# South Reno Baptist Church775.827.3227www.southreno.comSRBC2022



### May

<u>Crisis Pregnancy Center</u> - Collection Cart all month in lobby

<u>3rd AWANA 6:00 PM "Club and Church Attendance Awards</u> <u>Night'</u>

<u>4th Women's Ministry Team Meeting 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM in the</u> <u>Fellowship Hall</u>

5th Welcome Class at 6:00 PM in the Sanctuary - Please email hannah@southreno.com to attend

8th Mother's Day - Special Gifts for Mom's - Don't miss it!

10th AWANA 6:00 PM "Awards Night"

<u>14<sup>th</sup> Men's Breakfast Fellowship 7:30 AM in Fellowship Hall</u> Email Shawn Misassian if you plan to attend: shawn2222@gmail.com

<u>15<sup>th</sup> Baptism Sunday</u>

18<sup>th</sup> Warm Hearts 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall

20th Youth VBS Training 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

<u> 21st VBS Training 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM</u>

22nd Lord's Supper Sunday

28th WOW—10 AM—12 PM Crime and Safety Awareness

29th One Service Sunday 10:00 AM / Annual Memorial Day Picnic *following the service (outside in Pavilion)* 



"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



#### WEEKLY

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

<u>WEDNESDAY</u> Small Group Prayer Time 9AM-9:45AM

Individual Prayer Time in Sanctuary 9:45 AM-1PM (Open to the public) Contact : <u>tim@southreno.com</u>

Youth Group 6:00PM - 7:30PM Youth Room Contact: <u>Joey@southreno.com</u>

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

<u>FRIDAY</u> Young Adult Group 7:00PM - Off-Campus Contact: <u>Joey@southreno.com</u>

# SAVE THE DATE



#### Join us and enjoy the Fun, Food and Fellowship!

SRBC will provide the hamburgers, hot dogs, drinks, condiments, utensils and plates.

By last name: Please bring a dish to share <u>for 8-10 people</u> READY TO SERVE. Bring food to the Fellowship Hall kitchen before service. Serving Utensils not needed.

> A-F = Dessert G-L = Fruit / Veggies M-S = Salad T-Z = Side Dish / Casserole

For your own comfort, please bring: Chairs, blankets, umbrellas for shade, favorite game (no water toys) and sunscreen!

*Questions? Call Shari at 775-771-0867 or email shari@southreno.com* 





July 3, 2022
Independence Day Picnic
September 4, 2022

- Labor Day Picnic
- November 6, 2022
- Thanksgiving Dinner

## **SRBC WORSHIP TEAM**

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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!



The missions team is feeding the homeless at the Gospel Mission on the second Monday of each month. If you are interested in cooking spaghetti and/or serving and want to be put on our roster of volunteers, please email or text Dave Strege. email: david.strege@yahoo.com text: (775) 200-4776. Thank you!

#### WHO AM I?

Gender. Sexuality. Artificial Intelligence. Race. Justice. Genomics. The Metaverse. Life seems complicated these days. Fragmented even. And everyone has an opinion. But what does the Bible say about all of these issues? About YOU? About ME? About the 7 billion people that fill every street, town, campus, village, apartment, and neighborhood on earth?

#### 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, llam to 5pm

SRBC Fellowship Hall

#### Cost: \$8 (includes lunch, book, program)

Please fill out a registration sheet and put your payment (cash or check payable to South Reno Baptist Church) in the provided envelope, and turn them in at the missions table in the lobby.

#### **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 situa-



tions, 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 May 18th, 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: *June18 and Sept.17*. 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

#### -COMING UP-

Women's Ministry Team is meeting May 4th in the Fellowship Hall from 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM





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 cindystrege@live.com

#### Crisis Pregnancy Center ~ Collection Month~

For the entire month of May, we will be collecting Baby Items to be donated to the clients of Crisis Pregnancy Center(CPC). A list of items needed and informational brochures will be available in the Lobby, along with a cart to collect all unwrapped donations. All items will be used in their Baby Store, where Earn While You Learn students get paid CPC Money, to shop for items for their babies. Clients are so thankful for all the help that they receive from generous churches in our area, and we hope to bless them with much, from South Reno Baptist Church.

Blessings,

**Womens Ministry Team** 



#### Crisis Pregnancy Center (CPC)



If you have any questions, call us at 775-826-5144 or email us at: <u>Renocrisispregctr@gmail.com</u>



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, and upcoming meetings, Contact: Barb Smith 775-742-9533 email barbsmith364@gmail.com.

NEXT EVENT: May 28th—Crime and Safety Awareness—Tools to help you stay safe at all times—Open to women of all ages.





#### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

OCC is sending thousands of children's backpacks to Ukraine aboard their DC-8 aircraft. Families will be able to put their belongings in them as they flee.

They've included a soft bear that says "God Loves You" in their language on the front, plus crayons, a sketch pad, a knit hat, a ball, and a booklet in Ukrainian that tells them God loves them.

Click their <u>Facebook link</u> for more information.



Image from Samaritan's Purse FB site



#### **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!

