

# Harvest Church News

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*“The harvest  
is plentiful but  
the workers  
are few. Ask  
the Lord of  
the harvest,  
therefore,  
to send out  
workers into his  
harvest field.”  
Matthew 9:36-38*



## FROM PASTOR RALPH...



**What can you do to make this a great summer?**

**O**ur students and many of you teachers have a tremendous opportunity for the next ten weeks. But even if your work schedule doesn't change, there are ways to make this summer great. Many of us have more time with family in the summer because students are out of school, the days are longer, and often we can take some vacation time. Make this time count!

Share with your family what you are reading in the Bible and learning about life with Christ. Find questions to get your family talking and thinking about God (try “discussion questions” from [iftable.com](http://iftable.com)). Pray together. Look for opportunities to help your family grow in Christ. WIRED evenings, June 25-30, are going to be outstanding. Harvest Youth Conference, July 16-19, services are free and will be great for everyone!

On Sunday I asked everyone to read at least three chapters a day in the Bible from Memorial Day until Labor Day (unless you are already in a more in-depth Bible study). If you haven't read the New Testament at least twice, start there. The word of God will change your life!

When you leave town, plan to be back for church on Sunday morning, and do your part in building the Body of Christ (Ephesians 4:16). This also reinforces to your family that Jesus and His kingdom are top priority in your life. If you have family visiting from out of town, bring them to church. If they won't come, leave them and come without them – let them know that Jesus is Lord of your life. If you absolutely can't be at Harvest, watch online or find a church wherever you are.

Ask the Lord to take you deeper with Him, and use you more this summer. He wants to answer that prayer. Take some time to focus on scripture. I shared on Sunday 2 Peter 1:3-9, which tells us how to “see clearly” and promises to make your life effective and production! As you seek Him, the Lord will make this a great summer!

# IN THE SPOTLIGHT



## NIGHT OF WORSHIP

FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 7PM, WORSHIP CENTER

Join us for an extended time of praise and worship led by our Harvest worship team. Childcare will be available for ages 2 and under. *“Sing the praises of the Lord, you His faithful people; praise His holy name.” Psalm 30:4*

## KIDS JUNE EVENTS

POOL PARTY - JUNE 4

BAPTISM CLASS - JUNE 4, 11, & 25

CHICK CHAT - JUNE 9

MANUAL - JUNE 24

See page 5 for details.

Questions? Email [kids@harvestdothan.com](mailto:kids@harvestdothan.com).

## YOUTH JUNE EVENTS

SPORTS & SWIM - JUNE 1, 8, 15, & 22

HY SUMMER CELEBRATION - JUNE 7

7UP PARTY - JUNE 7

HYC WORK DAYS - JUNE 12 & 19

ULTIMATE FRISBEE - JUNE 14

DODGEBALL - JUNE 21

WIRED - JUNE 25-30

See page 6 for details.

Questions? Email [youth@harvestdothan.com](mailto:youth@harvestdothan.com).

## FALL RENEWAL CONFERENCE

SEPTEMBER 24-26 | SPEAKER: DR. CHRIS BOUNDS

Save the date! Four services: Sunday morning (8:45 or 10:45) and Sunday-Tuesday evenings at 7pm. This conference is an opportunity for God to move in our lives in wonderful ways and for us to find renewal, refreshing, transformation, and growth. We ask everyone at Harvest to give this top priority for the fall.

### Guest Wi-Fi at Harvest

Network name: Harvest Public | Password: praisehim!

### DAVID BEATY

Congregational Care  
Assistant Pastor

### KEITH FRITH

Small Groups Pastor

### RUSTY FRITH

Director of Worship &  
Performing Arts Academy

### JAMES KEELER

Assistant Pastor

### JOSH MOORE

Youth Pastor

### ROY ROGERS

Congregational Care  
Pastor

### CHARLENE SCRIBNER

Children's Director

### RALPH SIGLER

Founding and Lead  
Pastor

### SANDY UHLER

Ministry Teams Director

## ATTENDANCE

MAY 14	1,778
8:45	877
10:45	901
LiveStream	57
MAY 21	1,458
8:45	699
10:45	759
LiveStream	111
MAY 28	1,454
8:45	736
10:45	718
LiveStream	85

## GROUP LIFE

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### OPEN SMALL GROUP SUMMER BREAK

Wednesday night Open Small Group will be taking a break from May 31 to July 4. Not all small groups will break during the summer. Childcare will still be available for other groups who wish to meet during this time. If you're interested in joining a small group this summer and would like to know what is offered, please email [grouplife@harvestdothan.com](mailto:grouplife@harvestdothan.com).

### TASTE FOR TRUTH

This new ladies weight loss group begins Wednesday, June 7, at 6:30pm in the Prayer Room.

### NEW GROUPS FORMING

We are in the process of forming the following groups:

- Discipleship 1
- Married Couples
- Accountability Groups

Email [grouplife@harvestdothan.com](mailto:grouplife@harvestdothan.com) or call 702-6555 x232 for more information.

## MINISTRY TEAMS

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### SPOTLIGHT ON MINISTRY TEAMS

Contact us at 702-6555 x231 or [ministryteams@harvestdothan.com](mailto:ministryteams@harvestdothan.com) for more information on how to join any of the following teams:

- **Coffee Bar:** Team members greet and assist those in the congregation as they prepare their morning coffee during the break of the church service. They also make sure the coffee bars fully stocked and wiped clean.
- **Doorgreeter:** Doorgreeters welcome people as they enter Harvest Church for Sunday morning services. They also help with directing people in finding areas of the church and refer visitors to the guest info table and info boards.
- **Mother's Room:** Team members minister to the needs of new mothers who utilize the Nursing Mothers Room on a regular basis.

- **Ushers:** Ushers cheerfully help guests and all attendees find a seat during the worship service and help manage the Worship Center.
- **Worship Center Preparation:** These team volunteers arrive early to assure that the Worship Center is ready for Sunday services. Duties include straightening chairs and making sure pens and attendance cards are in the chair pockets. They also put the Sunday announcement sheets under the chairs.

### HARVEST SOFTBALL

Come support our Harvest Softball Team! Games are held at Westgate Softball Complex on Tuesday and Thursday nights (various times and fields). You can find the team schedule by visiting [www.dothansoftball.com/2017/calendar](http://www.dothansoftball.com/2017/calendar).



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Harvest Church Ministry Teams (email us with a request to be added)

# HARVEST WORSHIP & PERFORMING ARTS

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## NIGHT OF WORSHIP

Mark your calendars for our next Night of Worship on Friday, June 2, at 7pm in the Worship Center.

## CHOIR SUMMER BREAK

The adult choir will not meet May 28 - July 30. They will start back on August 6 at 5:15pm.

## UNITED COMMUNITY 24-HOUR WORSHIP & PRAYER

Friday, June 23, 7pm - Saturday, June 24, 7pm at New Freedom Church (115 Depot St, Webb, AL

36376). Join us as several worship leaders and churches from our community gather to passionately seek the Lord together. On Saturday, the Harvest Church worship team will be leading during the 4-5pm time slot, and Andi & Wes Jackson will be leading during the 11am-12pm time slot.

## SPOTIFY

Listen to the songs we sing on Sunday mornings with Spotify. Sign up for a free account! Visit [HarvestDothan.com/Worship](http://HarvestDothan.com/Worship) or click "Harvest Worship" from our Harvest Church app.

# CONGREGATIONAL CARE

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## BAPTISMS

*The following people were baptized the beach on Sunday, May 21:*

- Kimberly Baxley
- Kolion Campbell
- Chaz Crawford
- Joshua Davis
- Devin Driver (renewal)
- Rosie Gamble
- CJ & Lydia Harvey
- Cody Jaggars
- Amanda Lamb (renewal)
- Callie McKeown (renewal)
- Miya Miller
- Michae & Andrea Montgomery (renewals)
- Kerry Norris
- Payton Pauley (renewal)
- Tiffany Pena

- Deavin Rafferty (renewal)
- Danny, Jenny, Jake, & Logan Ray
- Kadesh Santiago
- Gianna Santiago
- Tristan Scroggins (renewal)
- Zachary Shindler (renewal)
- Kevin Tate
- Daily Turner
- Jessica Whitehead
- Jacob Wozniak

## BABY DEDICATIONS

*The following babies were dedicated to the Lord on Sunday, May 14:*

- Arabella Mazzio (parents: Anthony Mazzio & Carol Pioppo)

- John Mason Moore (parents: Josh & Jennifer Moore)
- Isabella Rodriguez (parents: Eusebio & Alice Rodriguez)
- Noah Brady Thomason (parents: Van & Whitney Thomason)

## BEREAVEMENTS

*Please be in prayer for the following people:*

- Nancy Hein and family during the loss of her husband, "Vern" Vernon Paul Hein.
- Lori and Bruce Johnson and family during the loss of their son, Matthew Johnson.
- Ronny Alexander and family during the loss of his mother, Lindy Alexander.

## HARVEST KIDS

**Charlene Scribner | Children's Ministry Director**  
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### KIDS BAPTISM CLASS

This class is for children K-6th grade who have made a decision to accept Jesus as their Lord and Savior and to learn what it means to have a personal relationship with Him. It gives students an opportunity to fully understand the commitment that they are making before they are baptized. The 3-week class will include two classes for students only (June 4 and 11) and concludes with a final celebration class for students with their families (June 25). Email [kids@harvestdothan.com](mailto:kids@harvestdothan.com) for more info.

### Chick Chat

Friday, June 9, 6-9pm, Worship Center. Join us for a night of fun and fellowship for preteen (4th-6th grade) "chicks" and their moms. Guest Speaker: April Payne. There will be a time of worship, discussion groups, a fashion show, gift bags, and more! Register online at [www.HarvestDothan.com/ChickChat](http://www.HarvestDothan.com/ChickChat).

### MANual

All preteen (4th-6th grade) boys and their dads are invited to join us for the all new MANual Conference on Saturday, June 24, from 10am-12:30pm in the Worship Center. There will be guest speakers, a time of worship, 5 how-to stations, swag bag, and more! Register online at [www.HarvestDothan.com/Man-ual](http://www.HarvestDothan.com/Man-ual) (\$10 registration fee).

### H56 POOL PARTY

Sunday, June 4, from 6:30-8pm at the Davis's home. This is for rising 5th graders (completed 4th grade this year) through 7th graders (completed 6th grade this year). We will be welcoming the new 5th graders and saying goodbye to those moving up to the youth group.

### WINSHAPE COMMUNITY CAMP

July 3-7 at Northview High School (for 1st-9th graders). More details to come!



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text "@site56" to 81010 for 5th/8th grade info



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## NOAH'S PARK

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Noah's Park needs your help! We are looking for passionate children's leaders to join with us in shaping the lives of our precious little ones. It's our mission to show them the importance of having a relationship with Jesus, loving God with all their hearts, and following the plan He has for them. There's a whole lot of ugly that the world has to offer their easily molded hearts. Please email [preschool@harvestdothan.com](mailto:preschool@harvestdothan.com) to find out how you can get involved in helping them learn the beauty of what the Lord has to offer!



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## SPORTS & SWIM

Join us this summer on Thursdays from 10am-3pm for Sports & Swim! Drop off and pick up in the Youth Room. Bring \$3 for lunch. June 1: Westgate/Hils, June 8: Westgate/Davis, June 15: Westgate/Davis, June 22: CiCi's Pizza/Hils (\$8).

## YOUTH OPEN SMALL GROUP

Sundays from 6:30-8pm. Meet in the Youth Room. June 4 & 11; July 2, 9, 23, & 30; August 6.

## AFTERGLOW

Hang around after our Wednesday night services this summer for games and fellowship from 8:15-9:15pm. We will transport students to off-campus locations. Parents, pick up at the Afterglow locations. June 7: Summer Celebration at Harvest, June 14: Ultimate Frisbee at Westgate, June 21: Dodgeball at ECS, July 5: Night swimming at the Hollands' house, July 12: Bowling at Dothan Lanes (\$3); August 2: Volleyball at Harvest.

## HY SUMMER CELEBRATION

Wednesday, June 7, 8:15-9:15pm (after our service), Youth Room. Join us as we kick off the summer with a special Afterglow filled with fun, games, sno cones, and more!

## 7UP PARTY

Wednesday, June 7, 6pm, Youth Room. This is for all upcoming 7th graders and their parents. Parents, you're invited to stay for HY afterwards.

## HYC WORK DAYS

Mondays, June 12 & 19 and July 10, 1-3pm, Youth Room. We will need a lot of help to prepare for the Youth Conference (July 16-19). Come join us!

## WIRED 2017

June 25-30. The final payment of \$150 is due by June 1. Print forms and get dress code and what to bring list at [www.HarvestDothan.com/Wired](http://www.HarvestDothan.com/Wired).

# UNMOVABLE

# HYC2017

**Harvest Youth Conference 2017 | JULY 16-19**

Speakers: Jeremy Quintini & Mike Bond | More details to come!

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT HY SERVICES

6:45-8:15pm in the Youth Room (upstairs Education Bldg) | worship & teaching

## TUESDAY NIGHT PRAYER

7-7:45pm at Prayer House downtown (200 Morgan Street)



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YOUTH GROUP MEETING  
Wednesdays at 6:45pm

# SPOTLIGHT ON MISSIONS

## *HOW YOUR GIVING IS CHANGING THE WORLD*

Harvest Church is making a difference by supporting **INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE GROUP, INC. (IAG)**, formed in 1994, whose stated purpose is to provide food, medicine, and humanitarian aid to remote areas of the world. Presently, IAG is focusing on the thousands of refugees from Burma forced to live in over-crowded refugee camps along the Thailand/Burma border. Harvest member Rick Stribling joined International Assistance Group in 2009 and has made five trips with his wife Betty to the refugee camps. Betty has been visiting the camps for 22 years.

The Striblings no longer take in teams and have narrowed their outreach to the two largest refugee camps. The largest has over 70,000 people living in it and the other has over 45,000. Their goal now is to find as many sponsors for the children as they possibly can. The \$10 a month it costs to sponsor a child at level 1 makes a tremendous difference in the lives of these precious children. They also offer level 2 sponsorships at \$20 a month, which helps the whole family. IAG presently has 405 children sponsored, and of those, 289 are being sponsored by families here at Harvest Church. In 2016 they disbursed over \$54,000 to the children in the two refugee camps.

Their outreach motto is *"Making a difference... one life at a time!"* The Striblings intend to continue this outreach as long as the Lord provides the strength and resources.

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# NIGHT *of* WORSHIP

FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 7PM

## HARVEST WORSHIP CENTER

CHILDCARE AVAILABLE FOR AGES 2 AND UNDER

**WORSHIPING ON SUNDAY MORNINGS AT 8:45 & 10:45AM**