



May 2024

**We Make Disciples
Who Worship, Grow &
Go**

**Our Spring
Worship & Ministry
Schedule**

Sunday
9am ~ Small Group Bible Study
for All Ages
10:30am ~
Worship Service
with Children's Church

Wednesday
6—7:30 pm~ AWANA ~
(AWANA— ends May 22nd
follows School Calendar)
6pm ~ Student Ministry,
Women's Study
Pastor Josh's Study—
Worship Center

Your Staff

Josh Hargett
Senior Pastor

J. Ketchum
Worship Pastor



FOR THE Springs
JOIN AS WE PRAY FOR OUR CITY

We're continuing to pray through our city and ask God to move, for our church to have his eyes to see the people and for us to have the wisdom and boldness to reach them with the Gospel.

This month our prayer focus will be on the section of our city that is highlighted Red on our map in the lobby of the church.

The borders of the area are I-25 to the West, Woodmen Rd to the South, Interquest and Shoup Rd to the North and Black Forest Rd to the East.

This includes the Pine Creek, Cordera, Wolf Ranch and Briargate neighborhoods.

Please pray with us like this:

- 1) That God would do a great work in this part of our city.
- 2) That we would have eyes to see the people in this area as God does.
- 3) That God would give us wisdom on how to reach with The Gospel and the boldness to follow through.

As you pray, remember that prayer is more than just preparation for the work, prayer is the work.

Hey Church!

Is it just me, or is it that every time I turn on the news or open social media I learn of another war that is brewing somewhere in the world, hear about another ministry leader that has fallen, or see that our society is more divided than ever? It can be depressing and hard to process! But, find encouragement in the words of Jesus found in John 1.5 - *"The light shines in the darkness and the darkness has not overcome it"*. With all the evil that fills our fallen world, Jesus is the light and the darkness will not overcome him. Good wins! I want to encourage you, hold on to that truth!!

A couple of opportunities are coming up in the next couple of weeks that I'm very excited about. Be sure to check these out!

May 11th is the Spring Ladies Tea! More information and sign ups are available outside the church office.

May 12th is Mothers Day! (GUYS - don't forget!). We'll also have parent/child dedication that morning. If you have a child and have never had the opportunity to commit them to the Lord and to commit yourself to raising them in a Godly fashion, reach out to me and lets get you signed up!

May 22nd is the Awana Awards Cook-Out! Even if you don't have kids or family involved, make plans to come out this evening and celebrate all that God has done in the lives of our kids and share a meal with everyone. This will be a great night!

May 24th - Senior Adult Lunch and Hymn Sing! This will be an awesome time of fellowship, singing and sharing a meal together. Cost is \$3 for lunch and sign ups are available outside the church office!

Thanks again for the privilege of being your Pastor. I love our Church and I love being a part of what God is doing in this place! Pray with me that we will continue to become a church that makes disciples who worship, grow, and go!

Pastor Josh



Pastor Josh

Praises and Prayer Requests

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| Margaret Lovett ~ Recovering from Back Surgery | Hal and Margaret Seagraves ~ Health |
| Mandry Family ~ Daughter-in-law (Sammi) Loss of her Father & upcoming move | Beverly Chambers ~ Recovering from Back Surgery |
| Chambers Family ~ Loss of Mark's Father & Fran's Brother, Ken Chambers also the loss of Janetta Chambers Fran's Sister | Fortune Family ~ Loss of Stephannie |
| Donny Whitlock ~ Health | Keith Loyd ~ Health |
| Rosie Miller ~ Health | Amy Ketchum ~ Health |
| Bill Mosley ~ Health | Roger & Michele Hamilton ~ Family |
| April Smith ~ Health | Teresa Chambers ~ Health |
| Burlin Fayne ~ Health & Loss of Harriet | Sherell Morningstar ~ Recovering from Hip Surgery |
| | Rebecca Walton ~ Recovering from Surgery |
| | Continue to Pray for Peace in the Holy Land |

Hey church fam!!!

Pastor J here... I am still so excited for the monthly worship nights every 1st Friday of the month now starting at 7pm in hopes more people can make it out and worship with us! The last one we had was such a sweet time together! If you haven't had the opportunity to join us for these special times I would like extend a personal invite to the next one! It is May 3rd at 7pm in the sanctuary at the church! Look forward to worshipping with you all that night!

I hope you are looking forward to a summer filled with sunshine, fun and joy! I believe that is what our God has for us this summer! As we worship we are filled with wonder and joy and we are to turn around and take that back into the world. We are His light, we are His people and we are to share His love with the world around us.

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope. Romans 15:13

If you play an instrument, are a vocalist or desire to serve on the tech team, I invite you to please come and have a talk with me. The team would love to get you involved!

Peace & Love in Christ
Pastor J. Ketchum
Worship Pastor FSBC



May Birthdays

Sheryl Pyle	5/4	Caden Murray	5/15
Micah Hargett	5/7	Brock Chambers	5/27
Jamie Denton	5/8	Andrew Willson	5/30
Liam Betts	5/13	Jenny Fuller	5/30
Amy Ketchum	5/13		

Financial Update
As Of 3-31-24
Need to date
\$62,706.10
Received to date
\$52,096.69



Important Dates for May

May 3 ~ 7pm - Night of Worship (Note New Time)

May 11 ~ 3pm - Mothers Day Weekend Tea (Sign up outside church office)

May 15 ~ 6pm - Awana Store Night

May 19 ~ 4pm - Overseers Meeting

May 22 ~ 6pm - Awana Awards Party and Family Cookout

May 24 ~ 11am - Sr. Adult Lunch and Hymn Sing (Sign up outside church office)

May 27 - Church Office Closed for Memorial Day Holiday

