

June 2019



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

# Pear Orchard News

## ATTENTION LADIES, COLLEGE AGE AND UP!

Join your POPC sisters for Summer Suppers! We'll have sweet fellowship and delicious food, short devotionals and small group discussions.

June 6 ~ Catherine Stradinger ~ 131 Meadowlark Lane ~ Ridgeland, 39157

June 14 ~ Frances Wilson ~ 744 Lenox Drive ~ Jackson, 39211

June 20 ~ Linda Morris ~ 484 Bozeman Road ~ Madison, 39110

Our theme is "Flourish!" Come hear what Jesus says about thriving in relationship with Him.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR MISSION FIRST: JUNE 10-13

A group from POPC will once again be going to Mission First (which now includes Neighborhood Christian Center) to host a Vacation Bible School. The VBS will offer Bible lessons, crafts, music, and recreation, as well as opportunities to build lasting relationships with the children and staff and volunteers at Mission First. VBS will be from 12 noon - 3:00 p.m. each day. If you are interested in being a part of this team, donating money for snacks, or have questions, contact Susan McCullough ([susanbmcc@gmail.com](mailto:susanbmcc@gmail.com), 201-2346) or Frances Wilson ([flcwilson4@gmail.com](mailto:flcwilson4@gmail.com), 720-8002).



## Congratulations to our 8<sup>th</sup> grade students!

"The steps of a man are established by the Lord, when he delights in his way" (ESV, Psalm 37:23)

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### Special points of interest:

- 6/4 - 9:00 a.m. - *Lydia* Circle - Parlor
- 6/10 - 5:30 p.m. - Diaconate Meeting
- 6/11 - 10:00 a.m. - *Tabitha* Circle - home of Tammie Haynes
- 6/11 - 6:30 p.m. - *Ruth* Circle - home of Amy Hatchett
- 6/15 - 6:30 p.m. - Young Marrieds Family Picnic
- 6/17 - 6:30 p.m. - Session Meeting
- 6/24-28 - General Assembly - Dallas, TX

## USHERS FOR JUNE

### EARLY SERVICE - 8:30 a.m.

Rob Austin

Andy Clark

Brad Hatchett (H)

Jason Miller

Kap Primos

Greg Smith

### LATE SERVICE - 11:00 a.m.

Bob Austin

Bill Hatchiff

Maret Maxwell

Will Morgan (H)

## 4/30 Financial Highlights

Through April, actual general fund contributions were \$16,775 less than budgeted general fund contributions. Actual total expenses were \$27,770 less than budgeted total expenses, and actual net loss was \$10,734 less than the budgeted net loss. Here are the details:

	Four Months Ended 4/30/19		
	Actual	Budget	Variance
General Fund Contributions	461,042	477,817	(16,775)
Reimburse from Christ Covenant Sch	83,460	83,460	0
Reimburse from Staff Escrow Funds	36,430	36,429	0
Other	845	1,107	(261)
Total Revenues	581,777	598,813	(17,036)
Staff Expense	386,350	394,497	(8,147)
General Expense	41,928	44,271	(2,343)
Building Expense	171,669	186,786	(15,117)
Ministries Expense	28,876	29,362	(486)
Benevolence Expense	52,771	54,448	(1,677)
Total Expenses	681,594	709,364	(27,770)
Net Income (Loss)	(99,817)	(110,551)	10,734
Education Bldg Loan Payable	320,016		
Reserve Fund Balance	100,861		
Reserve Fund Requirement	172,685		
Reserve Fund Excess (Deficit)	(71,824)		

HAPPY  
FATHER'S DAY!

June 16, 2019

## SHOWER IN THE FORECAST!

Our Women's Ministries invite all ladies to celebrate with us a bridal shower for Emmalyne Kwasny on Saturday, June 8, from 10:00-12:00 in the cafeteria! They are registered at Bed Bath & Beyond, The Pine Cone, Dillards, and Everyday Gourmet.

## June is Men's Choir Month

**Who? All men (rising 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and up)**

**What? Singing together**

**When? Wednesdays, June 12, 19, 26 - 6:30-7:30 p.m.**

**Where? Choir Room No. 138**

**Why? For encouragement in faith, building up the body of Christ and fellowship together**

# POPC YOUTH MINISTRY

## SUMMER LARGE GROUP STUDY: "CHRISTIANITY ACCORDING TO CHRIST"

This summer, we will be looking at the Gospels to see what Jesus thought a true Christian would look like after conversion. What fruit would they show? What habits would they have? What makes them different than everyone else? In this short series, we will be covering topics such as: Knowing Christ, Repentance, Prayer, Scripture, and Loving Others. The series will be preached by Wilson, Scott, Jacob Beard, and Zach Byrd (RTS student).

OUR NURSERY MINISTRY IS AN EVERY MEMBER MINISTRY! One of our distinctives as Presbyterians and as Christians is our belief in the covenant of grace in Jesus Christ. An essential application of that gospel truth is our responsibility to one another in our covenant community. Taking a turn in caring for our nursery children is a beautiful and needful outworking of that application. Thank you for taking seriously the responsibility to love and nurture the littlest of Christ's lambs!

### SUPER SUMMER SUNDAY NIGHTS BEGIN JUNE 2!

Children presently in the 4-year olds, Kindergarten, and 1<sup>st</sup> grade Sunday School classes will be dismissed during evening worship to the Outback Room for Bible study and activities. All children 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and older will remain in Evening Worship throughout the summer, until Children's Choirs resume. We would love to have all of our covenant children worshipping with us Sunday evenings this summer!

### YOUNG MARRIEDS FAMILY PICNIC:

On Saturday, June 15, from 4:00-7:00 p.m., we will have a family picnic (bring your children!) at the home of Greg and Margaret Sprow. The cost will be \$10 per family. Bring a blanket or chairs, a side or dessert, and outdoor games, and come enjoy the afternoon together. This is a great opportunity to invite friends from outside the church to get to know our families! Please register at [tinyurl.com/youngmarrieds](http://tinyurl.com/youngmarrieds).

### June Nursery Schedule

<b>June 2</b>			<b>June 23</b>		
Chad & Meredith Johnson	8:15	2 & 3 yrs	Bill Alvis	9:50	Toddlers
Nathaniel Kwasny	8:15	2's helper	Ron & Jen Austin	10:45	2 & 3 yrs
Mike & Susan Eady	8:15	4 yrs	Bethany Austin	10:45	2's helper
Emily Guo	8:15	Infants/Craw	John & Anna Clemmer	10:45	4 yrs
Maggie & Brinkley Boswell	8:15	Cruisers	Susan Kerr	10:45	Infants/Craw
Graham Guo	8:15	Toddlers	Jo Hubbard	8:15	Cruisers
Lanelle Fincher	9:50	Infants/Craw	Bryan Kerr	10:45	Toddlers
Wendy Herring	9:50	Cruisers	<b>June 30</b>		
Lee Herring	9:50	Toddlers	Brad & Maggie Ingram	8:15	2 & 3 yrs
Allan & Heatherly Edgar	10:45	2 & 3 yrs	Caroline Ingram	8:15	2's helper
Anna Edgar	10:45	2's helper	Madison & Liz Taylor	8:15	4 yrs
Harper & Gini Maddox	10:45	4 yrs	Jennifer & Ellie White	8:15	Infants/Craw
Lela Carter	10:45	Infants/Craw	Sara Fox	8:15	Cruisers
Kacky Darnall	10:45	Cruisers	John Fox	8:15	Toddlers
Alan Carter	10:45	Toddlers	Evie Clark	9:50	Infants/Craw
<b>June 9</b>			Christie Walker	9:50	Cruisers
Tony & Gretchen Franklin	8:15	2 & 3 yrs	Rusty Clark	9:50	Toddlers
Joshua Franklin	8:15	2's helper	Trey & Catherine Bruce	10:45	2 & 3 yrs
Brent & Susan McCullouch	8:15	4 yrs		10:45	2's helper
Christina Franklin	8:15	Infants/Craw	Bobby & Sara Bullock	10:45	4 yrs
Sarah Franklin	8:15	Cruisers	Tammie Haynes	10:45	Infants/Craw
John Murry McCullouch	8:15	Toddlers	Evan Haynes	10:45	Cruisers
Morgan Vitart	9:50	Infants/Craw	Ken Haynes	10:45	Toddlers
Mary Triplett	9:50	Cruisers	<b>June 30</b>		
Les Triplett	9:50	Toddlers	Todd & Beth Perkins	8:15	2 & 3 yrs
Clay & Kristen Meyer	10:45	2 & 3 yrs	Price Perkins	8:15	2's helper
Will Meyer	10:45	2's helper	Andy & Kristi Clark	8:15	4 yrs
Jack & Amanda Wilson	10:45	4 yrs	Meg Branning	8:15	Infants/Craw
Julia Whitton	10:45	Infants/Craw	Crystal Newquist	8:15	Cruisers
Merrin Meyer	10:45	Cruisers	Charlie Branning	8:15	Toddlers
Landon Whitton	10:45	Toddlers	Jackie Shelt	9:50	Infants/Craw
<b>June 16</b>			Cissie Posey	9:50	Cruisers
Bob & Parke Fowler	8:15	2 & 3 yrs	Phil Posey	9:50	Toddlers
Wes Fowler	8:15	2's helper	John & Margaret Harvey	10:45	2 & 3 yrs
Will & Laura Montgomery	8:15	4 yrs	Jack Harvey	10:45	2's helper
Cathy Haynie	8:15	Infants/Craw	Steve & Tracey Wimberley	10:45	4 yrs
Jamie Werne	8:15	Cruisers	Micki Smith	10:45	Infants/Craw
Jack Haynie	8:15	Toddlers	Abbey McRoberts	10:45	Cruisers
Brenda Alvis	9:50	Infants/Craw	Scott Miller	10:45	Toddlers
Grace Alvis	9:50	Cruisers			

## June Birthdays

Molly Barnes	6/1	Jackie Shelt	6/15
Eric Lee Patterson	6/2	Mary Shelton Gamblin	6/16
Amy Brown	6/2	Todd Perkins	6/18
Olivia Hembree	6/2	Amanda Carraway	6/18
Clark Spencer	6/2	Scott Miller	6/18
Katie Tackitt	6/2	Sarah Perritt	6/18
Laura Ann Kelley	6/3	Micki Smith	6/19
Margaret Thompson	6/3	Serena Lucas	6/19
Miles Denny	6/3	Barry Carpenter	6/19
Peter Clark	6/4	Hannah Reese	6/19
Bruce Payne	6/5	Adeline Wade	6/21
Anna Claire Haynie	6/5	Lindsey Evans	6/21
Jimmy Newquist	6/6	Susan Spencer	6/21
John Fox	6/6	Craig Stockmeier	6/22
Mills Murphy	6/6	Sean Bland	6/22
Linda Morris	6/8	Evie Edgar	6/23
Ben Mitchell	6/8	Bonita Murphy	6/23
Will McMaster	6/8	Jack Wilson	6/23
Ian Graham Lewis	6/8	Emily Wilson	6/23
Hayes Grenfell	6/9	Madison Gray	6/23
Maggie Ethridge	6/9	Kelley Hansbrough	6/24
Trhesa Patterson	6/9	May May Fincher	6/24
Charlie Clark	6/9	Brenda Alvis	6/25
Lily Clemmer	6/10	Dylan Harrigill	6/26
John Clemmer	6/11	Liz Taylor	6/26
Andrew Beard	6/12	Victoria Lamar	6/27
Clark Beard	6/12	Steve Morris	6/27
Jacob Beard	6/12	Sarah Boswell	6/27
James Beard	6/12	Newell Simrall, V	6/30
Virginia Futvoye	6/13		
Ford Futvoye	6/13		
Bob Austin	6/13		
Heatherly Edgar	6/13		
Jackie Ross	6/13		
Myriam Paz	6/13		
Brad Maley	6/14		
Susan Ryan	6/14		
Ella Jayne Files	6/15		



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## LADIES MONTHLY BIBLE STUDIES:

*Lydia* Circle will meet Tuesday, June 4, in the parlor at 9:00 a.m. They will begin by making birthday cards for *Sonbeams*. *Tabitha* Circle will meet on Tuesday, June 11, at 10:00 a.m. in the home of Tammie Haynes (414 Berkshire Drive, Ridgeland; 966-6547). *Ruth* Circle will also meet Tuesday, June 11, at 6:30 p.m. in the home of Amy Hatchett (109 Blackburn Court, Madison; 832-4041). Those attending should let Amy know by emailing to: [amy@hatchettfamily.net](mailto:amy@hatchettfamily.net).

## VBS COMING SOON!

*The Scottish Sleuths*  
*and the Case of the Puzzling Parables*  
July 15-19, 2019

We need YOU! Please contact Kristi Clark (601-594-9832) or Adelle Johnson (601-259-8215) to join us for the BEST week of the year! Please register your children for VBS on POPC website!