

# Salina Heights Christian Church

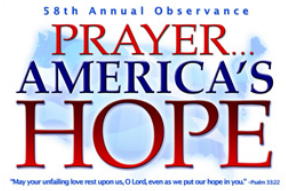
## Building a Stronger Community of Faith



### SALINA PRAYER BREAKFAST

Thursday, May 7, 7:00 a.m.  
Bicentennial Center

Guest Speaker: James Ryle  
Founding Board Member of Promise Keepers



Tickets are \$12.00 - See Sue Dickey or Darrel Boyd to purchase a ticket or for further information.

*"May your unfailing love rest upon us, O Lord, even as we put our hope in you."*  
Psalm 33:22

## Future Link . . .

**May 31 - June 6** - Casas Por Cristo Trip

**June 7** - Morning Service Schedule Change  
First Service - 9:00 am  
Second Service - 10:30 am

**June 15-19** - Vacation Bible School  
6:30-8:35 pm  
*Operation Space: Answers in Genesis*



A team from Salina Heights will be leaving for Juarez, Mexico, on May 30 to build a house for a family in need, and to share the love of Christ with those they meet and work with while in Mexico.

As a fundraiser for this trip, the team is selling authentic home-made enchiladas for \$15.00 per dozen. See any team member to purchase a ticket which can be exchanged for enchiladas on May 9 from 3:00-5:00 p.m.

There are openings for two or three more people to go on this mission trip. If you are 18 or older and are interested, please see Bruce Wilson as soon as possible.

## Outreach Link . . .

### MATTHEW & HEATHER CARDER:

This family of four is following the call of God to move from their comfy home in the heartland of Kansas and 'Go on mission with God.' Much like we would fund a local staff position, we are currently raising support along with a few other churches so that this precious family of SHCC can answer that call with full funding. Pledge cards are available at the Information Center in the main foyer.

### CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION TRAINING

May 3, 2:00 p.m.

Presented by King Solomon Camp  
For everyone working with children or youth

Learn the effects of child abuse, signs of abuse, strategies used by abusers, responding to abuse



### Life Encounter

The seasons of life are many. And these seasons lead us to 'encounter' life with a varying degree of deference. Some are painful, some are joyful, and some seem to drive us beyond our known physical limits.

I remember when I first started running long distance. My dad told me it was all in my head. He said, 'Kerry, you can run a lot farther than you think you can.' And that was the first time I had ever run five miles. Just moments before I reached the five mile mark I literally thought my chest cavity was going to explode. It was a memorable encounter with my dad and what seemed to be two gallons of water that I quickly consumed. Fatigue never felt so good, and victory over a long awaited goal was drenched in satisfaction.

This month we're continuing our series in the book of John, chapters 3-6. From John 3:16 where Jesus reveals the depth of God's love, to the countless life and ministry encounters, let's discover how these 'Christ Encounters' can help us walk in faith, victory, and freedom.

You may not be training to run a long distance race, but in the race of life, God is always there to whisper 'I'll help you go a lot further than you ever thought you could.'

By the way. . . my dad ran WITH me, just like God will.



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*Kerry*

## Mission Link . . .

### MISSION OF THE MONTH: JIM AND TERI RILEY HONDURAS MISSION

The Riley family has been working in church planting and university outreach in Tegucigalpa, capital of Honduras, for over ten years.

Their children are Jesi and Jeni, in the 8th grade, Josh in the 4th grade, and Jimmy in kindergarten.

A portion of the SHCC missions budget goes every month to support the work of the Riley's. Their newsletter, "Tegu Talk", is received several times a year and keeps us up to date on the work being done there. The latest issue is at the missions table in the conference room.

### LIBRARY REVIEWS

DVD: Expelled - No Intelligence Allowed

This is an expose' and commentary on the academic prejudice that abounds against intelligent design in nature. Scientists, teachers, and others have suffered for their beliefs. Let the truth be told!

Rated PG 95 minutes  
Excellent presentation

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Book: I Am Not But I Know I AM  
Louie Giglio

**GOD IS BIG.** We are not. Submit to the grandeur of God. In doing so, one realizes the absurdity of self pride. We were made to glorify God.

Easy reading. Satisfying spiritual food.

Both of these items are available to check out from the church library.



# Better Together '09

# MAY 2009

For more details check out our online calendar at [www.salinaheights.com](http://www.salinaheights.com).  
Click on the 'Events Calendar' link at the bottom of the homepage.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Ladies Group-Beth Moore 9:15—10:45 am
3 CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION TRAINING - 2:00 Sponsored by King Solomon Camp Jr. High 5:30pm	4 Brother Builders 6:30 PM	5 Common Ground Bible Study - 9:30am	6	7 NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER BREAKFAST - 7:00 A.M. BICENTENNIAL CENTER	8	9 Married Couples Date Night: Fast Food Frenzy - 5:45
10 No Jr. High Youth Group MOTHERS DAY	11 Brother Builders 6:30 PM	12 Common Ground Bible Study - 9:30am	13	14	15	16 Ladies Group-Beth Moore 9:15—10:45 am
17 Jr. High 5:30pm	18 Brother Builders 6:30 PM	19 Common Ground Bible Study - 9:30am	20	21	22	23
24 No Jr. High Youth Group	25 Brother Builders 6:30 PM	26 Common Ground Bible Study - 9:30am	27	28	29	30 King Solomon Day Camp Casas Por Cristo team leaves for Juarez, Mexico
31 Jr. High Summer Kick-Off Party	<b>Real Family * Real Life</b>					





## Operation Space by Answers in Genesis

June 15th —19th, 2009  
6:30 p.m. until 8:35 p.m.

10, 9, 8, 7.....

We're counting down to

fun at *Operation Space: A Close Encounter with God's Word*. In this galactic adventure like no other, kids learn how God reveals Himself through His *world* and his *Word*.

This space adventure begins the minute kids walk through the doors, when they are transformed into cadets receiving *BASIC Training* at a space academy.

**At BASIC TRAINING cadets will learn the following:**

- \* **Book of Books:** The Bible is uniquely God's Word.
- \* **Absolute Authority :** The Bible should be the foundation for our thinking in every area.
- \* **Salvation Story:** The Bible tells us how we can spend eternity with our Creator.
- \* **Incredible Impact:** The Bible has had an incredible impact on our world.
- \* **Cadet Challenge:** Learn it! Love it! Live it! We need to read and study the Bible daily in order to learn more about our Creator and His commands.

Visit the Information Center today and get signed up to help in various areas!! You and your family will want to take part--in Operation Space — an out of this world adventure!!!



## JUNE SCHEDULE

### Early Fellowship

(Coffee, Tea, & ???)

8:30AM

### 1st Service

9:00AM

### 2nd Service

10:00AM

### Sunday School for all ages

9:00AM



## FAQ (Frequently Asked Question)

1. **What do I have to change?** Unless you currently attend the 1st (8am) service, you don't have to change a thing. The elementary Sunday school classes will continue to be offered at 9:00am along with some of the adult classes and the 1st service. You and your family may arrive at 9am for Sunday school and then attend the 2nd service just like you always have in the past.
2. **Will Kid's Connection, Joybells, and Project Rock continue be offered during the 2nd Service?** Yes. However, Project Rock will be taking a summer break and resume in the fall.
3. **Why are some adult classes meeting during the 2nd Service?** Several reasons could be presented, but primarily this allows for a greater variety of adult connection class opportunities.
4. **I want to attend a class during the 2nd hour, but I have children?** In the rare event that your class meets during the 2nd hour, please see JaNae Basinger to work out any details concerning your children. JaNae will work hard to insure that MOST adult classes where parents would attend will be offered during the first hour. Please feel free to choose the schedule and classes that are best for your family.