



- 4:00pm Prayer Meeting (Gym) – Includes prayer and brief study in the Book of Psalms
- 4:45pm Fellowship Supper (Gym) – Serving until 5:45pm. First time is free!
- 5:45pm Men's Adventure (Rm 103) – Fellowship with other men around God's Word
- 6:00pm Ladies' Bible Study (Gym) – "Real Women, Real Lives"
- Next Steps Unpacked (Rm 106) – Dig into Ridgcrest's vision and process for becoming passionate followers of Christ.
- Adult Life Group Leaders Training (Rm 105)
- Sew Missions (Rm 104) – Help make clothing for our mission partners.
- Sign Language Training (Rm 102) – Learn Sign Language
- English-as-a-Second Language (ESL) (3rd floor) – Learn basic English or volunteer to help others do so.
- ONEIGHTY Student Worship (Chapel) Grades 6 – 12
- Worship KidStyle (Choir Rm) Grades 1 – 5
- Preschool Choir (The ARK) 3 year olds – Kindergarten
- Childcare (Panda Room in the ARK) Birth – 2 year olds
- 6:30pm College Life Group (Off campus in homes)
- 7:00pm Worship Choir & Band (Choir Rm)



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THE STORY

READ THE STORY. EXPERIENCE THE BIBLE.

The Queen of Beauty and Courage



January 15, 2017

Welcome! If you are a guest with us this morning, we'd 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.

Your 2016 Contribution statements can now be picked up in the Worship Center foyer. If you have questions, please contact the financial office at ext. 21.

Deacon's meeting is next Sunday, January 22nd at 4:00pm in Room 105. All deacons, please make every effort to attend and welcome our new deacons.

Next Sunday night at 6:00 is Deacon Ordination for Aubrey Chapman, L.V. Hamilton, Michael Parker, Jon Ramsay, Ryan Wallace and Chris Williams. Please pray for these men and plan to be part of this special service for them.



"Next Steps Unpacked" meets Wednesdays at 6:00pm in Room 106. We'll explore our vision and the process of applying it to everyday life. This is an interactive study so bring your Bible. This is open to everyone and will meet every Wednesday until May, so you can jump in at any time. This would be a great way to take your *next steps* in 2017.



Belize Mission Trip Informational Meeting is TODAY immediately following morning worship in the Choir Room. If you are interested in learning more about going on an international mission trip to Belize, this meeting is for you. There is no obligation. You will learn about international missions to decide if this is what you would like to do this summer.



A unique ministry - If you would like to "adopt" an international student from Mississippi College, contact Greg O'Neal. The students do not require housing, just a family who will pray for them and try to see them at least once a month.



Ladies Tuesday Morning Bible Study begins January 17th at 9:00am in Room 105 with a new Bible Study: "All Things New" by Kelly Minter. This is an in-depth look at 2 Corinthians which will run through March 7th. Bring a friend and join us for great fellowship around God's Word every Tuesday morning. For more information, please contact Kay Black at 678.485.5501 or kburns8@hotmail.com.



Ladies Wednesday Night Bible Study meets at 6:00 in the Gym with Real Women, Real Lives: A study of real women in scripture whose lives help us make sense of ours. Take your Next Step in studying God's Word, learning how to take Truth and apply it to real-life issues like contentment, insecurity, waiting, and approaching God – by looking at real women in the Bible and learning from their faithfulness, and failures. For more information email Kassi Rushing at kassirushing@gmail.com.

STAFF ANNIVERSARY – Congratulations to Matt Collins who has served as Associate Student Pastor for two years here at Ridgecrest. Matt, we appreciate all you do to help our students grow in Christ.

PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES AT RIDGECREST

- Please set aside a time each week to pray specifically for those who are lost without faith in Christ. You may use this webpage as a guide: ridgecrest.net/thelost.
- 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:
 - For our church leaders as they plan for 2017
 - For the Missions Committee as they plan Mission Trips for 2017
 - For the impact of "The Story"

OUR VISION

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.

Weekly Opportunities January 15 - 21, 2017

Sunday:	7:30am Men's Adventure (Rm 103)
	9:00am Life Groups (<i>The Story: The Queen of Beauty & Courage</i>)
	10:30am Morning Worship – Bro. Phil The Story: The Queen of Beauty and Courage (Esther 1-9)
6:00pm	Evening Worship – Discuss "The Queen of Beauty & Courage"
	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 Precept upon Precept (Room 102, 105 & 106)
Tuesday:	9:00am Ladies Bible Study (Rm 105)
	6:30pm 20's Life Group (Rm 101)
Wednesday:	4:00 – 8:00pm ENGAGE (See back page for details)

For details on all activities, go to ridgecrest.net