



CONNECTION

APRIL 2024

“Easter is one of the most important times in our Christian life. We are excited as we celebrate our risen Lord and Savior . . . and what a celebration indeed! The challenge with celebration though is that the excitement can wear off, can’t it? We get back to the ‘mundane’ of life and forget how great of a Savior we have; in other words - we lose the excitement and passion. The truth is that it is really up to us to keep that fire for God burning after Easter. So the question is this: what are you doing? One of the best ways to do this is to spend time in God’s Word. Community Church has so many chances to keep you in the Word. Our newest opportunity is the class on Revelation starting on Sunday, April 7th, from 6:00pm-7:00pm. I’d like to personally invite you to come so that you can stay in the Word on a weekly basis! Remember - the choice is ours . . . let’s choose life-giving time in the Word this month!”

-Pastor Steve



April Events & Reminders





APRIL 2024 COMMUNITY CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 10a Staff Mtg	2 1p LTL (chapel)	3 10a Bible Study (Brookdale) 11:45a Bible Study (upstairs) 3:15p WT Practice (Sanctuary)	4 7p El Shaddai (chapel)	5	6
7 Communion Sunday 8:30a Prayer (FH) 8:45a Bible Study 9:30a Fellowship 10a Worship Svc. 11:15a CCW Mtg 5:30p El Shaddai	8 10a Staff Mtg	9 1p LTL (Chapel) Remembrance Service	10 10a Bible Study (Brookdale) 11:45a Bible Study (upstairs) 3:15p WT Practice (Sanctuary)	11 10a Comm Ukes 12p Mens Small Group (Maple St . Biscuit) 6p Parents Mental Health Seminar 7p El Shaddai	12	13 10a Paint Party With Estelle Grengs
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21 8:30a Prayer (FH) 8:45a Bible Study 9:30a Fellowship 10a Worship Svc. 11:15a Membership Seminar 5:30p El Shaddai (chapel) 6p Revelation Study	22 10a Staff Mtg 1:15p Fin Mtg (FH) 2p Brd Mtg (FH)	23 1p LTL (chapel)	24 9a VBS Interest Mtg (FH) 10a Bible Study (Brookdale) 11:45a Bible Study (upstairs) 3:15p WT Practice (Sanctuary) 5:30p CCA Collective Rehearsal & Dinner (FH)	25 10:45a Ukes Outreach (Watercrest) 7p El Shaddai (chapel)	26	27
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FAMILY MINISTRIES



April is going to be a great month, with lots of different things going on! Check them out below and, as always, email me at families@srbcc.com with any questions.


PARENTING SEMINAR

April 11th, 6-7pm

All parents/caregivers are invited to join us for this presentation by two licensed clinical social workers on "keeping your cool" and watching for signs of mental health struggles in kids. [For more info & to register, visit light.srbcc.com](https://light.srbcc.com)

KIDS' CONNECTION


This month, our Sunday preschoolers are learning to SHINE like Jesus by doing what He says! Elementary kids will also have a fun month with "Cookout" themed activities and lessons, showing them that God gives us patience to wait for the good stuff!



PRESCHOOL FUNDRAISER

April 18th, 5:30-6:30pm


Our preschool is having an art show filled with all their best work on display! Come out to meet the next generation of artists and show support for our great preschool.



VBS

April 24th, 9-10am

Our first Volunteer Interest Meeting for VBS will be this month! Please come to hear more about how you can be involved in this awesome summer event. All ages and skills can help us START THE PARTY and Celebrate the Good News!



Thank you all so much
for the prayers, gifts, & food!!
We appreciate all the love
and support you showed us
while navigating all we have
the past 6 weeks!

♡ The Self Family
Jayson, Pam, Scout, Jase & Sam



UKULELE MINISTRY

The Community Church ukulele ministry started in the summer of 2016 under the direction of Pastor Scooter Ward. The first Community Ukes performance was at Brookdale Destin on July 27, 2016. What began as a small group of players desiring to minister to our area senior living and memory care facilities, has blossomed into two ukulele groups with a vibrant ministry to three area facilities. This ministry has cycled more than 185 different players spanning SIX Generations!

COMMUNITY UKES (UKULELE GROUP #1)

This ukulele group is open to all adults and intermediate/advanced kid players. Students are taught how to play the ukulele and are expected to practice weekly and perform monthly for both Brookdale & Watercrest Memory Care facilities. The group classes meet upstairs at the church on Thursdays at 10am, according to schedule (below):

Upcoming Community Ukes Rehearsal & Performance Schedule:

No Rehearsal April 4th (Scooter Out of Town)

Thursday, April 11th at 10am CDT (Rehearsal Upstairs & Zoom)

Thursday, April 18th at 10am CDT (Rehearsal Upstairs & Zoom)

Thursday, April 25th at 10:45am CDT (Watercrest Memory Care)

COMMUNITY UKESTERS (UKULELE GROUP #2)—ON BREAK

This ukulele group is primarily made up of elementary students. Students are taught how to play the ukulele and are expected to practice weekly and perform monthly at the Somerby Memory Care Facility. ***The group classes meet upstairs on Mondays 3:15-4:30pm at Community Church during the regular school year from School Start to Spring Break (the advanced students join the adult group during the summer months).*** Parental support is also expected for crowd control (rotational) and for transportation to/from rehearsals/performances. The group classes meet upstairs at the church on Mondays, according to schedule:

Upcoming Community Ukesters Rehearsal & Performance Schedule:

Ukesters on Break until Fall

(Advanced Ukesters Join Ukes in Summer)

Anyone interested in becoming a part of our ukulele ministry, please contact Pastor Scooter at assocpastor@srbcc.com. Class sizes are limited and open on a first come, first served basis at the beginning of the school year and/or new calendar year.



***At Community Church, we desire to build a healthy
community of maturing Jesus
followers across every age and stage of life.***

You can download the church app at app.srbcc.com or you can watch us live at live.srbcc.com on Sundays. It is also simulcast on our [Facebook](#) or [Youtube](#) as well. If you run into any problems, please contact us at info@srbcc.com or call the church office 850-267-2599. Archived services can also be viewed on the app or other links as well.

Learning Through Loss Support Group

Learning Through Loss will meet
every Tuesday in April at 1pm in the Chapel.
We are discussing the topics of managing fear, anxiety,
stress and anger associated with loss.

5th Annual Service of Remembrance is April 9th at 1pm.

If you have any questions please contact
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