

## Sunday Schedule at Desert Springs

8:15AM ...Prayer time with Pastor Steve .....	Room 106
9:00AM .....	Auditorium
Adult Class - "Faith Life" - Dr. Perry Baker .....	Cafeteria
Adult Class - "Maranatha" – Steve Sonmor .....	Room 107
Student Impact High School – Kyle Powell.....	Room 203-204
Adult Class - "Living Branches" Class - Brian O'Neal.....	Room 206
Adult Class - "Under Construction" - Howard Rogers.....	Room 106
<u>Circle of Friends Children's Ministry</u>	
Circle of Friends (Kindergarten through 4th grade) .....	Rooms 207-211
Nursery - (0-17 mos.).....	Room 102
Little Sprouts Preschool -18 mos. old thru 4 year olds (not yet in Kindergarten) .....	Rooms 103-105 & 205
10:30AM .....	Auditorium
Crossroads (College & Young Singles) - Marc Riddle.....	Room 106
Ladies SS Class.....	Pastor Steve's office
Adult Class - "Truth & Grace" – Don Engram & Warren Potter .....	Room 107
"Club 56" (for 5th & 6th grades) .....	Room 202
Junior High (7th-8th grades) .....	Room 203-204
Basic Foundations Class - Brian Potter & Claude Ah Sing.....	Cafeteria
Homebuilders - Ric Engram.....	Room 206
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### Regular Sunday PM Schedule at Desert Springs Community Church

Worship Team Practice - 4:30PM .....	Auditorium
Choir Practice - 5:00PM.....	Room 206
Awana Prayer - 5:00PM.....	Auditorium
Awana - (Children age 3-6th grade) - 5:30-7:30PM .....	Foyer check-in
Women's Bible Study - 5:30PM .....	Room 106
Men's Bible Study - 5:30PM.....	Room 107
JR High/SR High Discipleship - 5:30-7:30PM .....	Rooms 201,202,203,204
Nursery - 5:30PM.....	Rooms 101-102
Oasis area with refreshments - 5:30-7:30PM .....	Kitchen
Ensemble Rehearsal - 6:30PM .....	Room 107
Adult Bible Study & Prayer - 6:30PM.....	Room 206

### THIS WEEK AT DESERT SPRINGS

Monday - Photo Directory pictures taken	
Men's Mentoring - 7PM.....	Room 107
Tuesday - Ladies Bible Study - 8:45AM.....	Auditorium
EE - 6:15PM .....	Room 203-204
Wednesday – L.I.F.E. Groups at a home near you	
"The Mix" High School gathering - 7-8:45PM .....	Auditorium
Jr. High "Merge" - 6-7:30PM.....	Auditorium
Lighthouse Bible Study - 6:30PM .....	Room 211
Thursday – L.I.F.E. Groups at a home near you	
Financial Peace University - 6:30PM.....	Room 203-204
College group - 6:30PM.....	Auditorium
Thursday PM Ladies Bible Study - 7PM .....	Room 106
Saturday - Men's Bible Study - 7AM .....	Room 106
Prayer Walk with Pastor Steve - 8AM	

### Bible Reading for This Week: September 29-October 5, 2008

Monday .....	Isaiah 49:1-50:11; Psalm 112:1-4; Proverbs 26:13-15; Ephesians 1:1-23
Tuesday .....	Isaiah 51:1-52:15; Psalm 112:5-10; Proverbs 26:16; Ephesians 2:1-22
Wednesday .....	Isaiah 53:1-54:17; Psalm 113:1-4; Proverbs 26:17-19; Ephesians 3:1-21
Thursday.....	Isaiah 55:1-56:12; Psalm 113:5-9; Proverbs 26:20-21; Ephesians 4:1-32
Friday .....	Isaiah 57:1-58:14; Psalm 114:1-8; Proverbs 26:22; Ephesians 5:1-16
Saturday .....	Isaiah 59:1-60:22; Psalm 115:1-8; Proverbs 26:23; Ephesians 5:17-33
Sunday .....	Isaiah 61:1-62:12; Psalm 115:9-13; Proverbs 26:24-26; Ephesians 6:1-24

Reading schedules are also available in the Lobby and on our website.

Weekly Obligations .....	\$32,516.00
Offering Last Week .....	\$26,459.31
Faith Challenge (Year-to-date) .....	\$4,254.35
Attendance .....	998

September 28, 2008

As we worship Jesus today let's all focus our hearts and minds to be

# In Remembrance

*And when He had taken some bread and given thanks,  
He broke it and gave it to them, saying,  
"This is My body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of Me."*

Luke 22:19 NASB

#### FAITH CHALLENGE

On “Kick-Off” Sunday, Pastor Steve introduced “Faith Challenge”. He asked each of us to prayerfully consider giving at least \$10 a week, over and above our regular giving to put towards a future building project. As the Lord lays it on your heart to give so that we can “pay as we go” when it comes time to build, please mark your check or your envelope “Faith Challenge”.

#### SUPPORT GROUP MINISTRY MEETS WEEKLY

A support ministry, “A Lighthouse in the Broken Places of our Hearts”, will meet every Wednesday at 6:30PM in Room 211. This is an uplifting, Biblically-based support group for those who are dealing with Bipolar/Depressive disorder or who have loved ones who are. For more information please call Sharon Harris at 623-205-4134.

#### BASIC FOUNDATION CLASS

Have you ever asked: How can I be sure I'm saved? What happens when I sin? Should I be baptized? What exactly is prayer? Am I really making progress and growing in my faith? Is there a right way to communicate? If you've asked questions like these then the Basic Foundations class is designed to help you find the answers in God's Word. You can start at any time, go through the cycle and then join another class or return to your current class. Join us Sunday mornings at 10:30AM in the Cafeteria.

#### “THE MIX” MEETS ON WEDNESDAY

Our mid-week High School session meets on Wednesday nights, from 7-8:45PM. We have a great time of fellowship, worship, and Bible study, so bring a friend and don't miss out.

#### "MERGE" JR. HIGH GROUP

"Merge" is a great program for 7th & 8th grade students that meets on Wednesday nights from 6-7:30PM. "Merge" is a time of fellowship, worship and Bible study geared specifically for 7th & 8th grade students.

#### WOMEN OF FAITH TICKETS

Ladies, we have less than 40 tickets left for the Nov 21-22, 2008 Women of Faith Conference, Amazing Grace. These are for Friday evening and all-day Saturday for \$65 (no lunch). Come to the Girlfriends' table and purchase your ticket. The date is getting so close so these won't last long. Come join us!

#### GRIEF COUNSELING

Healing Hearts grief support ministry is available to anyone suffering a loss. Our purpose is to be a blessing and a comfort, give encouragement and support and to counsel according to the word of God. For one-on-one appointments, please contact Bill or Julie Van Horn at 623-535-7945 (home) or 623-693-4922 (cell).

#### JEWISH ROOTS STUDY

On Monday, October 6, we will begin a new monthly study in Room 206 at 7:00 PM called Jewish Roots. This study will be taught by Richard Toviah, from Christian Jew Foundation Ministries, and will look at how our Christian faith has been influence by Jewish customs and traditions. Please plan on attending this informative study.

#### BOOK OF REVELATION STUDY

A study in the Book of Revelation is held each Sunday at 6:30PM in Room 206. Please join Pastor Don as he leads us through this exciting book.

#### COMMUNION SERVICE TODAY

During the morning worship services today Pastor Steve will lead the congregation in celebrating the Lord's Supper.

#### “EXPLORING MEMBERSHIP” CLASS TODAY

The class is for anyone interested in learning more about our church. Join Pastor Steve from 5:30-7:30PM in the Cafeteria. There is no obligation to join; it is a fun and informative time. There will be time for questions, answers, fellowship and dessert! If you have not previously signed up for the class, please write Membership Class on the back of your Community Card and complete the contact information.

#### FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH PRAYER WALK AT CHURCH

There will be a special Prayer Walk at the church on Saturday, October 4 from 8-9AM. Come for this one hour prayer gathering as Pastor Steve leads us in prayer for our church as we seek the Lord's plan for us.

#### THURSDAY PRAYER GROUP

We invite you to join us at the church each Thursday afternoon at 1PM in Room 107 for a special time of prayer. We are coming together to pray for our church, each other, our community and our country. We are emphasizing the Election Process and will continue to do so until Election Day. On November 3rd, we will hold a prayer vigil. For further information please contact Glenn Lambdin at 623-203-6641.

#### SPANISH LIFE GROUP

If you would have any interest or know of anyone who would be interested in attending a Spanish speaking Life Group, please contact Frank Cerda at 623-932-2702 or the church office at 623-435-2105.

#### REGISTER TO VOTE – TODAY

Today and next Sunday there will be a table outside, in front of the building, where you can register to VOTE. If you are not registered it only takes a couple of minutes to do so. We urge you to register and then VOTE on November 4<sup>th</sup>.

#### SPANISH ALTAR CALL INFORMATION

##### ¿SABES CON SEGURIDAD?

¿Si murieras hoy. ¿Sabes con seguridad que irás al cielo? Si llegaras al frente de Dios y él te preguntara: ¿Por qué te debo dejar entrar a mi cielo? " ¿Qué le dirías?

¿ Tienes una petición de algo que quieres que oremos? ¿O deseas hablar con alguien acerca de algo en tu vida? Si tu respuesta es “si” a cualquier de estas preguntas, tenemos una persona aqui' en Desert Springs Community Church - a quien le importas, que habla tu idioma y entiende tu cultura. Escribe tu petición en la parte de atras de la tarjeta llamada “community card”. O si deseas hablar con alguien en español dile a lar persona que esta junto a la entrada que deseas hablar con alguien en español. También puedes hablar a la iglesia al numero 623-435-2105, de lunes a viernes 8: 30 am hasta las 4:30 pm. Te amamos en el nombre de Jesus Cristo y eres importante para nosotros.

#### SEPTEMBER “BOOK OF THE MONTH” ANNOUNCED

Christian Living Family Bookstore will have a table in the front entrance area on Sunday mornings to allow you the opportunity to purchase Bibles, Christian literature, and the “Book of the Month.” For the month of September the featured book is authored by Howard G. Hendricks & William D. Hendricks and entitled “Living By The Book”. Stop by their table on Sunday mornings and browse through the selections they have brought.

#### SERMON TRANSLATED INTO SPANISH

We are now translating the sermon into Spanish during the 10:30AM worship service. If you would like to be able to hear the Spanish translation, please go to the sound booth, at the back of the Auditorium and one of the technicians will assist you with the receiver and earpiece.

#### MISSION NEWS

Ernie & Jan Eadelman - World Venture - Mali, West Africa  
We are now back in Mali and it is really good to be here. In some ways it feels like we just left a day or two ago--the same projects are waiting to be done. Ernie stepped right into the computer projects and broadband network he set up before we left. Many young girls come through our gate every day selling fruits and vegetables to help with the family income. Please pray that we will not look at them as an interruption, but as an opportunity to show them Jesus. We want to radiate Him for we are the only Bible they are reading.

#### AWANA CLUB

Awana Clubs begin with Family Prayer time at 5:00 PM. The Club, which begins at 5:30PM and dismisses at 7:30PM, is for all boys and girls between 3 yrs and 6th grade. LISTENERS FOR AWANA NEEDED  
There is a need of 20 people to listen to the Awana Club children recite their memorized verses from 5:30-7:30PM. Contact Chris & Diane Ladd, Awana Commanders, on Sunday or send them an email (see middle back of bulletin).

#### GET YOUR WALKING SHOES READY

It's time to join Crisis Pregnancy Centers as they walk or run to help save lives. Come partner with us on October 25<sup>th</sup>, either individually or in teams. To sign up for the walk/run see Shelly Albright or go to azlifewalk.com or call 602-508-3340. If you cannot walk/run yourself on October 25th, you can sponsor others who will be walking. Be sure to visit the table outside today to find out how you can get involved in this wonderful ministry and save precious lives! All donations are 100% tax deductible and all proceeds go towards the free/low cost services provided by CPC.

#### SPECIAL REQUEST

As a courtesy to those who are allergic and/or extremely sensitive to fragrance, please try to use perfumes or colognes sparingly. Nowadays, more and more folks are developing allergies or having problems with fragrance and we are trying to be sensitive to the needs of everyone in our church family. Thanks for your understanding!

#### FALL CARNIVAL HELP

Sign-up today at table in the front area to help with the Fall Carnival on October 31.