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URSERY VOLUNTEERS May 21 Ben and Whitney Alexander Heather Carr, Stacey Davis

There will be a collection box outside the church office. for an upcoming mission trip to Romania: IBUPROFEN, ACETĂMINOPHÈN,



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#### **SUNDAY, MAY 21**

Deacon's Meeting at 8:00 AM Youth Parent Meeting at 11:00 AM Finance Committee Meeting at 11:00 AM Tea Shower for Amanda Corey/Trey Hover at 1:30 PM Parenting Bible Study at 4:30 PM Tacos and Testimonies at 6:00 PM



MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY Adult Exercise at 8:30 AM

# WEDNESDAY, MAY 24 NO ACTIVITIES AT HBC Youth Swim Party at the Franklin's, 5:30-7:30 PM

SUNDAY, MAY 28 Chosen Road/Couch in the Woods Benefit Fundraiser for the Center for Pregnancy Choices at 6:00 PM

## HIGHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH PRESENTS

A Night of Worship
May 28, 2023 6:00 PM

Featuring





to prayer (Acts 2:42, CSB).

### Benefit Fundraiser for:



Tickets—\$10/VIP Experience \$50 Purchase tickets online by scanning QR code or come by Highland's church office.



## **C** mmunity Groups They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching, to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread, and

Community Groups meet weekly in homes and follow Acts 2:42 as their model. They eat together; fellowship together; study God's word together; and pray together. We have thirteen groups in our area and chances are that there is a community group close to you. It's a perfect place to invite Highland Baptist friends to encounter a living and loving God. Sign-up begins Sunday morning. Date: June - July



#### FROM OUR CHILDREN'S MINISTER...

Vacation Bible School is almost here, and I am so excited to see what The Lord has planned for it. Our VBS is June 11-15 from 5:30 PM until 8:00 PM.

This year's VBS is a game board theme called "Twists and Turns." The kids will dive into the life of Peter and learn that although Peter's life was full of twists and turns, he still followed The Lord's commands. They are going to learn that Jesus is Holy, Jesus is Trustworthy, Jesus is Forgiving, Jesus is Worth Following, and that Jesus is for Everyone. Kids will leave Vacation Bible School knowing that following Jesus changes the game, so it's important to recognize that Jesus is holy, trustworthy, forgiving, worth following, and for everyone.

VBS is one of the biggest events of the year at Highland. It's an "all hands on deck" type of event. I truly cannot have a successful Vacation Bible School without your help. There are so many places that you can serve for VBS to be successful.

- 1. Prayer. Vacation Bible School is full of leaders and lost children. Pray daily that the volunteers allow God to speak through them, and that the kids come to VBS each night ready to learn.
- 2. Preparation. There are so many things I need to get done before VBS gets here. I need to organize supplies, write names on name tags, clean rooms that will be used for teaching kids, decorations, and so much more. I would love your help in any of these areas. Please reach out to me if you would be willing to help.
- 3. Teaching/Leading/Assisting VBS Week. I still have holes in my volunteer roster. I encourage you to take a step of faith and teach these kids about Jesus the week of VBS. It is the most rewarding week you will ever experience. Visit the VBS Volunteer table in the Gathering area and sign up today!

VBS is going to be phenomenal this summer! I pray that you join us and spread the word about our VBS.

#### CHRISTIAN LOVE AND SYMPATHY ARE EXTENDED TO:

...Chris Harley in the death of his grandfather.

You are invited To Attend a Tea Shower for Amanda Corey

Bride-elect of Trey Hover

Sunday, May 21, 2023 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

Highland Baptist Church Tea Room

Registered at: Target, Dillards, Pampered Chef, Generations

STEWARDSHIP REPORT MAY 14, 2023		Budget Req. to date (20 @ 25,663.08)	513,261.60
Budget	14,044.10	Budget Receipts to date	475,593.51
Other Ministry Designations	3,456.45	Budget Deficit to date	37,668.09
CDC	.00	SUNDAY SCHOOL	241
Total	17,500.55	WORSHIP	356