



# The First Word

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**Sunday, October 30**  
**5:00-7:00 PM**  
**Main Parking Lot**

- **Candy**
- **Hot Dogs, Popcorn, Nachos, Boiled Peanuts**
- **Cake Walk**
- **Bounce House**
- **Rock Climbing Wall**
- **Hay Rides, Train Rides**
- **\$100 Prize for the Best Decorated Trunk!**
- **BRING YOUR FRIENDS!**

## Trunk or Treat Candy!

### Bible Fellowship Group Assignments

Bible Fellowship Group classes are assigned to bring specific candies to stock this event.

Please bring as many bags as you can! We will be collecting through Wednesday, October 26. Bring all candy to the area around the Preschool registration where there are large containers for collections. *All candy must be individually wrapped!*

M & M's (Pittman)

Cakes and Cupcakes. These are for the cakewalk. (Carter, Sammons, D. Thomas, )

Snickers and MilkyWay Miniatures (Clifton, W. Jones, G. Jones, )

Smarties (Ansley, Lamar)

Tootsie Roll Pops (Krug, Raulerson)

Candy Corn and Starburst (Purvis, Hyatt, Stokes)

Nestle Crunch Miniatures (J. Thomas, Schramm, All Singles)

SweeTarts & Skittles (Youngblood, Hagan, 6th-12th Grades)

Bite size Hershey/Mr. Goodbars (Children and Preschool)

## MISSIONS 2016

Listed below are the mission trips currently calendered. These trips are all scheduled with our mission partners and flights booked. Please be in prayer for the missions teams and those that they will come in contact with, that many will be influenced for Christ.

<u>WHERE</u>	<u>WHEN</u>	<u>CONTACT/TEAM LEADER</u>
Senegal	November 5-12	TBA



***SUPER HERO NIGHT***  
***WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26***  
***6:00 - 8:45 PM***  
***FAMILY LIFE CENTER***



## ***EXTREME HERO CONTESTS***

- ⊙ ***SPIDER MAN CLIMB***
- ⊙ ***HULK WRECHING BALL***
- ⊙ ***IRON MAN GRAVITY BALL***
- ⊙ ***SUPERMAN FLY***
- ⊙ ***KNOCKER BALL BATTLE***
- ⊙ ***CUSTOM AWARDS FOR BEST HERO***

***FOOD! FUN! STORY OF FAITH!***  
***BRING YOUR FRIENDS!***



## Prayer Threads

**October 19**  
**9:00 AM-Noon**  
**FLC102**

Prayer Threads is a ministry that comes together monthly to pray for missions and create gifts and lap quilts that are used in our Clown Ministry. Everyone is welcome.

If you have questions contact Laura Gaille Carter at 879-1042 or Carol Sauls at 764-2677.



## OPERATION Christmas Child

*Collection Week*  
**NOVEMBER 14-21**

*Click Here* for a link to the Operation Christmas Child website.

Boxes and fliers will be available in the foyer Sunday, November 5.

Start collecting items now to fill your box(es)!



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discover serve

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Wednesday 6:45 PM



**PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY**

Led by Pastor Lynn Hyatt weekly in the Chapel

Brother Lynn leads a weekly Bible study that usually centers upon a theme that will run for several weeks. Recent multi-week themes have included; books of the Bible, people of the Bible and doctrines of the Bible to name a few. This weekly study is appropriate for all believers, whether you have been a Christian several days or several years.

Many times these sessions allow for questions and discussion and provide an excellent opportunity to hear our pastor in a more casual setting.

**Upcoming Classes**



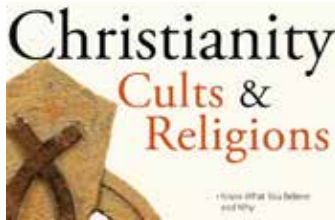
**The 7 Rings of Marriage**

A Video study  
from Jackie Bledsoe

Eight week class:

October 26-December 21 (no class November 23)

From the engagement ring to years after the wedding ring, every season of a marriage requires renewed commitment, fresh perspective, and practical Biblical wisdom. Each of the 7 "rings" outlined in this study will teach couples to view their marriage with the end in mind, ultimately leading to a lasting and fulfilling relationship in every stage of marriage.



**Christianity Cults and Religions**

Five week class:

October 26-November 30 (no class November 23)

**Know what you believe and why!**

- How is Mormonism different from Christianity?
- When Jehovah's Witnesses say they believe in Jesus, what do they **actually** believe about Him?
- What is the difference between Sunni and Shi'ite Muslims?
- What do I say to a friend, neighbor or co-worker about another faith?

This study explains the history, background and beliefs of the largest world religions and cultic groups, including Islam, Buddhism, Hinduism, Mormonism, Jehovah's Witnesses and more.



**Griefshare**

Thirteen session class:

November 2 - February 8, 2017

(no class November 23 or December 28)

Help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member or friend.

Griefshare is a weekly seminar/support group for people grieving the death of someone close. This class uses video seminars, group discussions and personal study and reflection to help you heal.



**CHILDREN'S SUNDAY  
DISCIPLESHIP SCHEDULE**

6:30 PM



**Kidz Word of Life  
Bible Study**  
For Kidz K4-5th Grades

- **Gopher Buddies** (K4-Kindergarten)
- **Challengers** (Grades 1-2)
- **Conquerors** (Grades 3-4)
- **Champions** (5<sup>th</sup> Grade)

All groups should check in upstairs  
in the Educational Building



**CHILDREN'S  
WORSHIP MINISTRY**  
WEDNESDAYS 6:45 PM



"Kids Worship for Life" provides opportunities for all children to connect with God through musical expression, art activities, Bible study and group interaction.

There are two levels; K4-1<sup>st</sup> Grade and 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grades. **Both groups should register upstairs in the Educational Building.**





## Coming Up...

Trunk or Treat  
Youth Super Hero Night Event  
New Discipleship Classes  
Time Change Sunday

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## Dates to Note

November 20  
Thanksgiving Dinner & Service

December 8  
Senior Adult Christmas Fellowship

December 16 & 17  
Ladies' Retreat

December 18  
Christmas Service & Reception

December 24  
Christmas Eve Service



## Time Change Sunday, November 6

Move your clocks BACK  
one hour Saturday Night,  
November 5 and be on time  
for Bible Fellowship Groups  
and Worship!