

August 2018



PEAR ORCHARD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
750 PEAR ORCHARD ROAD
RIDGELAND, MS 39157

Pear Orchard News

Psalms

Timeless and Transformative

Join us for our annual Choir Concert
and Family Night Supper

August 26, 2018

5:30 p.m.

Multi-Purpose Building

Trail Life USA

The adventure of a lifetime awaits boys and young men in Trail Life USA! Trail Life USA is a Christ-centered, outdoor, character development, adventure program open to boys and young men ages 5-17. Boys will love the fun and adventure, and parents will love the commitment to a Christian worldview and moral consistency. The Pear Orchard Presbyterian Church troop (MS-1031) is actively seeking new members in preparation for the start of fall activities. The troop meets on 1st, 3rd, and 5th Monday nights during the school year [from 6:15-7:30 PM](#) in the Multi-Purpose building. If you are interested in the program, please

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- 8/3 - 6:00 p.m. - Young Marrieds Fellowship
- 8/7 - 9:00 a.m. - *Lydia* Circle - parlor
- 8/14 - 10:00 a.m. - *Tabitha* Circle - home of Tammie Haynes
- 8/14 - 6:30 p.m. - *Ruth* Circle - home of Maggie Ethridge
- 8/13 - First day of CCS
- 8/13 - 5:30 p.m. - Diaconate Meeting
- 8/19 - Ladies Luncheon - Multi-Purpose Building
- 8/20 - 6:30 p.m. - Session Meeting
- 8/26 - 5:30 p.m. - *Psalms Concert* - Family Night Supper

AUGUST USHERS - EARLY

Adam Adcock

Denny Britt

Mike Eady

Madison Taylor (H)

AUGUST USHERS -LATE

Peter Boswell

Lee Herring (H)

Robby Hansbrough

Jimmy Spell

6/30 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Through June, actual general fund contributions were \$40,029 less than budgeted general fund contributions. Actual total expenses were \$4,445 less than budgeted total expenses, and actual net loss was \$31,415 more than the budgeted net loss. Here are the details:

	Six Months Ended 6/30/18		
	Actual	Budget	Variance
General Fund Contributions	688,462	728,491	(40,029)
Reimburse from Christ Covenant Sch	125,190	125,190	0
Reimburse from Staff Escrow Funds	15,417	11,014	4,403
Other	1,366	1,600	(234)
Total Revenues	830,435	866,295	(35,860)
Staff Expense	501,093	515,240	(14,147)
General Expense	55,081	60,225	(5,144)
Building Expense	287,178	270,934	16,244
Ministries Expense	44,618	42,014	2,604
Benevolence Expense	78,846	82,848	(4,002)
Total Expenses	966,816	971,261	(4,445)
Net Income (Loss)	(136,381)	(104,966)	(31,415)

Education Bldg Loan Payable 463,711

Reserve Fund Balance 59,135

Reserve Fund Requirement 169,299

Reserve Fund Excess (Deficit) (110,164)

YOUNG MARRIEDS FELLOWSHIP

Young Marrieds Fellowship is on Friday, August 3, from 6:00-7:30 in the cafeteria. If you are 35 or younger and have been married for 10 years or less, join us for dinner and discussion led by Pastor Caleb. The cost is \$15 per couple. Childcare will be provided. We will have dinner for the older children; please pack a snack/dinner for children 2 & under. Please register by August 1 at <http://www.tinyurl.com/youngmarrieds>.

POPC YOUTH

August 5: Join us for a reception honoring Molly and her time serving with the youth ministry on Sunday, August 5 after evening worship in the gym! Molly has been on staff for the past 4 and a half years. There will be drinks and dessert.

August 15: The next Parent Seminar will be Wednesday, August 15 in the Refuge. Wilson will lead a discussion on depression. More details to come!

August 22: Join us starting Wednesday, August 22 as we begin our fall study on the book of Mark. Every Wednesday night from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

August 26: Our junior high and senior high fellowships (Shazam and Vittles) will start Sunday, August 26.

POPC'S SONBEAMS MINISTRY

is offering a *Sonbeams Night Out* for parents of special needs children and their siblings, as well as adults with special needs on Friday, September 7, from 6:30-9:00 p.m. Please call Morgan Vitart at 601-717-4058 if you would like to volunteer.

Attention Youth!

Shazam and Vittles

Resume Sunday, August 26

NEW PLACES AND NEW FACES AT CCS

Christ Covenant School is excited to begin our 17th year as we open our doors for the 2018-19 school year on August 13, 2018!

Our campus has been busy with activity during the summer months as we have planned for the new school year and made several enhancements to our campus. CCS is installing several new pieces of preschool playground equipment to complement our Motor Lab program established to help young children further develop their fine and gross motor skills. Children at church and school will enjoy a crocodile balance beam, climbing cave, and whirlwind spinner. Other updates include painting of hallways and classrooms, technology investments, and more to refresh the building before the new school year.

We welcome a few new faces to our team: Mrs. Kathryn Watson, Preschool Teacher; Mrs. Holly Moore, Kindergarten Teacher; Mrs. Lora McDaniel, 3rd Grade Teacher; and Mrs. Janet Montgomery, Kindergarten Assistant. POPC members who will be joining us this year are **Mrs. Caroline Grenfell**, 4th Grade Teacher; **Mrs. Rachel Primos**, 2nd Grade Teacher; and **Mrs. Maggie Ingram**, 8th Grade English Teacher.

Other new staff members this year include: Mrs. Kelly Williamson, Receptionist, and Mrs. Julie Golson, Ren Web Coordinator. POPC member, **Mrs. Jennifer White**, will be joining us as Marketing Director.

We are grateful to the Lord for His continued blessing as we partner with our covenant families for the upcoming 2018--2019 academic year. We covet your prayers and support for our school community as we persist in our commitment to excellence and our commitment to Christ!

The mission of Christ Covenant School is to partner with Christian parents in teaching, training and equipping their children academically and spiritually so that they would be able to love the Lord, to think biblically, and to glorify God in every area of life.

Ladies Fall Luncheon

8-19-2018

12 noon - 2:00 p.m.

Multi-Purpose Building

Ladies, 9th grade and up, are invited to lunch in the Multi-Purpose Building immediately following the second service on August 19. Please join us for fellowship, food, and a time to hear about opportunities for spiritual growth and ways to serve our church body and the community.

Sanctuary Choir Resumes

August 1~ 6:30 p.m.

Room 138

August Nursery

August 5

John & Kathryn Wiggins	8:15	2 & 3 yrs
Russ Upton	8:15	2's helper
Trey & Catherine Bruce	8:15	4 yrs
Corrie Lee	8:15	Infants
Gracie Lee	8:15	Crawlers
Cameron Fowler	8:15	Cruisers
Wes Fowler	8:15	Toddlers
Crystal Newquist	9:50	Infants
Allison Morris	9:50	Crawlers
Blake Morris	9:50	Cruisers
Jimmy Newquist	9:50	Toddlers
Stephanie Price	10:45	Infants
Anna Grace Randle	10:45	Crawlers
Pat White	10:45	Cruisers
Walker Price	10:45	Toddlers
Robin & Alice Harrigill	10:45	2 & 3 yrs
Dylan Harrigill	10:45	2's helper
Bobby & Sara Bullock	10:45	4 yrs

August 12

John & Kathryn Long	8:15	2 & 3 yrs
Katie Ann Long	8:15	2's helper
Newell & Swayn Simrall	8:15	4 yrs
Anna Lee	8:15	Infants
Mary Grace Kelley	8:15	Crawlers
Karlee Beth Kelley	8:15	Cruisers
John Charles Kwasny	8:15	Toddlers
Suzanne Kelley	9:50	Infants
Bethany Hembree	9:50	Crawlers
Rob Hembree	9:50	Cruisers
Barry Kelley	9:50	Toddlers
Allison Miller	10:45	Infants
Mary Patton Murphy	10:45	Crawlers
Julia Miller	10:45	Cruisers
Mills Murphy	10:45	Toddlers
Steve & Tracey Wimberly	10:45	2 & 3 yrs
Haley Wimberly	10:45	2's helper
Jamie & Jenny Murphy	10:45	4 yrs

August 19

Chad & Meredith Johnson	8:15	2 & 3 yrs
Caroline Ingram	8:15	2's helper
Brad & Maggie Ingram	8:15	4 yrs
Jeanne Russ	8:15	Infants
Linda Morris	8:15	Crawlers
Steve Morris	8:15	Cruisers
Rod Russ	8:15	Toddlers
Cissie Posey	9:50	Infants
Grazyna Rajkowska	9:50	Crawlers
Phil Posey	9:50	Cruisers
Craig Stockmeier	9:50	Toddlers
Janet Shearer	10:45	Infants
Kate Milam	10:45	Crawlers
William Milam	10:45	Cruisers
Sam Shearer	10:45	Toddlers
Matt & Ginny Futvoye	10:45	2 & 3 yrs
Ben Futvoye	10:45	2's helper
Tom & Leslie Milam	10:45	4 yrs

August 26

John & Ashleigh Perritt	8:15	2 & 3 yrs
Price Perkins	8:15	2's helper
Glen & Emily Ulrich	8:15	4 yrs
Mary Frances Smith	8:15	Infants
Campbell Perkins	8:15	Crawlers
Katherine Kwasny	8:15	Cruisers
Jacob Perkins	8:15	Toddlers
Christy Walker	9:50	Infants
Kelli Ricchetti	9:50	Crawlers
Robin Ricchetti	9:50	Cruisers
Matt Walker	9:50	Toddlers
Amanda Shelt	10:45	Infants
Beth Ann Cangelosi	10:45	Crawlers
Stephen Shelt	10:45	Cruisers
Ryan Ricchetti	10:45	Toddlers
John & Susan Ryan	10:45	2 & 3 yrs
Parker Ryan	10:45	2's helper
Ron & Laura McMaster	10:45	4 yrs

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August Birthdays

Will Johnson	8/1	Caleb Franklin	8/20
Mary Kelly Branning	8/2	Luke Adcock	8/21
Joseph Watts	8/2	Jim Lee	8/21
Timmy Langston	8/2	Will Morgan	8/21
Amber Perritt	8/2	Carolyn Grace Fincher	8/22
Christy Walker	8/3	Rachel Reese	8/22
Megan Pace	8/3	Wilson Eatherly	8/22
Ken Utley	8/3	Christina Franklin	8/22
Jeffery Jones	8/4	Suzanne Kelley	8/23
Libby Grenfell	8/5	Lanelle Fincher	8/23
Parker Hembree	8/5	Emmie Kwasny	8/23
Cindy Fox	8/6	John Kwasny	8/23
Jean Oliver	8/6	Daniel Borden	8/23
Noah Adcock	8/6	Bill Alvis	8/24
Carter Miles Payne	8/6	Dorothy Williams	8/24
Judy Satterwhite	8/8	Whitney Reece	8/25
Austin Stewart	8/11	Julia Miller	8/26
Charlie Upton	8/11	Murray Fincher	8/27
Cindy Lee	8/11	Patsy Holeman	8/28
Mary Joe Wicke	8/11	Katie Anne Long	8/29
Anne Clark Harvey	8/12	Alice Harrigill	8/29
Natalie Tackitt	8/12	Sydney Richardson	8/29
Debbie Holbrook	8/13	Holden Mitchell	8/30
Peter Boswell	8/14	Sarah Tackitt	8/31
Brian Sprow	8/14	Walt Lucas	8/31
Sam Sprow	8/14	Brannan Jones	8/31
Peggy Denny	8/14		
Cissie Posey	8/14		
Peter Jernberg	8/14		
Kathryn Wiggins	8/15		
Nicole Riles	8/15		
Susan Woods	8/16		
Mark Franklin	8/17		
Nora Beth Smith	8/17		
Caroline Ingram	8/17		
Laura Montgomery	8/17		
Grace Alvis	8/18		
Lucy Mae Ulrich	8/18		
Nicholas Adcock	8/19		



LADIES MONTHLY BIBLE STUDIES FOR AUGUST:

Lydia Circle will meet Tuesday, August 7, in the parlor at 9:00 a.m. They will begin by making birthday cards for *Sonbeams*. *Tabitha* Circle will meet on Tuesday, August 14 at 10:00 a.m. in the home of Tammie Haynes (414 Berkshire Drive, Ridgeland; 601-966-6547). *Ruth* Circle will also meet Tuesday, August 14, at 6:30 p.m. in the home of Maggie Ethridge (701 Madeira Court, Madison; 601-668-5812). Those attending should let Amy Hatchett know by emailing to: amy@hatchettfamily.net.

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email Brad Hatchett, Troopmaster (troopmaster@traillife1031.org) for more information, or visit our website (www.traillife1031.org). Interested families are invited and encouraged to come to our first troop meeting on August 20, 2018 to experience the program first hand, and to see what Trail Life has to offer."