

NEWS BRIEF

MESSAGE FROM PASTOR RAY

Among the commentaries in the office, I find Matthew Henry to be an outstanding writer and a man of great wisdom. This man was a miracle child. He was born in 1662, His father, Phillip Henry, was a pastor in England, a Nonconformist along with 2000 other pastors who were ejected from their church. Matthew was a weak child but his intellect made itself know. At age three, he was reading the Bible; by the time he was nine, he spoke Latin and Greek. He spent his first eighteen years being tutored in a loving, Christian home. Jump forward to November 12th 1704; Matthew Henry started writing the famous commentary. On April 17th, 1714, he completed his comments on the book of Acts; but two months later he fell ill and died. More than 300 years later I can study his brilliant works. Thank you Lord, I'm amazed!

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

- **Young Adult Sunday School Class** - Tim Lightle has began teaching a new class for Young Adults. Please invite a young adult to join. They meet in the fellowship room.
- **Our next church improvement project** will be on the west end of the property, where the stage is. We're putting up posts to attach sun shade sails over the stage and the area where the tent used to be. If you'd like to contribute toward this project, please designate it on your check or online giving.
- **Wednesday Night Study: "The Book of 1 Thessalonians"** by Ben Stuart, starting September 2. Visit our website and get set up on RightNow Media so you can study ahead of time.

October 3rd is our 14th annual Cruise, Blues, & Barbecue event. Our invite cards are a great tool to personally invite someone to church!



For those who wish to make contributions electronically, scan this QR code or go to crosscreekbaptist.com and follow the steps.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Sept 7th: Labor Day:** Office Closed
- **Sept 19: Men's Breakfast** - Saturday, 8 AM – at Golden Corral. Please invite your neighbor or a friend to join.
- **Sept 22: Ladies Day Out:** - We will be going on a mystery tour. Sign up if you are adventurous.
- **Oct 3: Cruise, Blues, & Barbecue:** - 1:00-5:00 PM
- **Oct. 16: Fiery, Faith, & Worship:** - 6:00-8:30 PM

SEPTEMBER MENU

\$6.00 per person (ages 7 - adult)
\$3.00 per person (ages 6 & under)

Sept 2, Grilled Chicken, cheese potatoes, mixed veggies, rolls, cottage cheese, salad & dessert

Sept 9, Smoked Brisket, mashed potatoes, gravy, carrots, corn, rolls, salad & dessert

Sept 16, Hamburger & Hot Dogs, chips, baked beans, potato salad, & dessert

Sept 23, Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, biscuit, salad & dessert

Sept 30, Tacos, Spanish rice, black beans, cheese dip, chips, salad & dessert.

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT STUDY: The Book of 1 Thessalonians

Ben Stuart

Living for Christ in a Culture that Doesn't

What is God's will for our lives, and why is it important to know? In this eight-session series, Pastor Ben Stuart shows us that Jesus calls us to live our faith openly, letting the world see our allegiance to Him. When we are being faithful, pressing against culture, others can't help but notice. As we live confident of our good future in God's kingdom, we show the world where - and in whom - our hope lies.



14th annual
**cruise,
blues, and
barbecue**
car show

OCTOBER 3

1:00-5:00 PM

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If you have a classic, antique, hot rod, car, truck, or motorcycle you'd like to exhibit, join us for our 14th annual car show and share your stories with the crowd.

Bring your family and friends!

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