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Dear CSBC Church Family,

We hope that you are doing well during these unusual, trying times. We greatly appreciate the way you have continued to support our church; in prayer, in giving and attendance. We understand that everyone cannot physically attend church right now and we encourage you to do what is best for your family. Please contact the church (638-2986) if you need us for anything.

Our annual Deacon Elections will take place during August. On August 2nd, you will be asked to nominate five (5) people to serve for the next three (3) years. Then on August 16th, we will vote for five (5) people from a list of ten (10) nominees. Attached are two (2) ballots. Each person in the family who is a church member can vote. If you need more than two (2) ballots, you can make your own and submit it. We are suggesting four (4) ways to submit your ballot:

1. Mail to the church.
2. Bring to the church office.
3. Bring to church with you on August 2nd.
4. Send by another church member.

All ballots must be submitted by the end of the Worship Service on August 2nd.

The following men are not eligible for nomination as they are currently serving:

Phillip Addington, Robert (Bob) Baltzer, Mike Bonham, Roy Dodd, West Elliott, Neil Ford, Harold Gibson, Ray Hiler, Kevin Mangan, Chad Mason, Tim Merrell, Joe Rukat, Mike Thrift, Greg Tichenor, Paul Tichenor, Joe Ward & Monte Wright.

Thank you for participating in this important time during our church year. Every person taking the opportunity to vote helps make sure we elect the people God wants to serve you, the church. Please pray for the leadership of the Holy Spirit as you vote.

Thanks, from your Deacon Ministry Team.

Tim Merrell, Deacon Chairman

Music Ministry Notes

MEDIA MINISTRY TEAM SCHEDULE

July 26, 2020

VIDEO POWER POINT
10:00 a.m. - Tracy Tichenor

SOUND SYSTEM
10:00 a.m. - Michael Oakley, Sr. (BE)

August 2, 2020

VIDEO POWER POINT
10:00 a.m. - Tracy Tichenor

SOUND SYSTEM
10:00 a.m. - Jeremy Tichenor (BE)

August 9, 2020

VIDEO POWER POINT
10:00 a.m. - TBA

SOUND SYSTEM
10:00 a.m. - Joe Rukat (WT)

August 16, 2020

VIDEO POWER POINT
10:00 a.m. - Tracy Tichenor

SOUND SYSTEM
10:00 a.m. - Jeremy Tichenor (WT)

August 23, 2020

VIDEO POWER POINT
10:00 a.m. - TBA

SOUND SYSTEM
10:00 a.m. - Michael Oakley, Sr. (BE)

August 30 2020

VIDEO POWER POINT
10:00 a.m. - Tracy Tichenor

SOUND SYSTEM
10:00 a.m. - Jeremy Tichenor (WT)



- Ray Conway, Minister of Worship

MUSIC MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

1. Sunday, July 26 -
8:45 AM - Brass Ensemble rehearsal
10:00 AM - Worship (Live & On-line Worship-YouTube)
2. Wednesday, July 29 -
5:30 PM - Brass Ensemble rehearsal
3. Sunday, August 2 -
8:45 AM - Brass Ensemble rehearsal
10:00 AM - Worship
4. Wednesday, August 5 -
7:00 PM - WorshipTeam rehearsal
5. Sunday, August 9 -
8:45 AM - Worship Ensemble rehearsal
10:00 AM - Worship
6. Wednesday, August 12 -
7:00 PM - WorshipTeam rehearsal
7. Sunday, August 16 -
8:45 AM - WorshipTeam rehearsal
10:00 AM - Worship
8. Wednesday, August 19 -
5:30 PM - Brass Ensemble rehearsal
9. Sunday, August 23 -
8:45 AM - Brass Ensemble rehearsal
10:00 AM - Worship
10. Wednesday, August 26 -
7:00 PM - WorshipTeam rehearsal

Student Ministries

- Lauren Beddingfield, Director of Student Ministries

Dear CSBC Family,

What a strange summer this has been! Usually this time of year, our children and youth would have been reflecting on our weeks at SummerSalt and KidSalt. Camp has always been a special time of year for us. I would ask you to continue to pray for them. This entire season of life has been very challenging. I've seen many of them throughout the summer as we've taken them treat bags and they are eager to come back to church and be with their friends and learn about Jesus.

As our school year is about to begin, we have a lot of uncertainties with how to begin. While I hope that we can begin MARK Club, Bible Quest and our Youth Group meetings on time and in person, I also know that we cannot do so without establishing guidelines and protocols that will help keep both our children, youth and volunteers involved safe while on campus. If you're interested in volunteering in our ministries this fall, please let me know. We are looking forward to starting as soon and as safely as we can.

As a note for our youth, we have a YouTube channel now with devotionals based on the curriculum from SummerSalt 2020 as well as a great playlist of worship music. To access our channel, go to our church website: www.collegestreetbaptist.org, and at the top of the page, there is a note about our new channel. The link regarding our youth channel will guide you to it and a new video will be released each Wednesday at 6 PM. Anyone can access this channel for free and I encourage you to do so. If you would like to make a video to post to the channel to encourage our youth during this time, please let me know. I'll be glad to help you record or upload it. Our youth can make videos with devotion or encouragement to post to the channel as well. They have to have their parents' permission and they have to send the video to me to upload.

I am also hoping to post videos for our children to watch as well. These videos will be based off the curriculum sent to me by our Baptist Convention. Our State Convention has been AMAZING with providing continual support, resources and care throughout this entire pandemic situation. I am so appreciative of their staff and their hard work.

This season of life has been difficult, challenging, mentally draining, frustrating and uncertain. We all know this. However, I hope that in this season you have experienced character growth, closeness with your family, hope in Jesus and hope in tomorrow. When this is all done, which could be next week, next month, or next year, I hope that I am a better person on the other side of it. I am thankful always for the continual love, encouragement, and support that I receive from my family at College Street.

~Lauren



NEWSLETTER & BULLETIN UPDATES

Please remember that any items that need to be included in the newsletter publication should be in the office (**in print**) either by e-mail, fax or drop off a note to us **two weeks** prior to printing the newsletter each month. Items that need to be printed in the Bulletin for Sunday need to be in the office no later than **THURSDAY NOON in print** again by e-mail, fax or a printed note. Thank you for keeping this in mind when planning your events.

GOLDEN FELLOWSHIP CLUB NEWS UPDATE

The August 2020 Golden Fellowship Club meetings will not be held as previously planned. We will plan our meetings again depending completely upon the COVID 19 situation as time progresses. This information will be relayed to you as soon as possible. For further information, please contact Mrs. Rachel Bible at 638-9661.



It's easy to tithe and give your offerings online!

Your tithes, offerings, and donations to College Street Baptist can now be made online. Tithing and donating have never been easier. It's quick, easy and secure and you can use debit or credit or check cards, or checking account. Just go to our website at **ww.collegestreetbaptist.org** for further information and instructions.

Online giving is not replacing any of the traditional ways we already give, but is an additional option to those who prefer to make their donations by computer, cell phone or other mobile devices. College Street is using a church donation system provided by the Easy Tithe corporation. *EasyTithe* is church specific and is currently used by hundreds of churches across the nation.

You can make a regularly scheduled contribution or you can specify recurring donations. You can specify whether the contribution should go to the general budget or to designated categories. A credit card (MasterCard, Visa, or Discover) or a debit card can be used as well as a regular checking account. The process is secure and confidential and you will have continual access to your giving records.