

## Weekly Activities

- Sunday**  
**Morning Worship Services**  
 8:00 am, 9:30 am, and 11:00 am  
**Community Groups (Sunday School)**  
 8:00 am, 9:30 am, and 11:00 am  
**Evening Worship Service**  
 6:00 pm  
**Children's Choir**  
 6:00 pm  
**Connection Groups**  
 Last Sunday of every month
- Monday**  
 TEAM Dinner, 6:00 pm  
 TEAM Outreach, 6:30 pm  
 Legacy Classes  
 Ladies Classes
- Tuesday**  
 Gap Prayer Ministry – 6:30 to 7:30 pm
- Wednesday**  
 Dinner – 5:15 pm (Must RSVP)  
 TeamKID (*Sept. thru May*) – 6:30 pm  
 Divorce Care & DC4K – 6:30 pm  
 Living Free/Add. Recovery – 6:30 pm  
 Middle School Youth – 6:15 pm  
 High School Youth – 7:30 pm  
 (Weekly Bible Studies – *Call church office for details.*)
- Saturday**  
 Asian Bible Fellowship – In-home Praise and Worship led by Mark and Ann Paqueo Finch. Call 966-0091 for details.

## Workers Schedule

- Shuttle Drivers Today**  
 Jeff Zornes  
 Robert Richey  
 Wayne Gearhart
- Shuttle Drivers Next Week**  
 Brad Evers  
 John Pygman  
 Bruce Eagleburger
- Parking Team Today**  
 Dennis Pittman  
 John Heller  
 Scott Attebury  
 Steve Caffey  
 Steve Roberts
- Parking Team Next Week**  
 Van Hopper  
 Wayne Worthy  
 Mike Worley  
 Mark Jackson  
 John Cook
- Jefferson Today**  
 Circuit Minister/Cracked Pots
- Jefferson Next Week**  
 Jeremy Kenyon
- John Knox Today**  
 Circuit Ministry
- John Knox Next Week**  
 Circuit Ministry
- Set-up Today**  
 Team 2 (Mike Schaeffer)
- Set-up Next Week**  
 Team 3 (Greg Nyhus)
- Today**  
 Mike Silber  
 Bruce Eagleburger
- Next Week**  
 John Pygman  
 Jim Jones

## New Members

- Joined: April 27, 2008**  
 Michael and Carol Blau & Family  
 Lee and Monica Carter & Family  
 Brett and Ashley Edwards & Family  
 Sherilyn Glasgow & Family  
 Garry and Paula Hocker  
 Mike and D'Ann Keilman & Family  
 Brian Marshall & Family  
 Ben Nichols  
 Jared and Cheslee Pickett & Family  
 Lorraine Randall  
 Maribeth Rasdall & Family  
 Laura Wisdom  
 Tony and Melody Yarbrough & Family
- Joined: May 4, 2008**  
 Kathleen Ransier

## Offering and attendance

**May 4, 2008**

- Total Giving • \$86,906.03
- Attendance • 1658
- BTV Goal • \$1,700,000.00
- BTV Gifts to Date • \$317,571.00

## Announcements • Announcements • Announcements

The **MEN'S PURITY GROUP** will meet Thursday, May 15th, at 7:00 pm. Contact Joe Holt at the church office for more information about this group.

The **FOOD PANTRY** is open every Wed. 3-6 pm & the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of every month from 9 am-Noon. Continue to pray for this ministry and help provide the food that brings those in need to us. Thank you!

The **TREEHOUSE PRESCHOOL** is enrolling for the 2008-2009 school year. You can pick up an enrollment folder at the church office, or call 554-8181 for more information.

The **TREEHOUSE PRESCHOOL** is looking for teachers for the 2008-09 school year. If you have experience working with kids and want to teach in a Christ-centered preschool, email your resume to "thughes @ abundantlifebaptist.com".

**"POWER LAB"** Vacation Bible School (July 13th-17th) needs 35 Lab Crew Leaders, 8 Bible teachers, 1 game director and 1 craft director. If you can help, contact Jennifer at the church.

**PRESCHOOL** teachers and helpers are needed for the 4 year old class during the 8:00 & 11:00 services. Contact Jennifer at the church if you can help.

There will be a **FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY CLASS** this summer. The class will begin on May 19th at 6:30 pm. If you are interested in taking the class, you may register in the Welcome Center after each service today and next Sunday. May 18th is the last day for registrations. Cost is \$100. For more information contact Scott Delk at 524-1565 or Robyn Brumble at 537-4080.

Starting June 4th **FIRST PLACE** will be held on Wednesdays from 10:00 am to noon. This is a 13 week Bible-based weight loss plan that leads individuals, step-by-step, toward their goals. Cost for First Timers is \$99.98. Call the church office to sign up. Contact Gay Killion at 213-5892 for more information.

The **BABY & CHILD DEDICATION SERVICE** will be during the evening service on May 18th. If you would like to have your baby or child dedicated and commit to raising them in the Lord sign up in the Welcome Center. If you have any questions contact Tifanni at the church office.

ALBC is starting a **SAND VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE** for singles in their 20's and 30's! Games will be played every Friday night in June from 7:00 to 8:00 pm followed by a time for food and fellowship. **ALL** skill levels are encouraged to join the fun! Sign up in the Welcome Center. Contact Jeff Crawford at 456-2872 "JupiterFire179 @ yahoo.com" or Lauren at 228-1332 "LaurenT227 @ netscape.net" with any questions.

There will be an information meeting for the **ALBC BIBLE LAND TOUR** of Israel and Jordan on May 18th after the evening service. Brochures with cost and information are in the Welcome Center or contact Noel or Alice Shepard at 358-5027.

An **EXPLORING MEDICAL MISSIONS CONFERENCE** hosted by INMED is being held in Kansas City May 30—31st. Brochures with information and the cost are in the Welcome Center. Please make checks payable to INMED. If you have any questions contact Micah Flint at "micah @ inmed.us".

The **GAP PRAYER MINISTRY** meets at 8:30 am every Sunday in room 7 and every Tuesday evening, 6:30-7:30 pm in the youth building.

Only two weeks of **TEAM KID** left! Store Night will be from 5:30-6:15 on May 21st and we will also be making giant ice cream sundaes!

There are two more dates for current and **FUTURE CONNECTION GROUP LEADER TRAINING** scheduled in May. PLEASE attend one of the classes: Sat., May 17th, from 10:00-11:30 am or Tues., May 27th, from 6:30-8:00 pm. If you have any questions please call Steve Guenther at 721-0103.

The **MEMBERSHIP CLASS** is for anyone that is interested in becoming a member or would like more information about our church. Please RSVP for the class by calling the church office. The class will be right after the third service on May 18th. Lunch and childcare are provided. This class is a pre-requisite for membership.

You won't want to miss the incredible **CHILDREN'S CAMP** (July 27th-31st) at the Lake of the Ozarks. To sign up or more info visit the Children's ministry table in the Welcome Center.

Father and sons of all ages are invited to the **FATHER & SON CAMPOUT** that will be held at Watkins Mill State Park on June 12th-14th. Visit the Children's ministry table in the Welcome Center for information and to sign up.

The **ALBC KIDS'** have been serving the Lord by **GIVING** during the month of April. Along with giving the \$1,103.00 in the banks for Celebration Sunday, they have brought 1454 items to the Kid's Wing for our Food Pantry. Thank you!

The Children's Ministry is about to undergo **EXTREME MAKEOVERS** with two new Kid's Churches, a new Tweeners ministry, and changes to the rotation schedules. For more info on these changes visit the Children's Wing Welcome Center.

The **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY** needs helpers for the 9:30 & 11:00 services. Contact Jennifer at the church if you can help.

There will be a **S.M.A.R.T. MEETING** for the entire team on May 18th at 5:00 pm in room 13.

**ABUNDANT JOY SENIORS MINISTRY** invites seniors to join us on June 17th from 10:30 am to 1:00 pm for 2 1/2 hours of fun! You will choose from a variety of activities that include games, Bible study and other classes such as knitting, Entertainment and a great lunch for only \$6. All activities will be at the church. If you are able to attend please sign up in the Welcome Center.

## GAP PRAYER CHAIN

The GAP team meets every Tuesday evening at 6:30 pm GAP stands for God Answers Prayer. Ezekiel 22:30 says "So I sought for a man among them who would make a wall, and stand in the gap before Me on behalf of the land, that I should not destroy it; but I found no one." Every month you will have the opportunity to commit or re-commit to pray 1 hour each week for one month. Thank you for standing in the GAP through prayer! Please remember to call the next person after you on the list to "pass it on". You will receive a post card in the mail letting you know who to call. If you have questions call the church office.

Here is a sample format of how to spend your hour in prayer.

- 1) Begin with confessing any sin in your life to God
- 2) Exalt Him and worship Him for who He is and what He's done for you personally
- 3) Pray for any needs you have personally, or any needs of family and friends
- 4) Pray that the lost in our community would come to know Christ and specifically for any family or friends who don't know Him
- 5) Pray for revival in our nation, our city and our church... Revival means a supernatural work of the Holy Spirit to turn hearts toward God
- 6) Pray for our church's "Building the Vision" campaign and that God would help us reach our community!

As you spend time with God in prayer, it's also a great idea to spend time with God in His Word! Remember James 5:16 "The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much." PRAY PRAY PRAY!

*Abundant Life Athletics Presents...*  
**Premier Instruction Baseball Camp**  
 Where: Blue Springs South High School  
 Time: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
 Cost: FREE (Includes camp t-shirt)  
 There will be college baseball players from around the country instructing.  
 Special guest appearances from current and former Kansas City Royals players.  
**Kids bring your own glove, bat and drinks!!!**  
**SIGN UP IN THE WELCOME CENTER**  
 For more information contact Mike Lusardi at 816.305.9708

You may order a CD copy of each message at the information desk after each service or check out the Abundant Life website for the latest sermons and notes. To order a sermon email sermons@abundantlifebaptist.com. Cost is \$3.00 per CD. **(Payment is required at time of ordering).**



Is this prayer request confidential?: Yes No  
 Person making request: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Relationship to you? Circle one:  
 Family, husband, wife, son, daughter, father, mother, brother, sister, friend, other \_\_\_\_\_

Prayer requests will be given to the Prayer Team and if not confidential will be posted on the ALBC website at www.abundantlifebaptist.com.