

SOUTHWINDS NEWSLETTER

May-July 2024

Summer is almost here...

Jr. Camp 2024

Camp Ta Ku La in Chester, Tx will welcome us back **June 10-14th** this year. The theme is Power Up and kids who have completed 2nd grade through those who have completed 6th are invited to join in the fun. There is currently an **envelope fundraiser** going on, so if you are able to give towards our kids camp, grab an envelope off of the table in the **FLC**, fill it with your donation and write your name on the outside. Thank you for giving to our kids!

VBS

June 24-27th from 9AM-12PM and we are looking forward to traveling through time with Jesus in our **TimeLab** theme. We are still looking for volunteers so make sure to *contact Misty or sign up on the sign up genius.*

Sr. Camp

is also at **Camp Ta Ku La from July 15-19th**. They will be exploring the theme of "I am a child of God" and this time is always such an impactful time for our teens. *Contact Pastor Tell with any questions or to donate to teen camp.*

AWANA End of Year Awards

AWANA Awards night is coming up and we can't believe how this year has already flown by! We are so appreciative for each and every one of our workers and so many of you make it obvious how much you love these kids! We look forward to celebrating our amazing kiddos and all of the hard work that they have put in to hiding God's word in their hearts! Awards night is **Wed. 5/15@6:30 PM in the Chapel**. We invite all of the church to come and celebrate with us!



Mother's Day 2024

How much do we love to celebrate our moms? Mother's Day is coming up on **Sunday May 12th**. We hope that each of you have an amazing day celebrating and so in anticipation of the celebration, there will be **NO PM services** that evening. During the AM service will also be having our annual **baby dedication**, which is such an amazing time for parents to make the vow of raising their child in the ways and truth of the Lord.

Ladies, remember that we are having our **Ladies Brunch**, featuring special speaker Rachel Norris on **May 4th**. Rachel is a potter by trade and does an amazing job at sharing her testimony as well as giving you a visual representation of why the Bible teaches on the potter and clay. Due to some of the content within Rachel's testimony we are recommending only *12 years and up* attend. Make sure that you sign up with your intention of attending and get your ticket! Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased at the table on Sunday mornings or via Mrs. Misty.

Ladies Schedule

Mark these special dates on your calendars

- ♦ **May 4th:** 11-1 in Chapel Ladies Brunch
- ♦ **May 12th:** AM service Mother's Day celebration and baby dedication. No PM Service.

Lord's Supper

We hope that you will join us for the upcoming Lord's Supper on **May 19th in the AM service**. This is a time of solemn reflection and praise, thanking the Lord for his sacrifice.

High Gear Summer Schedule

After AWANA we will be taking a break on Wednesday night services for our kiddos. Nursery will still be available but the older kids are invited to sit in service with their parents until we begin our Summer schedule. **Wed nights 6/19 to 8/14 at 6:30 PM** we will offer our High Gear Summer kids program, so make sure to mark it on your calendar!

Mission Report from Bolivia

Jeff Price, our missionary to Bolivia will be here to give us an update on **5/26 in the AM service**. You don't want to miss this report on what God is doing there!

Mens Ministry

Mens leadership Forum will be on **5/5, 6/2 and 7/7 at 5PM in the Chapel**. Men will continue with their study on the Mighty Men series through 2024.

Father's Day is on June 16th this year! Celebrating dads is such a joy for us. We hope that each one of you know what an impact you are making on your families. **No PM service** so that you can spend time celebrating!

Graduation Sunday

It is already time to celebrate our **2024 Seniors!** We will get to honor them in our **AM service on June 2nd**. Our Seniors will also have an area set up accepting any gifts or verbal affirmations you would like to give.

Elevate Events

5/26, 6/30, 7/28—SMAC

6/8- Friend day/Water War

6/22 - Lake Conroe Trip

7/8- Main Event

May		Time/Location
1st	AWANA Spring Store	6:30PM/Kids Bldg
4th	Ladies Brunch	11 AM- 1PM/Chapel
5th	Mens Leadership Forum	5PM/Chapel
8th	MOMs AWANA End of Year Party	9-11 AM/Elevate 6:30 PM/Kids Bldg
12th	Mother's Day/Baby Dedication NO PM SERVICE	AM Service/FLC
15th	AWANA Awards Night	6:30 PM/Chapel
19th	Lord's Supper	AM Service/FLC
22nd	MOMS last meeting	9-11 AM/Elevate
26th	Jeff Price Visit	AM Service/FLC
June		Time/Location
2nd	Graduation Sunday Mens Leadership Forum	AM service/FLC 5 PM/Chapel
10th-14th	Kids Camp	Camp Ta Ku La
16th	Father's Day/NO PM Service	AM service/FLC
19th	High Gear Wed Night Starts	6:30 PM/Kids Bldg
24th-27th	VBS	9-12 PM
30th	Fellowship/SCA Annual Mtg	5 PM/Chapel
July		Time/Location
7th	Mens Leadership Forum	5 PM/Chapel
15th-19th	Teen Camp	Camp Ta Ku La