

NEW HERE?

Welcome to Gospel Light!

We're so glad you came to worship with us today and want to do all we can to help you feel at home. If you have any questions please stop by "The Connection Corner" in the atrium and ask one of our friendly volunteers. We're honored to help you anyway we can!

Connection Card

If this is your first visit with us, if you need prayer or have any questions, we'd like to know how to serve you. Please fill out the Get Connected Card and bring it to Capachi's Cafe in the Atrium to receive a free gift. You can also leave it at the connection corner or drop it in the offering plate and someone will contact you.

Small Groups

If you are desiring a closer relationship with Jesus Christ, one of the best ways to make that happen is by being part of a Small Group. Small Groups are weekly small gatherings where we dig deep into the Word of God, find fellowship and support, as well as ways to provide service and outreach into our community. Come by "The Connection Corner" in the atrium for more information.

Ministry Contacts

Senior Pastor - eric.capaci@gospellight.org

Counseling Pastor - doug.gulley@gospellight.org

Pastor's Prayer Line Numbers

Hear Requests - 501-463-5564

Leave Requests - 501-463-5565

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Gospel Light Baptist Church 25th Anniversary - Welcome to Gospel Light Baptist Church as we celebrate our 25th anniversary today. This is a time for looking back at what God has done and looking forward to what God has in store.

Father/Son Activity - Fathers and sons of all ages are invited to come join us on Friday, June 16, for a fun time of putt-putt golf, pizza dinner, and devotions.

We will leave the church at 6 p.m. and return at 9 p.m. The cost is \$15 per person.

Men's Retreat - There will be a men's retreat on Saturday, June 17th, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., here on the campus of Gospel Light. Coffee and donuts will be provided in Capachi's at 8:30 a.m. The retreat begins in the auditorium at 9 a.m. and finishes at 3 p.m. The cost is \$20 which includes retreat workbook, breakfast, and lunch. This six hour investment of your time will be well worth every effort to attend. Age group 18 and above. Single men and married men encouraged to attend. Register by emailing nathan.sellers@gospellight.org, calling the church office, or by stopping by the welcome desk today. Payments can be received on Saturday.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday

9:00 am Worship Service
Adult Small Groups (On Campus)

10:45 am Worship Service
Children's Worship and Small Groups
(Worship services are identical.)

Monday - Sunday

7:00 pm Adult Small Groups (In Home)
(For small group list contact nathan.sellers@gospellight.org)

Wednesday

7:00 pm Student Worship and Small Groups

Friday

6:00 pm Celebrate Recovery

Saturday

4:00 pm Prayer Meeting

One Hour Powerful Prayer Meeting: Saturday at 4 PM in the Music Room.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

	General	Missions	Bus
Weekly Budget	\$14,200.00	\$1,200.00	N/A
Given	\$15,582.89	\$733.00	\$105.00
Surplus/Deficit	+ \$1,382.89	- \$467.00	N/A
2017 Balance	-\$2,624.44	-\$927.56	
Sign Project	Goal: \$4,738	Raised: \$2,628	Deficit: \$2,110

- **Give online:** www.gospellight.org
- **By mail:** 600 Garland Ave, Hot Springs, AR 71913
- **Giving Questions?**
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WEEKLY HIGHLIGHT

HAPPY 25th ANNIVERSARY!

Gospel Light Baptist Church

WELCOME TO GOSPEL LIGHT

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THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGE FROM PASTOR ERIC

NOTES:



Happy 25 Year Anniversary, Gospel Light Family! To God be the glory! We began with a vision to capture this city for Christ, and 25 years later we still have the same vision. The truth is there are many things about Gospel Light that have remained the same. Our name is still Gospel Light Baptist Church, I've had the privilege of being the senior pastor for the 25 years that our church has been in Hot Springs, we still preach from the same book--God's Word, and we are still attempting to capture this city for Christ. But some things have changed, but I'm not so sure changed is the best word. Maybe the best way of saying it is we've grown. We've grown in our vision, our outreach, and our methodology. I want to challenge you on this anniversary Sunday by quoting Matthew 6:19-20, "Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust does corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal: But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust does corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal." As we look to the next 25 years, let's ask ourselves this question, "What does a life of success and significance look like?" I believe it is a big mistake to assume that God's goal for your life is material success or prosperity. When God looks at our lives, it is not based upon our net worth but upon our real worth; and our real worth is based upon who we are in Christ. There are two kinds of people in this world. There are those who are building their own kingdom and there are those who are building the kingdom of God. So which one are you? Is your life wrapped up in building a kingdom for yourself with material, success, and prosperity; or is your life wrapped up in building for the future--building the kingdom of God? May we as a church family spend the next 25 years of our journey continuing to build the kingdom of God being led by the Spirit of God with more energy than we ever have had before. If there's anything I can pray with you about, please let me know. I love you, Bro. Eric

What's Made Gospel Light a Great Church for 25 Years

Acts 4

Not everything we call _____ is _____.

A church is not great...

1. Because of its _____
2. Because of the size of its _____
3. Because of its _____
4. Because of its _____
5. Because of _____ in the pulpit or in the pew

A church is great because...

1. A great church has great _____.

A great church operates on _____ power.

Too many churches operate with _____ but no _____.

We have no right to ask anyone to _____ anything until they've seen something they cannot _____.

2. A great church has great _____.

The greatest compliment our church has ever been given is that we are a _____ church.

Love is _____ in action.

3. A great church has great _____.

The main attraction of our church must be the _____.

4. A great church has great _____.

The early Christians were not out to _____ the world. They were out to _____ the world.

5. A great church has great _____.

There is no contradiction between _____ and joy.

6. A great church sees a great _____ of people saved.

A church that does not seek the lost has lost its _____.

These 6 things are what made the early church great; these 6 things are what made Gospel Light great; and these 6 things if they continue, will make Gospel Light great for the next 25 years.

A LETTER FROM OUR MISSIONARY

I'm writing this letter from the Island of Exuma, teaching in the Covington Bahamas Bible Institute with President and Missionary Pilot Dave Spangler; Pastor Larry Wilson of the Calvary Baptist Church in Liberty, South Carolina; and Professor Ron Gatlin from the Tabernacle Baptist College of Greenville, South Carolina. What an effectual door that has opened for us to be here with National Pastor Linden Clarke. Training national pastors and laymen is the instructions Paul gave to Timothy. 2 Timothy 2:2, "And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also." This Bible institute is our first opportunity to be directly involved with this group, and there is talk about future ministries here in the Bahamas as well. Pastor Asha Loronde and the La Plaine Baptist Church held the first church service in More Juan, Dominica, with the intentions of a new church plant, a place where the people of this village will hear the gospel message preached with clarity and demonstration of the power of Holy Spirit. The results were five souls saved. Asha reported that one lady that accepted Jesus had eight children and was looking for some answers to life's questions. Also, one young man that received Jesus is asking questions about surrendering to preach. Asha will be pastoring at both locations until a pastor can be found or trained for this work, and there will be pastors from around the area to assist him in this effort. There is so much more to tell.... Please continue to pray for us.. We love you.

Your servants for Jesus Christ,
Mike and Glenda Coupe

CHURCH FAMILY PRAYER REQUESTS:

1. Pray for Champion Christian College as they will be having a visit from the accrediting team from Virginia.
2. Pray for Christian Giles as he had a blood infusion and also pray for a life change.
3. Pray for Connie Black as she recovers from knee surgery.
4. Pray for the Gospel Light missions team as they leave for Vanuatu and Australia on Sunday, June 18.
5. Pray for Chantha and the Chhim family as they are back in the States for a few months on furlough.
6. Pray for increased enrollment at Gospel Light Christian School. There have been many families inquiring over the past few weeks.

Hot Springs Church and Pastor of the Week We Are Praying For:
Executive Pastor Matt Maddux of First Church of the Nazarene Church

PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES

Our prayer focus for this week is Mike and Glenda Coupe serving in Dominica and the West Indies. Drop the Coupe's an email at missionflight@gmail.com

Day 1 – We are still in need of a ministry cargo van. In the meantime, we are using our mini van. We have made more shipments to St.Vincent, Dominica, and Barbados.

Day 2 – Pray for the new church plant in the village of Morne Juan.

Day 3 – Glenda and I will be flying the Piper Aztec N6400Y throughout the West Indie islands for the next several months. Please pray for our safety.

Day 4 – Pray for the LaPlaine Baptist Church and Pastor Asha Loronde as they continue to serve the Lord in Dominica.

Day 5 – Pray about serving as a missionary on a short or long term trip on one of these islands.

Day 6 – Pray for the following upcoming events: In Puerto Rico with Pastor Johnny Daniels, Antiqua with Pastor David Murphy and the Independant Baptist Youth Conference of the Caribbean (IBYC), Barbados with Missionary Church Planter Ryan Thompson, St.Vincent with National Pastor Lenius Lavia, St.Lucia with National Pastor Jesse Naitrum, and in Dominica with National Pastor Asha Loronde. While there, we are planning to assist them in their youth camp and VBS as well as in organizing the church in More Juan.