How May We Help You?

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Weekly Services

Sunday Morning Prayer	9:15 & 10:00 am
Sunday School	10:00 am
Sunday Morning Worship	10:45 am
Sunday ikidz	10:45 am
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 pm
Tuesday Prayer -The Hedge	7:00 pm
Wednesday Family Enrichment	7:00 pm
Wednesday Youth: The Edge	7:00 pm
Wednesday Choir Practice	8:00 pm
Thursday Prayer Meeting	10:00 am

Please visit our website for additional information.

How Can I Be Saved?

Acknowledge You Have Sinned. "If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us" (I John 1:8) "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23)

Believe In Jesus. "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house" (Acts 16:31). "For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life" (John 3:16).

Confess and Renounce Your Sin. "That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved" (Romans 10:9). "If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness (I John 1:9).



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Now the Lord is that Spirit: and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty. 2 Corinthians 3:17

TODAY'S MESSAGE:

"THE PLACE OF THE SQUEEZE"

1 Samuel 22:1 David therefore departed thence, and escaped to the cave Adullam: and when his brethren and all his father's house heard it, they went down thither to him.

Upcoming Events & Opportunities to Serve

WONDERFULLY MADE MINISTRY: remember to wear blue next Sunday, April 29th in recognition of Autism Awareness. Let's light it up blue!

NUGGETTS OF GOLD/SENIOR ADULT BREAKFAST: will be this Tuesday morning, April 24th at 9:00 am. Come be a part of this special gathering for Food, Fun, Fellowship and Give aways.

MAYOR'S PRAYER BREAKFAST 2018: will be Thursday May 3, 2018 at Alice Drive Baptist Church. The Keynote Speaker will be Jennifer Benjamin Pinckney, the widow of S.C. State Senator, the Honorable Reverend Clementa C. Pinckney. Tickets in advance are \$10.00 and \$12.00 at the door. Let's go to this event to support prayer in Sumter!

ANOINTING BOOKS: the Anointing Books are in the Bethesda Bookstore for those who would like to be a part of a new ministry for reading and sharing.

TAX HELP: VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) Volunteers learn a new skill while helping Sumter County households save money on their taxes. Anyone can help. Free training is available for all skill levels, on how to prepare basic tax returns. Each hour of your donated time saves a working family around \$300. If interested, please contact Cecilia Newman at <u>relcik341@gmail.com</u> or call 803.840.2017

HEDGE PRAYER SERVICE: Every Tuesday at 7p.m. This is a powerful time of Intercession and spiritual breakthrough. Come experience God with a Prayer Encounter.

BUILDING FUND DRIVE: "TOGETHER WE WILL" pay off \$2.3 million in less than 24 months. GOD is doing mighty things, be a part of this great move of GOD. We want to have 100% of our members tithing.

ATTENTION: Today, Altar Team 4 will be ministering in the altars!



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