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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...



Building for the Harvest Day is the one Sunday of the year when all offerings go to our building fund. We ask everyone to give as large a one-time offering as you can. It is this Sunday, **March 4**, so ask the Lord what He is enabling you to give, and hold your offerings til the end

of the service to offer them up to the Lord. We have not been taking about this as far ahead as we usually do, but as we commit ourselves to the Lord, He will continue to provide all we need and bless us to give.

Easter is **April 1** (no foolin’), and we feel it is especially strategic this year. Usually a lot of people connect with Harvest in the first six weeks of the year, but because of the flu and the rain, fewer have connected. However, people are not in any less need of Jesus, and since we didn’t reach as many in January as usual, there is an even greater need for us to reach out to lost people this Easter. Easter is far and away the Sunday people are most likely to come to church when invited.

This Sunday we will have Easter invitation cards available to give out as you invite people. I encourage you to invite family, friends, co-workers, classmates, and neighbors. Some of us plan to give an invitation to another table every time we get up after eating in a restaurant. Some of us will invite people each time we work out, play golf or tennis, or have an appointment (doctor, dentist, etc.). Some will take a floor at a hospital and invite workers. Some even plan to go to bars to hand out invites. Easter is the Sunday they are most likely to come, and your invitation may change their life and eternity, so plan to get involved. Then begin praying for the Lord to move powerfully in those services to reveal His truth and draw many to Him.

In the coming months, the Lord wants to use US to change lives, families, and communities for His glory!

IN THE SPOTLIGHT



NIGHT OF WORSHIP

March 2

Join us for an extended time of praise and worship on Friday, March 2, at 7pm in the Worship Center. Childcare will be available for ages 2 and under.

BUILDING FOR THE HARVEST DAY

March 4

All offerings on March 4 will go toward our building fund. The new building (coming May 2018) will provide long-needed teaching/meeting space and a chapel. Be praying about what you can give! Online giving is available through our website and app.

SERVE DAY

March 10

Our very first Serve Day is Saturday, March 10. Meet in the Worship Center at 8am to get assignments and supplies. We'll return at 1pm for a Serve-avation Lunch together. Join us for this amazing opportunity to bless others. See page 4 for more details. Sign up online at www.HarvestDothan.com/ServeDay.

EASTER VOLUNTEER BRUNCH

March 11

SEE PAGE 4 FOR DETAILS.

SPIRITUAL LIFE CONFERENCE

April 29 - May 2

SPEAKER: BRAD MCCLAIN | SAVE THE DATE!

DAVID BEATY

Congregational Care
Assistant Pastor

KEITH FRITH

Small Groups Pastor

RUSTY FRITH

Director of Worship &
Performing Arts Academy

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Assistant Pastor

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Pastor

CHARLENE SCRIBNER

Children's Director

JOEL SIGLER

Youth Pastor

RALPH SIGLER

Founding and Lead
Pastor

SANDY UHLER

Ministry Teams Director

ATTENDANCE

FEBRUARY 4	1,316
8:45	566
10:45	750
<i>LiveStream</i>	194
FEBRUARY 11	1,110
8:45	518
10:45	592
<i>LiveStream</i>	173
FEBRUARY 18	1,544
8:45	769
10:45	775
<i>LiveStream</i>	121

GROUP LIFE

Keith Frith | Small Groups Pastor

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OPEN SMALL GROUP

We invite you to join us Wednesdays, 6:45pm in the Worship Center, for our new study, *Detox*, to learn ways we can remain clean, pure, and focused on the pursuit of holiness this year. Everyone is invited. Childcare available.

CULTS & CHRISTIANITY

Join us for this 5-week class on Sundays at 6pm in the Worship Center, led by James Keeler. We will talk about key beliefs and practices of biblical Christianity and how it compares to other religions and cults. Childcare available.

NOT SURE WHAT GROUP TO JOIN?

Here are just a few of our Open groups that are currently meeting on-site that you are more than welcome to visit. If you have any questions or would like more information please call the church office at 334-702-6555 x232 or email grouplife@harvestdothan.com.

- **Men's Accountability & Development Group** // Sundays at 5:30pm // Prayer Room
- **Shepherd's Ladies** // Tuesdays at 10am // Mothers Room
- **Fatherhood** // Tuesdays at 7pm // Room 105
- **Daniel (Women)** // Wednesdays at 6:30pm // Room 106
- **The Quest (Women)** // Wednesdays at 6:30pm // Room 104
- **Single Moms of Harvest** // Wednesdays at 6:30pm // Room 208
- **Slightly Bad Girls of the Bible** // Wednesdays at 6:30pm // Mothers Room
- **Study on John (Men)** // Wednesdays at 6:45pm // Main Kitchen
- **Open Group: Detox (Co-ed)** // Wednesdays at 6:45pm // Worship Center
- **Naomi's Small Group (Women)** // Thursdays at 10am // Room 108
- **Celebrate Recovery (Co-ed)** // Fridays at 7pm // Youth Room

HARVEST WORSHIP & PERFORMING ARTS

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NIGHT OF WORSHIP

Join us for an extended time of praise and worship with the Harvest Church Worship Team on Friday, March 2, at 7pm in the Worship Center. Childcare will be available for 2 and under. *"Give to the Lord the glory he deserves! Bring your offering and come into his courts. Worship the Lord in all his holy splendor. Let all the earth tremble before him."* Psalm 96:8-9

cal churches come together to seek the Father's heart for Dothan and the Wiregrass. The Harvest Youth Worship Team will be playing on Friday night from 11pm-midnight, Andi and Wes Jackson will be playing Saturday morning from 11am-noon, and the Harvest Worship Team will be playing on Saturday afternoon from noon-1pm.

24-HR COMMUNITY WORSHIP

Friday, March 16, 6:30pm - Saturday, March 17, 7pm at NFC Dothan (231 W. Main St). Join us for this *United Community Worship* event as lo-

ADULT CHOIR

If you would like to be a part of a friendly, ambitious, and fun-loving choir, then we invite you to join us for practice on Sundays from 4:30-5:30pm in Room 106 (Education Building).

MINISTRY TEAMS

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SERVE DAY

Our very first Serve Day will be Saturday, March 10. Meet in the Worship Center at 8am to get assignments and supplies. We'll return at 1pm for a Serve-ation Lunch together. Serve Day is an amazing opportunity to bless others and be blessed. Teams will go out into our community and show the love of Christ in real and tangible ways. You can serve on a team as a small group or as an individual. There are many ways to get involved! Please sign up online at www.HarvestDothan.com/serveaday to join a serve team and reserve your Serve Day t-shirt!

FIRST-TIME EASTER VOLUNTEER BRUNCH

Not currently serving? Easter is the perfect time to connect to a ministry team here at Harvest! For those interested in serving this Easter for the FIRST TIME, stop by Room 106 on Sunday, March 11, anytime between 8:30-11:30am. You can also sign up online at www.HarvestDothan.com/ServeThisEaster.

FLOWERBED WORK DAY

Saturday, March 17, 8:30am. Team members of all ages will be replenishing the pine straw, trimming bushes, and planting flowers. Please bring your gardening tools, trimmers, shovels, rakes, gloves, wheelbarrows, etc. Everyone is invited to join us! Meet in the front parking lot.

EASTER WORK DAY

Calling all office volunteers! On Thursday, March 22, at 10am in the Office Bldg, we will need your help stuffing first-time-visitor bags for Easter Sunday and preparing/sorting our annual city-wide Easter mailout. Lunch will be provided.

EASTER SUNDAY SETUP

Saturday, March 31, 9am, Worship Center. Join us as we get ready for Easter Sunday (April 1)! Teams will be serving together to prepare the Cafe, coffee bars, Guest Info desk, honey table, first-time visitor tent, refreshment tables, Resource Center, restrooms, and Worship Center. Many servant hearts are needed. For more info, email ministryteams@harvestdothan.com.



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CONGREGATIONAL CARE

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BABY DEDICATIONS

The following babies were dedicated to the Lord on Sunday, February 18:

- David Beregha, son of Abiodun and Gloria Beregha
- Amelia Reese Jackson, daughter of Wes and Andi Jackson
- Charlie Morgan, daughter of Chris and Lindsey Morgan

BEREAVEMENTS

Please be in prayer for the following people:

- Beverly Long and family during the loss of her husband, Larry Long.

PASTORAL COUNSELING

Our pastors are committed

to providing you confidential counseling on a short-term basis. Trained lay counselors and mentors are also available and may be recommended for long-term support needs. Contact Congregational Care at 334-702-6555 x234 or email ccare@harvestdothan.com to make an appointment with a pastor for counseling.

HARVEST KIDS

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EASTER EXTRAVAGANZA

Join us for our annual Easter Extravaganza on Saturday, March 24, from 10am-noon at the Houston County Farm Center. Come enjoy face painting, inflatables, egg hunts for different age groups, Dothan Ice Cream, balloon creations, and more! Admission is free. Bring your friends and family!

SAY YES TO THE NEXT GENERATION!

Want to get out of your comfort zone and sacrifice just a little time to make a HUGE impact? These kids are our future! Come play a part in shaping this generation of young believers. Saying "yes" means... questions, hugs, games, imagination, listening, fun, and being silly. Interested in volunteering on Sunday mornings in KZ? Contact us at kids@harvestdothan.com.



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NOAH'S PARK

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Noah's Park
Nursery & Preschool

The Love & Respect Marriage Conference was a great success! Noah's Park had over 30 children in attendance. Thank you very much to each team member who helped make this event wonderful.

SERVE IN NOAH'S PARK THIS EASTER

Easter is a great time of joy and celebration! Many will come to church to hear the wonderful news about our risen Savior. We will need many more people to partner with our team on Easter Sunday (April 1). Please be in prayer about serving with us for one of our three services (7:45, 9:20, and 11:00). Information is available at the registration desk in Noah's Park. Thank you!

HARVEST YOUTH

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT HY SERVICES

6:45-8:15pm in the Worship Center | worship & teaching

SMALL GROUPS

Youth small groups meet on Sundays from 6-7:30pm in the Youth Room. If you have been in a small group before, come and see how our new groups look. If you have not been connected to a group, this is a great time to come! Small groups are an easy way to make friends and encourage each other.

of clues around town racing to see who finishes first. Don't miss it! Invite a friend!

NACHO NIGHT

On Saturday, March 17, at 6pm in the Youth Room we will be eating nachos and watching *Nacho Libre*! Come join in the fun and bring a friend!

TREASURE HUNT

Join us for our HY Treasure Hunt on Friday, March 9, from 6-8pm. Meet in the Office Bldg. We'll break up into teams and follow the trail

SPRING RETREAT

Friday, April 13 - Sunday, April 15 at Camp Anderson in Old Town, FL. More details coming soon!



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HARVEST YOUNG ADULTS

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TUESDAY NIGHT YA MEETINGS

7pm at the home of Toby & Katrina Seay | teaching, discussion, & fellowship

NEWSBOYS CONCERT

Come with us to the Newsboys concert on March 24 at 6pm at the Dothan Civic Center! Tickets: \$18. Plan to arrive early to get seats together.

LOVE IN ACTION SERVICE PROJECT

We will be serving meals at the Love in Action medical clinic on Thursday, April 12, and praying for people as they leave. Join us in blessing the homeless in our community! More details to come.



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SPOTLIGHT ON MISSIONS

“HE SAID TO THEM, ‘GO INTO ALL THE WORLD AND PREACH THE GOSPEL TO ALL CREATION.’ MARK 16:15

Harvest Missions Committee is excited to share with you the many changes taking place! In the next three months we will be having missionaries come to visit and tell about their ministries. We can't wait to hear how God is expanding His kingdom in their parts of the world.

We recently learned about Dayspring International, a mission to India using the “Jesus” film. But there is a twist to their mission. Dayspring refilmed the movie using an all Indian cast. The movie is then taken all over India where it can be viewed for free to anyone. People are giving their hearts to Jesus and He is transforming their lives. Many are choosing to work with Dayspring to take the movie to other parts of India. Please be praying for them and the spread of the gospel there.

Another exciting venture coming up at Harvest is the opportunity you have to participate in a domestic mission trip. We will be going to the Appalachian area of Virginia this summer (June 3-8). The trip is available to anyone interested, no matter your age! Families are certainly welcome and encouraged to participate. The mission will involve ministry to the homeless, a children's camp, local service projects, and more! ***There will be an organizational meeting Sunday, March 4, at 12:30pm (right after the second service) in the Office Bldg for all who are interested in going.***

CHRISTIAN MOVIES COMING TO THEATERS

Samson - Now Showing
I Can Only Imagine - March 16
Paul, the Apostle - March 28
God's Not Dead 3 - March 30

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETINGS

Join us for prayer in the Worship Center on Tuesday and Friday mornings from 6-7am.
“Then if my people who are called by my name will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sins and restore their land.” 2 Chronicles 7:14

EASTER 2018

Sunday, April 1 is only 4 weeks away! Easter service times: 7:45, 9:20, & 11:00am. Easter is the main time during the year that unchurched people are most open to attending church. Who will you invite?



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