



MAGNIFY CHRIST,  
BUILD GREAT COMMISSIONARIES

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## From the Pastor's Pen

Friends of Faith,

When we trust God, we are willing to do anything within God's will.

Anything.

Stay tuned.

I Stand Amazed,  
David Mills

### Elevator Replacement Begins

On Monday, February 5, the process of replacing the elevator in Building B will begin. We anticipate the elevator will be out of commission for a minimum of one Sunday (February 11) or a maximum of two Sundays (February 11 & 18). Ground level entrances can be found on the Arby's side of the church. Map [here](#).

Background on replacing the elevator [here](#).



**Exclusive Screening for Beech Haven**  
Monday, February 12

6:30 p.m.

University 16 Theater

**A limited number of FREE electronic tickets are available at <http://bit.ly/2Dsu7Mu>**

About the movie: hoping to expose a Bible study group as false, a documentary filmmaker learns what real love is when he finds his way into . . . Small Group.

More information about the movie can be found [here](#).

## Super Bowl Party

for families of Preschool, Children and Students

### Sunday, February 4

Immediately following Sunday evening programming

**Please bring a side dish or dessert to share.**  
**Pizza provided.**



## Worship Ministry Notes

*“The LORD, the LORD Himself,  
is my strength and my defense;  
He has become my salvation.”*

Isaiah 12:2

When I was a kid, the worst punishment my mom could deliver was not an immediate spanking or loss of a privilege. No, it was the phrase, “Wait until your dad comes home.” Now, my father is truly kind and gentle, and his punishment was no worse than my mom’s. But the waiting was torture.

Now that I’m a dad, my girls know well the anguish of impending judgment. And it’s almost humorous to see how eager they are to please during this time. Suddenly, they’re eagerly cleaning their rooms, picking up their clothes, and asking to help with the dishes. With the coming punishment in mind, they are quick to find favor.

God is the ultimate judge, and while He does not wish for anyone to perish (2 Pet. 3:2), His judgment is absolute. Today, though, the bulk of His judgment is being delayed until Christ’s return. In many ways, we are living in a day similar to that of Methuselah, Lamech, and Noah.

Long before the waters rose, God warned that judgment was coming. In fact, Noah’s grandfather Methuselah’s name even means “when he is dead it shall be sent.” Interestingly, after living 969 years, Methuselah died the same year as the flood. Clearly, God delayed judgment so that more might repent and believe.

By the time of the flood, though, “only a few people, eight in all, were saved through water” (1 Pet. 3:20). Why weren’t more saved? And why are more people today not concerned with the coming judgment which will be far worse than even a world-wide flood? Why are people not eager to get right with God and escape this impending destruction? Tragically, it’s because they do not fear God. They do not believe His word or respect those who do.

Perhaps the greatest challenge before the Church is not convincing people that there’s a heaven. It’s helping them to see that there is a hell - and that the loving God is still the perfect Judge. He has graciously provided a path to salvation, but we must be willing to admit we need it.

My prayer is that we might be a people eager to sing of His great salvation; that we might joyfully proclaim the redemption found in Christ. Through our witness, may those around us have every opportunity to be saved.

-Tim

### Worship Center Renovation Timeline

Dr. Mills has announced his desire for renovating the Worship Center and has discussed it with the Deacons, the four standing committees, and the Prayer Team. Here is a broad timeline for that project:

Spring 2018	Church-wide Prayer
Summer 2018	Vision Stoking & Casting
Fall 2018	Church Input & Feedback on Vision
Winter 2018—Summer 2019	Initial Drafting & Church Feedback
Fall 2019	Finalization of Plans
Winter 2020	Church Votes on Plans
Spring 2020	Financial Campaign/Renovation

These plans may accelerate or slow down but each step will be taken. In the next few months, look for information and opportunities to join the church in praying for God’s direction collectively and individually about how a renovation can further our mission to make the people of the Athens area into missionaries.



Interested in learning more about the ministries and vision of Beech Haven?

We invite **guests** to a **Discover Beech Haven** lunch on Sunday, February 18.

Please RSVP [here](#) by February 12.

Retired/Senior Adult Ministry

## Spring Sing

Saturday, March 17

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Beech Haven Fellowship Hall

Featuring **Ole Timey Gospel music** by  
Clarke & Sandie Kesler Ministries

with lunch catered by **The Master's Table**

Tickets: \$10 each. Deadline to purchase is Sunday March 11.  
Tickets are available in the church office and [here](#).

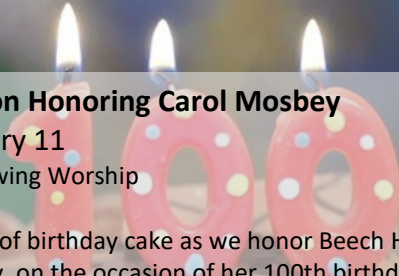


## 100! Celebration Honoring Carol Mosbey

Sunday, February 11

Immediately following Worship  
Fellowship Hall

Join us for a piece of birthday cake as we honor Beech Haven Charter Member,  
Mrs. Carol Mosbey, on the occasion of her 100th birthday (February 13).



## Sunday School Class Prayer Rotation

February 2018

Sundays

Please meet in the workroom precisely from 10:20 - 10:25 a.m.

February 4 - College; Median Ladies

February 11 - Coed 36-49; Men; 7th/8th Grade Boys

February 18 - Working/Retired I; 7th/8th Grade Girls

February 25 - Working/Retired II; 9th/10th Grade Girls

# Ladies Night Out

Tuesday, February 20

Cheddars

6:00 p.m.

followed by dessert and devotion at the  
home of Cindi Weatherly

## Giving Statements

Giving statements were mailed the  
week of January 22. If you have any  
questions about your statement, please  
contact Janet at [office@beechhaven.net](mailto:office@beechhaven.net)  
or 706.548.2246 *and thank you for  
changing lives with your gifts!*

Online giving available  
[www.BeechHaven.org/give](http://www.BeechHaven.org/give)

## Wednesday Night Supper

(Reservations Required)

5:00 - 5:45 p.m. - Fellowship Hall

Cost: Adults - \$4.50

Children (under 10) - \$2.00

Family Maximum - \$16.00

## February 7

Chili Baked Potatoes

Toss Salad/Spinach Salad

Apple Cobbler

## February 14

Poppy seed Casserole

Rice with veggies, Apple sauce

Cookies

## February 21

Spaghetti, Salad, Garlic Rolls

Brownies

## February 28

Country Fried Steak, English Peas

Mashed Potatoes, Biscuits & Gravy

Cake

## Supper Reservations

- Complete the Sunday morning  
Worship Guide Insert, and place it in  
the offering plate, or
- Call the church office at  
706.548.2246 by **noon on Tuesday**,  
or
- Email [cassieb@BeechHaven.net](mailto:cassieb@BeechHaven.net)  
by **noon on Tuesday**.
- Request **Permanent Reservation**  
status using any of the above  
methods.
- If you have made reservations and  
do not cancel, we still need you to  
pay for your meal. Thanks!

## God Blessed

January

Monthly Requirement .....\$122,583

January Receipts .....\$87,953

January Christian Concern .....\$1,610



**Give by Text**  
**706-550-9534**



## Preschool & Children's Ministry



Saturday games begin at 9:00 a.m.  
The church family is invited to attend.

### February Schedule

February 3 - Teacher Appreciation Day  
February 17 - Crazy Hair/Crazy Sock Day  
February 24 - Grandparent Appreciation Day

### Upward Celebration

Sunday, February 25  
4:00 p.m.  
Gym



for 3 year olds through Grade 6  
Sundays @ 5:30 p.m.

### February Schedule

**February 4** - Souper Bowl Night  
(bring a can of soup)  
**February 11** - Crazy Hair Night  
**February 18** - VIP Night - bring a very  
important person (parent or grandparent)  
**February 25** - Upward Celebration

### Awana Games

#### Saturday, March 10

Hebron Baptist Church

#### We need 10 Sparks and 10 TNTers!

Transportation provided.

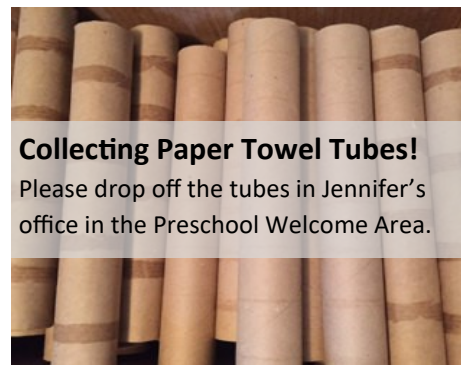
### Awana Grand Prix

#### Saturday, April 14

10:00 a.m. in Gym

Build dates:

Fridays, March 23, April 6 and April 13  
6:00-8:00 p.m.



### Collecting Paper Towel Tubes!

Please drop off the tubes in Jennifer's  
office in the Preschool Welcome Area.

### Mark Your Calendar

#### Summer Dates

#### Vacation Bible School

June 4-8 with Family Day June 10



### Camp Kaleo & Camp Pinnacle

July 9 -13

Kaleo for rising 4th-6th grade boys

Pinnacle for rising 4th-7th grade girls

## Student Ministry

### The Mix

(Athens Area DNow)

February 23-25

We will have our own host homes, still do  
a mission project on Saturday afternoon,  
but we will also worship with 2,000 other  
students from across the Athens area.  
Guest Speaker: Dan Lian, Teaching Pastor  
at Newspring Church

Cost: \$60

[Pay here.](#)

[Register here.](#)

Registration is not complete until the  
registration form is submitted and  
payment is made.

### Guatemala Mission Trip

for high school Juniors and Seniors  
and college Freshman

May 24 - June 2

**Next Team Meeting:**

**Tuesday, February 27@ 6pm**

### Summer Dates

#### Surge Music Camp

June 18 - 23

#### Lake Retreats

July 23 - 24

Middle School

July 24 - 26

High School

## College Ministry

### Guatemala Mission Trip

for high school Juniors and Seniors  
and college Freshman

May 24 - June 2

**Next Guatemala Team Meeting**

Tuesday, February 27

6:00 p.m. - Fellowship Hall

### Sunday School

9:15 a.m. in Building D

### Groups at Ginger Lane

Weekly Bible Study

Thursdays @ 8:00 p.m.

## February Servants

### Sunday, February 4

#### Extended Session

Coordinators: Eric & Heather Harris  
Sandi Franklin  
Dennis & Kathy McDaniel  
Mallory Fountain, Susan Sheffield  
Sharon McKeithan, Lisa Rhymer

#### Children's Worship

Brent & Meredith Dykes

#### Usher Team

Mike Mauldin

#### Shuttle Bus Driver

Jerry Craig

#### Worship Hour Prayer Team

Jonathan Tolbert

#### Counting Team for Monday

Sherry Reed, Marie Moran  
Lanie Lafayette

### Sunday, February 11

#### Extended Session

Coordinators: Kenneth & Stephanie Bowman  
Debbie Jones, Nikki Menjivar  
Dale & Nancy Wallace  
Mike and Thomas Campbell  
Jason & Lynn Booth

#### Children's Worship

Tracy McKeithan, Amy Tolbert

#### Usher Team

Len Griffin

Tom McCormack, Franklin Scott  
George Windate

#### Shuttle Bus Driver

Steve Crumbley

#### Worship Hour Prayer Team

Nancy Wallace

#### Counting Team for Monday

Linda Pickering, Allene Carteaux  
Joyce Hartley

### Sunday, February 18

#### Extended Session

Coordinators: Eric & Rosie Ingram  
Mike & Peggy Mauldin  
Stacie Leggett  
Jake Johnson, Cameron Sowers  
Mary Deaton

#### Children's Worship

Zach Williams, Katherine Allen

#### Usher Team

Bill Crowe

Robert Sinyard, Steve Starnes  
Jerry Whiteside

#### Shuttle Bus Driver

Allan Adams

#### Worship Hour Prayer Team

Royce Vaughn

#### Counting Team for Monday

Jane Poole, Emily McClure  
Mary Deaton

### Sunday, February 25

#### Extended Session

Coordinators: Ryan & Jennifer Adolphson  
MaLinda McLendon, Cassie Brown  
Mitchell Adolphson, Adam Monroe  
Bill & Mayre Favaloro

#### Children's Worship

Lisa Rhymer, Cameron Sowers

#### Usher Team

John Zelley

Dickie Riggs

#### Shuttle Bus Driver

Squeaky Drewry

#### Worship Hour Prayer Team

Jim & Kay Mitchell

#### Counting Team for Monday

Doug & Faye Owens  
Nancy Bruce

## February Calendar

### Thursdays, February 1, 8, 15, 22

9:30 a.m. - International Friends

### Saturdays, February 3, 10, 17, 24

Upward Basketball Games

### Sundays, February 4, 11, 18

9:15 a.m. - Sunday School for all ages

10:30 a.m. - Worship

5:30 p.m. - AWANA

5:30 p.m. - Ladies Bible Study

6:00 p.m. - Pulse

6:00 p.m. - Prayer Meeting

### Sunday, February 4

6:45 p.m. - Family Super Bowl Party

### Tuesdays, February 6, 13, 27

9:00 a.m. - Precept Bible Study

9:30 a.m. - Ladies Bible Study

### Tuesday, February 20

9:00 a.m. - Precept Bible Study

### Wednesdays, February 7, 14, 21, 28

4:00 p.m. - WoW

5:00 p.m. - Supper (reservations required)

6:00 p.m. - WoW

6:00 p.m. - Children's Choir

7:00 p.m. - Adult Choir

### Thursday, February 8

10:00 a.m. - Women on Mission Meeting

### Saturday, February 10

Awana Bible Quiz, Snellville

### Sunday, February 11

12:00 noon - Carol Mosbey 100th

Birthday Celebration; Fellowship Hall

### Sunday, February 18

12:00 noon - Discover Beech Haven Lunch

### Tuesday, February 20

6:00 p.m. - Ladies Night Out

### Friday-Sunday, February 23-25

The MIX for youth

### Sunday, February 25

9:15 a.m. - Sunday School for all ages

10:30 a.m. - Worship

4:00 p.m. - Upward Celebration

6:00 p.m. - Prayer Meeting

### Tuesday, February 27

6:00 p.m. - Guatemala Team Meeting

### Ministry Staff

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