

FIRST
THINGS FIRST
2018



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2018 Theme: "First Things First"

Devoted to: ...Our Mission "Seek First the Kingdom of God and His Righteousness..."

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"...a woman who fears the Lord is to be praised." Proverbs 31:30b

I read recently there are 188 women mentioned in the Bible. Over 10,000 words in the Bible are spoken by women – which is about 1.3 % of the words in the Bible. Most of the women we see in Scripture are great examples of being a "Kingdom Woman." Think about *Mrs. Noah, Sarah, Rachel, Shiphrah and Puah, Jochebed, Miriam, Zipporah, Rahab, Ruth, Deborah, Jael, Hannah, Abigail, Bathsheba, Huldah, Esther, Elizabeth, Mary, Anna, Mary of Bethany, Martha, Mary Magdalene, Dorcas, Lydia, Priscilla, Eunice and Lois.* And then there are a host of unnamed women – *the widow at Zarephath, the Shunamite woman, the Samaritan woman, the sinful woman who anointed Jesus' feet, the sick woman who touched Jesus' garment, and the widow with 2 mites.* To those let me add the names of 5 more women mentioned in Scripture – *Mahlah, Noah, Hoglah, Milcah, and Tirzah.* Certainly not household names – but their story from **Numbers 27** is a fascinating one. These 5 young women – daughters of Zelophehad – show us a few powerful characteristics of **Kingdom Women.** These 5 young ladies are mentioned not just once in Scripture – but 5 times! Their faith in God and respect for their father enabled them to **make a kingdom difference!**

- Steve Griggs



9:30 Service: "The Kingdom Family: *Kingdom Women*"
Scripture Reading: Proverbs 31:30

Call to Worship – Jeff Ledbetter

Song #400 – *Living by Faith* (v. 1-3) – Gene Threet

Prayer – Darrell Edwards

Song #442 – *My Faith Looks Up to Thee* (v. 1-4) – Albert Coley

COMMUNION

Communion & Contribution Prayers – Dean Baker
Communion & Contribution Leaders

Kenny Bryant
Daryl Williams
Lester Province
Porter Marcus

Joe Tate
Don Kittle
Andrew Johnston
Jim Cook

Song #267 – *I Believe in Jesus* (v. 1-3) – Albert Coley

Song #291 – *I Know Not Why God's Wondrous Grace* (v. 1-3) – Albert Coley

(Children dismissed to Wee Worship)

Scripture Reading – Ron Gowan

Sermon – Steve Griggs

Invitation Song #883 – *Seek Ye First* (v. 1-3) – Gene Threet
Shepherds' Moment, Closing Prayer – Gary Duke

Count on Sundays during June – Bruce Holloway & Richard Milburn
Count on Wednesday Nights – Justin Shepherd

Attendance & Contribution
Week of May 20, 2018

Worship.....	229
Sunday Bible Class.....	191
Wednesday.....	117
Hispanic Congregation	
Sunday Worship.....	15
Sunday Adult Bible Class.....	11
Wednesday.....	10
Budget.....	\$ 9,200.00
Contribution.....	\$ 6,428.04



Last Sunday we rejoiced with the response of George Brock. George Brock came before the church family Sunday asking for prayers. We all love George for his passion - his passion for God, for his family, for his church. George stated that sometimes his passion gets the best of him and he is asking for forgiveness for saying and doing some things that were not right and that may have been hurtful to others. Thanks, George, for humbly seeking forgiveness. We will be lifting you up in prayer!



**BABY SHOWER FOR
LISA HOMMEN LABROSSE &
BABY RILEY NICOLE
SUNDAY, JUNE 10TH @ 3:00 p.m.**

All ladies are invited to shower Baby Riley with gifts. She is registered at Amazon.com and Walmart.

**2018 BAYOU LA BATRE MISSION TRIP
Adult meeting June 3rd "In-Betweeners" Class**

All adults who want to attend the mission trip to Bayou La Batre need to sign- up in the foyer. There will also be a meeting on June 3rd for all adults planning to go on this trip immediately after bible class in the "in-betweeners" class room.

**IT'S A BABY SPRINKLE HONORING
ASHLEY BATES & BABY RYAN CRAIG
Sunday, June 24th @ 3:00pm Fellowship Hall**

Bibs, diapers, & bottles galore, Ashley & Mark are having one more! Big Brother Kayden has plenty to share we just want to show them we care. Not much is needed, the basics will do, like diapers, wipes, gift cards or an outfit or two!



Thank you so very much for helping to make my 90th birthday so special. I started the celebration on Saturday evening at Jim & Cheryl's with a meal and birthday cake for me and Lanie... we share a special day, but with a difference in the number of years. May 13th brought more special surprises when the Ladies' Bible Class gave me a beautiful orchid to wear that Sunday. I also received a big basket full of birthday cards and gifts from folks here at Central. But, we were not finished yet... I was with the Ladies Bible Class on Tuesday for our "end of our class" party at the Tea Room in Ringgold. The Ladies brought a beautiful birthday cake for us to share at the end of our meal. I want to say a "Big Thank You" to all of you. The Family here at Central is truly amazing. I love you, **Sally Lunn**

Thank you so much for the love you have shown during my Mom's illness and death. She kept the cards by her chair so she could read them again. She couldn't believe so many people that didn't know her sent cards. A very special thank you to LaVelle Marcus, Charlene Holloway, Ray and Lynn Moss. Your visits meant more than you'll ever know. **Debbie Quinn**



Remember in Prayer:

RECOVERING/HOME/SHUT-IN/ON-GOING ILLNESS: Yvonne Abernathy, John Allen, Angie Allison, Brecklyn Allgood, Rickey Allmon, Sandy Anderson, Shery Bates, Tommy Barge, Gwen Barker, Dy Anne Baynes, Charles & Peggy Bennett, Allen Bishop, Denny Bramlett, Inez Bramlett, Betty & Robert Brock, Jack & Elizabeth Brown, Sandi Brown, Thomas Brown, Valor Burnett, Carman Carillo, Nelda Carr, Jeff Chadwick, Charlotte Chaney, Lester Chastain, Gina Christiansen, Barbara Cloer, Bill & Rebecca Cofer, Linda Coley, Sherry Coley, Freeman Collins, Evan Connelly, Gabbi Cook, Jim Dalzell, Allie Daniel, Steve Daniel, Titus, Davenport, Vanessa Decker, Charles Doler, Kent Dotson, Jimmy Duke, Joan Foshee, Mark Foshee, Kristin Gaines, James Gantt, Donnie Gilliam, Katherine Green, Jane Griffen, Charlotte Griggs, Jon Griggs, Cora Hackney, Ed & Pat Hall, Lauren Hall, Richard & Debbie Hall, Ruth Harper, Terry Hawkins, John Hayes, Gloria Herren, Rhonda Hill, Judy Hoffpauir, Benny & Kathy Holloway, Ann Houston, Jean Hughes, Seaver Hudson, Lida Hunt, Adam Jackson, Barbara Jackson, Dennis Jackson, Robert Jarrard, Bill Johnson, Christa Jones, Curtis Jones, Ed & JoAnne Jones, Lanie Jones, Barbara Judd, Bob King, Diane Kinsey, Bob Kroll, Harold Land, Debbie Lanning, Beckham Ledbetter, Anne Lee, Carly Lewis, Hannah Locke, Susan Kuoassi, Sandra Lowe, Judy Malone, Delpha Mason, Brenda Mathis, Renee Mathis, Helen McIntosh, Mike Mays, Joy Medders, Tom Medlock, Betty Melson, Bob Miller, Erin Miller, Esme Miller, Doug & Sue Mitchell, David Morris, Melinda Mosteller, Josh Mullins, Virgie Mullinax, Tommy Myrick, Juanita Newman, Edra Nix, Belinda Pack, Sandra Parker, Tina Parker, Rachel Patterson, Connor Peebles, Greg Pellom, Willa Mae Phillips, Carolyn Powell, Louise Poteet, Keila Pozo, Nestor Pozo, Yuly Pozo, Virgil & Kathryn Presnell, Brodie Quinn, James Reece, Glenda Revis, Bobby Rivers, Gladys Rogers, Garrett Rolen, Layfield Rous, Bill Russell, Lamar Sane, Kara Shepherd, Martha Shepherd, Adrianna Shireman, Charlotte Silvers, Ray Sinnamon, Wanda Sliger, Brandi Smith, Jerry Smith, Nancy Stamey, Collen Stevens, Zane Steward, Jimmie Stroud, John Stuman, Charlie Swanson, Joan Teems, Cayden Tennant, Reatha & Martin Tilley, Jeff Tilley, Celeste Timms, Sam Vandergriff, Emma Warnack, Wayne Warnack, Cheryl Welch, Glenda Whitlock, Chris Williams, Teresa Williams, Tom Williams, Steve & Barbara Wilson, Cathy Woods, David Wright, Corey Yarbrough, Keith & Sheila Yarbrough, Rick Zeisig
If there are names on here that can be removed, please tell Shay Bingham.

Central Youth Group Summer Schedule

<i>Summer 2018 Schedule</i>	
Date	Event
3/30/18 - 4/1/18	L-2-L Nashville, TN
5/4/18 - 5/6/18	Spring Retreat - Ocoee River
5/30/18 - 6/2/18	Work Camp - Chattanooga
6/10/18 - 6/15/18	Camp Wetoga
6/16/18 - 6/23/18	Mission Trip to Bayou La Batre, AL
7/1/18 - 7/5/18	Inspire - Faulkner University
7/9/18 - 7/14/18	Kid's Camp @ CCOC
7/15/18 - 7/18/18	VBS