

THE

# BRIARWOOD WEEKLY

• JUNE 14, 2019 •



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**Add “The Colors”  
to the  
Way of the Flags**

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**Deadline is  
THIS Sunday, June 16**

Dedicate a U.S. flag  
in memory or honor of someone  
to be used during  
our Christianity in America  
Celebration.

Go to [briarwood.org/flag](http://briarwood.org/flag)  
or go by the Membership Office.



# LORD'S DAY WORSHIP SERVICES

## Sunday Morning - 8:00 and 10:55 a.m.

XLIII. I Peter in Biblical Perspective

*The Elect in the Exile*

“Unsurprised–Part 4”

I Peter 4:12–19

Dr. Harry L. Reeder III

## Sunday Evening - 6:00 p.m.

XII. Ecclesiastes in Biblical Perspective

*From Vanity to Vitality*

“The Day of Death and the Day of Judgment–Part 2”

Ecclesiastes 8

Dr. Harry L. Reeder III

## Serving in the Nursery

Sun., June 16

Teambuilders/Women Impacting the World

## PRAYER FOCUS

**Briarwood  
International  
Outreach**

Pray for the entire Briarwood International Outreach team as they prepare for the rest of their summer campus and ESL activities, and as they plan for the fall. Summer activities include ESL outreach and teacher training in July, Friendship Partner recruiting, incoming students, and the end of summer beach retreat.

<b>June 14</b>	George & Jill Shamblin Center for Executive Leadership • Alabama	Ben & Kim Church Mission to the World • Uganda
<b>June 15</b>	Rob & Rebecca Shaw Campus Outreach • Alabama	John & Kathy Clow Mission to the World • Honduras
<b>June 16</b>	John & Jan Sherard Cru • South Carolina	Brandon & Sharlene Coker MAF • Papua New Guinea
<b>June 17</b>	Larry & Rita Sherbondy Navigators • Pennsylvania	Bradley & Sara Cordell Mission to the World • Ukraine
<b>June 18</b>	Keith Miller Briarwood Elder	Ken Gables Briarwood Deacon
<b>June 19</b>	Kevin Miller Briarwood Elder	Thomas Garner Briarwood Deacon
<b>June 20</b>	John Haines Worship Pastor • Leadership Team	Hope Health Center Fairfield

**Special weekend Pastor's Inquirers' Class** • June 21–23. Class will meet Fri. evening, Sat. morning and Sun. morning, with a luncheon for those planning to join. To register, call 205-776-5208, email [wlong@briarwood.org](mailto:wlong@briarwood.org), or go online at [briarwood.org/pic](http://briarwood.org/pic).

**Uncommon Manhood—A Study of the Life of David** • David committed terrible sins, yet was uniquely set apart for God. All men are invited to join us Wed. mornings in FH at 6:30 a.m., as we learn how we may also be known as men after God's heart. See details at [briarwood.org/men](http://briarwood.org/men).

**Women's Ministry Summer Drop-In Studies** • Based on Philippians 4:8, our "*Whatsoever Is True*" series meets Tuesdays (June 18, 25; July 9 and 16) in the Chapel at 9:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m. Nursery available for the morning by reservation. See [briarwood.org/women](http://briarwood.org/women) for further details.

**Bluegrass Fellowship** • Thurs., June 27 in the Choir Room from 7:00–9:00 p.m. If you like to play or sing bluegrass, country or mountain music, come join us. All levels welcome! Call Jim Blackmon at 205-482-4119.

**BCS summer reading books** for 7th–12th grades are now at the Bookstore at discounted prices. Call 205-776-5210 for availability.

**Summer Fun for K5–12th grade** • Make this summer a time of spiritual growth while having fun, too! Go to [briarwood.org/summerkids](http://briarwood.org/summerkids) to see an online listing of all the activities available at Briarwood.

**K.I.D.S. Summer Music Camp** • July 8–21. Your financial gift will help Daniel Cason's ministry tell 500 inner-city kids about the love of Jesus. Make a donation online at [danielcason.org](http://danielcason.org) or call 205-365-1800.

**Summer Soccer Camp** • July 8–12 Ambassadors (ages 7–14). Register at [briarwoodsoccer.com](http://briarwoodsoccer.com) for information.

**Travel with Pastor Reeder** • July 22–24. Experience the Ark Encounter and Creation Museum with a personalized tour of the Ark and hear from creationist Ken Ham! Contact Sharon Johnston at [sjohnston@briarwood.org](mailto:sjohnston@briarwood.org) or 205-776-5320 to register. See the details of the trip at [briarwood.org/travel](http://briarwood.org/travel).

**Artists needed: Fine Art Show** • Wed., July 24. Calling adult members to submit art forms in the area of paint (all mediums), drawings, photography, calligraphy and pottery. More details to come. Contact Linda Keffer at 205-969-5535 or [kalm2608@gmail.com](mailto:kalm2608@gmail.com); Kristie Harrick at [kharrick@briarwood.org](mailto:kharrick@briarwood.org) for information.

**Briarwood Church Library** • Take advantage of this great resource! Now you can search the library catalog and renew books online—just go to [briarwood.org/library](http://briarwood.org/library). We're here for you and your family!

**See what's coming to Briarwood** at a glance. Signup for once-a-week emails at [briarwood.org/b-mailsignup](http://briarwood.org/b-mailsignup).

**Sunday Nights for Children at 6:00 p.m.** • Rising K5 and 1st grade meet in M111 for ABC Bible Memory. Passport to Missions (for rising 2nd–6th grade) begins this week in the Children’s Auditorium.

**BYG/Raiders: Wed., June 19** • BYG~Laser Tag from 7:00–8:30 p.m. at Ultra Blast Laser Combat Center (157 Resource Center Pkwy #107). Cost \$10. Meet for dinner 6:00 p.m. at 280 Chick-fil-A (\$10). Raiders~Regressive Dinner from 6:30–8:00 p.m. Pick up and drop off at the Barn. Cost is \$5.

**Briarwood’s (Still) Got Talent** • June 21 at 7:00 p.m. in the Mountain View Building. Join us for a FREE coffee house sponsored by the Music Ministry.

**Urban Ministry Prayer** • Sun., June 23 at 5:00 p.m. in the Bride’s Room. All are welcome to join us to pray for Urban Hope Community Church and urban ministries in the Fairfield/Birmingham area.

**Day Trip to Florence and Muscle Shoals** • Join the Trailblazers June 18 for this fun-filled day visiting Ivy Green, the Alabama Music Hall of Fame, and more! Go to [briarwood.org/trailblazers](http://briarwood.org/trailblazers) for details.

**Help the Nursery** • Help us prepare for the Christianity in America service (Sun., June 30) by making reservations at [briarwood.org/nursery](http://briarwood.org/nursery).

**Dementia Patient Caregivers Support Group** • Join us Tues., June 18 from 11:00 a.m.–noon in A105B to share concerns and practical strategies for dealing with the troubling behavior problems and communication difficulties of dementia patients. Call the Pastoral Care office at 205-776-5227 with questions.

## SUPER SUMMER: WEEK TWO

3rd & 4th Grd Catechism Camp  
June 17–21  
from 9:15 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

- Register Mon., June 17 from 9:15–9:30 a.m. Cost is \$40.
- Bring lunch, swimsuit, towel, and swimming gear each day.
- Call Page Dollar at 776-5526 with questions.

Parent Program Friday ~1:30 p.m. in the Children’s Auditorium

## Super Summer Extreme

Mon., June 24 • Thurs., Aug. 1  
9:15 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Fun-filled days for 1st–6th graders focused on growing in relationship with Christ through playing games!  
Also prizes to win!

Registration required at [briarwood.org/supersummer](http://briarwood.org/supersummer).

# BRIARWOOD FAMILIES

- We rejoice with **Landon and Andrea Gray** on the birth of their son, **Reuben James**, on June 3.
- Our love and sympathy to **Ray Bronner** and family on the death of his mother, **Patricia Bronner**, on June 6.

**Smiling faces needed!** • Help us welcome our visitors by coming to summer visitation June 26; July 10, 24; Aug 7 and 21. Meet in FH-A at 6:00 p.m. for dinner, then go out to visit. Contact 205-776-5301 or [lreese@briarwood.org](mailto:lreese@briarwood.org).

**Interested in serving in the Birmingham area?** • Go to [briarwood.org/urban](http://briarwood.org/urban) for information on volunteering with our local ministry partners.

**Joy Fitness** • Want to meet new friends, have fun and get in shape all at the same time? Come try this class for active agers 55 and up. We meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:00–11:00 a.m. in the Ballet Room. For information contact [brendabparks@gmail.com](mailto:brendabparks@gmail.com).

**Love to knit or want to learn?** • Join other knitters each Wed. morning from 10:00–11:30 a.m. in A205. Some of our projects: booties for Save-a-Life, chemo caps, missionary gifts, and prayer shawls. New learners are welcome. Contact Ellen Fox at [ewfox@bellsouth.net](mailto:ewfox@bellsouth.net) or 205-980-1968.

**Service Signing** • Invite your friends who have issues with hearing to worship in the 8:00 a.m. service. This service is signed by an interpreter every week.

**Clothing Only, Please!** • Please do not leave any items at the church besides clothing for your Thrift Store donations. We have limited storage space in our shipping/receiving area.

**Job Openings** (more at [briarwood.org/employment](http://briarwood.org/employment)):

**Youth/College Admin Assistant.** Full-time position responsible for office management, event planning, and anticipating/initiating the ministries' needs. Email Max Bunn at [mbunn@briarwood.org](mailto:mbunn@briarwood.org) with inquiries and résumé.

**National Missions Pastor.** Full-time position for an experienced pastoral leader and champion for the revitalization of churches. He will lead Briarwood's National Missions, Church Revitalization, and Church Planting teams and will either be ordained or ordainable in the PCA. Call Heather McDougall at 205-776-5279 for questions or send résumé to [hmcDougall@briarwood.org](mailto:hmcDougall@briarwood.org).

**Briarwood Christian School** has several openings, including High School Counselor, High School Bible Teacher, Academic Support Services Instructor, and more. See complete details online.

**See details on other positions and how to apply by going online to [briarwood.org/employment](http://briarwood.org/employment).**