

# This Week

## Tuesday, January 26

- 6:30am—Men's Bible Study
- 9:30am—Women's Bible Study
- 11:30am—Women's Prayer Gathering

## Wednesday, January 27

- 9:30am—Explorer's Bible Study
- 6:00pm—Herdfest / Crashbash
- 7:00pm—Nursery / Scooters
  - Prime Time Boys / Pioneer Girls
  - Student Ministries
  - Adult Electives

## Saturday, January 30

- 8:00am—Men's Morning of Prayer

### 127 Initiative

The 127 Ministry will be hosting an informative light supper of soup and bread at 5:30pm this coming Wednesday, January 27, in the Fellowship Hall.

If you would like to find out more about this exciting ministry to widows and orphans so that you can pray and even get involved, please sign up at the 127 table in the foyer today.

We will be done in time for you to attend the regular Wednesday evening programming.

### Membership Gathering

Would you like to know more about how to become further involved in the ministry life at HPBC, and what it means to be a member?

A brief informational gathering regarding our process of church membership will be held today, January 24 today in the Atrium Cafe at 12:45pm.

For further information on membership, please contact Debbie Niffin in the church office at ext. 221 or at [dniffin@hpbc.cc](mailto:dniffin@hpbc.cc).

Your interest in membership can also be indicated by using the Communication Card near your seat and placing it in the drop box in the Atrium Foyer.

## Winter/Spring Churchwide Life Groups

**Life Groups begin the week of February 8, 2016**, and offer individuals and couples the opportunity to get connected with others and learn how to apply God's wisdom to our everyday life.

**Bloomfield Hills** - Sundays @ 7:00pm (Young Adults only)

There are gods at war within each of us. They battle for the throne of our hearts, and much is at stake. Pleasure, romance, sex, money, and power are just a few of the gods that vie for our allegiance in today's society. Join Paul and Lisa Fair as they host Kyle Idleman's study, *gods at War*, and discover how we can make the One True King the only Lord of our life.

**Farmington Hills** - Tuesdays @ 7:00pm

Do you need help prioritizing your life? How about slowing down long enough to evaluate priorities and discover God's priorities are for our lives? Join Bruce and Barb Wilson for the study, *Balancing Life's Demands*, by Chip Ingram. This series will help you to bring your priorities under the submission of God for His glory and your good.

**Southfield** - Thursdays @ 7:00pm

Most of the world prefers to communicate through telling of stories, even in western societies. Since the Bible is just as true spoken as it is written, why not get a fresh perspective by studying it orally? This is a helpful tool for personal Bible study and a great way to share God's Word in at work and with friends. Join Aaron and Alisa Hamel for this exciting journey.

**Bloomfield Hills** - Thursdays @ 7:00pm

If you want to learn how to engage people in spiritual conversations about God with the lost, this Life Group is for you. *The Art of Spiritual Conversations* will help create a welcoming environment where ongoing spiritual conversations can thrive. Let Steve Vessels and Roger VanNoord help you discover the nine practices that build a foundation of relational trust and open the gateway for natural conversations about God.

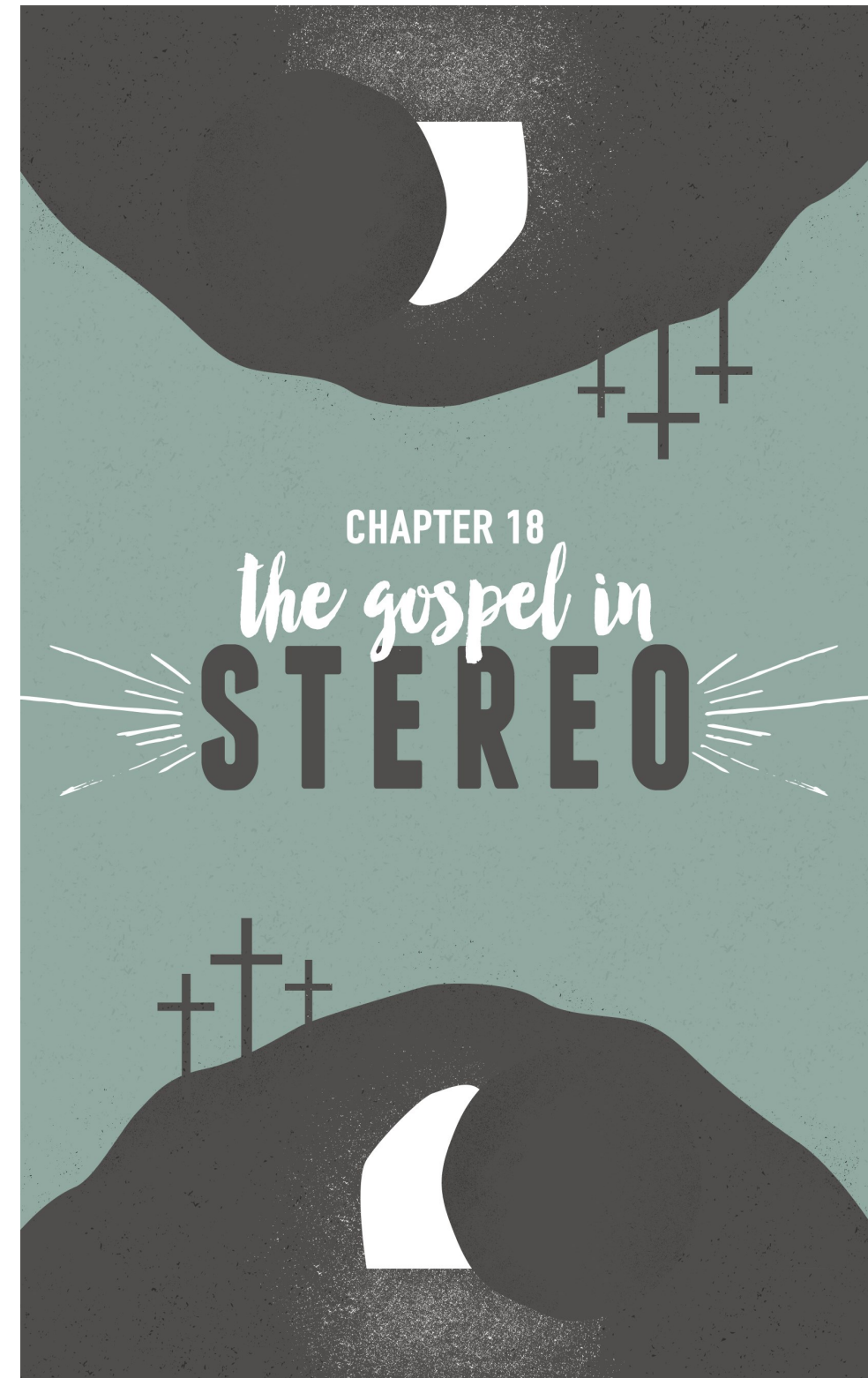
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**More information and registration** is available at the Life Group table in the Atrium Foyer. Online registration is also available at our church website.

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Today  
January 24, 2016

# Welcome

# Ministry Details

# Ministry Highlights

## 8:45am Traditional Worship Service

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My Jesus I Love Thee—#72  
I Am Thine, O Lord—#354  
Anthem: He Looked Beyond My Fault  
Orchestra: Be Thou My Vision  
Have Thine Own Way—#372  
**Message:** *Son of God*  
*Book of Mark*  
I'd Rather Have Jesus

## 10:10am Middle Hour Ministries

KID CITY

Student Ministries  
Adult Bible Fellowships

## 11:15am Contemporary Worship Service

KID CITY

Good Good Father  
Hallelujah for the Cross  
Withholding Nothing  
Revelation Song  
Forever  
**Message:** *Son of God*  
*Book of Mark*  
Jesus Son of God

## 6:00pm

Awana  
Gospel Choir Rehearsal

## Prayer & Counsel

After the Worship Service there is an elder and his wife at the left front of the worship center to talk and pray with anyone who would find it helpful.

As followers of Jesus, we are committed to grow as disciples.

Some of the best venues for real growth are in smaller groups. If you are not a part of a smaller group setting at HPBC, I would encourage you to join one.

We have Adult Bible Fellowships that meet at 10:10am on Sundays. There are also many weekly Bible studies, life groups, and discipleship groups.

Let's grow as disciples as we study and live the Word.

*Brent*

# Get Involved

## Spring Women's Retreat March 18 – 19, 2016

Plan now to join with other women from HPBC for the upcoming Friday night/Saturday retreat to be held at the beautiful Maumee Bay Lodge and Conference Center just outside Toledo.

Special guest, Amy Baker will be speaking on the theme: *Renewing the Mind, Transforming the Heart.*

Please mark your calendars now.

Detailed information will be provided next Sunday morning, January 31, and registration will begin on February 7.

**Herd Middle School** Herdfest is this Wednesday from 6:00 - 8:30pm in the Elementary Gym and Middle School Student Center.

**Crash High School** Crashbash is this Wednesday from 6:00 - 8:30pm in the Chapel and High School Student Center.

**Our Sympathy** to the family of Nick Schmidt, who passed away on January 18.

**Outreach Resources.** A selection of tract style booklets is available at the display shelves in the Atrium Café, featuring *God's Three Witnesses*, *The Story*, *Perfect Love*, and copies of the *The Story of God* Gospel of John and the ESV New Testament. Please take what you will use in sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ with others.

**Winter Advisory.** This season brings the potential of weather related issues that may require us to modify or cancel church activities. Cancellations will be posted three hours in advance of scheduled activities on the church website, sent via Facebook and Twitter, and by announcement on our phone message system, extension 9.

**Men's Morning of Prayer.** The Men's Ministry invites men of all ages to participate this coming Saturday morning, January 30, from 8:00am – 12:00noon, in an extended time of corporate and personal prayer. Meet in the Atrium Board room, coffee and bagels provided. Contact Mike Thomas for information at Mikethomas57@yahoo.com.

**Gospel Choir Tonight.** If you would like to sing in the Gospel Choir next Sunday, January 31 during the 11:15am service, then please plan to join us for Gospel Choir practice from 6:00 to 7:30pm upstairs in the Herd Room. Contact Derrick Jackson at djackson@hpbc.cc for more information.

**Event Planning.** Do you have a marketing background or the gift of helps? The team that plans our Global Missions Fest could use you in preparing for the next GMF and other Missions' events through the year. For further details, contact Loosha Simmons at lsimmons@hpbc.cc or ext. 228.

**Pray for Curt & Karen Cole,** as they serve with Reach Beyond (formerly HCJB) from Colorado. Pray as they lead their international leaders in meetings and spiritual nourishment early Feb. Pray for a new training platform for new community development missionaries in Shell, Ecuador. Pray also for their daughter, Carissa, who is pregnant with twins due in May—like parents, like daughter!

**Welcome Guests.** It is always a privilege to have visitors with us for Sunday morning worship. Please take a moment to complete a Communication Card located near your seat, and place in the drop box as you exit the service today. Further ministry information is available at the Welcome Center, or on our church website.

## Churchwide Worship & Lunch

On Sunday, February 28, we are planning an all church Worship Celebration Service from 10:00 – 11:30am, followed by lunch featuring Chef Bob's delicious mostaccioli, salad & dessert - for everyone in our church.

There is no charge for the meal, just plan to bring yourself, your family, and a dessert to share.

We are anticipating all who attend the service that morning to "stay after" for lunch – we'll have seating for everyone.

## SCS Open House

Please join us today for the Southfield Christian School Open House at 3:00pm in Atrium Hall.

SCS is pleased to partner with parents to provide Pre-K -12th Grade students a Christ-centered, college prep, academic program that teaches from a Biblical worldview.

Your family will have the opportunity to meet with teachers, parents, and students, learn about the rigorous academic programs, and take a tour of the school.

## Upcoming Concert

The contemporary-folk band Rend Collective will be in concert here at HPBC on Sunday, March 13, at 7:00Ppm

The raw, rootsy, foot-stomping energy of this Irish band has been infectious among audiences across the globe, and is all about people and building God's Kingdom.

Tickets will be sold after each service beginning today - \$18.00. . For more information about tickets visit [www.hpbc.cc](http://www.hpbc.cc) and click Events, or contact Colleen-ext. 241.

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