

# This Week

## Tuesday, September 29

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

## Wednesday, September 30

9:30am—Explorers Women's Bible Study  
6:00pm—Herdfest / Crashbash  
7:00pm—Nursery / Scooters  
Pioneer Girls / Prime Time Boys  
Oasis—Scripture, Worship & Prayer  
Chancel Choir Rehearsal  
Living Hope for Single Moms  
Financial Peace University  
Women in the Word  
Men's Bible Study

## Thursday, October 1

9:15am—MOTS Moms of Tots

### Living Hope for Single Moms

Single moms of all aged children from any circumstance are invited to be a part of a welcoming group of moms for a time of fellowship, prayer and Bible study. Join us Wednesdays at 7:00pm in the Media Resource Center.

### Men's Bible Studies

Tuesday mornings from 6:30 - 7:30am, men are invited to Fellowship Hall for coffee, bagels/doughnuts, Bible Study, prayer, and discussion - Leading as Seven Fifty-Two Followers. Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm, men are invited to High School Room 6 to a study of the Old Testament .

### Women's Bible Studies

Tuesday mornings at 9:30am, women are invited to Fellowship Hall for our Deeper Roots Bible study; Wednesday mornings at 9:30am women meet in Atrium Board Room for a morning of Explorer's Bible study, and at 7:00pm Wednesday evenings Women in the Word Bible study meets in Fellowship Hall.

## NOTES

Gordon Ainsworth <i>Shepherding</i>	Kenneth Gabbert <i>Middle School</i>	Chris Norman <i>Pastoral Ministries</i>
Nancy Baughman <i>Early Childhood</i>	Sue Hoffenbacher <i>SCS Superintendent</i>	Sue Reddypogu <i>Elementary Children</i>
David Borrer <i>Administration</i>	Derrick Jackson <i>Worship &amp; Music</i>	Brent Slater <i>Senior Pastor</i>
Jeremy Einem <i>High School</i>	John Koenke <i>Shepherding Discipleship</i>	Jimmy Smith <i>Young Adults</i>
	David Kuntzman <i>Business &amp; Missions</i>	

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Today  
September 27, 2015

# Welcome

## 8:45am Traditional Worship Service

KID CITY  
How Firm a Foundation—#224  
Rock of Ages—#149  
Leaning on the Everlasting Arms—#417  
My Faith Has Found—#287  
Anthem: Good Shepherd of My Soul  
**Message:** *Under Pressure*  
*Nehemiah 2:9 - 4:23*  
Before the Throne of God Above

## 10:10am Middle Hour Ministries

KID CITY  
Student Ministries  
Adult Bible Fellowships

## 11:15am Contemporary Worship Service

KID CITY  
This is Amazing Grace  
Gospel Choir: Lord We Praise You  
Always  
Before the Throne  
**Message:** *Under Pressure*  
*Nehemiah 2:9 - 4:23*  
Our God

## 6:00pm Evening Ministries

Perspectives (starts at 5:00pm)  
Awana  
GriefShare  
Financial Fitness

### 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.

Our God is never surprised or perplexed by those who oppose His purposes. Yet some of us arrived here this morning facing huge amounts of stress and pressure in our lives. It is part of life on this globe.

Our response to pressure reveals much about our walk with God. We know He is trustworthy.

Today we discover how to lean hard into Him when the pressure builds.

*Brent*

# Get

# Involved

### Intensive Discipleship

Is there anything in your life hindering your growth in Christ? Our Intensive Discipleship Ministry (IDM) here at HPBC is designed to help you to get to the heart of the matter.

Please visit our table in the Atrium Foyer this morning, and let us show you how IDM can come alongside you in your struggle.

### Get Involved

Just a reminder that all 2015 fall ministry information is available at the Welcome Center or on our church website.

Even if you missed the beginnings of a Fall study series, please come this week and be a part of one of the many excellent studies being offered this season.

# Ministry Details

**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 Sympathies** to the families of Barbara Wilson, whose father Wallace Orr passed away on September 16; to the family of Ilene Hagberg, whose sister Barbara Fellows passed away on September 20; and to Barb Crowley, whose father Harold Jackson passed away on September 22.

**Special Thanks** to our Student Ministry leaders and Young Adult volunteers that invested last weekend into the lives of our Middle School and High School students at the Fall Retreat. Pray for lasting spiritual fruit in the lives of the over 235 who attended.

**Thank You for Responding.** In anticipation of an exciting fall season of ministry, we had a good response to the need for additional assistance at Baby Acres, caring for our babies through 2 year olds on Sunday mornings. We appreciate all who give of their time, energy, and resources to serve Christ and His church.

**Media Resource Center.** Stop in today and peruse the refreshed selection of Worship CD's, along with several new book resources that will help us respond to current cultural realities with Biblical clarity and compassion.

**SEND International** and the G. I. Gospel Hour are hosting an evening with the theme of Celebrating Heaven to remember the lives and contributions of missionaries Phil and Bobbie Armstrong. Their daughters, Karon & Mary, extend an invitation to anyone at HPBC to attend this event. This time of remembrance will be Thursday, October 1 at 7:00pm at the Holiday Inn Express & Suites in Belleville. If you would like to attend the evening service or dinner at 5:30, please contact Roger Engholm at rdecaj@gmail.com.

**Pray for Eunice Zimmerman,** retired from Avant and living in Texas. Pray for Eunice (87 yrs. old) as she struggles with her eyesight and difficulty reading and writing.

**Pray for Trevor Cuffe,** serving at New Life Church with Reliant Ministries. Pray for this coming school year as Trevor will be training and helping to lead worship at their Eastern Michigan University church, as well as continuing at University of Michigan.

**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.

Student  
Ministries

Women's  
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Men's  
Ministries

Global  
Ministries

Southfield  
Christian School

Community

# Ministry Highlights

### Trunk or Treat

Plan now to be a part of the team of volunteers from our church family that will participate and host this family and community outreach event upcoming on Saturday, October 31, 2015 from 2:00 – 4:00pm, here at HPBC.

We will need those who will decorate their trunks, donate candy, serve as hosts and guides, help with fall festival games (indoors), registration, etc. Opportunities to sign up will begin Sunday, October 11.

This will be a wonderful opportunity to invite other families, friends, and neighbors to be a part of a fall season outreach event.

### Christmas in October

Missionary Christmas collections begin next Sunday, October 4, and run throughout the month of October!

Don't miss this opportunity to bless our missionary family with an early Christmas gift—you can either give through your Adult Bible Fellowship or use the envelope near your seat and mark it Missionary Christmas.

### Childcare Workers.

We are looking for energetic and enthusiastic childcare workers for our Thursday morning bi-monthly MOTS meetings. This is a per hour paid position - 2 ½ hours per meeting.

Candidates must meet the HPBC *We Really Care* guidelines and submit to a background check.

If interested, please contact Marilyn Moore at the church office [mmoore@highlandparkbaptist.com](mailto:mmoore@highlandparkbaptist.com).