



Loving and  
Leading people  
into a Growing  
relationship  
with Jesus

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**March 20, 2016**

**Attendance**

Bible Study: 415  
Worship: 502

**Giving**

Budget Offering:  
\$25,711  
REIMAGINE:  
\$65,433

**March 27, 2016**

**Attendance**

Sunrise: 105  
10:30 am: 868  
TOTAL: 973  
Bible Study: 458

**Giving**

Budget Offering:  
\$29,263  
REIMAGINE:  
\$29,174



# THE BOB DOWNS INVITATIONAL GOLF CLASSIC

**Monday, May 9, 2016  
Big Spring Country Club**

**Net proceeds will go to benefit  
Habitat for Humanity of Louisville Metro**

**WWW.BOBDOWNSGOLF.COM**

**Contact David Garrard or Emily Thompson for more information.**



## Vacation Bible School Registration is now OPEN!

**June 13-17, 2016; 8:30 am-Noon**

**Register online by clicking on the scrolling slide at [www.smbclouisville.org](http://www.smbclouisville.org)**

**Our VBS is for children age 3 (MUST be born on or before October 1, 2012) through  
completed Grade 6.**

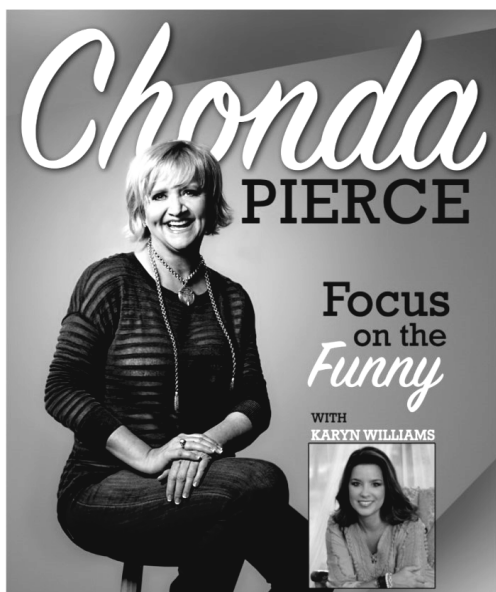
**If you would like to pre-order a VBS t-shirt, contact Emily Thompson at  
[ETHompson@smbclouisville.org](mailto:ETHompson@smbclouisville.org)**

## Volunteers needed for the Bob Downs Golf Classic!

We are looking for additional volunteers to help with the Bob Downs Invitational Golf Classic, Monday, May 9. The time framework is 10:30 a.m. until approximately 7 p.m. although shorter stints are available. Gale Cox is coordinating our Volunteer Team this year. Please contact her or Emily Thompson if you can help. There will be a training meeting late April or early May.

## Want to play?

The Early Registration deadline is April 11. Our field is two thirds full but we still have some space. Register online or call Emily at 502-896-8882!



**FRIDAY • APRIL 29  
ST. MATTHEWS BAPTIST CHURCH  
LOUISVILLE, KY**

***iTickets.com*  
800-965-9324  
Chonda.org**

**General Admission tickets  
on sale in the  
Church Office**

## St. Matthews Street Festival 5K Walk/Run!

Registration is now open for the 2016 St. Matthews Street Festival 5K Walk/Run, Saturday, May 21, 8 a.m. Register online through our website or stop by the office and get a printed flyer. Be thinking about friends, neighbors or co-workers who walk or run that you can invite to participate! Stop by the office if you would like a handful of brochures!



Following God to India

Matt Dickey, currently living in our missionary home, will tell us about how God called his family to India and how they will continue to follow His leading to Pakistan. Come and hear his call and his stories as we reassure him that we will be lifting his family up as they prepare for the next step of their faith journey.

Monday, April 18 at 7:00 pm  
Fellowship Hall Fireside

Men and Women of all ages welcome! Coffee and desserts will be provided.

Box Tops Collection Update!

In February, SMBC sent Box Tops for Education to both St. Matthews Elementary School and Sunrise Children’s Services. They each received 749 box tops for a cash value of \$74.90!

We also collected Labels for Education for Sunrise (SME no longer collects these). We sent Sunrise enough labels to give them 1,250 points. Sunrise can order needed items out of the Labels for Education catalog with the points.

Special thanks to Carol Wetherington who diligently sorts and organizes what we collect!

At the Foot of the Cross

This is a monthly support group for prayer, reflection, scripture reading and encouragement. They meet the 3rd Thursday of each month from 10:00-11:00 am in the Prayer Room.

God’s Designs Unlimited Dine

Monday, April 18  
6:30-8:30 pm

Clifton’s Pizza  
2230 Frankfort Ave., 40206

Entertainment provided by  
the Derby City Quartet

Tickets are \$12 and includes all-you-can-eat buffet and non-alcoholic drinks. Tickets will be available for sale April 10 and 17 in the Lobby or by calling John Dye at 502.637.1852.

A portion of the proceeds will go to benefit the ministry of God’s Designs.

REIMAGINE Campaign

These are exciting days in the life of St. Matthews Baptist Church! To learn more about the REIMAGINE campaign, visit: [smbclouisville.org](http://smbclouisville.org) and click on the scrolling REIMAGINE slide on the Homepage.

Wednesday Dinner Reservations

With the arrival of spring and many associated activities, please make sure that your Wednesday Dinner reservations are accurate. Since we are using a caterer, we have to pay for all meals ordered—even if not everyone shows up! Any changes—additions or cancellations—are due by 4 pm Monday afternoon. Thank you in advance for your stewardship of our church’s resources.

2016 Women’s Retreat  
THESE THINGS

April 15 - 17  
Salt Creek Resort  
Brown County, IN

Start making plans now to attend this fun and inspiring event at beautiful Salt Creek Resort in Nashville, IN with guest speaker Alica Kirkpatrick Bremer. We will be studying Philippians 4:8 - *Whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever things are of good report, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy, meditate on THESE THINGS.*

Shared room is \$160, private room is \$240. Registration has begun!

SMBC Game Night

For children and adults of all ages!

Friday, April 22  
6:00-8:30 pm  
Fellowship Hall

Bring games to play and share!  
Bring snacks to eat and share!

Volunteers Needed for Chonda Pierce Event

Event organizers are expecting over 1,000 people at the Chonda Pierce event on Friday, April 29. We need lots of volunteers to help SMBC put on a smooth and welcoming event! We need parking attendants, ticket takers, ushers and sales people for Chonda’s cause, Food for the Hungry. Most volunteers would need to be at the church by 5:00 pm. If you are interested in helping, please contact Diane Wright at 502.426.8625 or call the church office.

Wednesday Night Meals

If you do not have standing reservations, please make sure and call the Church Office **by Monday at 4:00 pm** to make reservations for next week.

If you DO have standing reservations, but need to cancel any given week, please do so by 4:00 pm on Monday.

April 6  
Spring Break—No Meal

April 13  
Salisbury Steak  
Mashed Potatoes and Gravy  
Vegetable Medley  
Assorted Salads  
Assorted Desserts

April 20  
King Ranch Chicken  
Black Beans  
Spanish Rice  
Southwest Caesar Salad  
Salsa with Corn Chips  
Assorted Desserts

April 27  
Meat Lasagna  
Broccoli  
Caesar Salad  
Vegetable Salad  
Garlic Bread  
Assorted Desserts

May 4  
Hot Brown Casserole  
Asparagus  
Fruit Salad  
Strawberry Orange Salad  
Derby Pie

May 11  
Honey Glazed Ham  
Mixed Greens/Broccoli  
Roasted Sweet and Red Potatoes  
Corn Bread  
Assorted Salads  
Assorted Desserts

May 28  
Pork Tenderloin  
Cheese Grits  
Asparagus  
Bread  
Assorted Salads  
Assorted Desserts

\*All Menus are Subject to Change

A VBS Need...

We are needing lots of empty 16 oz. water bottles for a craft. Please start saving them!



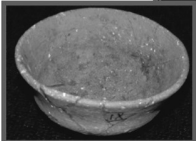

**A monthly support group**

**2nd Wednesday of every month**  
**10:00—11:30 am**  
**Prayer Room**

*For more information, contact Terry or Susan in the church office at 896-8882.*

**WEIGHTS AND MEASURES IN SCRIPTURE AND ARCHAEOLOGY**

**FEATURING**  
**Dr. Joel F. Drinkard, Jr.**  
**Old Testament Professor**



**LUNCH WITH TERRY**  
For Retired/Senior Adults

**WHEN**  
Tuesday  
April 12 Noon

**WHERE**  
Fellowship Hall

**COST**  
\$6 (Due at Sign-up)  
Deadline  
Sunday, April 10