

## **INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION**

*Sunday, July 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:45 a.m.*

Victory Church celebrates freedom with family & friends on this Sunday before Independence Day!

- Major General Harold A. Cross to speak.
- Special presentation by the Victory Worship Choir.
- Children's Message by Rev. Eddie Woods
- Dinner on the Grounds to follow service. Bring a vegetable & dessert.
- Invite your friends & family!

Don't miss this opportunity to reach those around us for the One who provides real Freedom!

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## **“THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN”**

*Sundays in July & August*

In the Gospel of Matthew, we find the only reference to the “Kingdom of Heaven.” Matthew used this term 31 times! As he wrote to Jewish Christians who had probably been excluded from the Jewish synagogue, Matthew clearly established Jesus as the long-awaited King for Israel (And all the world). Inspired by the Holy Spirit of God, Matthew emphasized the Kingdom of Heaven like no other writer. Who is this King & what is His Kingdom like? Let's explore these truths together Sundays in July & August!

### **THE KINGDOM'S CROWN**

*“Who is this King of Glory?”*

Sunday, July 10 at 10:45 a.m.

### **THE KINGDOM'S CONFLICT**

*The Separation of the Church & the World*

Sunday, July 17 at 10:45 a.m.

### **THE KINGDOM'S CONFIDENCE**

*Little faith will bring your soul to heaven, but great faith will bring heaven to your soul.*

Sunday, July 24 at 10:45 a.m.

### **THE KINGDOM'S COMPASSION**

*Good to Forgive, Best to Forget!*

Sunday, July 31 at 10:45 a.m.

### **THE KINGDOM'S COMPENSATION**

*God's retirement plan is out of this world!*

Sunday, August 7 at 10:45 a.m.

### **THE KINGDOM'S CONDEMNATION**

*The Greatest Compliment to the Dignity of Human Freedom*

Sunday, August 14 at 10:45 a.m.

**THE KINGDOM’S COMMISSION**

*“The World is My Parish.” John Wesley*

Sunday, August 21 at 10:45 a.m.

**THE KING IS COMING!**

*The Return of King Jesus*

Sunday, August 28 at 10:45 a.m.

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**STUDENT LIFE NEWS**

**OMEGA CAMP**

(For students entering 7th grade through 12th grade)

*July 11 -15*

Van departs at 2 p.m. on Monday, July 11 for Timber Creek Camp near Forest, MS. Don’t miss this opportunity for fun & inspiration this summer! See Pastor Cregg for forms and more information.

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**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

*July 18-22*

Join Serengeti Eddie & the Gang for this exciting adventure July 18-22. Pre-registration forms are available. Contact Melissa Puckett for details (845-7215).

“Serengeti—Where Kids are Wild about God!”

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**FRIENDSHIP GROUPS IN JULY**

*Sunday Evenings in July*

No Sunday Evening services in July as we break into “Friendship Groups” geographically with groups meeting in Brandon, Florence, Richland & Terry. This will be a wonderful time to “connect” with others in the church while reaching neighbors for Christ.

“Friendship Groups” will meet in the following areas:

**Brandon/Pearl Host & Leader**

\* Ron & Thelma Benson (936-9180)

Eddie & Janet Woods (845-3594)

**Byram/Terry Host & Leader**

- \* Cecil & Angie Fisher (372-0045)
- Jeff & Jennifer Dickson (373-4613)

**Florence Hosts & Leaders**

- \* Henry & Joy Griffith (845-6861)
- Allen Clark (906-5873)
- \* Keith & Connie Rice (845-7051)
- Michael Matthews (845-4434)
- \* Cregg & Melissa Puckett (845-7215)
- \* Shelton & Pat Weathersby (845-3396)

**Richland Host & Leader**

- \* Ed & Bridget Steed (939-8477)
- David & Meredith Tilly (932-6759)

**Star Host & Leader**

- \* Frank & Patsy Gilmore (845-2832)

\* Host Home

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**SENIOR LUNCHEON**

*Tuesday, July 26<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 PM (Every fourth Tuesday)*

Mrs. Patsy Gilmore will minister through song & spoken word at this monthly gathering in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is invited!