

Return Service Requested

Staff Directory

- Senior Pastor—Dr. Philip May
- Associate Pastor—Rev. Richard Brown
- Minister of Music—Rev. Mark Winstead
- Minister of Education/Business Administrator—Rev. Ted Fuller
- Minister of Children—Kathy Winstead
- Minister of Youth—Rev. Eric Gargus
- Worship Director—Tom Pilcher
- Orchestra Director—Bill King
- Administrative Assistant—Ellen McWeekin
- Financial Secretary—Patsy Jordan
- Music Secretary—Ginger Ferrin
- Church Secretary—Kim Sisson



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Financial Report

Thank you for your faithfulness with your tithes and offerings. Through April 30, our status is:

ANNUAL BUDGET REQUIREMENT 2023	\$ 1,879,593.25
REC'D thru 04/30/2023	\$ 564,742.80
NEED TO MEET ANNUAL BUDGET	\$ 1,314,850.45
MONTHLY BUDGET REQUIREMENT	\$ 156,632.77
REC'D THRU 04/30/2023	\$ 158,829.91
RECEIVED OVER BUDGET	\$ 2,197.14
TITHES AND OFFERINGS YTD	\$ 564,742.81
OTHER INCOME RECEIVED YTD	\$ 50,237.74
	\$ 614,980.55
SPENT TO DATE	\$ (638,930.97)
OVER SPENT YTD	\$ (23,950.42)
HERITAGE FUNDS REC'D THRU 04/30/2023	\$ 8,977.00

Vacations begin this month, however, missions opportunities begin at PVS for the summer. Our youth ministry team will be going to Texas to partner with a group that serves underprivileged areas. Richard Brown has a week of "Loving Rome", which includes a prayer service, canvassing neighborhoods, ministering to shut-ins, renting River Bend Park to have a two-day VBS, etc. VBS at PVSBC will be held in July. We need volunteers to sign up in the Welcome Center.

Richard has thirty Helping Hands volunteers ready to do ministry. Our new partnership with the church in Utah begins. They are sending a team here to assist us as well. The Operation Christmas Child shoebox ministry continues and you will be asked to participate during the summer. Hopefully our newly trained small groups will begin Bible Studies in their homes to reach unsaved people in their neighborhood for Christ.

I hope you realize that what we do never stops. Whether it is a direct partnership or through the Floyd County Baptist Association, Georgia Baptists or Southern Baptist missions, the sun never sets on our ministry.

Your Pastor,
Phil May

Vacation Bible School
July 17-20 * 6:00-8:30 p.m.
Age 3 - 5th Grade
Free Supper Served Nightly

Volunteers are needed for VBS! Sign-up now in the Welcome Center or online at www.pvsbc.org.
 Deadline for volunteers to sign-up is June 25, 2023.
 Questions: See Natalie Simms or email: natalie.simms@pvsbc.com

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

We Honor You

STUDENT FUSION

Eric Gargus, Youth Minister



Our Student Fusion mission team will depart for Arlington, Texas, on June 10. We will return home on June 17. Our ministry will include work projects such as picking up and delivering donations around the metroplex, sorting donations at the massive mission center, and canvassing apartment communities with evangelistic event flyers. We will also lead a daily "Rainbow Express Bible Club" at one large apartment complex.

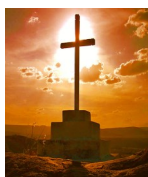
We would love to take everyone with us through prayer! Would you join the mission team by praying for us, the people we will encounter, and the kingdom work we will do? Daily updates will be given on social media, so be watching for great news about God's work as you are praying.

Please begin by praying for the team by name (in no particular order):

Tracy Wood	Kent Mathis	Kaya Nadu
Misty Wood	Ben Farrer	Ally Jones
Hannah Wood	Shasta Farrer	Alonna Penn
Hayden Wood	Callaway Farrer	Bobby Simms
Austin Rains	Charlee Farrer	Joel Simms
Isaac Rains	Sarah Ekey	Eric Gargus
Mary Rains	Benji Drummond	

We are excited about what God is going to do through us and in us! Thank you for your support,

Eric



Ted Fuller

Minister of Education/Business Administrator

As you know, the Baby Bottle Boomerang campaign is underway. This is an opportunity to financially support Haven Health Clinic for Women. Haven Health is a local faith-based clinic that supports and assists women facing pregnancy issues. The money you give will help provide free services such as pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, faith-based counseling, parenting classes, and baby supplies. Please get a baby bottle from the Welcome Center and fill it with loose change, paper money or a check.

Also, we are currently collecting items for the GA Baptist Children's Home (GBCH). The GBCH provides services such as residential programs, faith-based counseling, and Christian camps. The GBCH website states they have been "giving children hope and a home for over 150 years." The items requested by GBCH include paper plates, toilet paper, Lysol spray, boxed chips, and cookies. You may also give gift cards from Kroger, Publix, and Walmart. The deadline for donating to these important ministries is Sunday, June 18. Thank you and God Bless You.



Richard Brown Associate Pastor for Evangelism and Missions

Love Your Neighbor Week is coming up the week of June 25! On Sunday night, June 25, you are encouraged to gather in the Worship Center at 5 pm as we pray for our church, our community and our nation. Please understand my heart. We are gathering to *labor* in prayer. Laboring in prayer involves anguishing over the lost. It involves lamenting over the brokenness of our sin-cursed world. It involves going to battle against the demonic strongholds and the forces of darkness. Prayer is intimacy with God. Prayer is also spiritual warfare. If we are to see and experience revival and spiritual awakening in our church, community and our country, we must *anguish* in prayer. You are invited to join us for an open-ended time of prayer. You may come and go as you wish. We will close the church by no later than 10 pm. Monday through Wednesday, you are welcome to come to the worship center for prayer at any time during the day after 8 am. The worship center will be open until 10 each night. If you are not involved in a mission project you are warmly invited to come!

Beginning Monday, June 26th, we will be doing mission projects in our community throughout the week. All Adult Sunday School classes are asked to identify and complete at least one mission project. Please let me know if you need help with selecting a class project.

As a part of *Love Your Neighbor Week*, we will also be hosting a mission team from *The Gathering Place* church, in Roy, Utah. Pastor Jim Panagoplos will be bringing a small group to help with projects in our community. We will be partnering with *The Gathering Place* church and other Southern Baptist Churches in the Salt Lake area. I look forward to introducing him and his team to our church family.

Utah Mission Trip: August 4-10, 2023. This will be our first of many future trips to Roy, Utah. Group size will be limited to 12. Be watching for more details in our weekly bulletins.



Mark Winstead Minister of Music

Summer is here and it's a busy time! We will have some exciting things going on during July. The choir will not have practice during the month of June. I would like to share with you some important dates for the summer in the music ministry.

- June 4 – Trevor will lead the choir in YOU ARE WORTHY
 - June 11 – THIS HOPE will lead the music for the morning service
 - June 18 – Melodie and the choir will sing TAKE ME BACK
 - June 25 – The Praise Band will lead the music for the morning service
 - July 2 – Tony will sing GOD BLESS THE USA and Melodie and the choir will sing AMERICA, THE BEAUTIFUL
 - July 9 – The choir will sing YOU ARE GOD ALONE
 - July 12 – Banquet for choir and all prospects at 6:00 (more information next month)
- We love you all and hope you have a great June.



Kathy Winstead, Minister of Children

Many churches, including ours, take breaks during the summer months. Longer days and vacations tend to take a great many families out of the normal church routine.

But the ministry of PVS kids keeps plugging along during the summer months. We're busy with the "3 P's" of children's ministry - praying, planning, and preparing! We pray through each activity and ministry opportunity to better understand how it fits into the overall goal of reaching kids and our community for Christ. We ask God to use the ministry for His glory and not our own. We plan fun events and activities that will encourage children and their families to attend, and we use words and actions to show Christ's love to everyone there. We prepare by enlisting volunteers, sharing the events and activities on social media, mailouts and word-of-mouth. We seek out various resources in our church and community that can help us carry out our plans so that we can stay within the budget the church has given us. The "3 P's" are not only implemented during the summer months. These are ongoing throughout the year. The behind-the-scenes work of PVS kids is continuous and requires many hands. As we begin planning this summer for our new church year which begins in August, please consider volunteering as a Preschool or Elementary Sunday School teacher/helper, a Wednesday night Team Kid leader/helper, a volunteer nursery/childcare helper, a PVS kids Church (elementary) or Children's Church leader (preschool), or a check-in desk attendant. These are all positions that can be filled by anyone with a desire to serve. No experience needed!

Upcoming Events:

June 14 Sno-Cones and Water Fun for kids of all ages!

From 6:00-7:30 in front of the FLC. Parents are welcome to participate with their children!

July 3-7 CentriKid Summer Camp for all registered campers!

Please pray for our group of 14 kids and adults as we go deep into God's Word to look below the surface of who we are and who God wants us to be!

July 17-20 STELLAR VBS for children age 3-completed 5th grade!

This four-day community event will show us how to shine the light of Jesus in the world. Volunteers and children can be registered online at www.pvsbc.org. Email Kathy at kathy.winstead@pvsbc.org or Natalie Simms at natalie.simms@pvsbc.org for more information. **August 9 Back-to-School Bash Foam Party!** From 6:00-7:30 for children, preschool through 5th grade! Hot dogs and drinks will be served! School supplies will also be available for those who need them. Invite your friends as we kick off the new school year with a blast!

– Kathy