Thank you so much to everyone who helped show the love of Christ to the children and families in our community by giving towards Project Apple Tree, Backpack Buddies, and volunteering at the Backpack Buddy Bash!

#### STORIES OF MISSION

Join us **TONIGHT** and hear how God has been working in and through the Brewers and Rogers on the Arabian Peninsula. The message of Christ is being shared faithfully in the Arab world and we are privileged to be a part of the work going on. It's happening at 6:30 p.m. in the Creekside Center.

# SUNDAY SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

Our Children's Ministry is in need of <u>41</u> Sunday School volunteers this fall. This is a great way to minister and serve our kids!

**8:15** ... Nursery: 2; **9:30** ... Nursery: 2, Preschool: 13, Elementary: 8 **11:00** ... Nursery: 2, Preschool: 9, Elementary: 3

His Kids (special needs) is also looking for 2 on call volunteers. Pick up a handout from the Currents Rack or email juliem@tbcweb.org to sign up!

## **OVERFLOW JH CHOCOLATE FEST**

What better way to both celebrate the start of school and ease the pain of the end of summer than a chocolate fountain with lots of dipping options? 5th-8th graders and friends, join us on Wednesday, August 23 from 6-8 p.m. at the Outback for all things chocolate!

#### OVERFLOW HS END OF SUMMER PARTY

All 9th-12th graders, join us for a pool party with food and games at the home of Stephen and Sarah Sewell (8355 Poison Oak Road, Temple)! It's happening on August 23 from 6-8 p.m. Text Dave Tate with questions at 254-493-1161.

#### HIS KIDS SUPPORT GROUP

This group will be meeting Saturday, August 26 from 10 a.m.—12 p.m. in the Creekside Center. It's for caregivers and professionals involved in the lives of individuals with disabilities. The topic will be "Accessible and Adaptive Sports Opportunities and Activities." Register for childcare by noon on August 23 at bitly.com/hoctilhiskids.

## WOMEN'S BACK TO SCHOOL PRAYER & BREAKFAST

Drop your kids off for the first day of school on August 28 and head over to TBC for a time of prayer for our kids and schools! Breakfast will be provided starting at 8:00, and the program starts at 8:30 with Bev DeSalvo sharing thoughts on Finding Peace in the Chaos of Motherhood. RSVP on the Connection Events tab on the Women's Ministry page of the website.

### **FALL BIBLE STUDIES FOR WOMEN**

Our women's Bible study registration is open now through September 4! Grab a Surrender Brochure at the Welcome Desk for details! Books are available for purchase now in the office or purchase on the first day of each study. Register at the Bible Studies tab on the Women's Ministry Page of the TBC Website.



# COLOSSIANS

Gary DeSalvo Pastor #1

August 20, 2017

# **ROOTED IN CHRIST**

From the very beginning of the Church, sincere believers have sought spiritual maturity through curious means. As they pursued their ideas of maturity, they have often tried to make *their* way, *the* way. Rules, regulations and revelations have ruined many who were seeking "to go deeper" with God! Paul attacks these deadly errors head-on and spells out the solution.

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#### GIVING IS A PART OF WORSHIP

We do not pass the plate during the service. Boxes are located in the hallways for those who wish to worship by giving.