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Our Mission is: To Seek the Savior and Follow the Model of the Master ~ Acts 2:42-47

Week of August 16, 2020

Sunday Schedule

SUNDAY SCHOOL ~ 9:00 AM

WORSHIP SERVICE ~ 10:30 AM

New Members Class

This class meets quarterly on Sundays at 9:00 am in Room 107. Sign up at the Hub. The date for the next class will be announced in the fall.

Sunday Evenings

Praising Hands ~ 4:30 pm ~ Sanctuary
Preschool Choir ~ 4:30 pm ~ Building 200
Kids Choir ~ 5:00 pm ~ Building 200
Pathways ~ Live Like Jesus Lived ~ 6:00 pm ~ Room 106

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

Prayer Meeting
6:00 pm to 6:30 pm ~ Room 103
Student Ministries ~ 6:00 pm
Worship Choir & Orchestra Practice,
Adult Bible Studies and TeamKID ~ 6:30 pm

Ministry Teams

If you serve on a Ministry Team, please see page 4 to make sure your name is listed under your team or if you no longer serve on a ministry team and your name is listed, please email mary@thesummitchurch.com so we can update team information. Also, let us know if you hold a position on your team such as Council Rep. Thank you!

Deacon of the Week: Alvin Kent ~ 770-653-6945

Summit Baptist Church has Reopened.

Registration is necessary for all who plan to attend Sunday morning worship services until further notice due to limited seating. Volunteers must also register. Please register via the church website ~ thesummitchurch.com.

*Student and College Ministries are back on Wednesday nights at 6:00 pm! For more information, contact Rick Black ~ 404-451-2807 for Student Ministry
Phillip Mobley ~ 770-262-9846 for College Ministry*

Sundays at The Summit

(August 9, 2020)

Sunday School:

Preschool ~ 0

Children ~ 0

Student ~ 0

Adult ~ 0

Worship Service ~ 94

Budget Requirements ~ **\$10,298.51**

Undesignated Receipts ~ \$10,521.82

On-Line Budget Receipts ~ \$887.88

Total Undesignated Budget Receipts ~ \$11,409.70

Designated Gifts ~ \$1,376.38

Omega Trail ~ \$

Weekday Preschool ~ \$1,605.00

Total Receipts ~ \$14,391.08

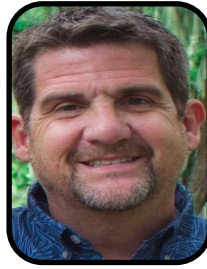
General Budget Year To Date

Budget Requirements ~ \$329,552.32

Undesignated Receipts ~ \$344,364.40

All new ads/ad updates need to be emailed to mary@thesummitchurch.com no later than 9:00 am Wednesdays.

From
the desk
of...
Pastor Jeff Merritt



(Continued from last week)

There were seven identifiable marks of the disciples who had been with Jesus. Those seven marks were also true of the disciples of the original disciples. The question I have for you is whether or not these marks are true for you? As a result of being with Jesus, have you become a fully connected and spiritually developing disciple? Have you become a member of His mission? Are you magnifying Jesus in worship? Are you a minister to those in need? Are you maturing in your faith? Are you managing your resources wisely? Have you become a messenger of the good news? Are you becoming a multiplier of disciples? Are these seven marks true of your life? If one of the marks of a disciple is missing in your life, take the steps to get connected. Jesus Christ wants you to be a fully connected, spiritually developing disciple.

A “Fully Trained” or “Fully Connected” disciple is not difficult to identify. He or she looks like their teacher. A disciple of Christ that is “Fully Connected” ought to have the same characteristics of Christ. As a result of spending time with Jesus, the twelve disciples demonstrated the following marks of a disciple. As they made disciples, their disciples demonstrated the same seven marks.

- They were **members** of Christ’s mission and movement.
- They were **magnifiers** of Christ through worship.
- They were **ministers** of Christ through serving.
- They were **maturing** in Christ through spiritual growth.
- They were **managers** of Christ’s resources.
- They were **messengers** of Christ through sharing.
- They were **multiplying** Christ through making disciples.

So, what is a disciple? A disciple is a person that is fully connected and looks like Jesus Christ! A fully connected person is not some abstract concept. This person has a clearly identifiable set of characteristics that demonstrate what a disciple of Christ truly is. With this in mind, let’s begin examining each mark of a disciple of Jesus.

A Disciple Is A Magnifier

If you study the Gospels you will see a pattern. Over and over again Jesus Christ is exalting and magnifying God the Father. In fact, Jesus gives the Father credit for everything He does. In John 15:15 Jesus said, “...All that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you.” In John 17:7 Jesus said, “Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you.” Jesus was clearly giving the Father credit for everything He did. Jesus was magnifying the Father!

In the First Church in Jerusalem, this pattern of magnifying and worshipping God is a regular practice of believers. In Acts 2:46 & 47 believers are described as regularly meeting in the temple court and “praising God” together. The earliest disciples were known to be people of worship. Worship was a priority in their lives, and they worshipped God both privately and corporately. Worship was a lifestyle for the original disciples and their disciples.

Disciples in today’s world ought to also be marked by worship. If a person claims to be a disciple of Jesus and they never worship, something is wrong. If a disciple has no time for personal worship and corporate worship, he or she might not be a disciple of Christ in the first place.

Are you a magnifier? Are you living a lifestyle of worship that is clear for the entire world to see? Do you make time for daily personal worship of God? Do you consistently meet with other believers for a corporate expression of worship to Jesus Christ? If you said “No” to any of those questions, it is time to become a magnifier. It is time to have your life marked by magnifying Jesus Christ.

I encourage you to be praying for Summit Leadership as we redesign a church in these strange days to encourage you to worship God both corporately, online, or other ways. We are prayerfully considering other options to provide you with more opportunities to worship God. Praise God!



Book 5 *Serve Like Jesus Served*

Please contact the church office if you would like to have a proofed copy of this Pathway book. We will gladly print a copy for you.

Ministry Events at Summit Baptist Church

Preschool and Children's Ministry

August 29th (10:00 am to Noon) ~ Wild and Wacky Water Day/Back to School Party ~

This event will be held at Summit Baptist Church and is for Grades ~ Kindergarten through 5th.

Come join us for a fun morning of wild and wacky water games!!

Wear a bathing suit or something you don't mind getting wet. Bring a towel and sunscreen. We will have drinks and ice cream for snacks. This event will be cancelled if it is raining.

Student Ministry

Keep up with our Student Ministry through the Summit Student Ministry Facebook Page, Instagram (@summitbcestudents) and YouTube (link on FB and IG).

Student Ministry Parent Luncheon ~ August 16th ~ right after morning worship service

Senior Adult Ministry

All Fellowship Dinners are canceled until further notice.

Ladies' Ministry

Ladies' Wednesday night Bible Study will hopefully start back in September. We are planning on doing "What Matters Most: A Study of Philippians" by Karen Ehman.

Music Ministry

Join the Choir or Orchestra once we are able to return to our 6:30 pm Wednesday night practices!

Upcoming Churchwide Events

August 13th ~ Summit Academy Extra Session for Students ~ 8:30 am to 1:00 pm ~ Building 300

August 13th ~ Summit Academy Orientation ~ 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm ~ Building 300

August 16th ~ Promotion Sunday

August 20th ~ Summit Academy School Year Begins ~ 8:30 am to 1:30 pm ~ Building 300/100

August 26th ~ Weekday Preschool Open House

August 30th ~ Omega Trail Promo Sunday

September 7th ~ Labor Day (Church Office Closed)

September 8th ~ Deacon's Meeting ~ 7:00 pm ~ Pastor's Office

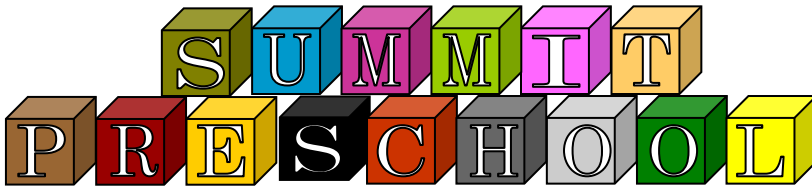
September 12th ~ Omega Trail Saturday Work Days Begin ~ 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

September 13th ~ Team Meetings ~ 12:00 pm ~ Building 100 Classrooms

*(Zoom Meetings and Emails are encouraged rather than meeting together on campus.)

September 13th ~ Omega Trail Drama Practice ~ 2:00 pm

September 14th ~ Church Council Meeting ~ 7:00 pm ~ Building 200



Registration for Weekday Preschool at Summit is **OPEN**. Enrollment forms are available on our church website and in the church office. We have availability in all classes from Toddlers through 4 Year Olds.



Wade and Jennifer Phillips ~ by letter



RECYCLE YOUR SOFT DRINK CANS!

Please bring your empty drink cans to the collection box behind Building 200 to support building debt.



Check the Lost 'n' Found located in the Building 100 Work Room if you have lost your Bible, clothes, etc. Miscellaneous items that have been in Lost 'n' Found for several weeks will be donated to the FISH.

2020 Ministry Team Members ~ New team members are always welcome. Contact the Team Chairman.

Connecting Team

Rick Black ~ Staff Rep
Brooke Tormey
Roger Smith
Kenny Howard
Jordie Black

Hostess Team

Lori Smith ~ Chairman
Theresa Smith
Sharyn Merritt
Wendy Black

Prayer Team

Eboni Mobley
Lisa Queen ~ Vice Chairman
Tom Nolen ~ Staff Rep
Hank Rivers ~ Chairman
Fay Howard ~ Council Rep
Alex Cash
Ellen Binder
Karen Browning

Finance Team

Ron Rollins ~ Chairman
Denise Scerenscko
Alvin Kent ~ Council Rep
Brad Wilson ~ Secretary
Carol Rutledge ~ Ex Officio
Bob Bahurinsky
Don Drobny
Kenny Davis ~ Vice Chairman

Deacon Team

Bobby Latimer ~ Chairman
Kenny Davis ~ Secretary
Jay Queen ~ Vice Chairman
Mike Rosser
Tom Nolen
Phillip Mobley
Anthony Smith ~ Yoke Fellow
Alvin Kent
Sandy Williams

Integration Team

Kim Busby
Phillip Mobley ~ Chairman
Bill Alexander
Gloria Mack
Laurel Wilbanks ~ Council Rep

Worship Team

Jeff Blankenship ~ Staff Rep
Ricky Merritt
Wendy Black
Timothy Wilbanks

Personnel Team

Natalie Willett
Jay Queen
Mike Rosser ~ Chairman
Pansy Drobny
Rhonda Latimer

Discipleship Team

Tina Davis ~ Chairman
Jenny Kent ~ Secretary
Mary Ann Bradford ~ CC Rep
Sam Mayo ~ Alt. CC Rep
Terri & Butch Butcher
Rick Howard

Operations Team

Chris Sherman ~ Ex Officio
Mike Carrier ~ Ex Officio
Tommy Sandoval
Doug Rutledge
Gary Yarbrough
Anthony Smith
Jerry Haye Matthew Hughes
Brian Claggett
Doug Wilbanks

SERT Team

Marlin Browning	Robert Laine	David Binder
Mike Carrier	Matthew Stevens	Alvin Kent
Doug Wilbanks	Sam Mayo	Don McDonald
Hope Sandoval	Hank Rivers	Pat McDonald
Tommy Sandoval	Doug Rutledge	Rick Black
Sharyn Merritt	Kenny Howard	Scooter Oglesby
Kathy Busby	Chris Lorren	Roger Smith
Wade Phillips	Susan Rosser	Sandy Williams
Anthony Smith ~ Chairman		

Sunday School Teacher Directory

Class: Babies and Toddlers ~ Randall Rooks, Laurel and Doug Wilbanks (Room 114)
Class: 2's and 3's ~ Bobby Latimer (Room 112)
Class: 4's and 5's ~ Karen Clark and Kenny Davis (Room 116)
Class: 1st and 2nd Grades ~ Tina Davis and Denise Scerenscko (Room 214)
Class: 3rd/4th/5th Grades ~ Audrey Alexander, Kathy Busby, Stephanie Whitfield (Room 216)
Class: 6th/7th/8th Grades ~ Brad and Tonya Wilson (Room 301)
Class: 9th/10th Grades ~ Roger and Theresa Smith
Class: 11th/12th Grades ~ Jay and Lisa Queen
Class: College and Career Ministry ~ Phillip Mobley (Trailer 600)
Class: 60+ ~ (Trailer 500 ~ combined with Garner's class)
Class: Ladies ~ Kyleigh Brown (Room 104)
Class: 50+ ~ Larry Garner (Trailer 500)
Class: Sr. Adult Ladies ~ Pat and Don McDonald (Room 102)
Class: 30's and 40's ~ Clay Fowler (Room 103)
Class: Senior Adults ~ Tom Nolen and Bob Bahurinsky (Room 101)
Class: Pastor's Class ~ Jeff Merritt (Room 106)

Staff Directory

Sr. Pastor ~ Jeff Merritt ~ pastorjeff@thesummitchurch.com
Director of Preschoolers & Children ~ Jenny Kent ~ jenny@thesummitchurch.com
Student Minister ~ Rick Black ~ rick@thesummitchurch.com
Worship and Music Leader ~ Jeff Blankenship ~ jeff.blankenship@thesummitchurch.com
Office Manager/Financial Secretary ~ Carol Rutledge ~ carol@thesummitchurch.com
Ministry Assistant (Communications) ~ Mary Brown ~ mary@thesummitchurch.com
Custodian ~ Sheron Laine ~ sharon911@yahoo.com

Deacon List

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Deacon ~ Sandy Williams ~ donloc@comcast.net

Deacon ~ Alvin Kent ~ alvinkent@bellsouth.net
Deacon ~ Mike Rosser ~ sftrosser@yahoo.com
Deacon ~ Phillip Mobley ~ pmob4333@gmail.com
Deacon ~ Anthony Smith ~ anthonymsmith30655@gmail.com