



Announcements

SUNDAY, JULY 19, 2009

1. MISSIONARIES IN FOCUS

Pete and Sheri Ketterman - Campus Outreach - South Africa
Pete serves as the Area Director over the University of Johannesburg Bunting Road and Kingsway campuses. Currently the Kettermans are on Home Ministry Assignment and expect to return to South Africa the first part of 2010. Pray that Pete and Sheri will be encouraged as they continue to increase their support base. Pray for fruitful days ahead on the campuses and that more South African students will come to know Christ. Pray that the Ketterman family will grow in their love of Christ, each other, and the people around them. The Kettermans have three young sons: Rader, Levi and Rhett.

2. SYMPATHY

Christian sympathy is extended to Cissy and Joe Boyd and their family on the death of Joe's mother, Blanche Boyd, who died July 2, in Augusta; and to Mark Gilliam and his family on the death of his step-father, Dallas Knight, who died July 3.

3. THE MCKNIGHT LECTURES SERIES

Please join us today for the McKnight Lectures in St. Andrew's Hall. The teaching will begin at 10 a.m. Curtis Schwartz will be the speaker this week and will continue teaching on the theme of Serving the God of Plenty while Living in a Time of Need.

4. COVENANTAL PARENTING WORKSHOP

Mark your calendars for a summer workshop on Covenantal Parenting. The three-part workshop will take place on July 22 and 29 from 7-9 p.m. in St. Andrew's Hall. This workshop is for parents of all stages. Charlie Stakely and Mike Hearon will lead our time on July 22, and the workshop will conclude with a panel discussion on July 29 to address questions. Nursery will be available for children ages four and under. Please RSVP to Joan Gay jgay@firstpresaugusta.org or 706-823-2455 by Monday, if you plan to attend, along with the number and ages of children who will need childcare.

5. BIBLE STUDY FOR COLLEGE FRESHMAN

Thursday, July 23 Rising College Freshman are invited to the Hearons' home, 411 Sheffield Circle, to meet with other FPC college students who are home for the summer on July 16 and 23. John Franks and Mike Hearon will be speaking specifically to students about preparing their walks and lives for college. The Bible study starts at 7 p.m.

6. WEDNESDAYS AT THE LAKE

The Children's Ministry Summer Intern, Jenn Hurst, will be at the Presbyterian Peninsula this Wednesday, July 19, to organize fun activities for those who want to participate. The Children's Ministry's hope is to give adults and children an opportunity to fellowship. All ages and stages are welcome from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. (of course church families may stay as long as they would like). Bring lunch, towels, water toys, etc. Children may not be dropped off; parents must remain at the Peninsula.

7. CHURCH WEBSITE

Take a moment to explore our newly redesigned and updated website at www.firstpresaugusta.org. Some of the new features of our website include: online giving, an easily accessible church calendar, a suggested resource section, an explanation of sanctuary symbols, past sermons for downloading, a newly designed members section, and much more.

OUR WEEKLY CALENDAR

Today

- 8:30 a.m. Morning Worship, Sanctuary
9:45 a.m. McKnight Lectures: Joint AEC, St. Andrew's Hall
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship, Sanctuary
6:30 p.m. Evening Worship Service, Sanctuary

Monday, July 20

- 7:00 p.m. Summer Upward Bound, Paulk Home

Tuesday, July 21

- 7:00 a.m. Medical Campus Outreach Prayer

Wednesday, July 22

- 7:00 p.m. Covenantal Parenting Workshop
7:00 p.m. Summer High Life, Merrill Home

Thursday, July 23

- 10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
11:15 a.m. Midweek Bible Hour
7:00 p.m. College Summer Bible Study, Hearon Home

Friday, July 24

- 10:30 a.m. High Life Flickerball, Greene Street Pavillion
12:30 p.m. High Life Fry-day, Checkers
6:00 p.m. High Life Guys' Night, Presbyterian Peninsula
6:00 p.m. High Life Girls' Night

Sunday, July 2

- 8:30 a.m. Morning Worship, Sanctuary
9:45 a.m. Joint AEC, St. Andrew's Hall
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship, Sanctuary
5:00 p.m. Session Shepherding Meeting
5:15 p.m. Missionary Prayer Hour
6:30 p.m. Evening Worship Service, Sanctuary

The Response

This is the Word of God.

Thanks be to you, O God.

The Sermon - Guidance for Christian MarriageRev. Mike Hearon

I. Guidance

A. Its Complexity

B. Its Simplicity

II. Components

A. Partnership

B. Companionship

III. Significance

A. Our Prominence to God

B. Our Response to God