

this week

Sunday, October 22

8:30 a.m. Worship
 9:00-9:30 a.m. Library Open
 9:00 a.m. Early Sunday Bible Study Group
 9:40 a.m. Sunday Bible Study
 10:50 a.m. Worship
 12:00 p.m. Belize Mission Lunch
 12:00-12:30 p.m. Library Open, Youth Handbells
 1:30 p.m. Christmas Dinner Theater Rehearsal
 4:00 p.m. Mixed Ensemble
 4:30 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting
 5:00 p.m. Ladies Ensemble
 5:30 p.m. Financial Peace University
 6:00 p.m. 3 Circles, Sermon Bonus Features, Bible Drill, Bible Skills Drills & Thrills, Student Gathering
 7:00 p.m. Advisory Council

Monday, October 23

8:45 a.m. Ladies Exercise Class
 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. ESL Classes
 9:30 a.m. Precept *Philippians*
 1:30 p.m. GriefShare, Ladies Handbells
 6:30 p.m. GriefShare, Adult Handbells
 7:00 p.m. Precept *Philippians*

Tuesday, October 24

9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. ESL Classes
 9:30 a.m. Early Learning Program

Wednesday, October 25

8:45 a.m. Ladies Exercise Class
 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. ESL Classes
 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Library Open
 11:00 p.m. Homebound Committee Meeting
 4:15 p.m. Children's Handbells
 4:30 p.m. Children's Choir Chimes
 4:45 p.m. Fellowship Dinner
 5:30 p.m. Children's Choir, Student Choir, Ladies Bible Study-*The Explicit Gospel*
 5:45 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer
 6:20 p.m. Student Worship
 6:30 p.m. RA, GA, Mission Friends
 6:45 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal
 7:30 p.m. Orchestra Rehearsal

Thursday, October 26

9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. ESL Classes
 9:30 a.m. ELP, Precept 1 Peter
 10:00 a.m. Dick Wolff Memorial Service, Adult Game Day
 6:15 p.m. ELP Committee Meeting
 7:00 p.m. Precept 1 Peter, Men's Basketball

Friday, October 27

8:45 a.m. Ladies Exercise Class
 9:30 a.m. Early Learning Program
 5:30 p.m. Ruth's Open Door Fellowship

Saturday, October 28

4:00 p.m. FIT Department Fellowship

WEDNESDAY DINNER

October 25, 2017

Fajitas, Mexican rice, refried beans, cheese dip, chips, dessert, and beverage.

Adults \$5, children \$3.50, family max \$18.

Please call the church office, 918-299-0904 to make your reservations by Tuesday at noon.

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Good News about
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FOOD DRIVE - The Student Ministry is leading a fall food drive for the Ministry Center. Please bring non-perishable food (peanut butter, canned meat, canned vegetables, soups, etc.) to the marked tubs near the entrances of the church. Thank you for helping feed the hungry in Tulsa.

SELAH WITH THE SINGING CHURCHMEN/CHURCHWOMEN IN CONCERT - Thursday, November 9, 7:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church, Moore, Oklahoma. Tickets are \$25 at the door, \$17 in advance.

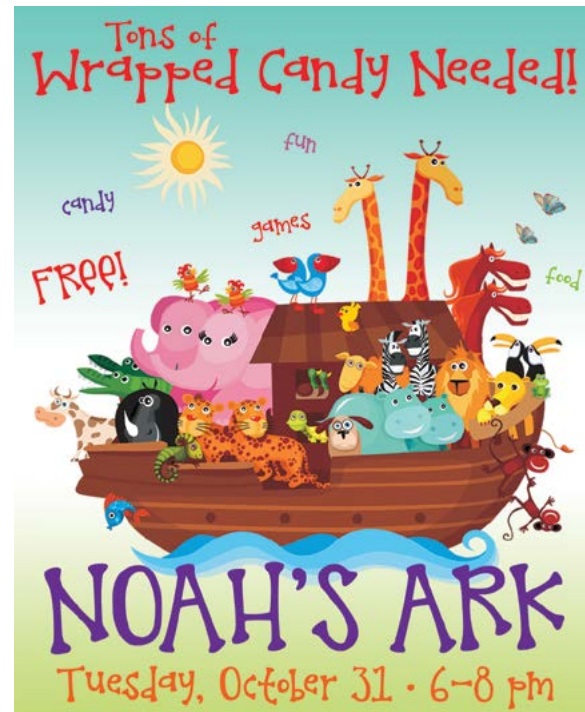
ROYAL AMBASSADORS LOOKING FOR LEADERS - A couple of men are needed to work with the 1st-3rd grade boys on Wednesday evening from 6:30-7:15 p.m. RA is a missions organization for boys in grades 1-6. Please contact Jon Storms (512) 633-9514 or Brad Fuller (479) 790-8338.

CHRISTMAS DINNER THEATER REHEARSAL - October 22, 1:30 - 4:00 p.m. ALL CAST - Rehearse all music and choreography.

PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER - If you would like to receive our daily email prayer list, please contact the church office, carolyn@southtulsa.org. A weekly, printed prayer list is also distributed on Wednesday nights at the Bible Study and Prayer time that can be found at the Welcome Center on Sundays.

SERMON NOTES IN SEVERAL LANGUAGES - Each week Pastor Eric has sermon notes in Russian, Spanish, Chinese and Burmese, and we are working towards adding Arabic. If you would like a copy of these notes, please visit the table in the Commons.

(For more information about upcoming events please go to southtulsa.org)



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8:30AM Worship

Join Us @ South Tulsa

*O Worship the King
 Jesus Saves*

Prayer and Welcome Debbie Steen
Victor's Crown

Greeting One Another

Scripture Reading Bob & Bettye Ball

Message Matthew 28:16-20

Faith Story Josiah & Melody Zimmerman

Response *Amazing Grace*

(My Chains are Gone)

New Commitments - New Members

International Mission Board Video

Thank You for Your Partnership

Blessing

10:50AM Worship

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*I Worship You, Almighty God
 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

Prayer and Welcome Eric Costanzo

Greeting One Another

Down at the Cross

Choral Worship *This Is Amazing Grace*

International Mission Board Video

Thank You for Your Partnership

Giving *People Need the Lord*

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Response *Lord, Here Am I*

New Commitments - New Members

Blessing

A Kingdom Without Borders

by Eric Costanzo

As we begin our new series - "You Will Be My Witnesses" - it is my prayer that the next few weeks will open up new and life-changing aspects of the Kingdom of God for you and for me. In all four of the gospels (Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John) and in the book of Acts, Jesus gives a commission - a call - to His followers that they would take the Good News about Him to every nation on the earth. No people group was to be excluded.

Throughout this series, we will also be hearing some powerful stories from several different people - both inside and outside of our South Tulsa community - who have said "yes" to God's call to whenever, wherever, and whomever He sends them. Here is just a sample of those through whom God will be speaking to us:

- A young couple who is following God's call to enter the international mission field.
- A seasoned missionary family working in a very difficult and highly unreached people in Asia.
- A powerful personal testimony from a former Muslim woman who faced threats on her life and now serves in Christian ministry.
- The latest updates about how God is leading our church to serve in our community through our amazing Ministry Center.
- A beautiful couple from India will share about how they came to faith and how God is using them both in their home country and here in Tulsa, including through our church.
- A student in our church who is following God's call to serve refugees in Europe next year.

Again, my prayer for us over these next several weeks is that God will widen our view of His Kingdom work around the world, and the mosaic that is the global Body of Christ. Will you open your heart to see what He is doing in our community and around the world? Will you be open to His commission and call on your life?

{Getting to Know You}



New Members of South Tulsa

Meet Dottie Hallum

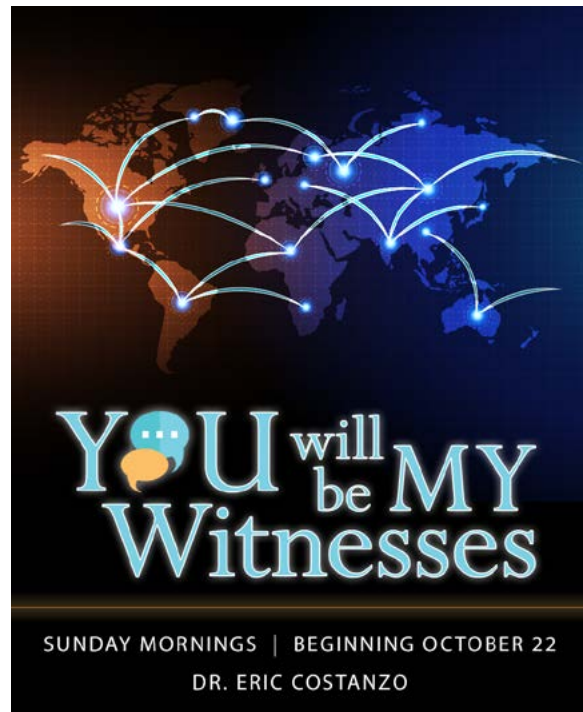
who joined the church on September 17.

Dottie returned home from military service in Virginia in May of this year. She has attended South Tulsa off and on while she was visiting home since 2011. She attends the Threads Bible Study class on Sunday mornings.

Dottie has a two year old son, Rian. They enjoy outdoor activities such as playing ball, hiking, and swimming. They also love to visit people and elderly friends who might need assistance or a big hug. They've also been known to help out at the local food bank, a mission house, and soup kitchens.

Thank You

Dear church staff and family, thank you for your love and support for me and our daughters and family in Leo's home-going. We are thankful for Henry Finch's faithfulness in bringing the service to Legend so Leo could have a part in the service. ~Blessings in Christ, Jeannie Barbee and family



Baskets for Silent Auction

The 10th Annual Arts & Crafts Expo and Basket Silent Auction is Saturday, November 11, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. It is time to plan and prepare baskets for the silent auction! Basket donations will be taken through Wednesday, November 1. Please email Sandy and Regina with any questions at stbcartsncrafts@gmail.com.



Christmas Dinner Theater Tickets

You may begin purchasing Christmas Dinner Theater tickets online at southtulsa.org on **Saturday, October 28**. The special link for members will be sent to you in the South Tulsa Online Announcements on Friday afternoon. Tickets may also be purchased in the Commons beginning on Sunday, October 29, at 9:00 a.m.

The Christmas Dinner Theater is November 30, December 1-2, 7:00 p.m., reserved seating only. Tickets are \$15 each for the dinner and the musical drama. There is also a free matinee on Saturday, December 2, 1:30 p.m. You will also need to reserve tickets for this production. Come and buy tickets for yourself and a friend and be a part of this exciting outreach ministry!



Crazy Choir Daze #2

Stuffed Animal Day

Wednesday, October 25, 5:30-6:30 p.m., boys and girls are encouraged to bring their favorite stuffed animal to Children's Choir. They will also be able to spend their wooden nickels at the Sing Store. Children have received wooden nickels throughout the month for their attendance, bringing a visitor to choir, being Choir Member of the Week, saying their memory verses or singing the Hymn-of-the-Month. Choir Leaders are also encouraged to wear their *All Creation Sings* t-shirt.

First Belize Mission Lunch Today

Please join us today in the Fellowship Hall at noon for our first Belize Mission Lunch. Bless our students going to Belize to serve over Spring Break by placing in the basket what you would spend on a nice lunch out. The menu is barbecue! If any is left over it will be sold by the pound for the following prices: \$12 for chopped brisket, \$10 for pulled pork, \$8 for smoked bologna and sausage.

Noah's Ark is coming soon! Bring wrapped candy and volunteer to help with the party.

Pastor Appreciation

The Personnel Committee would like us to celebrate our pastor and his family for the next four weeks. The congregation is encouraged to demonstrate their love and appreciation for Eric and Rebecca by showering them with cards, notes, gift cards, etc. to thank them for all they do. A basket, located at the Welcome Center, has been provided for your cards/gifts. ~Thank You!

Advisory Council Tonight at 7:00 p.m.

last week

GIVING

Ministry Financial Plan	1,177,390
Actual MFP Receipts	953,187
General Fund	69,119
A New Day at South Tulsa	6,322

SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY

Adults	463
Students	104
Children	80
Preschool	69
Unclassified	10
Total	726

WEEKDAY BIBLE STUDIES 190

THE MINISTRY CENTER

Volunteers	26
People Helped	306

WORSHIP SERVICE ONLINE

LIVE Views	3,683
<i>(U.S. 2,371; 11 Retirement Centers with 126; International 1,186)</i>	
ON DEMAND Views	977
<i>(U.S. 651; International 326)</i>	

NEW MEMBERS

Bill Thetford by statement

MINISTRY STAFF

Dr. Eric Costanzo, <i>Pastor</i> eric@southtulsa.org	Debbie Steen, <i>Minister to Families with Preschoolers</i> debbie@southtulsa.org
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