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March 16, 2017

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Combined Worship Service

Sunday, March 26
10:30am

D-Now Student Led Service

Friendship Group

Senior Adult Luncheon

Tuesday, March 21, 11:00 am

Senior Adult Building

Program: Joyful Sound from
North Greenville University

Menu: Grilled Chicken, Mashed Potatoes,
Green Beans, Chocolate Cake

Reservations required by
4:30 Thursday.

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Sunday at Berea First Baptist Church

Encounter Service, 8:15 am

Sunday School, 9:30 am

Cornerstone Service, 10:30 am

Message by Dr. Chad Rickenbaker

6:00 pm

Evening Service



Camp Registration 2017

Wednesday, March 22

6:00 – 7:30

In the Senior Adult Building

Camp Forest, Cheraw State Park

Junior Week, Grades 2 – 5, June 18–22

Senior Week, Grades 6 – 12, June 25–30

Registration Fee \$50 - Total Cost \$215

Counselor Fee \$40

For campers that register March 22 – 26 there will be a
\$25 early registration discount bringing the cost down to \$190.

We need our counselors to register early also. We need you
in order for camp to happen. Even if you have never been before, please
consider signing up and being part of our camp this summer.

It will be a time you will never forget!

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**ANNIE
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EASTER OFFERING®

Our Goal: \$12,000

Received: \$2,006

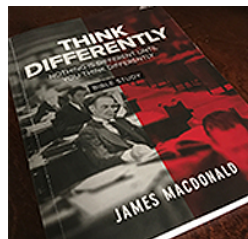
This offering supports missionaries
and their work in spreading the
gospel across North America.

Need Prayer?

Please share any concerns with our
Intercessory Prayer Ministry

Email: prayerrequest@bereafbc.org

Voicemail: (864) 246-9182, Ext. 1



THINK DIFFERENTLY - JAMES MACDONALD

Begins Wednesday, March 22nd

NOTHING IS DIFFERENT UNTIL YOU THINK DIFFERENTLY

There's no change without changing the way you think. But why is it so hard? This concentrated biblical teaching on thinking reveals four reasons and why God's weapons are your only hope. Identify the mental wars you are fighting, equip yourself with the powerful weapons God provides, and engage your mind in destroying the patterns of thinking that lead to the behavior you want to change. It's time to think about what you think about—so you can choose to think (and act) differently.

Welcome New Member



Chad Rainey

104 Razor Dr.
Greenville, SC 29617

Student Ministry

More details are available online at thecrosswalk.info

New York City

July 18-24

\$100 deposit due by April 2

The beginning cost is \$500 but will be reduced with fundraisers, etc. We also have partial scholarships available. Trip details, payment schedules and more information can be found at thecrosswalk.info.

Family Weekend Retreat

Camp Forest, Cheraw SC

April 28 – 30

Games, Campfires, Fun-time Skits,
Worship Time Together
\$100 per family

If you have never been to camp, this is a great chance to see a little of what we do each summer. For complete details visit www.bereafbc.org.

Deadline to register is April 9

Easter Sunday Morning

April 16

7:00 am, Sunrise Service
7:30-8:30 am, Breakfast
9:30 am, Sunday School
10:30 am, Worship Service

The Living Cross

Remember to bring flowers (real or silk) to church on Easter Sunday and cover the cross with life and beauty. The Living Cross makes a great background for an Easter family picture.

Mark Your Calendar!

Vacation Bible School

June 5-9, 9am-12 noon
3 Year Olds—Grade 5
(Must have turned 3 by Sept 1, 2016)

Financial Report Sunday, March 12, 2017

Total Annual Budget.....\$1,353,255.76
Budgeted Gifts Rec'd 3-12.....\$19,750.90
Legacy Gifts.....\$850.00
Designated/Reimbursement.....\$4,732.00
Total Deposit.....\$25,332.90

Easter Lilies

You may purchase an Easter lily in memory or in honor of a loved one. The cost is \$12 and a list of these gifts will be printed in Reflections. Deadline to purchase a lily is Sunday, April 2.



Division Winners from March 12

Preschool – 1 & 2 year olds

Children – 2nd Grade

Youth – 6th & 9th Grades

Adults – Smith Class & Hodge Class

Game 3 is this Sunday, March 19, at 9:30. Our words for the first two weeks have been “teamwork” and “team” and our acrostic from this past week reminds us that “together everyone achieves more”. For this week, challenge yourself, your coach and your teammates as we “rebound” from our snowy/time change Game 2 and let’s make Game 3 our best week yet. Remember to make contacts, bring your Bible and your offering and bring a new recruit. Do your part to help your “team” achieve more this week!

Children’s Day

Sunday, April 2, 8:15 and 10:30

The Children’s Choir and Preschool Choir will sing and many of our 1st-5th grade children will serve as ushers and greeters, read scripture, and lead us in prayer.

Opportunities

SUNDAY

8:15am Encounter Service
9:30am Sunday School
10:30am Cornerstone Service
6:00pm Evening Worship
TeamKID
Youth

WEDNESDAY

5:15-6:30pm Supper
6:00pm Praying @ the Dock
6:00-6:45pm Preschool Choir
1st-5th Grade Choir
6:30-7:30pm Bible Study (Sanctuary)
6:45-7:30pm Student Worship
Preschool Mission Friends
Grades 1-5 G.A.’s
Grades 1-5 R.A.’s
7:35-9:00pm Worship Choir

THURSDAY

7:00am Men’s Prayer Group
6:30pm Ladies Lift Dinner

Wednesday Night Supper Menu for March 22

Baked Spaghetti, Tossed Salad,
Corn on the Cob, Garlic Bread

**Reservations required by
11:00am on Mondays.**

Reaching Center

Food needed this week:
corn muffin mix, grits, tomatoes, soup

Hygiene Bags for Nicaragua

Please pack the following items in **quart-sized bags** (as many as you can fit): toothpaste, toothbrush, comb, soap, washcloth, shampoo, conditioner, band-aids, antibacterial gel, razors, and any kind of basic toiletries that you can easily pack. You can place filled bags in the container in front of the Missions Mobilization table in the Welcome Center. All bags are due by Sunday, March 26.

Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 15, 11:00am

Home of Willa Faye Dacus

461 Hester Store Road, Easley

Hotdogs * Candy * Games * Sno Cones

Babies through grade 5 and their families are invited. Invite your friends and neighbors!

