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News & Events Happening in 2017

Experience The Bible Like Never Before...

THE STORY

READ THE BIBLE AS ONE CONTINUING STORY OF GOD & HIS PEOPLE

Sunday Nights in 2017

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The Story is an abridged version of the Bible that is written as one continuous, chronological story of God and His people. Passages that are difficult to read (*such as lists of names or elements of the temple*) are not included to make the chapters easier to follow for the reader.

When a church does **The Story**, families experience cohesiveness. Many times, parents find it difficult to talk about God and therefore hesitate to nurture faith in their children when they feel they lack knowledge of the scriptures. **The Story** is an aligned journey through the whole Bible chronologically, with parents <u>and</u> children figuratively and literally on the same page for 31 weeks. "So, what did you learn in church today?" could be the most overused, under-

answered question of church parents everywhere. But during *The Story*, kids are excited to answer the question when they know their parents learned the same thing! *The Story* turns parents into disciplers. Parents are upping their game! So, lead your family on *The Story* journey. Get your family on the same page – it's unified, it's powerful!

The Story Bible has versions available for preschoolers, children, teenagers & adults. On Sunday nights, beginning January 8th, we will gather together to worship @ 6:00pm in the sanctuary. Following worship, we will break out into children, youth and adult groups for supplemental teaching on the appropriate chapter.

Pastor Stephen, Pastor Jason, and Ford Pfister, pastoral intern, will work together to bring the weekly messages to each age group. If you will commit to being more involved in church on Sunday nights in 2017, you and your family can finish the year having completed a chronological study of the Word of God.

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The Hour of Power

Have you ever found yourself in a spiritual rut? Life gets busy, prayer feels like one more thing on your "to-do" list, and your spiritual life feels ineffective.

Despite what we may or may not understand about prayer, God has created it as a way for His people to communicate with Him and vice versa. It is how He allows us to partner with him in discovering His will and His purpose for our lives. He has created prayer as a primary means for putting us into personal contact with Him any hour of the day or night. In short, prayer is the portal that brings the power of heaven

down to earth. We need it!

As we begin a New Year, would you commit to giving God your "first hour" of each week? We will call this the HOUR OF POWER!

We will offer guided prayer opportunities for you at the church each Monday morning @ 5:30 am or if that is not your "first hour" we will provide a printed prayer guide for you to use whenever and wherever your "first hour" occurs.

God's plan for each of us is to have us in a place where He can pour out His truth and wisdom into our lives. You don't have to be smart or super spiritual for this to happen for you! All you need is to bring your honest, transparent and available self to the throne of God on a consistent basis!

Make plans to join us each week for the HOUR OF POWER!

LOCUSTHILL BAPTIST CHURCH presents

FINANCIAL PEACE

Classes are STARTING SOON!

Two Class Offerings Available:

 Wednesdays (6:30 – 7:45 pm), Begins January 18th - Led by Buddy Huffman - Led by Buddy Huffman - Led by Buddy Huffman - Led by Sally Love Childcare Available During Both Class Offerings.

Financial Peace University is a life-changing class that teaches you the nuts & bolts of getting out of debt & how to make a plan for your future – so you can live and give like never before. Through this nine-week course, you will learn practical steps to beating debt, taking control of your money, building wealth, giving generously and securing your family's future! The average family will pay off \$5,300 in debt and save \$2,700 within the first 90 days of taking this course.

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SPACE IS LIMITED! REGISTER TODAY TO RESERVE YOUR PLACE!

Contact Traci Harrison in the church office to register! (phone: 895-1771; email: office@locusthillchurch.org) www.locusthillchurch.org

