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



Week of March 7, 2021

Sunday Schedule

Connect Groups ~ 9:00 am

See Page 5 for complete listing and location.

Traditional Worship Service ~ 10:30 am

Contemporary Worship Service ~ 5:00 pm
Building 300 (front)

Age appropriate Bible Learning is available for Ages 5 and under in Bldg. 200.

Deacon of the Week: Sandy Williams ~ 678-898-1100

CHURCH MEMBERS/ATTENDEES

*We request that **EVERYONE** sign up for all of our church services via our church website ~ thesummitchurch.com.*

Service Times are: Sundays at 10:30 am and 5:00 pm
Childcare (age 5 and under) is available during worship services.

Please pick up a Sermon Note Sheet upon entering worship services.

Connect Groups/Sunday School return March 7th.

Wednesday Schedule

Praising Hands ~ 5:00 pm (Sanctuary)

Contact: Sharyn Merritt

TeamKid ~ 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Prayer Meeting w/Pastor Jeff ~ 6:00 pm

(Building 100, Room 102)

Student Ministry Bible Study ~ 6:00 pm

College/Career Bible Study ~ 6:00 pm

(Building 600)

Women's Ministry Bible Study ~ 6:30 pm

(Sanctuary)

Men's Ministry Bible Study ~ 6:30 pm

(Building 100, Room 102)

CONNECT GROUP (SUNDAY SCHOOL) TEACHERS:
PLEASE PICK UP YOUR CLASS ROLLS EVERY SUNDAY FROM THE BIN IN THE WORKROOM AND RETURN THEM AFTER CLASS. THANK YOU!

Re:Connect Day Bonfire @ 5 Sunday, March 7th

Location: Volleyball Courts

We will be roasting hotdogs with all the fixins and making S'mores. Summit will provide the hotdogs and buns. We need you to bring drinks, marshmallows, chocolate, graham crackers plus chips, chili and slaw ~ all the things you want on your hotdog. Sign up on-line so we have enough hotdogs and buns for everyone. To volunteer to bring something, contact PASTOR JEFF personally at pastorjeff@thesummitchurch.com or 770-865-4031. We will be worshipping by the fire. Bring a camping chair, maybe a blanket and God's Word.



Building 200

2's-4's downstairs; K-5th grade upstairs

Theme Nights

March 10th ~ Friend Night

March 24th ~ Sports Night

April 14th ~ Crazy Hair Night

April 21st ~ Cards

May 5th ~ Store (Mother's Day)

May 19th ~ End of Year Party

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



Dear Church Family,

We are one month away from Easter. Can you believe it's Easter already? This is the most celebrated season for the followers of Christ. I want to prayerfully encourage you to join us 'in the room' on this special day as we assemble for the worship of a risen Savior! Notice that TWO services will be offered to you on Easter Sunday, April 4th.

9 AM - Worship Center (Building 100)

This is our existing Sunday Morning Worship Team with Jeff Blankenship leading. I will be preaching a message called "The Great Exchange". SummitKidz Ministry will be available for ages 5 and under.

10 AM – NO CONNECT GROUPS on Easter.

11 AM - The Summit (Building 300)

This is our existing "Sunday Night @ 5" Worship Team with Bryan Hoover leading. I will be preaching the same message in both services. SummitKidz Ministry will be available for ages 5 and under.

We need volunteers! "Work 1, Worship 1" is our motto for volunteers. If everyone steps into service, everyone can enjoy an Easter Sunday Experience.

SummitKidz: Text "KIDS" to 770-334-4772 and Jenny Kent will contact you about which service you are willing to serve.

Security: We need extra eyes to patrol the facility.

Greeters: We need people in the parking lot to direct traffic, door holders and walkers to SummitKidz.

In the coming days, an online survey will be made available to you asking key questions about the future of Summit Church. I ask that you please prayerfully and promptly fill out the survey. Here are the questions asked in the survey:

Which service do you anticipate attending on Easter Sunday?

9 AM Blended with Jeff Blankenship in Building 100 or

11 AM Contemporary with Bryan Hoover in Building 300

Since childcare will be made available for both services, would you be willing to "Work 1 and Worship 1"?

YES - I will serve in Summit Kids Ministry for the 9 AM service.

YES - I will serve in Summit Kids Ministry for the 11 AM service.

YES - I am willing to serve in Summit Kids Ministry for any service.

No

If you checked YES to the above question, you are encouraged to take out your cell phone and text "kid" to 770-334-4772 right now and give us your name. This will be sent directly to Jenny Kent. She will contact you about how and where you would like to serve in Summit Kids Ministry.

Would you be willing to serve in any of the other areas for a service?

Security – observant, high degree of walking

Greeters – super friendly, high energy

Parking Lot – super friendly, high degree of walking

Audio/Visual – training available

Sundays at The Summit

(February 28, 2021)

Sunday School ~ 0

Morning/Evening Worship Services ~ 154

Budget Requirements ~ **\$11,660.88**

Undesignated Receipts ~ \$10,135.00

On-Line Budget Receipts ~ \$1,049.55

Total Undesignated Budget Receipts ~

\$11,184.55

Designated Gifts ~ \$402.50

Weekday Preschool ~ \$3,360.00

Total Receipts ~ \$14,947.05

General Budget Year To Date

Budget Requirements ~ \$104,947.92

Undesignated Receipts ~ \$80,182.07



VBS 2021 is on the calendar!

It will be June 14th -18th. VBS may not be exactly as we have done it before and there will obviously be adjustments made to make it as safe as we possibly can, but we are pushing forward with our plans.

Our theme will be **Concrete and Cranes: Building a strong foundation in Jesus.**

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Be in prayer now for how and where you want to serve in VBS. We need YOU!

Dates to Calendar:

- March 28th ~ VBS Kick-Off Meeting ~ 2:00 pm
- April 18th ~ VBS Meeting ~ 2:00 pm
- May 16th ~ VBS Work Day ~ 12:00 pm
- June 13th ~ VBS Set Up Day ~ All Day

Easter Worship Services Sunday, April 4th

We will be offering two services:
9:00 am Blended Service in the Sanctuary
11:00 am Contemporary Service in Building 300.
Connect Groups will not meet on Easter Sunday.

Reserve your seats now on our church website!

2021 Offering Envelopes are available for pick up in the Welcome Center. If you do not see your name on a box but would like one, please call or email Carol in the church office and we will be glad to issue you a box.

The Finance Team reports donations toward debt retirement for February in the amount of \$180.00. Building Mortgage debt remaining: \$399,796.53. Please continue to mark your gifts "**Debt Retirement**". Thank you!!!

Per the Finance Team, our church was able to fill \$1,000.00 in benevolence needs in February. Please continue to support the needy of our community with your gifts (write "**Benevolence**" on the subject line of your check). Thank you!!

Host Homes are needed for Backyard Bible Clubs the week of July 12th - July 16th. Contact Donna Williams at 678-314-0858 or Jenny Kent at 404-226-8786 if you are interested in hosting.

Summit Faith Explorers

Sunday, March 7th at 10:30 am
Children's Building, Room 216

Faith Explorers is a class that is for 1st through 5th graders who have made a decision to accept Christ or are thinking about making a decision.

If your child would be interested in attending this class, please contact Jenny Kent at jenny@thesummitchurch.com to make a reservation. We want to have enough supplies and curriculum for everyone.



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.

Ministry Events at Summit Baptist Church

Preschool and Children's Ministry

Weekday Preschool Early Registration runs February 22nd ~ April 2nd. The early enrollment fee is only \$100 during this six week enrollment period. Email Mary Brown at mary@thesummitchurch.com or drop by the church office for your enrollment forms.
Faith Explorers Class ~ March 7th ~ 10:30 am ~ Room 216 (See ad on page 3.)

Student Ministry

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

*March 5th - March 6th ~ DNOW
March 26th ~ Friday Fun Night
May 7th ~ Friday Fun Night
July 5th - July 10th ~ FUGE Camp*

College and Career Ministry

College and Career Breakfast ~ Saturday, March 20th ~ 8:00 am to 2:00 pm ~ Building 300A

Ladies' Ministry

*Terri Butcher is teaching a Bible Study on Ruth in the Sanctuary on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm.
Plan now to attend our Ladies' Ministry Brunch on May 22nd from 10:00 am to Noon.*

Men's Ministry

Join the Men's Ministry Bible Study on Wednesday nights in Room 102 at 6:30 pm.

Upcoming Churchwide Events

*Daylight Savings Time Starts ~ **March 14th***

*Team Meetings ~ **March 14th** ~ after morning worship service ~ Building 100 Classrooms or ZOOM*

*Church Council Meeting ~ **March 15th** ~ 7:00 pm ~ Building 100, Room 102*

*Café Amore ~ **March 27th** ~ Building 300*

*Team Meetings ~ **April 11th** ~ after morning worship service ~ Building 100 Classrooms or ZOOM*

*Church Council Meeting ~ **April 12th** ~ 7:00 pm ~ Building 100, Room 102*

*Quarterly Business Meeting ~ **April 21st** ~ Building 100, Room 102*

*City of Loganville Battle of the Bands (Connecting Team Event) ~ **May 1st***

Join us as we hand out water bottles and promote our church!

*National Day of Prayer ~ **May 6th***

*Mother's Day ~ **May 9th***

*Church Council Meeting ~ **May 10th** ~ 7:00 pm ~ Building 100, Room 102*

*Memorial Day ~ **May 31st** ~ Church Office will be closed*

Praising Hands Ministry

**has moved to Wednesday nights starting March 10th
at 5:00 pm in the Sanctuary. New Members Welcome!**

2021 Ministry Team Members ~ New team members are always welcome. Contact the Team Chairman.

2021 Connecting Team

Jordie Black ~ Chairman/CC Rep
Roger Smith ~ Alt. CC Rep
Don Drobny
Brooke Tormey

2021 Deacon Team

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

2021 Discipleship Team

Sam Mayo ~ Chairman/CC Rep
Terri & Butch Butcher
Mary Ann Bradford
Rick Howard

2021 Hostess Team

Lori Smith ~ Chairman/CC Rep
Tracy Sherman
Sharyn Merritt
Audrey Alexander
Stephanie Merritt
Wendy Black

Prayer Team

Hank Rivers ~ Chairman
Ebony Mobley
Karen Browning
Tom Nolen ~ Staff Rep
Ellen Binder
Fay Howard ~ Council Rep
Alex Cash
Ellen Binder

Integration Team

Phillip Mobley ~ Chairman/CC Rep
Kim Busby
Bill Alexander
Gloria Mack
Laurel Wilbanks
Timothy Wilbanks

Worship Team

Jeff Blankenship ~ Chairman/CC Rep
Ricky Merritt
Wendy Black
Timothy Wilbanks

Operations Team

Chris Sherman Anthony Smith
Tom Nolen Brian Claggett
Doug Rutledge Jerry Haye
Doug Wilbanks Gary Yarbrough
Tommy Sandoval
Matthew Hughes

2021 Finance Team

Ron Rollins ~ Chairman/CC Rep
Kenny Davis ~ Vice Chairman
Denise Scerenscko ~ Secretary
Pastor Jeff Merritt
Alvin Kent
Bob Bahurinsky
Jessica Drobny
Carol Rutledge

2021 Personnel Team

Pansy Drobny ~ Chairman/CC Rep
Angela Rivers ~ Alt. CC Rep
Terri Butcher ~ Secretary
Mike Rosser Rhonda Latimer
Chris Sherman Roger Smith

SERT Team

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

Connect Group Teacher Directory

Class: Babies and Toddlers ~ 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: Middle School ~ Rick and Wendy Black (Building 300)
Class: High School ~ Roger and Theresa Smith (Building 300)
Class: College and Career Ministry ~ Phillip Mobley (Trailer 600)
Class: 30's and 40's ~ Clay Fowler (Room 103)
Class: 50+ ~ Larry Garner (Room 107), This class is available via Zoom on Sunday mornings & Monday evenings at 7:00 pm.
Class: Sr. Adult Ladies ~ Jeanneane Gibbs (Room 102)
Class: Sr. Adults (Co-ed) ~ Tom Nolen/Hank Rivers/Bob Bahurinsky (Room 101)
Class: Pastor's Pathway Class ~ Jeff Merritt (Room 104)

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
Director of Media ~ Eric Drobny ~ eric.edcc@gmail.com
Ministry Assistant (Communications) ~ Mary Brown ~ mary@thesummitchurch.com
Custodian ~ Sharon Laine ~ sharon911@yahoo.com

Deacon List

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Vice Chairman ~ Jerry Queen ~ jnmqueen@gmail.com
Secretary ~ Kenny Davis ~ ktardavis@gmail.com
Deacon ~ Tom Nolen ~ tnolen@bellsouth.net
Deacon ~ Sandy Williams ~ williasa354@gmail.com

Deacon ~ Alvin Kent ~ alvinkent@bellsouth.net
Deacon ~ Mike Rosser ~ sftrosser@yahoo.com
Deacon ~ Phillip Mobley ~ pmob4333@gmail.com
Deacon ~ Anthony Smith ~ anthonymsmith30655@gmail.com
Yoke Fellow ~ Eric Drobny ~ eric.edcc@gmail.com

Corporate Officers ~ Betsy Nolen, Bobby Latimer, Natalie Willett, Doug Rutledge and Randall Rooks