

October 22, 2017

## This Week At Spring Creek

### Sunday

8:15am Life Group  
9:00am Pre-Service Prayer Group  
9:30am Worship Service/Life Groups  
Loft Middle School  
11:00am Worship Service/Life Groups  
Loft High School  
Child Dedication Orientation Meeting  
1:30pm Loft Band Practice  
6:30pm College/20's Ministry

### Monday

5:30pm Boys Upward Soccer Practice  
8:00pm Men's Basketball

### Tuesday

6:00am Men's Studies  
9:15am Women Of the Word Studies (WOW)  
5:30pm Girls Upward Soccer Practice

### Wednesday

5:00pm MS4J Rehearsal  
5:15pm 252 Christmas Program Drama Practice  
6:30pm AWANA  
Adult Studies  
6:30pm HS Live @ the Loft/MS Small Groups  
Band Rehearsal  
Singing Team Rehearsal

### Thursday

9:00am Knitting at the Creek

### Friday

6:30pm Upward Soccer Celebration

### Saturday

9:00am Upward Basketball Evaluations  
9:30am Upward Soccer Games

## Children's Ministry

**Child Dedication** - The next Spring Creek Child Dedication is next Sunday, October 29. You do not need to be a Spring Creek member to participate, but you must be able to attend the last orientation meeting today - Sunday, October 22 at 11:00am in room 21. After you have attended the meeting you must register for the child dedication at [www.springcreekonline.com](http://www.springcreekonline.com) by the end of today if you would like to dedicate your child.

## Student Ministry

**College Care Package Donations** – This November we will once again be sending care packages to our college students. Sunday today and October 29, we will be accepting donations of microwave popcorn, hot chocolate, single serve snacks/cookies and gum. Donation barrels will be in the foyer and in the LOFT. Please consider donating to uplift our college students with a reminder of Spring Creek's love!

## Women's Ministry

**Refresh 2018** – Registration is now open for a great weekend of spiritual blessing and fun at our annual Women's Retreat, Refresh 2018, February 9-11, 2018. Register online at [www.SpringCreekOnline.com](http://www.SpringCreekOnline.com).

## Men's Ministry

The Father-Daughter Bonfire will be held on Saturday, November 11 from 6:00-7:30pm at Spring Creek Church. This event is for fathers and father figures and daughters ages 4 and up. The cost is \$10 per family and registration is available on the Men's Ministry page of the Spring Creek website – [www.springcreekonline.com/men](http://www.springcreekonline.com/men). Food and beverage will be provided. Questions – please contact Mike Poelzer at [mipoelzer@springcreekonline.com](mailto:mipoelzer@springcreekonline.com).

## Dave Ramsey Smart Money Live Stream Event

On November 7 at 7:00pm you are invited to watch a FREE live stream of Dave Ramsey's Smart Money Event. Dave Ramsey and Rachel Cruze will be on stage in Phoenix and we will stream the event. Smart Money walks people through the steps they need to take to get their finances in order. Sign up today at [SpringCreekOnline.com](http://SpringCreekOnline.com).

## Harvest Dinner

Harvest Dinner is Sunday, November 5 at 4:45pm. Once a year we all come together to share a meal and enjoy a service filled with praise and thanksgiving. Everyone should bring a main dish and if your last name starts with A-K bring a side dish or salad or if your last name starts with L-Z bring a dessert. This will be a delicious pot luck meal followed by an amazing time of worship where we will turn in the Operation Christmas Child boxes. This is our annual Thanksgiving celebration.

## Operation Christmas Child

It's Operation Christmas Child time! Empty boxes, ready to be filled, are available in the foyer. Pick up your box and instruction for what to include (there are some changes) and have a great time selecting special items for children around the world. Filled boxes will be turned in at the Harvest Dinner on November 5.

## Missions

**Missionary Focus** – The missionary focus for this week is Jon and Marilyn Rust serving in Portugal.

**Zachariah's Acres** – ZA is looking for volunteers to host groups onsite on Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday mornings from 9:00am to 12:00noon. Please contact Emily at [ecenockson@gmail.com](mailto:ecenockson@gmail.com).



## Thank You

A huge thank you to our amazing church family for the gorgeous floral arrangement and your kind expressions of sympathy.

*Ramon, Renee, and Faryn Benedict*  
Thank you for the flowers you sent to express your sympathy for the passing of Guy's dad. Your friendship and expression of love was very meaningful to him and the rest of the family.

*The Conns*  
There are not words sufficient to thank you for the way you honored us for our 30 years at Spring Creek. The kind words, the gifts, honoring us publicly – we are overwhelmed and thankful. Please know our ministry is merely a reflection of your ministry and support – it is a privilege to serve the Lord with you.

With sincere thanks,  
*Pastor Tom and Terry Price*