

# The Springs

Where The Thirsty Find Life

October 18, 2017

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## Directory

October 22, 23 & 24 - Pictorial Directory Photos Begin

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## Trunk or Treat/Chili Cook-Off

**October 29th - Trunk or Treat & Chili Cook-Off - 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM** This year we will host a Trunk or Treat Event in the back parking lot. We will have trunks, games & fun activities planned. There will also be a Chili Cook-off Contest. To sign up for the Chili Cook-Off, email or talk to Shelby Dickey. (Shelbybdickey@gmail.com.) As always we need donations of candy (individually wrapped). Please sign up to have a Trunk and to participate in the Chili Cook-off. There is a sign up sheet in the mezzanine. **\*\*Those who plan to have a trunk, please be setup by 5 pm.\*\***

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## Children's Ministry Visiting

**November 8th. 6 pm - 7 pm.** Meet in the lobby by the gym. We will be visiting some of our members to deliver our Thanksgiving Cards.

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## Looking Ahead

**All Saints Day** - November 5th  
**Charge Conference** - November 12  
**Thanksgiving Meal** - November 15  
**Offices Closed** - November 23 & 24  
**Decorate Sanctuary** - November 26  
**Children's Christmas Party** - December 3

## October Calendar

### Sunday, October 22

- 9:05 A.M. Sunday Grind - Coffee & Fellowship  
9:30 A.M. Worship  
10:45 A.M. Sunday School (Life Groups)  
4:00 P.M. Reading Helps  
4-6 P.M. Youth Group (8th - 12th)  
4:30 - 5:30 P.M. Tween Ministry (5th - 7th)

### Monday, October 23rd

**12:00 Noon 50 + Potluck Luncheon/Gym**

### Wednesday, October 25

- 5:30 P.M. Family Night Supper\*  
Menu: Meatloaf, Mac and Cheese Casserole, California Vegetables,  
Lemon Meringue Pie  
*\*Please remember to make a reservation the Sunday prior.*
- 6:00 P.M. "How to Study the Bible" and "Freed Up" Classes**  
6:00 P.M. Children's Group  
6:00 P.M. Tweeners & Youth Group  
7:00 P.M. Worship Practice

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9:30 A.M. Worship  
10:45 A.M. Sunday School (Life Groups)  
**5:30 P.M. Trunk or Treat - Everyone Welcome**

#### **PICTORIAL DIRECTORY HOSTESSES NEEDED -**

**CONTACT Nancy Crews or Dianne Shannon**

Hostesses are needed for the photography sessions to greet families and record the information needed for the completion of the directory. A drawing of the hostesses names will be done for 3 portrait gift certificates.

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## Church Family Night Supper

Wednesday's 5:30 PM

**Reservations must be made by 12:00 Noon on Mondays.**

**To make or cancel a reservation contact Lori at (601) 485-5598 or**

**Jerry by email at [jerry.psdumc@gmail.com](mailto:jerry.psdumc@gmail.com).**

**Adult Plate - \$6 each ~ Child's Plate - \$3**

**Family Max - \$23 ~ NO TAKEOUTS**

**October 18:** Cheesy Chicken Rice Casserole, Green Salad with Tomatoes & Cucumbers, Buttered Roll, Pineapple Upside Down Cake

**October 25:** Meatloaf, Mac and Cheese Casserole, California Vegetables, Lemon Meringue Pie

## November Birthdays

- 1st - Will Floyd  
3rd - Butch Wright  
5th - Cathy Bates  
7th - Christine Carson  
9th - Colby Epting  
10th - Allison Beard  
11th - Evelyn Samuelson  
12th - Marissa Mendiola  
14th - Wanda Dixon  
15th - Maxine Autry  
Leah Shannon  
16th - Olivia Taylor  
Brian Williams  
19th - Chuck Meador  
20th - Karissa Both  
Rayleigh Floyd  
Zach Johnson  
21st - Jason Payne  
24th - Jamie Brown  
26th - Camille Boler  
28th - Danny Hall  
30th - Sally Rhett

## Wednesday Evening Classes - 6 PM

### Freed - Up

Grace, Joy, Freedom -Are these the first words that come to mind when you think of finances? It could be.

In Freed - Up, you'll find a refreshing new approach to stewardship that adapts and focuses the unique content of the Good \$ense Budget Course. Through six engaging sessions on DVD, you'll discover tools and develop skills to help you control your finances so your finances don't end up controlling you. You'll get training in biblical financial principles as well as help and guidance to:

- ◆ Prioritize your financial goals
- ◆ Identify action steps to reduce your expenses
- ◆ Develop a personalized spending plan
- ◆ Pay down debt and much more.

### How To Study The Bible

We often talk about the importance of knowing God's word. We know that we should read and study the Bible, but when we are honest, we don't know how to go about studying it for ourselves. It can be good to read books and commentaries about what others say regarding the Bible, but that never leads to it becoming yours. Wednesday night October 11 we began offering a six week study teaching how to study scripture. We will journey through the book of Philippians teaching Bible Study principals that can make scripture come alive.



October 29th - Trunk or Treat

November 15th - Church Thanksgiving Meal

November 23rd & 24th - Thanksgiving Holiday

November 26th - Decorate Sanctuary

December 24th - Christmas Eve Communion Service

December 25th - Christmas Day

January 1st - New Year's Day

## Worship Volunteers

### Scripture Readers

October 29 - Kristi Brown

November 5 - Robin Thompson

November 12 - Carrol Barham

November 19 - Cindy Lang

### Communion Celebrants

November 5

Cathy Ellis

Mary Anne Catlett

Jerry & Linda Long

### Ushers for November

Steven Brown

Kevin Peterson

Raymond King

Sam Gerwert

### Alternates:

Bill Selman

Jerry Long

### Greeters for October/November

October 22

Luci Wolvers - Sanctuary

Cindy Lang - 40th St.

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October 29

Linda Long - Sanctuary

Dixie LaBruyere - 40th St.

Lacy Nason - Downstairs

November 5

Wanda McBrayer - Sanctuary

Kim Ridinger - 40th St.

Carolyn Wall - Downstairs

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*October 18, 2017*

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### Weekly Readings (Week of October 15)

Day 1	Romans 15:7
Day 2	Psalms 23:5
Day 3	Leviticus 19:34
Day 4	Hebrews 13:1-2
Day 5	James 2:1-4
Day 6	Isaiah 58:7

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