

» ISRAEL TOUR INFORMATION



Join us in the Holy Land to be challenged to a deeper understanding of the Bible as we visit the sites that are recorded in scripture. There is an information table and tour brochures available in the Gathering. The tour dates are Feb. 26 - Mar. 7, 2020. If you are considering joining us for a trip to the Holy Land, we encourage you to submit your application soon as there are limited spaces left.

» EACH 1 WITH 1 PRAYER



Please join with us in praying for people in our lives to become followers of Jesus. We meet Wednesday mornings at 6:30 AM, Thursday mornings at 9AM, and the first Sunday evening of the month in the Fireside Room at 5:15 PM. See Pastor Tim for more information.



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There are many ways you can be involved in serving the Lord and the people of South Church.

» VBS -IN THE WILD



Praise God for the many who have signed up to serve in VBS June 24-28! We are still needing a few scouts (small group leaders) for K, 2nd, 3rd, and 5th and several scouts to help with crafts. Please go to the Jeep in the Gathering to sign up on Sundays or go to www.southlife.org. VBS is daily from 9 AM - 12:15 PM. It's not too early to register kids online who have completed K-5th grade. Invitations are at the table in the Gathering. Please join us in praying for IN THE WILD VBS.

» OUTREACH! DELTA ROCKS



South is gathering volunteers to reach out into our community and serve, being ambassadors for Christ. Delta Township is sponsoring a fun, family-friendly festival called Delta Rocks on Saturday, June 22. We will serve, spreading out across the festival, wearing South Fest t-shirts. These t-shirts will be a great conversation starter. Let's invite our neighbors to South's super-fun events, VBS and South Fest. Calling ALL ambassadors! Register at the table in the Gathering Space or pull out your phone and sign up online at www.southlife.org/delta. Sign up deadline June 9. For more information, contact Pastor Tim Van Loh at tvloh@southlife.org.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

5:30 PM: International Ministries Prayer Team, Room 228

6:30 PM: • ESL Class, Room 119 • Women's Bible Studies, Room 201 & Fireside Room Jr. High Awaken, Student Ministry Center • Sr. High Arise, Chapel • Bible Study & Prayer, Room 111

PRAYER

If you have a prayer request that you would like the deaconesses to pray for, please call Connie Norman at (517) 323-3838.

EMERGENCY NEEDS

A team is on hand Sunday mornings to respond to emergencies. If you have a need, please go to the Welcome Desk.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

2019-2020 Budget	\$3,158,585
2019-2020 Budget through April	\$242,968
Offerings through April	\$273,117

OUR MINISTRY STAFF

Don Denyes	Senior Pastor
Doug Phillips	Executive Pastor for Ministries
Tim Van Loh	Pastor of Evangelism & Outreach
Corb Felgenhour	Pastor of Worship Ministries
Neil Odgers	Pastor of College Ministries
Shannon DeLap	Director of College Women's Ministries
Keith Sova	Pastor of Small Groups
Nick Nagy	Pastor of Student Ministries—Sr. High
Joel Wayner	Lead Pastor of Student Ministries—Jr. High
Heidi Cheney	Director of Elementary Ministries
Kathy Risch	Director of Early Childhood Ministries
Kelly Sites	Connections Director
David Seal	Business Coordinator

WIFI ACCESS

Wifi is available at South-Public on Sundays all day.



SOUTH CHURCH

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Summer Services

9:35 AM Balanced Service • 10:55 AM Creative Service
6:00 PM Evening Service

Office Hours: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM Monday - Friday

CONNECTION CARD

Thank you for joining us today!

Please place this card in the offering plate or hand it to a greeter at any exit.

Service: Balanced 9:35 Creative
 Balanced 11:05 Evening

First-time guest Returning guest

Regular attendee Member

Mr. Mrs. Ms.

Name(s)

Address

City/State/Zip Code

Phone

Email

AGE GROUP:

13-18 19-25 26-35 36-45
 46-55 56-65 66-75 76+

TELL ME MORE ABOUT:

- Being a Christian
- Baptism
- Membership
- Children's Ministry
- Student Ministry (Jr. High/Sr. High)
- College Ministry
- Men's Ministries
- Women's Ministries
- Adult Communities/Growth Groups
- Senior Adult Ministry
- Worship Ministries
- Chosen Ministry
- Prayer Ministry

PRAYER REQUEST:



CONNECT

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If you are visiting with us for the first time, please stop by the Welcome Desk at the main entrance to receive a guest packet.

»» BABY BOTTLE BLESSINGS



How can you save a life? Help support Shared Pregnancy Women's Center and Pregnancy Services of Greater Lansing through Baby Bottle Blessings. These agencies provide many free services and support for young parents. Pick up a baby

bottle from one of the tables in the main or east entrances, fill it with spare change, cash, or checks (made out to South Church), and return to the tables by Sunday, June 16.

»» REFLECT AND CREATE



Reflect and Create is a group for anyone who is creative and interested in art and how it can complement our faith. We will use the Bible to inspire our creativity and we will explore ways of using art to glorify God. Save-the-Date

for this weekly event every Monday beginning on June 24. Please email Amanda Simpson if interested at: artbyamandasimpson@gmail.com

»» MEN IN PRAYER



Men of South are invited to a time of prayer on Saturday, June 1 at 8:30 AM in the Fireside Room to pray for our pastors, congregation, and ministries.

»» AN ADDED SUMMER SEASON 'ABC'



During the summer, a special class – “Growing Deeper in the Christian Life” (New Horizons 2) -- will meet the second hour (10:55) so that those who normally attend an Adult Bible Community during the first hour (and who prefer to attend the Balanced Service) will have this additional opportunity for learning and fellowship -- meeting in room 205, taught by Pastor Doug, Pastor Keith and others. (New Horizons 1 will continue to meet at 9:35 in rm. 202.)

»» COMMUNITIES



Adult Bible Communities (ABCs) are a great place to connect and study the Word on Sunday mornings. Groups of varied stages of life focus on learning God's Word together in a growing relationship of mutual care and encouragement. For more information, visit

our website at www.southlife.org/ministries/adult-communities or contact Pastor Doug at dphillips@southlife.org.

9:35 AM

Berean, Room 206

Journey, Room 201

Crossroads, Room 205

Rooted Room 204

New Horizons, Room 202

11:00 AM

Friendly Bible, Fireside Room

God's Potpourri, Room 204

Homebuilders, Room 111

Prayer Group, Board Room

9:40 AM

Christian Families, Room 111

»» IMPACT LANSING



Impact Lansing is a week-long mission trip/summer camp experience for our Jr. High students this July 7-13. Jr. High students from area churches will come together to impact our city by serving at the Mid Michigan Food Bank, local shelters and soup kitchens, group homes, community gardens, and more. In addition to service projects, students will bond over large group games and competitions and will spend each evening worshipping together through song and a message from God's Word. Students will stay at South Church during the week.

Cost is \$249, which includes lodging, meals, travel, t-shirt, back pack, all activities, service projects, games, and more. Brochures are available in the Student Ministry Center. Please return the registration form and payment to Pastor Joel or Sara Sogoba in the church office by June 9.

»» WOMEN'S MINISTRY



Redeemed: Seeing the Messiah in the Book of Ruth - Is your life not turning out as you had hoped? Has God disappointed you? The trials of life test us to see if we will trust in the promises of God. On the surface, the book of Ruth would appear to be about love and friendship, and that certainly is a theme. However, more profoundly it is the story of people of Israel and the need for a Redeemer. In the same way, God desires to redeem your past and restore your future, so that you may find fulfillment in His gracious love! The historical background to the book of Ruth. What marriage, widowhood, and redemption meant in Bible times. Join us for this Tuesday evening Summer Bible study at 6:30 pm from June 4 - July 16. Facilitated by Pat Cannon. (This class will not meet July 2) Workbook \$8.00. Please register at: <http://southlife.org>

»» CHILDREN

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For more information about our Children's programs, stop by the Children's Ministry Information Center, located near the east entrance or visit www.southlife.org/children

»» COLLEGE

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College Hour will meet today at 10:00 AM in the at the Fireside Room.

Kick-Off BBQ at the Villa! Join us for a time of food & fellowship as we kick-off our summer Bible study, Wednesday, May 29 at 6:30 pm.

»» STUDENTS

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Jr. & Sr. High Youth Hour meets today at 9:35 AM in the Student Center.

There will be no **Jr. High Awaken** this week. Mark your calendar for our first summer Awaken on Wednesday, July 24.

8th Grade Move-up Party Sunday, June 2 from 6:00-9:00 PM at the Nagy's house.



There will be no **Sr. High Arise** this week. More information on our summer schedule coming soon!

Sr. High Graduate Recognition is Sunday, June 9. Contact Sara in the church office at (517) 322-2000 or ssogoba@southlife.org with your graduate information and future plans!

»» GROWTH GROUPS

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Growth Groups are small group Bible studies committed to growing together and in relationship with Jesus Christ as they are transformed through Bible study and prayer. If you would like to join a growth group, visit www.southlife.org/growth-groups.

»» MEN'S MINISTRY

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The men of South Church meet for early morning or evening studies to grow and reach out to other men. Be sure to check the calendar of events at www.southlife.org/men.

»» WOMEN'S MINISTRY

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Wherever you are on life's journey there is a place for you among the women of South. Become involved in a Bible study, a care group, or an event where friendships are born, laughter is shared, heartaches are carried & lives are shaped by God's life-changing Word. Visit www.southlife.org/women to learn more.

NEXT STEPS



Are you new to South? Join us for a luncheon on September 15 from

12:25-1:30 PM in the Student Ministry Center.

Yes, I'll be there! or RSVP at: www.southlife.org/simply-south



Who is Jesus? Why did He come? What does it mean to follow Him?

This course began September 15 at 6:00PM in Room 119. Please join us if you are interested in the basics of Christianity.

Yes, I'll be there! or RSVP at: www.southlife.org/christianity-explored

Membership COURSE The course to church membership begins with breakfast on Saturday,

September 21 2019 with 3 Sunday sessions to follow on September 29, October 6 & 13 at 9:35 AM.

Yes, I'll be there! or RSVP at: www.southlife.org/faq/membership

BAPTISM Interested in learning more about baptism?

Join us for classes on September 29 & October 6, 2019

Yes, I'll be there! or RSVP at: www.southlife.org/faq/baptism



» SUNDAY SERVICES

9:35 AM

Balanced Service

Worship Center

10:55 AM

Creative Service

Chapel

6:00 PM

Evening Service

Chapel

"Make Up Your Mind"

Colossians 3:1-4

Dean Mathis

» SUMMER SHIFT



Summer Shift - This summer we are going to "shift" things up and offer one 9:35 Balanced Service and one 10:55 Creative service. This begins TODAY on Memorial Day Weekend and end on Labor Day.

» SERMON NOTES: Don Denyes

» People I met/People to pray for

WANT TO HEAR THE SERMON AGAIN?

CDs of today's message are available at the Welcome Desk following the services. CDs of the full morning service may be ordered. Sermons can also be found online at www.southlife.org/media-home, on the iTunes Podcast store (South Church Sermons), and on SoundCloud at www.soundcloud.com/southchurchlansing.

We have a great line up of teaching for our 6 PM service this summer! Come, worship at our evening service.

2019 6:00 PM

26-May	Dean Mathis
2-June	William Wagner
9-June	Pastor Keith Bapt-New Mem
16-June	Keith
23-June	Mark Awabdy
30-June	Pastor Neil Odgers
7-July	Nick PM communion
14-July	Pastor Tim Van Loh
21-July	Pastor Joel Wayner
28-July	KING'S BRASS
4-August	Dave Seal/Michael Partridge
11-August	Dan Khoury
18-August	Mike Winter
25-August	Adoption Focus- Keith
1-September	Pastor Doug-PM communion
8-September	South Fest

» FAITH NEWS VIDEO



We are currently taking pre-orders for the Kingdom Rock Choir performance of "Faith News". DVDs are \$10 and Blu-Rays are (\$15). Please contact Nancy Bassett in the church office to order.