SWIFT CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH
SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES
July 23, 2017
Dr. Steve Felker, Senior Pastor
Andrew Cheatham, Youth Pastor
Susan Humphries, Pianist

MORNING WORSHIP – 11:00 A.M.
Announcements, Scripture, & Prayer .................................. Deacon of the Week
Prelude ............................................................................. Susan Humphries
(Let's use this time for "meditation and prayer")
Praise Songs “Great & Mighty” and “How Great is Our God”
Welcome & VBS promotion .................................................. Pastor
Morning Prayer .................................................................... Pastor
Message in Song “Indescribable” ........................................... Choir
Offertory Hymn #71 “Holy Ground”
Offertory Prayer
Tithes and Offerings
Message “The Greatness of God” – Part 2 (Psalm 139) .............. Pastor
Hymn of Response #438 “Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken”
Benediction

EVENING SERVICE - 6:00 P.M.
Prelude ................................................................................. Susan Humphries
Hymn #364 "Send the Light"
Prayer, Welcome & Announcements
Message in Song “People Need the Lord” ......................... Choir
Offertory Hymn #391 “We Are Called to Be God’s People”
Sharing of our Gifts
Devotional “Do You Have a Mission in Life?” (Acts 20:22-27) ...... Pastor
Hymn of Response #544 “Have Thine Own Way, Lord”
Benediction

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OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK:
Special Offerings for Sunday, July 16 ........................ -
Other (Pontious Fund) ...................................................... $ 130.00
Sunday School Attendance .............................................. 129
Total Morning Worship Attendance .............................. 138

Upcoming Messages:
Sun. AM - "The Greatness of God" - Part 3 (Romans 11:33-34)
Sun. PM - Youth Mission Camp Testimonies

CDs of the Sunday services are available to purchase or borrow, as well as DVDs of the AM services. Order forms are in the pew envelope holders & on the Media Ministry box next to room 1, or call the church office with your order. Please remember to pick up your order.

*Children ages 5-9 may leave for Sunday Celebration before the sermon

Deacon of the Week – Bill Dalton (526-8151)
Building Manager of the Week – Colin Brink (895-2420)

Today is Family Worship Sunday. There is no Children’s Church today. However, children’s materials are available today, and parents have the option of moving to the social hall if needed to view the service on the video feed. An activity table has been set up there for children. Today the nursery is open for children up to age 5.

When you arrive for tonight’s business meeting, please remember to pick up the reports from the usher table. Tonight we will have our Deacon election vote in the meeting, and due to the Church Health Team presentation, we hope to start the business meeting at 6:30 PM.

Our church leadership (Deacons, Leadership Council, S.S. Teachers) met on June 19 and July 2 to review the objective statements and Phase I recommendations of the Church Health Team. Copies are available on the hall table. They are intended to strengthen the ministry of our church, especially in the areas of missional outreach, prayer, worship, leadership, and relationships both within the church body and the community. The objectives and recommendations were approved. The Church Health Team will make a presentation in tonight’s bi-monthly business meeting tonight. Pray for our Church Health Team and for our church that God will lead us!
Coming Next Sun.: Deacon Choir and Recognition, 11:00 AM
Youth Camp Testimony Night w/Ice Cream Social

This year’s VBS for children in grades K-6 is July 31 - Aug. 4 each morning. Special Ed VBS will be Aug. 5, 12, & 19, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. This year’s theme is Galactic Starveyors. We also offer preschool class for workers and members of SCBC. We have made available VBS fliers on the hall table for you to use to invite children from your neighborhood. A number of our grandparents invite their grandchildren. Kids will discover the incredible mysteries of the final frontier. They will encounter amazing and wonderful things designed by a Creator who is even bigger than the vastness of His creation. But the most amazing wonder to be discovered truly boggles the mind. The God who created everything there is wants a relationship with you! And from the very beginning, God had a plan to restore the relationship He knew we would break. You may register for VBS at church the two Sundays before VBS, the morning of VBS, or go to the church website to download the registration form and fill it out in advance. Cookies are needed for VBS along with snacks for the VBS Lounge. Packaged cookies can be dropped off in the kitchen any time, in the box marked “VBS.” Thank you for your help.

If you have an item for our monthly newsletter, please turn it in to the pastor or secretary by Tuesday morning. Also, if you are not receiving the newsletter and would like to be added to our mailing list, please turn in your name and [email] address on a guest registration card.

The Collier family would like to thank the church family for the calls, cards, prayers and visits at the passing of my mother. It meant so much at this time of sorrow. -Ervin

To Our Loving Church Family: We want to thank you for the love, cards, food, calls, and prayers during the passing of our son, Steve. We appreciate and love you all. -Robert and Mary Patton

On Sunday evening, July 30, we will have a Youth Camp Testimony Night. After the testimonies, we will have an ice cream social in the Fellowship Hall. Members are encouraged to bring homemade ice cream, or a favorite store bought ice cream. We hope to have plenty of ice cream, and a good time of fellowship. You can bring your favorite topping if you don’t think we will have it. See you there!

The doors to the outside near the sanctuary have been found unlocked or in the open position multiple times by staff members. Please secure the doors upon leaving from worship, church meetings or events. Thank you.

On Sunday, July 30, we will invite all Deacons (active and inactive) to sing in a special Deacon Choir. We will rehearse at 10:45 that Sunday morning and sing during the service. We will also recognize Deacons. The deacon election will take place in the July 23 business meeting.

Two shall become one

For this cause shall a man leave his father and mother, and shall be joined unto his wife, and they two shall be one flesh.

Ephesians 5:31 (KJV)