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# Reflections

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## Church Camp Begins next Sunday

**June 18**

**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.

We will have daily updates and photos straight from Cheraw.



## Camp Night Sunday, July 2

**5:00 pm**

Church Service at Northside Park Shelter

**5:45-7:45**

Otter Creek Water Park

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

## This Sunday at Berea First Baptist Church



Sunday School at 9:00 am

Worship at 10:00 am

Evening Worship at 6:00 pm



### 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.

## Vacation Bible School

We have averaged 180 children and workers each day so far in VBS! Appreciation is extended to all of the workers who are doing an excellent job in making VBS a time of learning, growing, and fun for our children!



## Welcome New Members



**Donald and Gwen Starling**  
109 Briar Creek Rd.  
Greer, SC 29650



**Michelle Merck**  
**Ashley Merck**  
105 Old Vineland School Rd.  
Easley, SC 29640



**Jennelyn Bonoan (Shane Ducker)**  
357 Hillandale Rd.  
Greenville, SC 29609

### BFBC Book Club

Monday, June 12, 6:00 pm

## Kentucky Meeting

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

## The Very Newest

Congratulations to Ashley Springfield and Steven Murray on the birth of a daughter, Audrey Marie Murray, born May 13. Audrey is the granddaughter of Bill Springfield.

## Financial Report

Sunday, June 4, 2017

Total Annual Budget.....\$1,353,255.76  
Budgeted Gifts Rec'd 6-4.....\$32,286.77  
Legacy Gifts.....\$848.00  
Designated/Reimbursement.....\$19,676.00  
Total Deposit.....\$52,810.77  
**Attendance**  
Sunday Morning Services.....490

## Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to:

Kathie Riddle in the death of her mother, Edna Newton.

Tish Bridwell in the death of her sister, Evelyn Kistler.

Katie Thompson in the death of her aunt, Nita Kirkland.

Herman Lambert in the death of his son, Wayne Lambert.

## Memorial Gifts

Gifts have been given in memory of:

John Lezan by:  
Margaret Garren  
Joe and Gwen Williams  
Annette Shealy  
Allison Henderson  
Don and Susan Baird  
Ernest and Betty Reece  
Richard and Sandra Connor  
Judith Miller

## 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.

## Need Prayer?

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

## June Mission Action Project

**Food for the Reaching Center**

Items needed this week:  
fruit, cornbread mix, oatmeal, grits

## Opportunities

### SUNDAY

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

### WEDNESDAY

6:30pm Bible Study  
7:35pm Worship Choir Rehearsal

### THURSDAY

7:00am Men's Prayer Group

## 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 7, June 14, June 28, July 12, July 19



## Ladies Event

Join us for ABUNDANCE, a two-day event in which we will remind ourselves, and each other, that Jesus is more than enough.

**NOVEMBER 3-4, 2017**

TD Convention Center

**Cost: \$59**

Purchase your ticket Sunday in the Welcome Center, **now - June 14.**



## 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.