

KIDDING AROUND



Triad Baptist Church ❖ Children's Ministries ❖ Kernersville, North Carolina

What's Up OCTOBER

Friday, October 6th

"Picnic by the Playground"

(For Grades K-2)

6:30-8:00 PM - Grades K-2 are invited to come enjoy an evening of high-energy playground fun, complete with a picnic! For more details or to sign up for this fun outdoor event, simply email Mr. Tim (tim.gerber@tbcnow.org). Cost for the activity is \$5 per child, which includes supper!



Sunday, October 22nd

FAMILY FALLFEST

5:00-8:00 PM - Come enjoy an amazing night with your family! The Family FallFest will be a church-wide event and a way to reach out to the entire community. This evening will include Trunk or Treat, inflatables, hayrides and food trucks, and MORE! Check out our website (tbcnow.org) for more details!

One day while Paul was praying, God told him to go and preach the good news about Jesus. Paul set out to travel around the Mediterranean Sea telling people how their sins could be forgiven. He loved seeing people become Christians! Paul was a missionary with passion. Traveling and telling people about Jesus were what Paul loved more than anything. He would go from town to town visiting churches, and if a town didn't have a church, he would start one. Had Paul visited your church, he would have shared exciting stories of his journeys. You would have been on the edge of your seat as he described the mockery and abuse he received while preaching about Jesus.

PAUL'S PASSION

Paul was quite a man. He had been a Pharisee and had studied with a famous teacher. He understood the Jews and he was also a Roman citizen. Paul could speak many languages including Greek and Aramaic. He had something in common with just about everyone. This really gave Paul an advantage when talking to people about his favorite topic, the love of Jesus.

One night Paul was speaking to a group of people in a house when a man, sitting in a third-story window, fell asleep. The man fell to the ground outside and was killed. Paul ran down and jumped on top of the man and shouted, "He's alive"! The man immediately came back to life and Paul went back upstairs to finish speaking. That's awesome!



MARK 16:7-15
He said to them,
Go into all the world
and preach the
gospel to all creation.

Jesus commanded all of us to tell people in our world about the good news of God's love. Your world is the school you attend, the neighborhood you live in, your teammates, and your church. Ask God to give you passion like Paul to share the love of Jesus with your world!!!

Sunday, October 29th

"FALL CHILDREN'S BAPTISMAL SERVICE"

9:00-9:30 AM - Each quarter, we plan a special service to baptize those children who desire to be baptized and have met the following criteria ...

- ◆ They have met with Mr. Tim to share their testimony about how they accepted Christ as Savior.
- ◆ Their parents are in agreement with their desire to be baptized.
- ◆ They complete these before the deadline of October 15th.

For more information, contact Mr. Tim at tim.gerber@tbcnow.org.



MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE

HEY KIDS!!!

Have you been able to join us for our current series in Kids Street from the book of Ephesians? It's called **LET'S GET REAL!**

Let's face it ... the Book of Ephesians is an incredible book of the Bible. The Apostle Paul wrote this letter to the church in Ephesus to help them understand how to have a REAL faith in Jesus. In this ten-part series, the children are learning all about how to take their faith to the next level. As Christians, we want our faith to be REAL and genuine! There is nothing worse than someone who is just "pretending" to be a Christian, but doesn't have REAL faith! We pray that you enjoy this series and that your faith is stretched in the process!

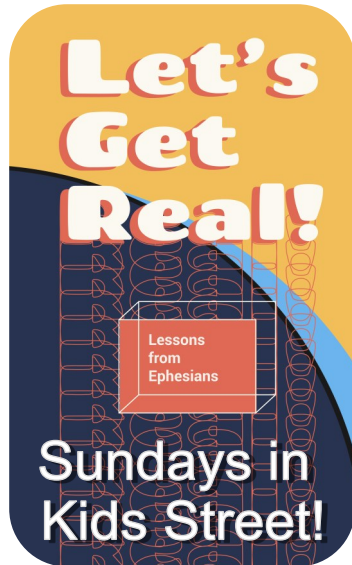
Rehearsals for our Grade K-5 Christmas program continue! We are practicing on Wednesday nights in *The Gathering Room* from 6:30-7:30 PM. We are preparing to present our annual children's Christmas program, scheduled for Wednesday night, December 13th. It's not too late to join us!

A couple of exciting FALL outdoor event nights have been planned, so don't miss your chance to have a blast on the Friday evening event scheduled for YOUR age group! Our Grade K-2 event is this month, and the Grade 3-5 event is scheduled for November!

Needless to say, buckle up, and get ready for a busy, yet great October! Just hang on, if you think you can!!

Because of Him,

Mr. Tim



OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

CHILDREN

1 Katie Denny (11)	14 Kenley Brengan (4)
1 Everly Wazlavek (5)	17 Abigail Kilbreth (7)
2 Jackson Yates (8)	17 Peyton Hodges (10)
2 Spencer Holton (11)	17 Myles Crawford (5)
3 Tamyia Stewart (10)	18 R.J. Midkiff (3)
4 Daya Miller (6)	18 Hadley Gaddis (9)
4 Kameron Turner (7)	20 Luke Williams (9)
6 Mason Mabe (9)	20 Noah Hedges (5)
6 Lilah Place (9)	23 Lincoln Hines (9)
6 Sadie Bradley (5)	26 Maddox Houston (8)
7 Sofia Constable (11)	26 Siobhan Coleman (3)
8 Blaylee Vrba (4)	27 Kennedy Thomas (11)
9 Ethan Shuler (11)	27 Stella Whapham (2)
9 Lucas Wolfe (10)	28 Parker Ross (3)
9 Olivia Williams (6)	28 Joshua Walker (4)
9 Liam Douglas (1)	29 J.J. Belcher (3)
9 Rylee Prince (8)	30 Lily McDonald (10)
10 Lilyanna Nifong (9)	30 Ava Yount (10)
11 Avett Sauls (6)	30 Abbey Griffith (11)
12 Camden Mullins (7)	31 Wylee Midkiff (7)
13 Austin Osborne (5)	31 Gavin Phelps (4)
14 Zander Clewis (7)	31 Caleb Reynolds (7)

CHILDREN'S LEADERS

1 Marsha Thompson (Nursery Dept., Checkpoint Attendant)
2 Brad Royal (Preschool Dept.)
2 Jeff Chandler (KS Connect Coordinator, Awana Game Director)
3 Heather Osborne (Junior Cubbies Director, Nursery Dept.)
3 Dana Pack (Nursery Dept.)
4 B.T. Owen (KS Transport)
4 Bill Johnston (Awana Sparks Leader)
4 Boomer Kennedy (Preschool Dept.)
5 Desiree Shuler (Nursery Dept.)
8 Latricia Jackson (KS Connect Leader)
7 Scott Lecnar (KS Connect Leader)
11 Kyle Woods (Nursery Dept.)
12 Chris Sloan (Pre-K Teacher)
17 Ryan Wolverton (KS Transport)
20 Eric Church (Preschool Dept.)
20 Melissa Myers (KS Connect Leader)
24 Zach Browning (Preschool Dept.)
24 Rachel DeHart (Preschool Dept.)
25 Stephanie Price (Preschool Dept.)
25 Wilson Arnette (KS Transport)
26 Pastor Rob Decker (Church Staff)
26 Morgan Harrelson (Nursery Dept.)
27 Kim Hittell (KS Connect Leader, Awana T&T Leader)
29 Overton Harper (Preschool Dept.)
30 Mady Gatewood (Preschool Dept.)

THOUGHTS TO PONDER

Here are some thoughts to discuss on your next family journey. By the way, "Thoughts to Ponder" does not mean these thoughts should be thrown in a pond. Instead, use your noodle to think about the deeper meaning.

- ◆ Why are they called apartments when they're all stuck together?
- ◆ Why is the alphabet in that order? Is it because of that song?
- ◆ How do you tell if you're out of invisible ink?
- ◆ Why do mind readers have to ask your name?
- ◆ If you tell a joke in the forest but nobody laughs, was it a joke?
- ◆ What does the factory that makes packing peanuts use to pack them in when they are shipped out?
- ◆ What is the speed of dark?



- ◆ What would a chair look like if your knees bent the other way?
- ◆ Why do you drive on parkways and park on driveways?
- ◆ What is another word for "Thesaurus"?
- ◆ Why is a carrot more orange than an orange?
- ◆ You can't have everything. Where would you put it?
- ◆ When you erase a word with a pencil, where does it go?
- ◆ How much deeper would the ocean be if sponges didn't grow in it?
- ◆ Why doesn't glue stick to the inside of the bottle?
- ◆ If your dog's name is Spot and you accidentally spill spot remover on him, will he disappear?

KIDS STREET SUNDAY NIGHTS IN OCTOBER ...

OCT 1st ... "Bring A Friend" Night - This is a great night to invite those friends from school, your neighborhood or even your sports team ... to come out and experience all the fun and excitement that AWANA has to offer!

OCT 8th ... "Around the World" Night - Come dressed in the colors or apparel of different countries and cultures to show support for our church Missions program. Pray for all our missionaries "around the world!"

OCT 15th ... "Pajama" Night - Time for bed?!? Clubbers are encouraged to come ready for bed with their PJs!!! Just stay awake during Awana, please!

OCT 22nd ... NO AWANA / Family FallFest - A church-wide & community family event with Trunk or Treat, Food, Music, Bouncers, & more. (This event takes the place of our normal Awana Schedule). No other church events this night, so Awana clubbers and leaders are free to get involved and help in this church-wide event.

OCT 29th ... "Hayride" Night - All clubbers should get the chance to enjoy a hayride through the property!



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
9:00 am KS Connect 10:30 am KS Worship 5:00-6:30 pm Awana "BRING A FRIEND" Night Puggles (2's), Cubbies (3-PreK), Sparks (Gr. K-2), T&T (Gr. 3-5)	2	3	4 6:30-7:30 pm Age 4 to Grade 5 Christmas Program Choir Rehearsal (Gathering Room)	5	6 6:30-8:00 pm "Picnic by the Playground" For Grades K-2	7
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29 9:00 am Baptism Service 9:00 am KS Connect 10:30 am KS Worship 5:00-6:30 pm Awana "HAYRIDE" Night Puggles (2's), Cubbies (3-PreK), Sparks (Gr. K-2), T&T (Gr. 3-5)	30	31				