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# Reflections

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## Children's Worship

**SUNDAY MORNINGS, 10AM**

**Books of the Bible: Take Up Your Sword**

The Bible is a powerful tool for life.

It is a weapon to fight temptation, and it is an instruction book for following God.

Join us Sundays at the Dock as we learn more about the Bible.

Children's Worship is provided for K4 – 5<sup>th</sup> grade.

### This Sunday at Berea First Baptist Church



Sunday School at 9:00 am

Worship at 10:00 am

Evening Worship at 6:00 pm

## CHURCH CAMP BEGINS THIS SUNDAY

*Please be in prayer for over 200 campers and counselors who will be in Cheraw during the next two weeks.*

**Grades 2-5 Camp:** June 18-22

Leave the church at 1:30 on Sunday and return around 1:00 Thursday.

**Grades 6-12 Camp:** June 25-30

Leave the church at 1:30 on Sunday and return around 1:00 Friday.

REMEMBER TO BRING A SACK SUPPER FOR SUNDAY EVENING

Supper will **NOT** be provided. (drinks provided)

**Mailing Address at Camp**

Berea First Baptist Church

Cheraw State Park - Camp Forest

100 State Park Rd., Cheraw, SC 29520

Facebook Updates: Go to our camp page, Camp Forest, and "like" us.



### Camp Service at Northside Park/Otter Creek Water Park

**Sunday, July 2**

**Camp Celebration Service, 5:00 pm**

Northside Park Shelter

**Water Park for entire Church Family, 5:45-7:45 pm**

*Everyone is invited to be part of this night to share camp and a fun evening together.*





### STUDENT MINISTRY

Pool | Food | Games | Prizes

Bring some friends and your favorite Hawaiian-themed food to share.

Best Hawaiian outfit wins the grand prize.

**June 16 | 7-10 pm**

Hosted by Olivia Simmons  
430 Old Hunts Bridge Road  
Greenville, SC 29617

### Kentucky Meeting

VBS Teams Only  
Thursday, June 15, 7:00 pm  
Patio Room



### Online Devotionals during Summer 2017

During the summer, you can receive daily devotionals via email that will go along with the Summer sermon series. Michael Hodge wrote these devotionals to help reinforce the weekly messages.

Day One was June 1st but it's not too late to sign up. These devotionals will continue throughout the summer.

Go to <http://berea-first-baptist-church.journeymaker.org/empowered-kingdom-living> and enter your email address to receive the devotionals.

Because this doesn't cost us anything to offer them via email, we will only make these available in that format.

### Financial Report Sunday, June 12, 2017

Total Annual Budget.....	\$1,353,255.76
Budgeted Gifts Rec'd 6-12.....	\$19,099.40
Legacy Gifts.....	\$470.00
Designated/Reimbursement.....	\$4,598.00
Total Deposit.....	\$24,167.40
<b>Attendance</b>	
Sunday Morning Services.....	467

### Summer Stewardship

E-giving is a great option when you're on vacation. It can be done from anywhere 24 hours a day. Just go to our website, [www.bereafbc.org](http://www.bereafbc.org)

### Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to:

Cindy Vaughn in the death of her father, Jimmy Friddle.

Steve Shead in the death of his sister, Janice Shead.

### Memorial Gifts

Gifts have been given in memory of:

John Lezan by:

Linda Emory

Jean Ammons by:

Ray Ammons

### Reaching Center Book Bag Giveaway

**Tuesday, August 8**

The Reaching Center continues to minister to many families in need for food and clothing each week. During July we take a break to restock our shelves and get ready for the August opening. During our first weeks, school supplies are crucial items that we provide for the children. You can help by donating the following items by July 30:

**Book bags, binders, spiral notebooks, notebook paper, erasers, sharpeners, rulers, pencil holders, glue sticks.**

Items can be left in the blue barrels throughout the church on Sundays or in the church office during the week.

Last year the Reaching Center gave out over 200 book bags to children in need.

### Opportunities

#### SUNDAY

9:00am	Sunday School
10:00am	Worship Service
6:00pm	Evening Worship

#### WEDNESDAY

6:30pm	Bible Study
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#### THURSDAY

7:00am	Men's Prayer Group
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### June & July Worship Choir Rehearsal Schedule

Below are the Wednesdays when we will have choir rehearsal for June-July. Rehearsals begin at 7:35.

Please mark these dates in your calendar:

June 14, June 28, July 12, July 19

### June Mission Action Project Food for the Reaching Center

Items needed this week:  
diced tomatoes, oatmeal,  
mixed vegetables, peanut butter

### Need Prayer?

Please share any concerns with our Intercessory Prayer Ministry  
Email: [prayerrequest@bereafbc.org](mailto:prayerrequest@bereafbc.org)  
Voicemail: (864) 246-9182, Ext. 1

### THANK YOU

Notes of appreciation have been received from: Tessa Shockey, Dottie Moskos, Emily Bridges, Dick and Hazel Vickery, Ron and Judy Granger, Iris, Adam and Scott Lezan.

### Summer Mission Trips

**Kentucky**  
July 8-14

**New York City (Students)**  
July 18-24

**Uganda**  
July 21-August 2