



**We Seek Not
Earthly Pots of Gold.
We Seek After God
As the Deer Seeks Water**

**At
First Southern Baptist Church of Coalinga**

March 17, 2013

Welcome to Our Guests!

If you are a visitor, we want to welcome you to our church. Thank you for coming to worship the Lord with us. Visitors please feel free to fill out the front and back of the narrow Information insert located by each door in to the Sanctuary and place it in the offering tray or hand it to an usher. Members can use this form too!

Schedule & Announcements

Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Launch into the Deep Prayer Group
	9:30 a.m.	Heavenly Brew Coffee Time
	10:00 a.m.	Sunday School/Bible Study for all ages
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Service
	12:00 p.m.	VBS Meeting
	4:30 p.m.	Youth Group
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Bible Study
Monday	6:30 p.m.	Ladies Bible Study
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	Spanish Bible Study
Wed.	12:00 p.m.	Ladies Bible Study for Moms
	6:30 p.m.	Praise Team Practice



VBS Meeting Today – March 17th

We will be having a quick VBS Meeting after Worship Services today. If you are interested in working at VBS we encourage you to attend this meeting.



**The Last Chapter in
Book of Daniel Bible Study Takes Place
Tonight Sunday Night March 17th at 6:00 p.m.
(Sunday Night Services are cancelled Palm
Sunday-March 24th, and Easter Sunday March 31st.)**

Annie Armstrong Week of Prayer & Offering

Please pray for the missionaries who serve in the United States and Canada and pray about your gift to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. An information brochure on the missionaries and an offering envelope has been provided in your bulletin.



"Cross Walk" - Good Friday March 29th at Noon

We will meet with the other churches in town at the parking lot in front of Courthouse and walk a short walk down 5th to the Gazebo.

Sunrise Service - Sunday, March 31st



There will be a community event held at Keck Park across from the Lutheran Church Resurrection Sunday at Sunrise. Starts at 6:30 a.m. Sunrise happens at 6:49 a.m. that morning.

Sunrise Breakfast - Mar 31st at 8:30 a.m.

Join us for breakfast Resurrection Sunday morning here at the church. Just as Jesus invited his disciples for breakfast after His Resurrection, we invite you to join us at 8:30 after Sunrise Services. *John 21:12 –*

"Come and have breakfast," Jesus told them. None of the disciples dared ask Him, "Who are You?" because they knew it was the Lord.



Courageous the Movie



Everyone is invited to attend "Courageous" the Movie on Sunday, April 7th at 6:00 p.m. Bring a friend! This special event will kick off our new Men's Bible Study taking place on Sunday Evenings at 6:00 p.m. *(We are making a change to Men's Bible Study on Sunday nights instead of Evening Bible Study for all).*

Hispanic Outreach Block Party on April 6th. Can you help?

Please see Pastor Terry or Pastor Jesus to volunteer.



Missionary Moment

Reaching Vancouver by "accident" - Victor and Candice Thomas landed in Vancouver, B.C., promising they'd never stay—that was five years ago. They arrived in 2007, so Victor could start a four-month stint as a researcher at Simon Fraser University—what Victor called an extended honeymoon for the newlyweds. His study focused on environmental science and poverty. But the young entrepreneurs from South Africa found a new calling in Burnaby, a quick train-ride from downtown Vancouver. Three weeks before they were to return to Cape Town, Thomas walked the Burnaby campus of Simon Fraser, his eyes seeming to open for the first time. "I saw these students with blank looks on their faces, and I started to tear up. For a South African male that's not cool," Thomas said. "It was as if God was saying, 'Isn't this the poverty I've called you to?'" From a family with seven generations of pastors, Thomas told his friends he'd never be a pastor. And indeed he remained true to this for more than two decades, though he always served the poor alongside his dad. He also started a company consulting on construction projects in environmentally sensitive areas. "Life was good back in Africa," said Thomas. "I'd just hired a friend, and we had several big contracts. We'd never intended to stay in Canada." As God began to draw the Thomases to the work of The Point Church, a long drive with then-planter of The Point, Kelly Manire, sealed the decision. "He told us he was moving on," Thomas said, "and that he wanted me and Candice to take over." The Point, a Canadian National Baptist Convention church, had started years previous, but had dwindled to a small Bible study. Taking over The Point would amount to a relaunch of the church. As Thomas saw it, this also meant launching additional campuses in Coquitlam and in downtown Vancouver. Take time to pray for the missions supported through the Cooperative Program and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering this week.



Happy Birthday!

Mar. 19 – Merissa Simon

Mar. 21 – Elizabeth Pieper

Mar. 21 – Debbie Schindler

Nursery Worker Schedule

Today – Mar. 17th – Shereé Pieper and Quincy Richard

Mar. 24th – Wendy Black and Ana Colvin

Mar. 31st – Donna King and Debbie Whitwill

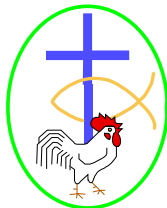


Children's Church Schedule

Today – Mar. 17th – Donna King and Debbie Whitwill

Mar. 24th – Melissa Cleveland and Laquita Stinnett

Mar. 31st – Beth Williamson and Samantha Pieper



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