



HSBC Newsletter

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First, I want to thank you for sending me to the SBC Annual meeting in Nashville, TN. While this is a meeting where messengers make decisions for the direction of the Southern Baptist Conventions, it is also a time where many ministers including myself can be refreshed. Sermons, connecting with other pastors and connecting with our former seminary professors allows time to grow in God’s word and reflect on the previous year/years’ ministry. As pastors we so often pour out into our congregations and so rarely get poured into, so the time we take away for spiritual renewal and personal growth is vital. As one of the speakers stated, “A pitcher cannot continue to pour out without being refilled every once in a while.”

This is true of every Christian. We need to be fed with the word of God. This world takes its toll, we can and do get drained from the day-to-day life this fallen world presents. We all need to feast on His word and realize that is what sustains us.

Deuteronomy 8:3 “He humbled you and let you be hungry, and fed you with manna which you did not know, nor did your fathers know, that He might make you understand that man does not live by bread alone, but man lives by everything that proceeds out of the mouth of the Lord.”

Pastor Steven

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Vital Statistics

Year to Date (05.31.21)

Budgeted Offering: \$134,583.55

Received Offering: \$124,396.66

Budget Expenses: \$110,135.70

Average Attendance (2021)

Small Groups: 82

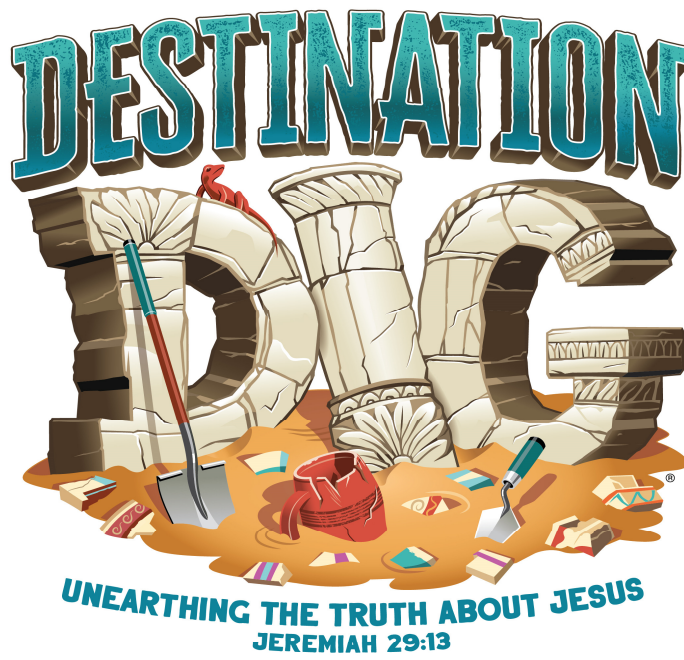
Online Views: 38

8:30 a.m.: 54

11:00 a.m.: 80



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Vacation Bible School
July 25-29, 2021
Sunday-Thursday
5:30pm-8:15pm

Age 3 - 6th Grade

VBS 2021 is headed to present-day Israel where discovery awaits at Destination Dig. Kids will unearth more than dirt as they dig up exciting evidence that proves biblical events were not just stories. As junior archaeologists, kids will explore real-life archaeological finds that have helped to uncover the truth about Jesus! Along the way, they'll discover the truth of Jeremiah 29:13, that God reveals Himself to us when we seek and search for Him with all our hearts.

Visit our website www.hamiltonstreet.org to pre-register!!

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Next Meeting:
July 18th 2021

A Note from our Associate Pastor

Church Family,

Jesus said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age" (Matt. 28:18-20, ESV). This is the Great Commission. We are called to make disciples.

What does *making disciples* look like? Let's ask a few questions to answer that. Are you teaching a small group or class? Are you mentoring someone in the faith? Are you witnessing to others? Are you participating in family devotions? Are you using a reproducible and comprehensive study that a *disciplee* can then use to become a *discipler*? Are you involved in a discipling/accountability group? Are you inviting others to church services and Bible studies?

If you answered "yes" to any of these, you are making disciples. Praise the Lord! But, is there more you can be doing? Are you intentionally making disciples one-on-one with somebody? If you don't know what to use, come talk with me. There are many resources. Here are just a few:

Church Growth International (Charles Brock's Materials) starting with the red book called

Good News For You.

LifeCoach with Brandon Park App or Book

Discipleship Biblical (Reality Publishing, Inc.)

Discipler's Guide- *A Call To Joy: Encouraging The Growing Believer*

Timothy's Guide- *A Call To Joy: Encouraging The Growing Believer*

Disciple's Path (Lifeway)

Master's Life

Beginning Steps: A Growth Guide For New Believers (Now-Welcome To The Family)

NAMB

Survival Kit for New Christians

Excited to make disciples,

Pastor Garrett

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As you read this month's newsletter, Independence Day is nearly upon us. In honor of that holiday here is the background for one of our famous patriotic hymns.

According to the book, "Then Sings My Soul", "My Country 'Tis of Thee" was written by Samuel Francis Smith on a cold February afternoon in 1831. Smith was born in Boston on October 21, 1808. Educated at Boston Latin School, and Harvard, he enrolled at Andover Seminary. While he was there, two events occurred that marked his future life. One was an interest in America's first missionary, Adoniram Judson, and a lifelong passion for world evangelism. The other was as translator of German for hymn publisher Lowell Mason.

Mason had a wealth of German songs and materials that needed translation and had learned that Smith was adept in the German language. On the aforementioned February afternoon, Smith was working on the translations for Mason. He was impressed by the words of the song "Gott segne Sachsenland" ("God Bless our Sax-on Land"), which was set to the tune we know as "America". (Some of you may know that the tune is used in Great Britain as "God Save The Queen.")

Smith reported later that it inspired him to write a patriotic hymn of his own adapted to the tune. It took no more than a half hour to write it. A friend took a copy to the pastor of Boston's Park Street Congregational Church where it was first sung at a Sunday School Rally on July 4, 1831.

Samuel Francis Smith became a powerful Baptist preacher, pastor, college professor, hymnist, linguist, writer, and missionary advocate, traveling the world in support of evangelism. He died, fittingly, at a Boston train station en route to a preaching appointment.

See you in worship!

Jim Barnett

July Birthdays

<u>Reed Athon</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Lana Brown</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Jane Jackson</u>	<u>10</u>
<u>Jane Daniels</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Austin Currier</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Dalton McVay</u>	<u>11</u>
<u>Olivia Lyons</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Joyce Ragan</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Janna Barnes</u>	<u>14</u>
<u>Geraldine Rowland</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Gwen Gashwiler</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Elsie Rudd</u>	<u>14</u>
<u>Lavona Scearce</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Paige Featherston</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Tara Jackson</u>	<u>22</u>
<u>Ziva Martin</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Rose Lea</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Margie Kues</u>	<u>25</u>
<u>Linda Brown</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Dana Marshall</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>James Scearce</u>	<u>26</u>
<u>Betty Martin</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Jennifer Walker</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Greg Xander</u>	<u>27</u>
<u>Donald Price</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Cole Brown</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Richard Entwistle</u>	<u>29</u>

(Missing birthday? Please contact the office to update.)

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Steven Nelson - Pastor
Garrett Trunk - Assoc. Pastor of Discipleship & Youth
Jim Barnett - 8:30 am Music Minister
Andrew Keene - Interim 11:00 am Music Minister

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ADAIR COUNTY MOBILE FOOD DISTRIBUTION

**July 24th
11:00 am - ???**

There are no income guidelines.
Recipients need to bring a photo ID, proof of Adair County
residency & a container to take home the food.

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SERVICE TIMES

SUNDAY:

8:30 a.m. Traditional Service
9:45 a.m. Small Groups
11:00 a.m. Contemporary Service
or Join us on Livestream
go to: hamiltonstreet.org



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