <i>Jeff Poythress</i>
12 <i>Walter Gooch</i> MOTHER'S DAY Child Dedication	13 <i>Karen White</i> 6:00 Hebron Food Distribution 6:30 Grief Group	14 <i>Berkley Wilson</i> 8:00 Women/Men Bible Study @ PG 11:30 Broadus Classics at Golden Corral 6:00 Hebron Youth 6:15 Hebron Adult Bible Study	15 Pole Green Midweek 5:15 Wed Dinner 6:00 Adult, Youth & Children Programs 7:15 Choir Rehearsal	16 <i>Lauren Kane</i> <i>Chuck Ursiny</i> 7:00 Praise Team	17 6:00 Kingdom Outdoor Zone Training Connection Meal Weekend	18 <i>Russell Rice</i> <i>Nathan Dodson</i> <i>Amber Peacock</i> <i>Richard Jacob</i> 8:30 Kingdom Outdoor Zone Training Connection Meal Weekend
19 <i>Hailey Dalton</i> <i>Jennifer Diehl</i> 9:00 Broadus 101 11:30 Deacons/Deaconess Mtg Connection Meal Weekend	20 <i>Ted Chewning</i> 1:00 Ladies Book Club (CB)	21 <i>Emily Carter</i> <i>Stephen Richardson</i> 8:00 Women/Men Bible Study @ PG 8:30 Food Distribution at Winters Point 6:00-8:00 Hebron's Meet the Neighbors at King Wm Place	22 <i>Endust Stone</i> Pole Green Midweek 5:15 Wed Dinner 6:00 Adult, Youth & Children Programs 7:15 Choir Rehearsal	23 7:00 Praise Team	24 <i>Frank Searles</i> <i>Nikki Bessette</i> <i>Elizabeth Ellen</i> <i>Joan Throckmorton</i>	25 <i>Tom Jenkins</i>
26 <i>Linda Jenkins</i>	27 Memorial Day Office Closed	28 <i>Carol Ann Marcavage</i> 8:00 Women/Men Bible Study @ PG 9:30 Food Distribution at KW Manor 6:00 Youth 6:15 Hebron Adult Bible Study	29 <i>[Wednesday Night Dinners and Full Programs on Break for the Summer]</i> 6:00 PG Youth	30 <i>Tina Michael</i>	31 <i>Dean Bowen</i> <i>Tia Campbell</i> <i>Debbie Bradshaw</i>	



In just a few weeks, our family will be celebrating Cara's college graduation! Perhaps it shouldn't be, but it seems extra significant (and even a bit somber) since she is our youngest, and there won't be anymore under-grad commencements to come. It's fun to mark these milestones with a bit of hoopla. A few months ago it was Melody's wedding, and before that was Seth's house purchase. Of course, we also celebrate birthdays—but if you think about it, a birthday just means you didn't die in the past year. But to actually *accomplish* something is a whole other thing to celebrate.

Amber and I sometimes think back to special moments when we knew our children's development was headed in the right direction. They all learned to walk, got out of diapers, figured out how to feed themselves, outgrew car seats, and learned to ride bikes. And of course, they also learned to talk, read, and do multiplication. I can't always remember in what order these accomplishments came, but I know they were important!

It's not all that hard to track childhood development, but it gets a little harder to track the milestones of spiritual development—not for our kids and grandkids, but for ourselves. In Colossians 2:6-7, the Apostle Paul wrote, "So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live in him, rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness." In other places, he wrote about growing in faith, knowledge, and love.

When you learn to forgive a person who has wronged you, it's a milestone in your spiritual development. So is learning to consider your spouses feelings above your own, and telling the truth even when it costs you. It's important that we each examine ourselves. Be glad when you notice areas where you are becoming a little more like Jesus, and set goals where you are lacking.

God is a proud Father when He sees us maturing in the likeness of His Son. And nothing here on earth will ever beat His heavenly celebrations!

God bless, and keep on growing! *Pastor Phil*

Hebron Happenings!



Meet the Neighbors at King William Place Tuesday, May 21, 6-8pm

This is a great chance to make connections with the residents of King William Place. We plan on having a similar format as last year: water fun with the squirt pencils, water balls, hotdogs, chips and snow cones. Let's get to know our neighbors and also promote our Kingdom Outdoor Zone program that will be starting this summer.

Kingdom Outdoor Zone

KOZ is a way for Christian men to impact fatherless boys and teach them what it means to be a Christian Man. We do this through doing guy stuff like fishing, camping, woodworking and other fun things. We meet on the 3rd Saturday of each month from 8:30-1:30, so it is a 5 hour commitment per month.

Training for KOZ is Friday and Saturday May 17th and 18th

We will begin with a dinner on Friday at 6pm, followed by a one and a half hour training session. Then on Saturday we will meet from 8:30-1:30. We would love for wives and girlfriends to come be involved in this training. The site is still to be determined. [Note: You do not have to be trained to participate in KOZ, but we would like as many trained volunteers as possible!]

Pastor Jeff

Coming Events!

- June 2 & 9 Youth Sundays at Pole Green & Hebron
- June 24-27 Vacation Bible School: "Hero Hotline"
- July 6 Mo Hope Meal Ministry
- July 7 Sunday School Promotion
- July 15-19 Music & Worship Arts Camp
- July 22-26 Youth Camp at Fort Caswell, NC

Broadus Classics Happenings:

- ⇒ Tuesday, May 14 @ 11:30
Lunch at Golden Corral
- ⇒ Saturday, June 8 from 9am-12:30pm
Alzheimer's & Brain Health Awareness at Greater Nazarene Baptist Church
- ⇒ Sunday, July 28 @ 11:15
Potluck Lunch and Games with Homemade Ice Cream
- ⇒ September 12-14
We will be going on the Bus Trip to Sight & Sound theatre for Daniel & DC for the Museum of the Bible.



Tyson's Corner

tyson@broadusmbc.org



We had an impactful weekend on our mission trip to Durham, NC. Thank you to everyone who participated, and those who prayed for us!

We will have *CONVERGE* on Sunday, May 5th from 2:30-4:30. This will be our Tribe Season Launch!

Our Youth Sundays are coming up, June 2nd at Pole green and June 9th at Hebron. Graduates, remember to send in your info so we can celebrate you!!

Don't forget about Sunday School (9am at Pole Green & 10:30 at Hebron), as well as Youth Midweek (6pm Tuesdays at Hebron & 6pm Wednesdays at PG). We audio record what is taught on Wednesday nights at the Pole Green campus and upload them to a podcast called The Broadcast. You can find this podcast on Spotify, as well as Google Podcasts.



Yard Sale Give-Away

Saturday, May 4th, 9:00-11:00 am

Everything left over from our successful yard sale for missions must go. It's free at our Pole Green picnic pavilion. Please share the news!

Music And Worship Arts Camp

Open to 4th –9th Graders
Eagle Eyrie Conference Center
July 15-19, 2024

Cost is \$225 (assistance available)

Talk to Abby Carter or Carol Golden for more info. Deposit due May 12.

Deacon/Deaconess Meeting
Sunday, May 19
11:30am in the CB

2024 Graduate Information

We will be honoring the high school and college graduates who are part of our church family on our Youth Sundays—June 2 at Pole Green and June 9 at Hebron. Please send us their names, school, degree and future plans.



May MCEF Item:

Beets & Spinach

Broadus Needle Arts & Crafts

Thursday, May 2

9:00am—4:00pm

Pole Green Community Building

Contact Mary at 804-559-8537 for info.

Men's Military Book Club

Tuesday, May 7 at 5pm in Trl #1

Ladies Book Club

Our next gathering is **Monday, May 20** at 1:00 pm in the Community Building. We will be discussing "*Fellowship Point*" by Alice Elliot Dark.

⇒ **June 24**—"*The Sweetness of Forgetting*" by Kristin Harmel

Contact Cathy at 804-201-7283 or cmtignor@yahoo.com for more info.

Women's Bible Study
Tuesdays at 8am in Room 209

Men's Bible Study
Tuesdays at 8am in Trailer #1

There will be no Business Meeting in May unless called for a special purpose. Contact Moderator Russ Campbell or Pastor Phil if you know of urgent business.

Easter Missions Offering

Church Goal = \$14,000

Given as of April 21 = \$12,035

We are supporting North American Missions, Virginia Missions, and Camp Alkulana.

We will conclude this offering on Sunday, May 5th.

Our final Wednesday Night Dinner for the spring will be on May 22nd. Dinners and full programs will resume in September.

The church office will be closed on Monday, May 27 in observance of Memorial Day.

Normal office hours are Mon-Thur 8:30am—12:30pm.



The May Mission

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