



August 22, 2015

What's Happening at WellSpring!

Regular Schedule:

- Sunday:** Morning Prayer: 10:00 a.m.
Worship - 10:30 a.m. - Sanctuary
Prayer Gathering: 7 p.m.
- Tuesday:** Men's Bible Study - 6:30 - 8:00 P.M.
- Wednesday (6:30 p.m.):**
Worship Team Practice - Sanctuary
KidSurge - Word of Life! - Children's Dept.
Youth Overflow - Word of Life! - Gathering Space
Adult Bible Study - "The Book of Revelation" - Fellowship Hall
- Thursday:** "Women of Excellence" Bible Study - 6:30 p.m. - Fellowship Hall

Our Stewardship:
Tithes/Offerings:
August Total: \$8,059.10
Monthly Needs: \$11,500.00
Mission Giving 2015: \$7,012.23

I. What is _____ ?

- A. _____ fasting - personal transformation
- B. _____ fasting - church transformation
- C. Definition: 1) _____ from something
2) for a _____ period of time
3) seeking a _____ encounter with God
- D. **Types:** _____ **Durations:** _____
Absolute (___ food or water) | 1 meal
Water _____ (no food or other drinks) | 24 hour (_____ meals)
_____ fast (liquids but no solid food) | 2 days a week
Partial (removing _____ foods) | 3 days
_____ fast (abstaining from things) | 10 days
_____ fast (eating only after sundown) | 40 days
- E. Fasting is really _____ on your relationship with God!

II. _____ do we fast in general?

- A. In order to _____ holy days (Lev. 16:29; Num. 29:7)
- B. The call to _____ (Joel 2:12-17)
- C. Times of _____ (2 Chron. 20; I Sam. 7; Ezra 8; Neh. 1)
- D. Seeking spiritual _____ (Dan. 9; Acts 13)
- E. Times of _____ (Moses Ex. 34:28; Jesus Matt. 4:2)

III. _____ are we fasting for this season?

- A. For spiritual _____ (Rev. 2:7)
 - i. Let him who has _____ (ous)
 - ii. Let him _____ what the Spirit says (akouo)
 - iii. to the _____ (ekkllesia)
- B. To stay in _____ with the Spirit (Gal. 5:25)
 - i. Since we _____ by the Spirit
 - ii. Let us keep in _____ with the Spirit

IV. _____ are we to fast?

- A. Step 1 - Set your objectives
- B. Step 2 - What type of fast?
- C. Step 3 - How often?
- D. Step 4 - What time of day?
- E. Step 5 - Abstain from things?
- F. Step 6 - Sign your commitment



Teacher Outreach Ministry

Thank you for your support of the teacher outreach servant evangelism project.

Upcoming In-Home Small Groups - Starting this Fall!

If you would like to be a part of an in-home, six week, small group, please sign-up at the information table. We will be launching on August 30th.



We are looking for **Nursery Workers** for small-group meetings. If you are interested in being a part of the team, please see Cassie Ridings.



5th Sunday Dinner

Next Sunday, August 30th, following morning worship
Theme: International food. Bring a covered dish and a friend to join us.
Please sign-up on the food list on the information table.

Ministry Team Meeting

Sunday, September 6th following morning worship

Night Of Worship

Sunday, September 13th, 6:30 p.m.
Invite your friends to come and join us as we worship together!



Did you miss last weeks message?
Visit us online at www.welcometowellspring.com!

WellSpring Core Practices

1. Prayer

Prayer is the heartbeat of the Christian life. We believe that prayer is the heart cry of all true children of God calling out to and listening to the Father who is the creator and sustainer of all life. We believe that in all aspects of our lives and our ministry at WellSpring have to be aligned, anointed, and activated through prayer.

2. The Word of God

The Word of God is the guide and plumb-line of our steps as the inerrant revelation of God through the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. It is the source of our joy and the encouragement of truth in a world that is often upside down. In all our ministries we make a commitment to study, teach, and memorize the living Word of God as contained in the Bible.

3. The Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit is the presence of God within each believer that encourages, convicts, enlightens, empowers, and inspires all our actions, beliefs, and prayers. We believe that the power of the Holy Spirit and the priority of the Word of God must come together in truth and freedom. Let our worship be filled with the Acts 2 “power” of the Spirit and the Hebrews 4 “living word” of Christ our savior.

4. Missions

Missions are our purpose and priority. We are not here for our own souls as in “serve us” but rather for the salvation and discipleship of the world as in “service”. We are determined to be faithful to our pledge to give at least 10% of our budget income to support the organizations on our mission wall while committing even more of ourselves physically to serving our community for Christ sake.

5. Whosoever

We believe that the gospel of Christ is available to everyone. Therefore, we believe that our love should welcome and cherish every person who enters the doors of this church so as to demonstrate the love of Christ to them as we lead them closer to the holy standard that God deserves.

Join us
on a journey

40 DAYS PRAYER & FASTING

Whoever has ears, let them hear
what the Spirit says to the churches.

August 23rd – October 1st, 2015



5:25 AM/PM
Everyday

Welcome to

WellSpring

Community Church

Consider the Source

To the thirsty I will give water without cost from the well spring of the water of life. Rev 21:6b TNIV

Sunday: Morning Prayer: 10:00 A.M.
Contemporary Worship 10:30 A.M.
Prayer Gathering: 7:00 P.M.

Tuesday: Women's Bible Study 3:15 P.M.
Men's Bible Study 6:30 P.M.

Wednesday: Adult Bible Study 6:30 P.M.
Praise Team Practice 6:30 P.M.
Overflow Youth 6:30 P.M.
KidSurge 6:30 P.M.

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