# Church CNUS IN CHAMPIONS

"A Place to Belong"

# **Today**

All VBS Volunteers

Please meet in the front of the auditorium on the left side Immediately following morning worship for a short meeting.

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# THE CHAMPIONS SPIRIT



JOIN US FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JUNE 24-27 9AM - 11:30AM AGES 3-11

MORE INFO AT WWW.CHAMPIONSCHURCH.ORG





# Volunteers Still Needed

**Contact: Reid Stafford or Ashley Trent** 

### **Family Matters**

"Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is the King of glory? The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle! Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is the King of glory? The Lord of hosts, he is the King of glo-

ry!" (Ps. 24:7-10). We are here today to worship the King of Glory! What an honor to come before Him.

We rejoice with Paris Ruzicka who was baptized last week at Camp Bandina. She is the granddaughter of Bill and Sherry Johnson.

Our VBS starts tomorrow and runs through Thursday. We

need volunteers today to help with set up. If you can help, please meet after services at the front of the auditorium on the left side. Let's all be praying for a successful VBS.

Parting thought: "If you don't like something, change it. If you can't change it, change your attitude" – Maya Angelou

Have a great week!

~Lance

#### ORDER OF WORSHIP—SUNDAY, June 23, 2019—AM SERVICE

#### **WORSHIP ORDER**

Song - \*Oh How Good It Is\*

Welcome/Scripture/Prayer: John 13:34-35 ESV

Song - #96 - I Stand In Awe Song - #147 - I Stand Amazed Song - #108 - The Lord Is In His Holy Temple

Prayer

Song - \*How Deep the Father's Love\*

Communion/Offering (Dismiss Children to Bible Hour)

Song - #622 - Ring Out the Message

Scripture Reading: - 2 Timothy 4:1-2 ESV

Sermon: Lance Leavens

Song - #912 - Burdens Are Lifted at Calvary

Announcements/Prayer

\*Not in the book\*

# John's Jogs: SUMMER SERIES PROGRAM

I should have written this before the "Series" began, but we had "Senior Day" then "Father's Day" so I want to explain how the program came into being.

Our congregation's overall theme for the year is "Loving God – Loving People" based on (Matt. 22:37-39 and I John 4:11-12).

Our Theme for the Summer Series is: "THE NAMES OF GOD."

In searching for the names, I discovered a book in my library authored by a former Champions' member, Casandra Martin, and published by  $21^{st}$  Century Christian. We decided to use the names she had selected. She made an introduction to her book which I can't improve on as an introduction to our "Summer Series:"

"The study of the names and titles of God is a study of the nature and character of God. The titles and descriptions of God as revealed throughout the Bible provide us with rich layers of meaning and insight into the heart of the God who loved us so. We will see His peace quiet our troubled spirits; His faithfulness covers our rebellion; His protection blankets our fear; His healing soothes our deepest pain."

Casandra also said, "Our hearts hunger to know God better. We ache to see His glory, be touched by His grace, and experience the peace of His presence. Opening our Bibles, we discover that God longs to make His heart known to those who love Him. He passes by and reveals His glory every time we come to His Word with open hearts.

God's heart is revealed through His names. Throughout His relationships with His people, God open His arms and shows His children who He is, inviting us to explore His nature and character. Knowing His names allows us to catch a glimpse of all He longs to do in our lives. Grow closer to God as He reveals Himself through the study of His names. Pick up your Bible, stand on the mountain, and ask, "God, pass by me."

She gives credit to Bill Rasco as Co-author of the book.

The title of the Book is "GOD, PASS BY ME."

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# THE CHAMPIONS SPIRIT

## EVENTS AND NEWS

# **VBS Meeting Today!**

# **For All Helpers**

This morning following Worship. Please meet in the front of the auditorium on the left side.

**Contacts: Reid Stafford or Ashley Trent** 

#### Family Circle 7 Meal

Meets Today! All Visitors Welcome! Leaders: LaVanne & Patricia Pennington



**David Olson** 12322 Knobcrest Dr. Houston, TX 77069 davy.olson@yahoo.com 209-366-3520

David is the nephew of Donna Campbell, and cousin of Heather Shuttleworth and Christy Smith.

#### **New Truth for Today Commentary**

The latest Truth for Today commentary covering John 1-12 by David Lipe, is now available. Cost is \$27.00. Make your check out to Church of Christ in Champions with a memo - TfT Commentary and give your payment to Marvin Trice or Jeanie Kuehl.



#### **Paris Ruzicka**

We rejoice with the angels in heaven in the baptism of Paris Ruzicka while attending Bandina Christian Camp on Thursday, June 13, 2019. She is the granddaughter of Bill and Sherry Johnson.

#### Paris Ruzicka

5922 Lodge Creek Dr. Houston, TX 77066 Home: 832-423-2868 DOB: 11-21-2005





#### **Church Calendar**

June 2019

23: Family Circle #7 Meal

24-27: VBS

26: SS-Drew Slatton

27: VBS Family Party

30: Family Circle #1 Meal

July

4: Office Closed—Holiday

#### **Youth Events**

June 24 - 27 Champions VBS

#### July

9: Youth Devo

10: Summit

12: FNL

15-18: Sunny Glen Mission Trip

21-24: Impact VBS 30: Power Hour

31-4: Camp Awesome

#### **Bible Hour Schedule**

June 23: Killough

June 30: Ashley Trent

July 7: Tommy Hill

July 14: Smith July 21: Killough

July 28: Ashley Trent

Aug 4: Sammons

Aug 11: Killough

Aug 18: Ashley Trent

Aug 25: Stafford

#### **Children's Ministry Updates Wednesday Night CHANGE**

For the summer we will have all kids 2 yr. - 6th grade meet in the Bible Hour room first. We will sing together and then split into our classes with our teachers.

If you'd like to see pictures from our events be sure to follow Champions Kids on Instagram @Championschildrensministry.

#### **Events this week are:** VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Monday, June 24: 9-11:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 25: 9-11:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 26: 9-11:30 a.m.

#### **NO Wednesday Night Meal** June 26th

**COOKS NEEDED FOR JULY 3TH** 



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#### Elders:

- David Arnold
- Jim Chitwood
- Bill Johnson
- Britt Jones
- Danny Mize
- Don Sammons
- Marvin Trice

#### Deacons:

- Chris Ball
- Kevin Barnett
- Barney Bowles
- Eltonio (Tony) Brown
- Gordon Casey
- Darrell Fariss
- Jay Fraley
- Tommy Hill
- Joe Jackson
- Charles Joachim
- Brent Killough
- Michael McCall
- David Morgan
- Ryan Nelson
- Blake Phillips
- Kent Phillips
- Justin Sammons
- Joel Smith
- Wes Smith
- Paul Tews
- Troy Thompson
- James Wyatt

#### Ministers:

- Lance Leavens (Pulpit)
- John Qualls (Associate)
- Wes Arnold (Associate)
- Reid Stafford (Youth)

# PRAYERS & NOTES

#### Prayer Requests:

David Arnold will have a port placed on Tuesday, June 25th at Methodist. Chemotherapy will follow shortly.

Cindy Schlesener, Brittany and her dad, Cecil will be traveling from now until July 7th, to CA, NY and back to TX to move Brittany to Cornell for her three year residency at Cornell Vet School & Clinic.

Rosalinda Zarate will be traveling to Michigan for the summer. She requests prayer for a safe trip. Gwen Crosby has a blood clot in her leg and has started blood thinners, which are causing difficult side effects.

**Juanita Berg** is home recovering from a fall.

**John Burns** as he waits on his bone marrow biopsy report. **Sue Trice** will have 22 preventa-

tive radiation treatments soon. **Pam Shaw** received a blood transfusion. Please pray this helps restore her strength.

Hanna Haavikko is home doing well following her recent surgery.

# <u>Family and Friends Prayer Requests:</u>

Wyatt Cox, Glen and Julie Cox's infant grandson, will have major surgery on June 27th in Albuquerque, NM.

Nick Osiek, Bill Hicks nephew, has been diagnosed with a serious liver disease and infection. Please pray for his healing and comfort.

Bill Hicks' step-mom is in the hospital also with pneumonia and congestive heart failure.

**Grady Gettings,** Darlene Bounds' brother, is home continuing his

recovery from neck surgery and low blood count.

**Hank Barnett**, Kevin's dad, is in hospice care. Prayers are requested for a peaceful transition.

Norah Long, Valerie and William's baby, is good! Test results were negative!

**Iglesias de Cristo**, West 34th and its minister, Rudy and Marta Morelos, Jose Hernandez and Jose Alvarenge as they begin a Friend-Speak program.

**Joyce Navarro**, Reba's daughterin-law, is in Encompass at 290 and recovering from a stroke.

Margaret George, Chris George's mother, is home continuing her recovery from a stroke.

Champions Members with Cancer: Linda Lopez, Sue Trice, Wes Smith, LaNell Allee, Gwen Crosby, Don Dearen, Pam Shaw, John Burns, Donna Nance, Caella Chappell, Gilbert Moreno, Keith Underwood

#### **Missionaries:**

Dale DuVerney, Peter Chin, Eddie Cloer, Roman Halamicek, Roland Mohsen, Biblical Institute of Central America, Eastern European Mission, Jordan Arnold, Will Hanstein, Elijah Brown, Hope for Haiti,

Southern African Bible College

**<u>Hospice:</u>** Hank Barnett, Porta Lee Bagley

Employment Concerns: Rody Willis, Earnest Harris, Jeff Long, Diana Turner

Families Having Lost Loved
Ones: George, Navarro, Jackson

# <u>Champions Members with Health</u> <u>& Other Concerns</u>: Julie Cox, Jerry McKinney, Arlene Hale, Pamela Woodley, David Morgan, David Bounds, Kenneth, Carolyn, Michelle Smith, Cary Gerhart, Han-

na Haavikko, Rebecca Jaquez, John Hixon, Stacey Farmer, Julia Shaw, Angela Joachim, Linda Underwood

#### **Family and Friends with Health**

and Other Concerns: Lonnie
Wheaton, Matthew George, Pat
Wilks, Denise Milby, Lesa
Antwine, Ellen Keyser, Danny
Antwine, Martha Antwine, Santo
Moreno, Hilkka and husband, Don
Long, David Long, Frances Leavens, Clyde Barker, Donna Priola,
Glenda Mouton, Leslie Woodley,
Karen Cullins, Max, Zac Goolsby
Family and Friends Cancer Concerns: Peb Ratliff Lill King Eliza-

cerns: Peb Ratliff, Jill King, Elizabeth Cuccerre, Donna Petty, Mike Rice, Patricia Lopez, Thelma Edwards, Tony, Janie

#### Members in Assisted Living/ Rehab/ Nursing Homes:

Nell McDonald, Edwina Moore, Charles & Lois Boyd

Family and Friends in Assisted Living/Rehabs & Nursing Homes:

Terri Bennett, Hank Barnett, Marie McCall, Jean Simpson, Gladys McHenry, Nettie Jo Jackson, Dorothy Kuehl

#### **Prayers for our Military:**

Brent Tyler Bowles, Traveon Gaines, William E. Taylor IV, Aaron Jean, Charles DuVerney, Phillip Cuccerre, Jr., Aaron Schubert

#### **Nursery Attendants**

June 23: Kimberly Bickham & Christy Smith

**June 30:** Laura Mize & Darlene Ewell

If you cannot serve, please find a replacement by checking names posted on the wall outside the nursery classroom.

Contact: Karen Casey

#### FOR THE RECORD 6/16/2019

Sunday Morning	381
Sunday Bible Class.	
Sunday Night	
Wednesday Night	
Contribution	24,364.68
Weekly Budget	.20,247.31
YTD Contribution:	
YTD Budget	
Over/(Under)	43,881.77

#### **Service Times:**

SUNDAY MORNING 9:00 a.m. Bible Classes 10:00 a.m. Worship Service Sunday Morning Bible Hour

SUNDAY NIGHT 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY Bible Classes 7:00 p.m.

#### Elder of the Month

#### June

Danny Mize

#### **Food Coordinator**

Check with your Family Circle Leaders

#### Church Wi-Fi Password

churchguest

#### Little Champs: Mothers Day Out

Contact: Lisa Killough littlechampsmdo@gmail.com 281-893-2062

Lisa Killough—Director