



# THE HIGHLAND LINK

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2019

8:30AM CHAPEL & LIFE CENTER / 10:00AM SUNDAY SCHOOL / 11:15AM THE CONNECTION & CHINESE WORSHIP SERVICE

## HI, WELCOME TO HIGHLAND

Welcome guests! We're glad you're here. All first-time guests are invited to pick up a "Hi!" welcome kit in The Commons (lobby) or The Passage (outside The Crossing). It's our way of saying thanks for joining us today. If you have questions, look for those wearing a Highland lanyard.

We have Bible Classes for all ages at 10:00am. Head to the Welcome Center in the Commons and we can give you more information. We have more Guest Info on the back.

## NEXT STEPS

If you're new to Highland and want to learn more about us we invite you to attend our Next Steps. For details contact **Eric Gentry** at [eric.gentry@highlandcc.org](mailto:eric.gentry@highlandcc.org).

1. **SIGHTSEER: Weekly / 10:00am / B119**
  2. **ADVANCE: March 3 / 10:00am / A129**
  3. **ENGAGE: March 10 / 10:00am / A129**
- [www.HighlandCC.org/NextSteps](http://www.HighlandCC.org/NextSteps)



## HEY JUDE

### GOING DEEPER

For the next few weeks, we are studying the Book of Jude on Sunday mornings. Here's our challenge to you:

#### *Go Deeper!*

To help you deepen your study of the Word of God, we've designed three brief lessons on the book of Jude, and will post them each week to our Highland Church of Christ channel on

RightNow Media. The first is now available. It will give you more background on Jude and help you apply it to your life. Its called "*Jude: Going Deeper (Week #1)*." You must access the training post from a device (phone, tablet, computer) on RightNow Media. If you are not a member yet, sign up for free by texting: RIGHTNOW HCC to 41411.



**NEWS | EVENTS | INFO****SYMPATHY**

Sympathy is expressed to **David Jackson** and family in the passing of his mother, **Lydia Jackson**, who passed away on February 20. Services were yesterday in Florence, AL.

**SHOWER**

Bridal Shower honoring **Leanna Marriott**, fiancé of **Ethan Murphy** (son of **Amy Murphy**).

Sunday, March 3 / 1:30-3:00p

Youth Mission

Registered at Target, Pottery Barn, and Bed, Bath and Beyond

**PRAYER MAIL**

Check “Join Prayer Mail” on your connection card and add your email. We’ll add you to our list of prayer partners.

For more info, contact **Beverly Ralston** at [highlandccprayer@gmail.com](mailto:highlandccprayer@gmail.com).

**E-GIVING**

Getting ready for church on Sunday morning can be busy, hectic, and rushed. Kids? Bible? Coffee? Checks? What if you had one less thing to remember on Sunday morning? You have the ability to give to Highland electronically. On [www.highlandcc.org](http://www.highlandcc.org), click the “Online Giving” tab and the instructions are there. You can give your standard contributions or to specials including Outreach Contributions, Ministries, Overflow, etc. You can also set up recurring payments. One less thing to worry about on Sunday mornings.

**FRESH & CLEAN**

Help us keep Highland clean. If you see loose bulletins, used coffee cups, anything lying on the floor, please throw them away in a trash can. Thanks!

**NEXT STEPS****STEP 1: SIGHTSEER**

*Every Sunday / 10:00am / Room B119*

Sightseer is a special class where you’ll learn about who we are at Highland. We’ll answer any questions you have and help you connect with other Highlanders as well.

**STEP 2: ADVANCE**

*March 3 / 10:00am / Room A129*

Advance is for those who are ready to join the Highland family. We call this “placing membership”—which sounds pretty official. Don’t worry, it’s a casual gathering where you will meet leaders at Highland, have a conversation about what it means to be part of our family, and give us a chance to celebrate you as our new brother or sister.

**STEP 3: ENGAGE**

*March 10 / 10:00am / Room A129*

Engage is a unique experience in which we help you find a ministry to serve in, provide you tools to deepen your spiritual life, and connect you to a Small Group or Sunday School class if you haven’t already found one. Engage is offered every other month.

**MHA CHORUS**

*Today / 2:30pm-3:30pm / The Crossing*

The Harding Academy Chorus will perform a matinee this afternoon, 2:30–3:30pm in the Crossing.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLASSES**

*February 27–April 24 (No classes on Mar 13 during Spring Break)*

*Jesus’s Parables: Life Changing Stories*

*Allen Black, Eric Gentry, Michael Van Huis, David Jackson / The Chapel*

Jesus’s parables reveal his understanding of life in the presence of God and his kingdom. Throughout the centuries they have changed the lives individuals and the character of whole societies. Examine them again and allow their messages to seep into your heart and alter your perceptions of God and others.

*The Case for Christ*

*Chris Altmock / Room A105*

How can we know that Jesus lived, died and was raised, and that the biblical accounts of these events are reliable? In this DVD driven class, Chris shares apologetics from former atheist Lee Strobel, author of the bestseller *The Case for Christ*. The class will focus on the story of Lee Strobel as well as evidence that led him to faith in Christ.

**WOMEN****BETH MOORE “LIVING PROOF LIVE” EVENT**

*March 29 & 30 / Bellevue Baptist*

If you purchased your tickets a few weeks ago, they are in and available to be picked up today in the Commons and Passage.

## CHILDREN

### NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

If you have a heart for children and the desire to serve our babies and their families we have nursery shifts available. We are currently in need of several helpers the second Sunday each month from 8:30–9:45a. Consider serving with a friend or with your spouse. It's also a great way to get to know some of the young families in our congregation. Email **Stephanie Howell** at [stephanie.howell@highlandcc.org](mailto:stephanie.howell@highlandcc.org) for more information. She will talk with you about expectations and run a background check.

### 3-YEAR OLDS

We need a helper in our older three year old class for the Spring Quarter (March–May). If you have a heart for kids and want to invest in them we'd love to meet you. Please contact **Stephanie** at [stephanie.howell@highlandcc.org](mailto:stephanie.howell@highlandcc.org).

## MISSIONS

### HOPEWORKS

#### BREAKFAST WITH ELLIOT PERRY

*Saturday, April 13 / 8:30am / Life Center*

**Elliott Perry**, former University of Memphis and NBA Phoenix Suns basketball player, will be speaking at the HopeWorks Breakfast on Saturday, April 13th. The event will be held here at Highland beginning at 8:30am. Please save this date. More info will come in the coming weeks.

#### BREAKFAST VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Are you interested in working with the Kitchen Krew for the HopeWorks Breakfast? Contact **Gary Lemmons** at 901.849.2219 or [garylemmo@aol.com](mailto:garylemmo@aol.com).

## YOUTH

### WINTERFEST 2019

We took over 100 people again this year, and it was a blast! We got to worship with **Brishan**, hear some great speakers, be with **Josh and Brooke Ray**, and spend time with **Courtney Garland** from the Pearl House. **Josh Leow** preached with **Jeff Walling** on Sunday morning. And we also managed to eat a few pancakes and funnel cakes.

### TIME TRIPS

We have five life-changing mission trips planned this summer. Each one has limited space. Details at [www.highlandcc.org/time-trips](http://www.highlandcc.org/time-trips). Register today to secure your spot, and get ready to be changed.

## HIGHLAND CALENDAR

### TODAY

#### Sightseer

10:00am / Room B119

#### Harding Chorus Concert

2:30pm / The Crossing

### MARCH 3

#### Advance

10:00am / Room A129

### MARCH 10

#### Engage

10:00am / Room A129

### APRIL 13

#### HopeWorks Breakfast

8:30am / Life Center

## HIGHLAND WEEKLY



Stay up to date with us. Sign up for the Highland Weekly email at:

[www.highlandcc.org/highlandweekly](http://www.highlandcc.org/highlandweekly)

## TEXT US

Get up-to-date notifications sent to your phone.

Text: **HIGHLANDCC**

To: **85-100**

## STAY SOCIAL WITH US.



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# GUEST INFO

## A GIFT FOR YOU

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## VISITOR'S CLASS

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## REACH GROUPS

Reach Groups are small groups that meet in homes every other week. Pick up a flyer in the Commons to learn more.

## KINGDOM KIDS

Worship services for children in the 2 yr. old class through kindergarten. Dismissed from church during Kids' Collection in both services. All children will meet in the Great Hall, and then dismissed to their classrooms. Parents may pick up children in the classrooms.

## MINISTRIES

We love serving people and making a difference in the community. Pick up a Ministries flyer in the Commons to learn how to become more involved in serving others.

## COMMUNION

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## GIVING

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## NEEDS & PRAYERS

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## MEETING TIMES

### Sundays

8:30 a.m. - Chapel & Life Center Worship

10:00 a.m. - Sunday School

11:15 a.m. - The Connection

11:15 a.m. - Chinese Worship Service

### Wednesdays

7:00 p.m. - Classes



Visit our website for more info:  
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# LIFE CENTER

All Hail The Power Of Jesus Name

Welcome / Call to Worship

There Is Power In The Blood

This Is Amazing Grace

Reading

10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)

Covenant Of Love

Communion / Prayer for Bread

What The Lord Has Done In Me

Communion / Prayer for Cup

Beautiful Lamb

Kids Collection / Kingdom Kids Dismissal

Family News

We Will Glorify

Prayer for Offering

**Hey Jude: Slaves by the Grace of God (Jude 1-4)** by Eric Gentry

I Give You My Heart

Baptism

## NOTES:

### HEY JUDE: SLAVES BY THE GRACE OF GOD (JUDE 1-4)

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## WEEKLY STATISTICS FOR FEBRUARY 17

### ATTENDANCE

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Sunday School: 735

### FINANCIALS

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Budget: \$46,906

Fiscal Income to Date: \$1,554,437

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## CHAPEL SERVICE

Welcome / Call to Worship

Fairest Lord Jesus

I Know Whom I Have Believed

Blessed Assurance

Shine, Jesus, Shine

**Hey Jude: Slaves by the Grace of God (Jude 1-4)** by Eric Gentry

Into the Heart of Jesus

Lord Take Control

Prayer / Reggie Crawford

Heart of a Servant

Here, Before Thee Savior

Lord's Supper

Offering

Give Thanks

O Listen To the Wondrous Story

Announcements / Larry McKenzie

Heaven's Jubilee

Prayer

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