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# From A Shepherd's Heart:

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"As for me, I vow that I will not sin against the Lord by ceasing to pray for you. I will teach you the good and right way." – I Samuel 12:23 (CSB)



I was reminded of this passage of Scripture as I was praying through how to best lead Seminary Baptist Church in the days ahead. Samuel was convicted concerning the need to do two important things as it related to the people of God. He desired to be faithful to pray for them and he desired to faithfully teach them the good and right way. As I reflected over this, I was challenged once again to make that one of my goals for this year as your Pastor as well. I seek to pray more fervently for every member of the Seminary Baptist Church family this year. This idea was so important to Samuel that he compared not doing so a sin. I view it with the very same sense of urgency as well. I also seek to continue to prepare and proclaim the truth of God's Word to you; for in doing so, I will be teaching you the good and right way.

We, as brothers and sisters in Christ, all are called to report for duty each day. It is so important that we suit up with the full armor of God, but we need to make sure that prayer is part of our daily preparation as well. So as I commit to pray for you, I ask that you would also pray for me. We need each other!

SPEAKING OF NEEDING EACH OTHER: The writer of Hebrews said it this way, "Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful; and let us consider how to stimulate one another to love and good deeds, not forsaking our own assembling together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another; and all the more as you see the day drawing near." — Heb. 10:23-25 (CSB)

**FORWARD BY FAITH:** We are anxious to get underway with the construction of our new facility. We are closer now than ever before. The Contract is ready for our signatures and we will rejoice when we get the call from the bank informing us that the paperwork is ready to be signed. We will keep you posted!

FEBRUARY will be an exciting month in the life of our church. We will celebrate the ordinance of Believer's Baptism on February 4th. We will have a Parent/Child dedication service on Sunday February 11th in the 10:30 service. Also on that day, the Kid's COVE ministry will be leading in worship that evening. We will also be participating in our Association's Simultaneous Revival Effort February 18-21. The churches that we are partnered with are: FBC Collins, Willow Grove BC, and New Hope BC. I trust that you will make these revival services a priority in your lives.

It is such an honor to serve the Lord with you. This is going to be an awesome year as we serve Him together. To God Be The Glory!

In Christ, Bro. Tim



Sunday, Feb. 18 @ 6 pm - SBC (fingerfood fellowship to follow) Monday, Feb. 19 @ 7 pm - FBC Collins Tuesday, Feb. 20 @ 7 pm - Willow Grove Wednesday, Feb. 21 @ 7 pm - New Hope



FEBRUARY 4th



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY DAY February 10, 2018 Children will lead worship during the evening service Sunday, February 11

"Cooking With Jesus" Sundays @ 5:00 pm Mission Friends, RAs, & GAs meet Wednesdays at 6:15 pm



PRAY FOR ME

FUGE Summer Camp: All students are invited to sign up for FUGE! We are going to Pineville, LA on July 9-13. A \$50 deposit is due NOW, and remaining \$230 is due by the end of June.

February 11 @11:30 AM Pray for Me Launch Lunch. ALL Prayer Champions and students who have signed up for Pray for Me are invited to join us for this year's launch. At the event, students will ask adults to pray for them!

Welcome New Member to the SBC Family

John Humphrey Conner & Bailee Drennan

# FEBRUARY CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

4th: Souper Bowl Fundraiser for CentriKid Camp in East Room following 10:30 am service

Evening services will meet as regularly scheduled

11th: Baby Dedication during 10:30 am service 4:00 pm - Deacon's Meeting

17th: House of Hope distribution

Men's Night-Jambalaya & War Room movie

18th: Association Simultaneous Revival Services -21st

# **STAFF TEAM**

# January/February 2018

# **Weekly Activities**

. 8:00 AM
. 9:15 AM
10:30 AM
5:00 PM
5:00 PM
5:00 PM
6:00 PM

### Tuesdays:

WOM Bible Study .... 9:30 AM

## Wednesdays:

Fellowship Meal	5:30 PM
SBC KID Choir	6:15 PM
HARBOR	6:15 PM
Prayer Meeting	6:15 PM
Worship Choir	7:15 PM

Nursery provided for all church-wide activities.