

Weekly Opportunities: November 27 – December 3, 2016

- Sunday:** 7:30am Men's Adventure (Rm 103)
9:00am Life Groups (*The Story: God's Messengers*)
Discover Ridgecrest Class (Rm 100)
10:30am Morning Worship – Bro. Phil
The Story: God's Messengers
6:00pm Evening Worship – Discuss "God's Messengers"
Adult Open Life Group (Rm 105)
"The Story" Life Group (Rm 103)
Childcare (2's & younger) – The ARK Panda Room
Mission Friends (Preschool 3's – K) – The ARK
SNL for CrestKids (Gym)
MS & HS Students CONNECT (Chapel)
- Monday:** 5:30pm Prayer in Worship Center
Precept upon Precept (Room 102)
- Tuesday:** 6:30pm 20's Life Group (Rm 101)
- Wednesday:** 4:00pm Prayer Meeting (Gym)
4:45pm Fellowship Supper (Gym)
5:45pm Men's Adventure (Rm 103)
6:00pm ESL (3rd floor) • Ladies Bible Study (Rm 205)
Life Group Leaders (Rm 105) • Sew Missions (Rm 104)
Student ONEIGHTY (Chapel) • Sign Language Class (Rm 102)
Worship KidStyle (Choir Rm) • Preschool Choir (The ARK)
Childcare (ARK Panda Rm)
6:30pm College Life Group (Givens Home)
7:00pm Worship Choir (Choir Rm)
- Thursday:** 1:30pm Cornerstone WMU (Rm 105)

For details on activities, go to ridgecrest.net

RIDGECREST'S VISION STATEMENT

To become followers of Jesus who under the leadership of the Spirit passionately love and serve God and also love all people as Jesus does.



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THE STORY

READ THE STORY. EXPERIENCE THE BIBLE.

God's Messengers

November 27, 2016

Welcome! If you are a guest with us this morning, we would love to give you more information about Ridgecrest. Please fill out the white connect card in the rack in back of the pews. You can place it in the offering plate when it is passed or you can bring it to the Welcome Desk as you leave the service this morning.

Want to know more about who we are and what we're about at Ridgecrest? We invite you to attend our Discover Ridgecrest class meeting every Sunday at 9:00am in Room 100 in the main walkway across from the Chapel in the education building.



Mission Outreach Opportunity – Jackson Street Ministry. During the months of November and December we are collecting new and lightly used items for the homeless. Now is the time to clean out your closets. Items needed: coats, jackets, sweaters, tennis shoes, blankets (at least 84" long); men's, women's and children's sizes. Bring your boxes and bags to the kiosk across from the Coffee Corner.



Come join us on Sunday morning, December 11th at 10:30 in the Worship Center for "Love's Pure Light." The program is a celebration of the birth of Jesus featuring the Ridgecrest Worship Choir and band along with special guests from Ballet Magnificat and the Jackson State University orchestra. Bring your friends and family and worship with us as we celebrate the birth of our Savior.

Please join us for a wedding shower celebrating Rebecca Davis and Aubrey Chapman next Sunday, December 4 from 2-4 pm in Room 105. For more information call or text Katy Myers at 817.992.7404.



Poinsettias for Christmas – You have the opportunity to purchase poinsettias again this year at the designated kiosk in support of the many ministries of Faith InDeed Foundation. These poinsettias will adorn the worship center during the Christmas season. You may give them in honor of or in memory of someone. You will be able to take them home after the worship service on December 18th, in plenty of time to give as gifts or to adorn your home. Deadline is next Sunday, December 4th.

DEACONS - Deacons' Meeting will be next Sunday, December 4th at 4:00pm in Room 103. Please make every effort to attend this last meeting of the year.

Staff Anniversary – Congratulations to Beth Bennett who has served at Ridgecrest for 12 years. She has always done an excellent job of keeping us informed on what is happening at Ridgecrest as well as helping our ministry partners with their communications needs. If you need any type of publication for your ministry, Beth is the one to contact at bbennett@ridgecrest.net.

Join with our partners in Jackson and Fort Worth, Texas to show the people of their communities that *Christmas Matters* because we all matter to Christ. You can help Word of Christ (WOC) and Beautiful Feet Ministries by providing gifts for needy children and food for hungry families. Come by the kiosk in the main walkway for more information.

Ways you can participate:

1. Sponsor a child by providing gifts on their wish list
2. Donate non-perishable food for the food boxes to be distributed
3. Participate in our one-day local mission trip on Thursday, December 22 which will include delivering toys and food to Word of Christ; attending a community Chili Cook-Off at WOC, and caroling in the west Jackson community.



PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES AT RIDGECREST

- **Monday nights from 5:30–8:30pm** you can come to the Worship Center and pray specifically for those who are lost without Christ.
- **Every 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 6:30am** you can join our Pastor's Prayer Partners in the Worship Center for a time of prayer for Ridgecrest.
- **We invite you to sign up for a specific time to use our Prayer Room.** Call Vicky Boone at extension 25 to reserve your time.
- **We invite you to Prayer Walk** around our campus or inside the buildings as the Lord leads you.
- **This week's prayer requests:**
 - Pray for the impact of "The Story"
 - That we may all be good Christian witnesses to our family and friends this Holiday Season.
 - Spiritual growth for new believers
 - Our President and President-Elect and the unity of America