

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, June 1
9:00 am—Church in Worship, Heart Touch Ministry
10:30 am—Bible Study
11:30am—Volunteers Appreciation Luncheon

Monday, June 2
8:30 am—Ladies Exercise
6:30 pm—Adult Pickleball

Tuesday, June 3
8:30 am—Ladies Exercise
10:00 am—Food Pantry

Wednesday, June 4
6:00pm—Summer Celebration Event for Families
6:00 pm—Women’s Bible Study—Whitney Payne (A105)
6:00 pm—Men’s Brotherhood Bible Study—Fellowship Hall
6:15 pm—Midweek Prayer Service/Bible Study
7:20-8:10 pm—Choir Practice

Thursday, June 5
8:00am—YaH Day Trip to Lexington
8:30 am—Ladies Exercise
6:30 pm—Adult Pickleball

WELCOME VISITORS!

If you are visiting today, please complete the welcome card from the pew racks with information and/or prayer requests, and place it in the offering plate when it is passed. You can also scan the QR code with your phone camera and complete it online. Thank you!

FOR THE RECORD—MAY 25

Sunday School Attendance	185
Morning Worship Attendance	283
Weekly Budget Needs	\$19,183.03
Weekly Budget Offering	\$8,982.32
Designated Gifts	\$805.00
Total Offering	\$9,787.32
Budget Goal to Date	\$402,843.63
Budget Offering to Date	\$412,803.67
Amount Over Budget	\$9,960.04

CHURCH INFORMATION

Dr. James Wedding, *Senior Pastor*
Dr. John Johnson, *Music & Worship Pastor*
Rev. Ben Fitzgerald, *Student Pastor*
Rev. Ron Harrington, *Senior Adult Pastor*
Rev. Tom Collier, *Family & Recreation Pastor*
Mrs. Amy Douglas, *Director of Kids Ministry*
Mrs. Judi Cornell /Joyce Davis, *Church Secretary*
Mrs. Susan Wedding, *Financial Secretary*

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MESSAGE FROM GOD’S WORD

“The Life of Prayer”
Luke 11:1-8; Luke 18:1-8

Dr. Earl Clark, Greek and New Testament professor at Clear Creek Baptist College, said, “Prayer is one of the most talked about subjects in the church, but one of the least practiced.” The Ellis Research Group did an extensive survey concerning the prayer life of pastors in America. They found that pastors spend fewer than thirty minutes a day in prayer.

For Jesus, prayer was as necessary as breathing. If the Son of God felt such a strong need for prayer, constant contact with the Father, how much more should we?

Jesus is our prime example of true prayerfulness. He awakened very early in the morning to pray (Mark 1:35). He would withdraw often during the day to pray (Like 5:16). He would also spend time at night in prayer (Luke 6:12). Sometimes He would prevail in prayer all night long! Every major decision was bathed in intense, direct prayer seeking the Father’s perfect will.

- I. Why we pray
 - A. The counsel of Scripture
Matthew 7:7-8; Psalm 37:4; II Chronicles 7:14
 - B. The contrasts of the Savior
Luke 18:1; James 4:2-3
 - C. The confidence of the Saints
I John 5:14-15

- II. What we pray
 - A. Focused on the Father’s Person
 - B. Focused on the Father’s Place
 - C. Focused on the Father’s Praise
 - D. Focused on the Father’s Purpose
 - E. Focused on the Father’s Provision
 - F. Focused on the Father’s Pardon
 - G. Focused on the Father’s Preservation
 - H. Focused on the Father’s Protection

- III. When we pray
John 14:13-14



Baptism	
Welcome to Worship	John Johnson
Praise Songs	“Victory In Jesus” “He Keeps Me Singing”
Offertory Prayer	John Johnson
Offertory	Beth Holmes “Rescue the Perishing”
Songs of Worship	“Made For More” “I Got Saved”
Special Music	Lexie Roby “Your Great Name”
Message From God’s Word	Bro. James Wedding “The Life of Prayer” Luke 11:1-8; Luke 18:1-8
Commitment Songs	“I Have Decided to Follow Jesus” “I’d Rather Have Jesus”
Closing Prayer	Tom Collier



DISCIPLESHIP

Wednesday Night Women's Group @ 6:00pm

Women's group, led by Whitney Payne, meets in A105.
Studying—*The Book of Hosea*.

Resuming
June 11th

Wednesday Night Women's Group @ 6:00pm

Women's Group, led by Jennifer Baker, meets in A104.
Studying—*RAHAB: Rediscovering the God who Saves Me*.
By: Shadia Hrichi

Wednesday Night Men's Brotherhood Group @ 6:00pm

Our men's brotherhood group meets in the Fellowship Hall.
Studying—Max Lucado's *Life Lessons in Romans*

FAMILY LIFE

Churchwide Luncheon Volunteer Appreciation Today @ 11:30am.

Church-wide
Luncheon

We want to invite everyone to our luncheon on June 1st, especially all of our volunteers. If you have served in ANY capacity over the last year, we want you to come and enjoy lunch with us. This is for everybody, but during lunch we will take a moment to recognize all those that have served. This will also be a good chance to check the many areas we have available to serve.

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION!

THIS WEEK SUMMER CELEBRATION Wednesday June 4th 6pm

Summer Celebration is our exciting summer kickoff event! This year's Summer Celebration is all about families with kids/students of all ages having fun together! We will have inflatables, chalk drawing, and much more. J's Good Grub will be here and you will only pay \$5 a meal.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Church Picnic @ Camp Schafer
Sunday Afternoon July 13

STUDENTS

Love A Student—Camp Ministry: Please remember to bring your Love A Student bags to the church office by June 8.

You can also help our Student ministry by donating food for our camp trip. You can find a list of things on the table in the lobby. Please return those by Wednesday June 4. Thanks!

Our Summer Nights 2025 Schedule is out now! Pick up a copy in the Student Room or visit our Yellow Creek Student Ministry Facebook Page to see what our exciting summer holds!

MISSIONS & MINISTRY

June's "Pantry Focus"

Saltine Crackers, Oatmeal



Praying for Missionaries
From A to Z - Week 9

INSIGHT. Ask God to give the missionaries a clear view into hearts and lives of the people they minister to, so they will have a greater ability to exhibit God's love. See Colossians 2:2.



Mission trip to El Tuma, Nicaragua
July 12-19 Cost \$600.00

Please see Whitney Payne by June 8th, if interested.



OWENSBORO 2025

SEPTEMBER 26-27

Bellevue Baptist Church

with Jennifer Rothschild, Ann Voskamp &

See Michelle Ponton for tickets \$49. This event is expected to have a huge response, so get your tickets ASAP.

Tornado Shelter Ministry

During tornado warnings, the YCBC is opened up for our community to take safe shelter during the storm. This is a great ministry, and we need your help. We are looking for 4-5 people who could help with this ministry. If you are interested please call Si Deane at 270-302-0082.

KIDS



Today is a family worship day with no kids church.
Enjoy the activities on the table outside the sanctuary.

Mark our VBS dates—**June 23-27**—on your calendars now, and sign up to volunteer today! We need people to help with POP (Pig Out Plaza), BAM (Bible and Me), SLAM (Science Led Apologetics), ZAP (Zany Art Party), WOW (Worship), CRASH (Crazy Rec and Sports Horde), or sign up to be a side-kick or a registration hero!



Crossings Camp at Jonathan Creek is July 24-27. Please turn in a \$75 deposit now to get your 2nd-5th grader on the list to go! Spots are limited!



YOUNG AT HEART

HEART TOUCH MINISTRY—SUNDAY—JUNE 1

This will be your opportunity to be a part of our Homebound Ministry. Stop by the table in the Welcome Center and pick up homebound name and gift for May and deliver it sometime this week.

DAY TRIP TO LEXINGTON—THURSDAY—JUNE 5—6:00 AM

We'll stop for coffee and a light breakfast on the way. Then we'll be treated to lunch by the senior group at Rosemont Baptist Church. After lunch both groups will enjoy a guided tour of the Mill Ridge Horse Farm. Cost: \$30 Due Today 5/18.

BREAKFAST IN THE PARK—WEDNESDAY—JULY 9—8:30AM

Meet at Shelter #3 (1st shelter on the left) Cost: \$3.00
Menu: Scrambled Eggs, Bacon, Biscuits, Country Ham, Coffee, Orange Juice and Milk.

DAY TRIP TO MARION, KY—THURSDAY—AUGUST 14—7:00AM

We will visit the International Famous BEN E. CLEMENT MINERAL MUSEUM. Plus visit an Amish Store & ride the Ferry Boat across the Ohio, and enjoy lunch at the Cave in Rock Restaurant—Enjoy open face roast beef with mashed potatoes, side and drink.
Total Cost: Museum and Lunch: \$20.00

SIGN UP ON YaH TABLE FOR THESE EVENTS

GENERAL

PRE-ORDERED Yellow Creek T-shirts, sweatshirts, etc., are available to be picked up on the table in the connection center. If you have not paid yet, please pay when you pick up your items.

VOLUNTEERS

Counting Committee

6/1-Terri Hobgood, Tonya Blake

6/8-Steve Mead, Larry Hamilton

Safety Team

6/1-Mark Irby, Jim & Teresa Crandall, Carl Hendley

6/8-Wayne Williams, David Madewell, James Stone, Jerry Kessinger

Offertory Prayer & Outreach

6/1-John Johnson

6/8-Si Deane

Nursery

6/1-Kathie Finch, Janie Kessinger, Valerie Yonts, Nicole Midkiff,
Brandy Pablo

6/8-Lindsay Hawes, Deanna Lambrich, Meredith Wilkerson,
Raelyn Duncan, Bradley Napier

Kids Church

6/1-No Kids Church

6/8-Amanda Sosh, Cole Howard, Raelyn Duncan