HONTHLY NEWSLETTER JUNE 2021 BADDING BADDIST Church

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A fun-filled pandemic school year has come to a close. Remember how our grandparents would tell us stories of how they walked to school in the snow, uphill, both ways? We will tell our grandkids about how we went to school during a global pandemic. The good news is we made it. Here's what have to look forward to in June.

BOT Retreat. Our Bodacious Orlando Trip (BOT) Retreat will be taking place on Sunday July 11 to Friday July 16. Packets are going home this month so be on the look out.

Keep your ear to the ground and be on the look out. You never know what improvisational fun may present itself now that school is out for summer.

As always it is a pleasure serving you. I will now see myself out for such a terribly punny joke.

In Him, Josh Micah 6:8

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The QUEST for the KING'S ARMOR at KNIGHTS of NORTH CASTLE VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!

JUNE 21 - 25, 6:30 - 8PM

We're going on a quest this year and we need you to join us on our way to Knights of North Castle!

Castle Guides

(High School Youth or Adult Your responsibility will be to escort the children to each activity)

Greeters & Registration

Decorations

Music

Crafts

Games

Snacks





A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

Each time I write to you, we seem to be further away from the seriousness of the COVID pandemic. I am thankful for where we appear to be headed and pray it continues. When we gather, we look more and more like we did pre-COVID, and that should continue. However, some people are still unsure about things, and cases are still occurring, so remember to be mindful of different opinions and comfort levels and be sensitive to the needs of others (*Romans 12:10*). Masks and hand sanitizer will remain available around our facility.

I have asked those who meet with me on Wednesday evening to pray *Matthew 9:36-38*, where Jesus tells us to pray for God to raise up harvesters to reach those in need. God is answering the prayer with new people coming weekly. With the coming of new folks, and the return of our regular people, our preschool is beginning to get crowded and we need more ministers in that area. We <u>cannot</u> reach our community if we are not well staffed in the preschool/nursery area. Please contact Susan in the church office (721-0721) and she will help you get involved.

Vacation Bible School (VBS) is June 21st – 25th. We are anticipating a great week and will need your assistance. Please contact Susan in the church office (721-0721), or see Maria K, Kim McS, Esther S if you are interested and they will help you get involved.

This time of year is a time of anniversaries for me and some special people in my life. Amy and I celebrated twenty-five years of marriage a few days ago. Wow! Looking back, we discussed all the things that have happened, and how gracious God has been. I am so blessed to have her. The end of May concludes twenty-three years of ministry with you, as my first day was June 3, 1998. It does not seem possible and I never thought such a day would come. Thank you for allowing me to learn and grow, and for being patient and kind to my family and me. I look forward to more anniversaries with both Amy and you.

In Christ, Pastor Albert

Summer Camp Program

Monday - Friday, June 7 - August 6, 9 am - 4 pm Cost per week: \$150 Before/After care: \$35 for entire week Register Online: www.renaissanceyouth.com

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

<u>By Letter</u> Doris Rodriguez

<u>By Statement</u> Katey Flynn Dylan Hancock

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Glynlea HOA MeetingJune	10, 7pm
Prayer WalkJune	12
Stewardship MeetingJune	15, 6:30 pm
VBSJune	21-25



Beloved, let us OVC one another: for OVC is of God; and every one that OVC is born of God, and RNOWCTh God. IJohn 4:7

Benevolence Offering Sunday, June 20

On Father's Day we will have an offering for our church's benevolence ministry. Monies raised go directly to meet needs within our church family and community such as food and unpaid bills.