

By the Numbers		Deacons on Call/Serving Hosts	
Attendance	03/12/23	Mar 16 - 22	
Sunday School Attendance	463	Dusty Turner 864-992-3960	
Guests	12	turnerds136@gmail.com	
Giving for the Week of	03/12/23	Mar 23 - 29	
Budget Receipts	\$42,840.00	Lynn Doolittle 864-377-9495	
Budget Requirements	\$37,531.00	lynndoolittle64@gmail.com	
YTD Received	\$402,667.00	Mar 23 - 29	
YTD Budget Req.	\$412,840.00	Randy Culbertson 864-993-9097	
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Family Group Night
I AM
(Exodus 3:13-14)

READ IT

Moses said to God, “Suppose I go to the Israelites and say to them, ‘The God of your fathers has sent me to you,’ and they ask me, ‘What is his name?’ Then what shall I tell them?” God said to Moses, “I am who I am. This is what you are to say to the Israelites: ‘I am has sent me to you.’”

DISCOVER IT

In Exodus, chapter 3 we read the account of a man named Moses. Although raised in Egypt in the Palace of the King he was not a Egyptian. He was a Hebrew. Hebrews at that time were slaves in Egypt. And had not Pharaoh’s daughter found him, floating in a basket, Moses would have been killed along with all the other Hebrew baby boys of that time. Growing up in Pharaoh’s household, he rebelled against the injustices done to the Hebrews. He ended up as an exile in the desert, living out his days as a shepherd. But one day he saw a bush burning constantly but never being consumed. And then he heard the voice of God emanating from the bush. “Moses! Moses! Do not come any closer. Take off your sandals, for the place where you are standing is holy ground.” Then God commissioned Moses to go back to Egypt as a leader who would deliver the Hebrews from bondage to freedom. But then, Moses’ excuses began. “What if they don’t believe me.” “I’m slow of speech, I’m not eloquent.” “Who am I that I should be called to do this.” And then he asks God the most important question of all – “Who are You?”

ASK IT

1. God said, “I am who I am,” when Moses asked his name. Why does God refuse to be labeled and named?
2. Some say the proper name of God in Hebrew is Yahweh or Jehoveh. But the name “Yahweh” is simply the word “I am.” His name is not a name at all. It’s a statement that “He is.” Why is it impossible to name God?
3. In John chapter 8 the Pharisees challenged Jesus in verse 13, “Your testimony is not valid.” In verse 19 they asked Him, “Where is your father?” And in verse 25 they questioned Him, “Who are you?” And to all of these accusations, Jesus replied “Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I am.” And in verse 59 when the Pharisees heard Jesus say, “I am,” they picked up stones to stone him. What was so controversial about Jesus’ statement, “I am”?

LIVE IT

1. WORSHIP AND ADORE THE “I AM” GOD. Fall on your face before your Creator! He is worthy of our praise!
2. FIND YOUR IDENTITY IN THE “I AM” GOD – Stop trying to make the Lord what you want Him to be and follow His plan. He defines us; we do not define Him. He loves you!

PRAY IT

I praise you, Lord. From everlasting to everlasting, you are God. Your ways are unimaginable. Your love is immeasurable. And your name is unmentionable. Your greatness and power and glory are eternal. You are! And I thank you for stooping down to pick me up in your love. AMEN

SERMON NOTES

THE
MESSENGER
To experience and express the love of Christ

03
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2023



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Sunny 103.5 at 8:30 & 11am on Sundays

CHURCH WORKDAY



Saturday, March 25
8:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Flower Beds & Pressure Washing

Let us know if you are coming. Text “WORK” to 864-392-9815. Please bring a pair of work gloves. Call if you plan to bring your pressure washer.



Dr. Toby Frost,

Have an extra vehicle? Please consider donating it to South Main! Using your vehicle as an offering to God through South Main saves you the time and effort of detailing your car, motorcycle, or ATV. You don’t have to endure strangers coming by for test drives and haggling. And we do all the title work, so you don’t have to deal with that! We can accept almost any vehicle with a clear title. We do all the work. And, and if you itemize you can get a sweet tax deduction! Most important of all though, you’ll be advancing the Lord’s work in the world! “Donate today!”



This Week at South Main

19	SUNDAY	20	MONDAY	21	TUESDAY	22	WEDNESDAY
8:30AM - Worship -Preschool Childcare -Children’s Church 1 st /2 nd Grades 9:45AM - Sunday School Small Groups 11:00AM - Worship -Preschool Childcare NO Choir Rehearsal 6:00PM : Men’s Basketball League - FLC				11:00AM :Prime Timers Luncheon - CP 6:00PM -Men’s Recovery Bible Study & Meal - CP		6:00PM -Preschool - Wee Trackers -Elementary - Truth Trackers -Students - Midweek -Prayer Meeting - CP -Praise Band Rehearsal -Discipleship Groups -GriefShare A308	
23	THURSDAY	24	FRIDAY	25	SATURDAY	26	SUNDAY
7:00PM : VITAL Worship Team Practice				8:00AM: Church Work Day		8:30AM - Worship Preschool Childcare -Children’s Church 1 st /2 nd Grades 9:45AM - Sunday School Small Groups 11:00AM - Worship Preschool Childcare 4:00PM - Choir Rehearsal 6:00PM : Men’s Basketball League 6:30PM : VITAL - WC	

Passover SEDER Experience

Wednesday, March 22
6:00 – 7:15 PM
1st – 5th Grades



Preschool EASTER EGG HUNT & MORE!

Wednesday, March 29 6:00 PM



To register your child contact Samantha Dove: 864-378-3430

Egg Hunt, Craft, Bible Story, Music, Snack, Egg Hunt, Craft, Bible Story, Music, Snack, Egg Hunt

8:30 Worship

Raise A Hallelujah The Father’s House	Praise Band
Welcome	Christian Dibert
Battle Belongs No Longer Slaves	Praise Band
Message: “I Am” Exodus 3:13-14	Dr. Toby Frost
Build My Life	Praise Band
Wrap Up	Dr. Toby Frost

11:00 Worship

Prelude	Cynthia Adams, Piano Keith Polatty, Organ
Welcome to Worship and Morning Prayer	Christian Dibert
Nothing but the Blood #135 - verses 1, 2 & 4	Chancel Choir, Orchestra and Congregation
Victory in Jesus #426 - verses 1 & 3	Chancel Choir, Orchestra and Congregation
Offertory Prayer	Dr. Toby Frost
The Old Rugged Cross	Chancel Choir and Orchestra
When I Survey the Wondrous Cross #144	Chancel Choir, Orchestra and Congregation
Message: “I Am” Exodus 3:13-14	Dr. Toby Frost
Jesus Is Lord of All #296	Congregation
Benediction	Dr. Toby Frost
Postlude	Keith Polatty


prime timer’s

SENIOR ADULT LUNCH

MARCH 21 11AM
CONNECTING PLACE


FEAT. THE FAITH
HOME SINGERS

TO REGISTER CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE 864.223.4377 BY MARCH 20 11AM



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Online giving is available for your convenience. Visit our website at www.southmain.church or give through our South Main App



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Disaster Relief Training – April 1

If you are a current South Carolina Baptist Convention Disaster Relief volunteer and need to renew your credentials or if you are looking to become a volunteer in the area of disaster relief, plan now to attend the training on Saturday, April 1st in North Charleston.

This event provides training for those interested in meeting the needs after a disaster. Classes are offered in the various ministry areas of Baptist Disaster Relief: assessment of needs, introduction to chaplaincy, children’s response teams, communications, feeding, chainsaw, flood recovery, mud-out, shower/laundry and administration. If you are a new volunteer the class, “Introduction to Disaster Relief” is also offered.

If you are interested in going, our South Main Mission Team will help cover the cost of the registration fee (\$45 for returning volunteers and \$55 for new volunteers). Cost includes training materials, lunch and hat/lanyard/shirt and background check for new volunteers. You will register yourself for the training and then notify me for financial assistance reimbursement.

To register: <https://www.scbaptist.org/events/disasterrelieftraining-2-2/>
Location: Northwood Baptist Church, 2200 Greenridge Rd, North Charleston, SC.

Andy Roberson

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text (864) 392-9815

need prayer?

text us your name and how
we can pray for you!
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ready for baptism?

text the word “baptism”
to sign-up!
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NIGHT OF WORSHIP

03.26.23 6:30PM

18-25 YEAR OLDS
SOUTH MAIN BAPTIST CHURCH
FREE FOOD. FREE FOOD. FREE FOOD.

MEET MY FRIEND

Experiencing
and Sharing
Friendship
with God

Meet My Friend Moment:
Sometimes new people just need to know they are wanted. So, invite friends and neighbors to come with you to hear about Jesus.