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Week of  
January 24, 2016

**Ridgecrest Family Update is TONIGHT at 6:00 in the Ridgecrest Activities Center (gym).** Come and enjoy good food and fellowship and learn about the many mission opportunities that are in the planning stages. It's the time to share God stories, conduct a little business (including a decision on whether to renew the charter for our Boy Scout troop) and stay informed about Ridgecrest happenings. You won't want to miss this. Childcare is provided up to age 2, Mission Friends for age 3 through K-5 in The Ark, and CrestKids (grades 1-5) will meet in Room 105.

**Missions in 2016** – There are many mission trip opportunities in the planning stages for 2016. A new partnership that we are forming as a church is with “Hope of Life” ministry in Guatemala. Our current plan is to take our first trip **July 2-9, 2016**. There will be an **information meeting today immediately following morning worship in the Choir Room**. Pray about God sending you on mission in 2016, and then join us to find out more.

**Belize Mission Trip** – Another mission trip opportunity is to Belize July 20-26, 2016. This trip is for individuals or families with kids that are upper elementary school or older. Next Sunday, January 31<sup>st</sup> after morning worship there will be a short information meeting in the Choir Room. Please pray about this opportunity and attend if you have interest.

**Wednesday Night REFRESH** - A time of spiritual strengthening and refreshment in the mid-week. Join us for the many opportunities for growth and discipleship that are available. See “Weekly Opportunities” for Bible Studies and room numbers.

**Prayer Quilt Ministry meets in Room 104 on Thursday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am.** *It's not about the quilt—it's ALL about the prayers.* Quilts are made by volunteers and then hung for the Ridgecrest family to pray as they tie knots for those who will be given the quilts to show God's love and that someone cares. You are needed. You do not have to know how to sew or quilt; there is something for everyone to do. **Quilters meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month.** Come and fellowship with us!

**SonPower, a Student Choir Conference in Orlando, Florida, is June 20-25<sup>th</sup>.** Student Choirs nationwide will come together to participate in the making of a professional recording of the new SonPower Student Choir CD. The cost of the trip is \$500 which includes admission to 3 theme parks, hotel, transportation, breakfast each day, conference, concert and a SonPower t-shirt. Students 6<sup>th</sup>–12<sup>th</sup> grades who wish to go on this trip, please pick up an Event Envelope outside the Chapel and fill it out and enclose your \$100 Deposit. The deadline has been extended to January 31<sup>st</sup>, so be sure to sign up and turn in your envelope to Jane Beeland today in the music office.

**Ridgecrest Preschool** will open August 2016 as a half-day preschool for children ages 15 months to 4 years. Sue Hall will serve as director of Ridgecrest Preschool. For more information, visit [ridgecrestpreschool.net](http://ridgecrestpreschool.net). Please note that Amanda May will continue to serve as Interim Weekday Preschool Director of our current full-day weekday preschool ministry throughout this transition. Stacie Albritton, Preschool Ministry Director of Ridgecrest, will continue to serve and minister to our families with preschoolers through our church preschool ministry.

Watch Ridgecrest worship services on YouTube at  
[YouTube:Ridgecrest-Madison,MSLiveStream](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC...)

At [ridgecrest.net/live](http://ridgecrest.net/live) – Live streaming on Sundays

**2015 Contribution Statements** are available for pick up at the Welcome Center. This will be the last Sunday you can pick them up here at the church. Please help us save postage. Thank you.

**Cornerstone Women on Mission (WMU) will meet Thursday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 in Room 105** – February Focus: Serving the Lord with Gladness. Besides having great fellowship together, we support church mission projects, pray for our missionaries and serve wherever needed. All women are invited to participate the first Thursday of every month. Our group is growing and we would like to include YOU.

**Senior Adults age 50+** – Join us on Monday, May 16<sup>th</sup> to see the “Mamma Mia” Broadway musical performed by the troupe who performed on Broadway. It is going to be at Thalia Mara Hall in Jackson at 7:30pm. We'll leave from the church together early enough to have dinner before the show. If you would like to go with us, please contact Jane at 601.853.1090x35. Deadline to sign up is this Friday, January 29<sup>th</sup>.

**Baby Dedication will be April 3<sup>rd</sup>.** Deadline to be included is late February. For more information, contact Stacie Albritton at 601.853.1090x37.

### Weekly Opportunities: January 24–30, 2016

<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>7:30am</b>	Men's Adventure (Rm 103)
	<b>9:00am</b>	Life Groups - BELIEVE: Offering My Time
	<b>10:30am</b>	Morning Worship – BELIEVE: Sharing My Faith
	<b>11:30am</b>	Guatemala Mission Trip Meeting (Choir Rm)
	<b>4:30pm</b>	Deacon's Meeting (Rm 105)
	<b>4:45pm</b>	Student Choir (Choir Rm)
	<b>6:00pm</b>	FAMILY UPDATE (Ridgecrest Activities Center – Gym) Childcare (2's & younger) – (The ARK Panda Rm) Mission Friends (Preschool 3's – K) – (The Ark) SNL for CrestKids (Rm 105)
<b>Monday:</b>	<b>5:30pm</b>	Precept Studies (Rms 102, 105 & 106)
<b>Tuesday:</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	Ladies Bible Study (Rm 106)
	<b>7:00pm</b>	20's Life Group (Gym–The Loft)
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>4:45pm</b>	Fellowship Supper (Gym)
	<b>5:45pm</b>	Men's Adventure (Rm 103)
	<b>6:00pm</b>	REFRESH: Midweek Bible Study & Prayer (Gym) GriefShare (Rm 202) • Ladies Bible Study (Rm 106) • ESL (3 <sup>rd</sup> floor) BELIEVE Leaders (Rm 105) • Parenting Group (Rm 205) Sign Language (Rm 101/102) • Middle School ONEIGHTY (Chapel) Worship KidStyle (Grades 1-5) (Choir Rm) • Preschool Choirs (3's-K) The Ark Childcare (2's & younger) Ark Panda Rm
	<b>6:30pm</b>	College Life Group (Givens' Home)
	<b>7:00pm</b>	Worship Choir (Choir Rm)
	<b>7:15pm</b>	High School ONEIGHTY (Chapel)