

# BOSTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Newsletter March 2023

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#### **Men's Steak Dinner**

Boston Baptist Men! Be sure to mark your calendars for Thursday, March 2nd at 6:30 p.m.! That night we are hosting a steak dinner for our Men's Ministry. We'll meet in the Fellowship Hall to enjoy a time of dinner and fellowship to kick off the night. We hope you'll join us for this amazing night of fellowship and worship! Please see Codie Frick to reserve your seat.

#### **Choir Notes**

Easter is April 9th, and we are doing something a little different this year. Instead of presenting an entire musical on Easter Sunday, we are working on special selections for Palm Sunday (April 2nd) and Easter. The music on Palm Sunday will focus on the earthly ministry of Jesus, His triumphant entry into Jerusalem, and the cross. Easter Sunday, the music will celebrate the glorious resurrection story! Please plan to join us for both services.

We have been missing one of our most faithful choir members for the last few weeks and look forward to

Happy first day of spring, March 20th!

having Viola back in the choir soon!

#### Ellen

"I sing for joy at the works of your hands." Psalm 92:4

Don't Forget to "spring forward" March 12th





**Filling Shoeboxes Throughout the Year** March is **hygiene items**. We hope you will help us all year to have more supplies to put in our shoebox gifts. There is a large basket located in the church foyer. See Bethany McDonnell or Nikki Shiver with any questions.

#### March's Shopping List

- washcloth
- bar of soap
- compact mirror
- nail clippers
- nail file
- stick deodorant
- toothbrush (NO toothpaste)
- bandaids / adhesive bandages
- lip balm



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#### **March Events**

Men's Steak Supper 2nd Thursday @ 6:30 pm

Deacon's Meeting 8th Wednesday @ 7:30 pm

Business Meeting 12th Sunday after service

**Communion** 19th Sunday service

Seekers WMU Meeting 27th Monday @ 6:30 pm

## March Birthdays

- 6 Millie Phillips
- 7 Eddie Householder
- 9 Craig Moore
- 10 Faye Herring
- 13 Payton West
- 15 Colin McDonnell
- 18 Chuck West
- 21 Aiyana Yerkes
- 21 Katie Bruce
- 24 Linda Napoleone

## **March Flowers**

- 5 Danny Groover
- 12 Lou Ellen Peek
- 19 Chuck & Joy West
- 26 OPEN

Contact the church secretary, Kristy Howell, at (229) 403-9379 to contribute to our newsletter or to the flower calendar. (And be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you. Ephesians 4:32

## What is communion?

Communion is a symbolic way to show we belong to Jesus and to remember what He did for us. It's a regular remembrance and celebration of the Lord's sacrificial death. The breaking and eating of bread has to do with Christ's body being broken on the cross. The drinking from the cup has to do with the shedding of Christ's blood, whereby we are forgiven. (Matthew 26:26-28; 1 Corinthians 11:23-24).

A big part of communion is remembering and reflecting. Remember the sacrifice and promise that Jesus made. Communion should also involve personal reflection. It's a time to examine our relationship with the Lord and with others. Communion should lead to praise. Jesus has made a way for us to receive forgiveness and life! Often communion is a joyous celebration- a reminder of our great God. We don't have communion because of obligation. We have communion as a proclamation of Jesus' promise of salvation! Join us as we honor the Lord in worship through participating in the Lord's Communion on March 19th during the morning service.



# **Welcome New Members**

Welcome our newest members of Boston Baptist Church. Paul and Jessica Phillips, along with their three children, Luke (5), Raegan (3), and Millie (11 months), joined Sunday, February 19th. They are an excellent addition to our church family!

# Annie Armstrong Easter Offering and North American Missions Week of Prayer March 5-12th

SBC churches annually observe the Week of Prayer for North American missions to pray for missionaries, their ministries, and their families. Prayer is the fuel for spiritually sustaining missionaries in places where the gospel is greatly needed but often opposed. You can pick up your prayer guide in the church foyer to participate in the Week of Prayer. For more information, visit www.anniearmstrong.com/week-of-prayer.