

# THE MESSENGER

## Revival at Calvary

Sunday, March 10 - Wednesday, March 13

Preaching: Dr. Sonny Holmes

We are so excited about our Revival services finally happening this month! As you probably know, we originally announced that the services would be in January, but the death of Dr. Sonny Holmes' father delayed our plans. Our schedule adjusted to God's timing, which is always perfect. I have already heard of people who had conflicts with the January dates, but will be able to attend now. I believe Jesus is at work and that great things will happen! Please prioritize accordingly.

As we detailed in the January newsletter, Sonny is a gifted pastor, a preacher, an in-demand speaker, a former President of the SC Baptist Convention, a Professor, and an author. He is also the proud son of a US Navy World War II veteran and is himself a Citadel graduate. You can follow Sonny on Twitter @sonnyholmes and connect there with his blog posts. Here's a preview of the preaching schedule, as now planned:

- Sunday morning, 10:30 a.m. Message 1 "God is Working" (John 5:17)
- Sunday evening, 6:30 p.m. Message 2 "God's New Thing" (Isaiah 43: 18-19)
- Monday evening, 6:30 p.m. Message 3 "The Empty Suit" (John 15:11)
- Tuesday evening, 6:30 p.m. Message 4 "God's Plan for the Generations" (Judges 2:10 - 11)
- Wednesday evening, 6:30 p.m. Message 5 "The Church has Left the Building" (Acts 5: 12 - 16)

Supper will be served Monday through Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. Meals are free, but donations are accepted. Nursery for ages 0-3 and Children's Worship for ages 4K - 2nd grade will be provided every night. Please call the office for reservations no later than March 6th if you've not already made them for nursery and meals.

"Will you not revive us again so that your people may rejoice in you?" Psalm 85:6 (CSB)

-Pastor Mike



### **March 2**

AWANA games @ Grace Baptist

### **March 3 & 17**

Boys V. Girls Annie Armstrong

Offering Collection

### **March 10**

No AWANA - REVIVAL

### **March 17**

Spirit Night - St. Patrick's Day Attire

### **March 31**

AWANA Store Open



### **Vacation Bible School 2019**

The dates have been set for our  
Vacation Bible School 2019.

It will be July 14th - July 18th from  
5:30 - 8:30PM. Please make  
plans now to volunteer.

# WMU MISSION OF THE MONTH

## ***March's Mission of the Month is One Child At A Time***

Mission statement of ONE CHILD AT A TIME: to eliminate modern slavery one person at a time by preventing human trafficking through education, rescuing trafficked individuals through intervention, and restoring human dignity through affirmation.

ONE CHILD AT A TIME began a campaign called "Rahab's Risk" in November 2018. The campaign is mirrored in the story of Rahab, a prostitute in the Bible who is remembered as one of God's faithful servants (Hebrews 11:31) and who found a new identity with God's people (Matthew 1:5).

This is the message of hope that ONE CHILD AT A TIME wants to share with women who are trapped in the life of prostitution in Florence and in the surrounding Pee Dee area. Most of the women are forced to work local motels, rest areas, and truck stops. They do not have money for the basic necessities because their pimps take all of the money they make.

A small gift bag called "Rahab's Rope" is given to women to show them that they are loved, that there is hope, and that they are worthy.

"Rahab's Rope" gift bags include the following items:

Ziploc bags-sandwich and gallon sizes

Crackers

Bottles of water-any size.

Panties -small, medium, large

Toothbrush

Soap -any size

Travel size

Tampons

Wipes

Mouthwash

Deodorant

Toothpaste

These items will be collected during the month of March. You do not have to assemble the bag; rather, provide any of the needed contents. Donations may be placed in the appropriate boxes in both hallways behind the sanctuary.



# SAVE THE DATE

## ***SC WMU Missions Encounter & Annual Meeting***

The 2019 WMU Annual Meeting will be held Friday, March 29 and Saturday, March 30 at Ebenezer Baptist Church, right here in Florence.

The purpose of the WMU Annual Meeting is to bring together the members of South Carolina WMU to

- Participate in missions experiences that will inform them about missions.
- Make them aware of Southern Baptist and South Carolina Baptist missions programs, emphases, and goals.
- Strengthen fellowship.
- Provide for the future by conducting the business of SC WMU in order that WMU members will be challenged to commit themselves to the overarching missions education responsibility of WMU.

The meeting features

- Representatives from national WMU, the International and North American Mission Boards, the SC Baptist Convention, and an association.
- International, North American, state, and associational missionaries.
- Exhibits about our work and the work of the SCBC, both mission Boards, and our SC Baptist institutions.
- Mission support and mission action projects.
- Election of our new Executive Board and State Nominating Committee.
- Praying each day for our missionaries celebrating birthday.
- Theme interpretations; this year's theme is "Outstretched Hands."

Make plans to attend one or both days. The Saturday session will end at 1:00pm. Contact Ann Jones or Cathy Privette for more information.

# MISSION ENGAGERS

## ***Monthly Meeting***

Mission Engagers will meet Tuesday, March 19, at 6:30pm at the home of Ann Jones, 1873 Partridge Circle.

# CHILD DEDICATION

## ***Baker Family***

On February 17, Ben and Kelli Baker, along with members of their extended family, dedicated Brooks to the Lord. We, as the church, committed to come alongside this family in helping to raise Brooks in the fear and admonition of the Lord. We thank God for this precious child and pray the Lord's blessings upon him and his family.

# SUMMER CAMP

## ***Babies (6 months - 6th grade)***

Summer camp will be June 18 - August 1 on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. There will be no camp the week of July 4th. Registration for Calvary members begins February 1st. The cost for church members is \$150. Spots are limited. Contact Amy or the church office if you need an application.

# HOMEcoming

## ***April 7, 2019***

Calvary Baptist Church celebrated **70 years** on February 6th. To commemorate this anniversary, we will be having a Homecoming on Sunday, April 7th, 2019. We are sending out invitations to a number of out of town members and former members, but we need your help. If you know someone you'd like us to be sure to include, please let us know by emailing Jennifer Stewart or calling the church office.

# Homecare

## ***Homecare Ministry***

Our Homecare Ministry will meet on Monday, March 4th. Everyone is welcome to join us as we visit with our members who spend most of their time confined to their home or resident facility.



## THE LEADERSHIP & ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM

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The Week of Prayer for the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering/ North American Missions is March 3-10.

***Calvary's goal is \$11,000.***

Every gift to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering –100 % goes to train, resource, and send 5,097 missionaries involved in church planting and compassion ministries across the United States, Canada, and their territories.

# SENDING HOPE

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