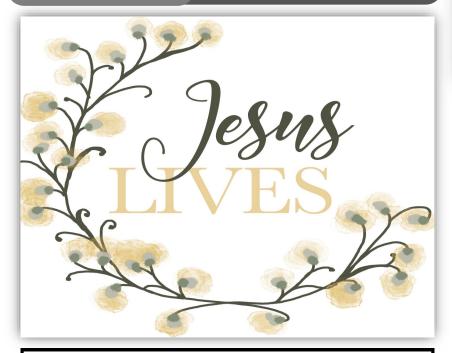
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"And the Word became flesh, and dwelt among us, and we saw His glory, glory as of the only begotten from the Father, full of grace and truth."

. John 1:14



#### ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING

#### Click for more information!

To Give: You can give online under designated or you can give at church in the offering box. Please write Annie Armstrong in the memo.

9<sup>th</sup> Men's Breakfast Fellowship 7:30 AM in Fellowship Hall Email Shawn Misassian if you plan to attend: shawn2222@gmail.com

10<sup>th</sup> Baptism Sunday

15<sup>th</sup> Good Friday Service 7:00 PM

17<sup>th</sup> Easter Sunday 8:00 AM 9:30 AM 11:00 AM

23<sup>rd</sup> Women's Ministry Team Workshop and Potluck 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall

30th Women's Ministry Spring Tea 11:30 AM-1:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall

# WEEKLY

#### **TUESDAY**

AWANA (Not during Washoe School Breaks) 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

#### WEDNESDAY

Prayer Time 9AM-9:45AM

Public Prayer Time in Sanctuary 9:45 AM-1PM (Open to the public)

Contact: tim@southreno.com

Youth Group 6:00PM - 7:30PM Youth Room

Contact: Joey@southreno.com

#### **THURSDAY**

Ladies Bible Study – 9:30 AM Contact: jpreno@sbcglobal.net Ladies Bible Study 6:00 PM Contact: kellia82675@gmail.com

#### FRIDAY

Young Adult Group 7:00PM - Off-Campus

Contact: Joey@southreno.com

# **SRBC WORSHIP TEAM**

BAND | VOCAL | AUDIO | VISUAL

The SRBC Worship Team exists to create an atmosphere for individuals to personally and corporately worship the Lord through worship arts. Our goal is not to elevate an individual, talent, or ability, but to bring honor and attention to Jesus Christ.

# Sunday Morning Worship Schedule

With each of our Sunday Morning services, we seek to worship the Lord through different music for each service:

8 AM - Traditional hymns

**9:30 AM** - "Blended" service, singing a blend of hymns and contemporary worship music

**11 AM** - Contemporary music (like the music you hear on Christian radio!)

We accomplish this mission through various musical, audio, and visual volunteer positions. The Worship Team is always looking for individuals to get involved: if you are gifted musically or with technology, contact joey@southreno.com for more information!

Click HERE if you'd like to listen to our Church Worship Music Playlist!



We were all children at one time and what a wonderful time in our lives that was. Do you know about our Preschool and Children's Department? Have a seat, take a moment, and read about this wonderful department that God has provided.

On Sunday morning, we offer Bible Study for children ages; Babies - 6th grade We provide curriculum that is age appropriate for each class. During Bible Study time, the children learn a Bible lesson, sometimes sing a song or two, watch a fun video short that relates to the lesson, have a snack, and complete a craft. All of our classes are taught by wonderful people who love and serve the Lord.

How might you fit into this department? Our children and teachers would love to have your prayers for our class time. If you would like to teach or substitute, please contact me, at the information provided below.

The smile of a child can last a moment or if you let it, it can last a lifetime. Will you strive to know more about our Children's Department this year? Will you be a part of a child's life by helping them know and strengthen their walk with Jesus? What part will you play in growing the future of South Reno Baptist Church through our wonderful Preschool and Children's Department, in 2022?



#### **CURRENT NEEDS**



Kim Sperling Children's Ministry Director

Contact: kim@southreno.com 775-827-3227



# **Missions Update**

At its March meeting, the Missions Ministry Team made the following decisions on behalf of South Reno Baptist Church:

We sent \$5,000 to Send Relief for the Ukraine crisis.

We agreed to give Compassion Dental a monthly grant of \$500 for the next six months.

We spent \$600 to purchase 50 spots for Secret Church. It will be held Saturday, May 14 from 11 am to 5 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch will be included. More details coming soon.

Thank you for supporting Missions!!

WHAT IS SECRET CHURCH? Radical's Secret Church is a unique event streamed online to more than 50,000 participants around the world. Encouraged by our persecuted brothers' and sisters' example, we will meet for close to six hours for intense study of God's Word and passionate prayer for the persecuted.

#### WHAT TO EXPECT

Study: A six-hour deep dive into Scripture to discern wisdom and truth.

Pray: This year we will pray for the church in Afghanistan. The



recent Taliban overthrow has increased human rights violations including violence against women, kidnapping, torture, and religious persecution. Afghanistan has high levels of terrorism, poverty, child malnutrition, and corruption. Only .051% of the population is Christian. Together we will pray and provide support for the church in Afghanistan.

GO: Leverage your life. Walk away encouraged to live on mission.

Saturday, May 14, Ilam to 5pm SRBC Fellowship Hall Cost: \$8 (includes lunch, book, program) Register at the Missions Table

# Missions Ministry Team moves to help Ukraine

Send Relief, the combined compassion ministry effort of the International Mission Board and the North American Mission Board, is currently working with local Baptist partners in Ukraine to respond to the growing humanitarian crisis. This crisis has been created by the escalated tension mounting around the border between Ukraine and Russia and Russia's invasion.

Send Relief partners are already on the ground providing emergency food relief, shelter, clothing and more to displaced families. As the situation worsens, Send Relief partners are ready to provide further food relief, meet shelter needs and offer transportation to assist those impacted by this escalating crisis. Gifts to Send Relief's Ukraine Crisis Fund are vital to these relief efforts.

"With the recent Russian invasion of Ukraine, we join all those in Eastern Europe in praying for peace," IMB President Paul Chitwood said.

"We know that God is sovereign in all situations, and Scripture reminds us that He is close to the broken-hearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit. We keep our focus on Him, asking for His protection of the innocent and trusting that His justice will prevail. Pray with us that Jesus Christ would be glorified through the crisis in Eastern Europe, and that Southern Baptists would remain vigilant in meeting the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of those who are suffering."

Reports continue to indicate that as many as 5 million Ukrainians will be displaced in neighboring countries such as Poland and Romania, and a large number of internally displaced people are beginning to form in Western Ukraine. The greatest needs for these displaced families will include finding access to food, water, shelter, clothing, sanitation and hygiene.

Gifts to Send Relief's Ukraine Crisis Fund are vital to these relief efforts. The best way for Southern Baptists to respond is through prayer and giving. https://www.imb.org/2022/02/28/send-relief-responds-ukraine-crisis/

The above picture was painted by one of our members, Lynda Siminske. Thank you Lynda!

# Warm Hearts

Warm Hearts ministry group includes knitters and crocheters who reach out to God's people using the God-gifted hands of God's women. We supply handmade items to other SRBC ministry groups who serve others as well as providing for those in a moment of need outside our church in the belief that as we work and praise God, He will get all the glory.

Our Bible verse reminder comes from Proverbs 31:13 & 30:

<sup>13</sup> She selects wool and flax and works with willing hands ... <sup>30</sup> a woman who fears the Lord ...

Our current projects are preemie blanket/hat sets for hospital NICUs, children's hats for Samaritans Purse Shoeboxes that the church assembles in November, hat/scarf sets for Good Shepherd Clothes Closet, and some shawl/hat sets for cancer treatment centers.

We are on the calendar for the third WEDNESDAY of every month at 10:00 AM in the SRBC Fellowship Hall to be socially distanced. Quality acrylic donated yarn is available for all projects. Come join us!

Contact: Kathy Rogers

blukatrogers@yahoo.com

Next Meeting:
Wednesday
April 20th, 10:00 am
In the Fellowship Hall

#### WOMEN'S MINISTRY WORKSHOPS

This vital part of our Women's Ministry Team allows us to become the hands and feet of Christ and supply many items for hurting people both locally and around the world. We usually meet four times a year for these workshops in the Fellowship Hall, on Saturdays from 9:30-2:00 and have a potluck lunch. We want to invite anyone that would like to join us at our next workshops: April 23, June18 and Sept.17 to please come. You don't need to know how to sew or quilt, there are many different ways you can serve and also meet some new people.

Our quilting ministry is headed up by Sydney Gray, and distributes lap quilts to church members that have major surgeries and illnesses (not Covid). Last year, 92 quilts were delivered to our church members and 555 have been lovingly made since October of 2013. In addition, The Children's Cabinet of Reno, also receives quilts for the Foster Children's - Every Child Gets A Quilt Program - and has received 198 kids quilts. Crisis Pregnancy Center has also received 74 baby quilts for their clients. They are beautiful works of art.

Pat Eby and Jackie Izquierdo work together with the sewing aspect of this ministry to put together dress kits for DAG (Dress a Girl Around the World). Our goal this year is 500 dresses. We also work with SYNC (Seeking your Niche in Christ Organization) to make sleeping bags that are distributed to kids that live in local hotels and are sleeping on the floor. Thirty have been made so far, and this is in addition to other sewing projects that come up. Salvation dolls are also made for missionaries to distribute on mission trips. Many gifts for Operation Christmas Child have also been made for our Packing Party shoeboxes, which includes school supply holders, book bags, sewing kits, dresses and dolls. The shoeboxes are distributed all over the world by Samaritan's Purse.

For non sewers, you can help with cutting, tying quilts and stuffing dolls and we are adding prep work for our OCC Packing Party this year. This will include inventory of items, unpacking, sorting and putting together school supply and hygiene items that go in all of our boxes, which means we need 500!!! Many workers are needed, so please join us.

Blessings,
Cindy Strege
cindystrege@live.com
775 200-4777



# Women's Ministry





April 30th from 11:30-1:00 in the Fellowship Hall. Our speaker will be Linda Schmitt, the Executive Director of Hosanna Home, a local outreach for women, that is supported monthly by South Reno Baptist Church. Special music will be provided by Christa Goodrich and family, so come learn about this special ministry and meet some new ladies. Tickets are \$10 and a donation of pantry items for Hosanna House; a list will be provided when tickets are purchased. Beginning on April 3rd, tickets will be available for sale in the Lobby after each service, at which time we can answer any questions that you might have. Mark your calendars, we hope to see you there!

#### ~COMING UP~

23rd: Women's Ministry Workshop at 9:30-2:00 in Fellowship Hall and potluck for lunch 30th: Women's Ministry Spring Luncheon at 11:30-1 in Fellowship Hall

We would welcome and love to have you join us for our next meeting, with planning and coming up with new ideas for events and service opportunities at South Reno Baptist Church. Our next meeting is on Wednesday May 4, in the Conference Room from 5:30-7 pm. We normally meet the first Monday of the month (occasionally, we need to change that date.) Please come be a part of this ministry.





Blessings, Cindy Strege Co-chair WMT cindystrege@live.com 775 200-4777

# We had such a great time at our last event!

# Crisis Pregnancy Center (CPC)



You're invited to join us for our 2022 Crisis Pregnancy Center and Real Choices Banquet! MAY 19th @ 5:30 PM

To purchase your tickets, scan the QR Code on the bottom left or

<u>GET MY TICKET(S)</u>

click here:

If you have any questions, call us at 775-826-5144 or email us at:



# **NEW MINISTRY !!!!**



We are excited to offer, Women of Worth.

A new ladies ministry for all widows and single senior ladies ages 55 plus.

For more information, Contact: Barb Smith 775-742-9533 email barbsmith364@gmail.com.









# **Operation Christmas Child**



#### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD 2021**

Thank you again for your generosity and faithful giving that allows this ministry to help so many. Lives are changed through our shoebox gifts. They open doors for all generations to come to faith in Christ. These simple gifts lead to evangelism, discipleship and multiplication of believers and churches, even to the ends of the earth. We were able to surpass our OCC goal of 9.7 million shoeboxes for 2021 with 10,505,155 collected worldwide for distributions all over the world in 2022. Included in this number is over 330,000 boxes from BASBO (Build A Shoe Box Online). These go to restricted areas and unreached people groups. We hope to expand in this area for SRBC this year. Also included in the total number was 17,044 shoeboxes from Northern Nevada; it was another yearly increase for our team. We also surpassed Southern Nevada's numbers for the first time! We Praise God for what He is doing in our area to help build his Kingdom. And we get to be a part of this awesome ministry! Our Packing Party shoeboxes were tracked to Mexico for distributions scheduled throughout the year. If you paid your shipping/donation online for your shoeboxes, you can go to the samaritanspurse.org website to Follow Your Box Look Up Tool to find out where your box will be delivered and read a little bit about the country. Thank you so much for blessing others through Samaritan's Purse/Operation Christmas Child.

Blessings,

Cindy Strege

Year Round Volunteer for OCC cindystrege@live.com

775 200-4777

# **Operation Christmas Child**



### Operation Christmas Child



Questions about OCC or would you like to volunteer? Contact: Cindy Strege - Year Round Volunteer for OCC 1-775-200-4777 or cindystrege@live.com



OCC offers a "Follow the Box" Program! Now, it's time to learn the destination country of your Operation Christmas Child shoebox. Enter your email address or label bar code number in our Follow Your Box Look-up Tool, and you'll discover where your gift will be delivered.

Follow My Box

Discovering your shoebox destination can help you pray more intentionally for the child who will receive your gift and for their country. Prayer is the most important part of ALL shoebox gifts!

