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NURSERY VOLUNTEERS May 25

Tyler and Channing Peebles
Mev Knight, Dustin Hill



Building Relationships with Christ, One Another, and the World

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SUNDAY, MAY 25

Growth Groups (Sunday School) 9:00 AM
Morning Worship 10:00 AM
Ladies' Bible Study (Armor of God) in the Gathering Area 5:00 PM

WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY Adult Exercise at 8:30 AM

MONDAY, MAY 26 OFFICES CLOSED

TUESDAY, MAY 27

- Brunch and Bible Study at 10:00 AM
- Highlander's Pot Luck Meeting at noon
- Men's Bible Study at 6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

- Men's Bible Study at Dr. Britt McCarty's office at 5:30 AM
- No Scheduled Activities at HBC

SUNDAY, JUNE 1

Youth Parent Meeting following the morning worship service

JUNE 1-5—VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL-5:30-8:30 PM

SUNDAY, JUNE 8

VBS Celebration at 10:00 AM
Quarterly Business Session at 5:00 PM



JUNE IS OUR DESIGNATED MONTH TO HELP STOCK THE SHELVES AT THE LBA CRISIS CENTER. THEY ARE IN NEED OF MONETARY DONATIONS, PEANUT BUTTER, JELLY AND CANNED SOUP. ALSO, IF YOU WOULD BE INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING TUES.-THURS. 8:15—12:15, PLEASE CALL THE LBA AT 601.483.1419.

FROM OUR STUDENT AND CONNECTIONS MINISTER...

Growing up in the home in which I was raised, there were a few things that were absolutely certain. First, unless you were on your death bed, you were going to go to church. It was never an option. I might miss school. I might miss ball practice. I was not missing church. Second, I was going to do something. Coming home from school and just sitting around was never an option. While it was normally a sport, there was always an extra-curricular activity we were involved in. Starting at the age of 3 until I was out of school, I was on some type of organized sports team. Depending on the time of year, I was normally on multiple teams. Between my two siblings and me, we played football, baseball, basketball, softball, cheerleading, soccer, golf, and track & field. On top of that, there were voice lessons, piano lessons, quiz bowl teams, and many other clubs/activities we were a part of. This was just the way it was in our home growing up. Finally, the last certainty of life growing up in the Jackson home was that you were going to have a respect for certain genres of music. You might not like them, but you appreciated them. Those three genres were Gospel (Gaithers, Gold City, etc.), country (Willie Nelson, John Denver), and classic rock. Depending on the day, there would be one of these three genres playing on the record player and I have had an appreciation for them since I was young.

One of his favorite bands to listen to is still Queen. I knew all the lyrics to Bohemian Rhapsody before I could spell it. After Little League baseball games, if we won, we would go home and listen to "Another One Bites the Dust". I appreciated that song as a child because of the simplicity of it. The lyrics were easy to learn, and the melody was very catchy. I wouldn't classify it as one of my favorites but it definitely holds a nostalgic place in my heart.

However, it wasn't until recently that I learned that the phrase, "Another One Bites the Dust" didn't originate with Freddie Mercury and the band Queen. In fact, that phrase had been around for over a century before Queen released that record in 1980. While I cannot say it with absolute certainty, what I was told was that during the Civil War, a soldier would be shot and killed on the battlefield and would fall facedown onto the ground. When this happened, it was said about the soldier that another one has bitten the dust. I can't help but think about how devastating the death of a soldier is and now the phrase has been adapted into a fun, catchy song. 2,000 years ago, a death took place in Jerusalem. That death was devastating, horrific, and an absolute catastrophe. However today, when we think about the death of Christ, we cannot help but celebrate the resurrection. What was thought to be the end of Jesus was him conquering death. When it comes to our spiritual life, when we live in Christ we will never "bite the dust" but will live for all eternity in and through Him. This is why we go and serve. This is why we tell others about Him. This is why we teams from Highland will be doing mission work this summer locally, regionally, and internationally. Because our desire is the same of God when he said that he desires that none would perish but have eternal life. Please pray for these mission teams that will be going out this summer that they would have physical and spiritual safety and that they would go with the boldness to tell whomever they encounter of the love of Jesus.

"AND THE LORD ADDED UNTO HIS CHURCH..."

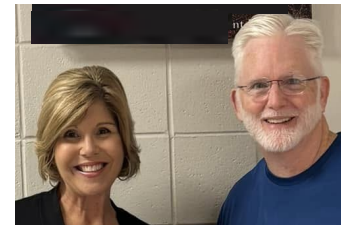
BY LETTER:

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Deacon: Billy Blaine



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL JUNE 1-5 5:30-8:00 PM

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VBS MENUS:

Sunday: Cheesy Nachos and Brownies

Monday: Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Bird's Nest Mix, Ice Cream Sandwiches

Tuesday: McDonald's Chicken Nuggets, Tater Tots, Cookies

Wednesday: Honeycombs (waffles), Sausage Patty, Fruit, Popsicles

Thursday: Little Ceasars Pizza, Cheeseballs, Cupcakes

THE VERY NEWEST

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Richardson (Lana) on the birth of their grandson, Joseph Bentley Richardson.

Mrs. Margaret Harris is the proud great-grandmother.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT MAY 18, 2025

Giving to budget to date	384,588.54	SUNDAY SCHOOL	206
Giving to budget (5/11-5/18)	18,383.69	WORSHIP	267