



EXIT 55



55+ MINISTRY NEWSLETTER-JULY 2022

“It’s not the heat, it’s the humidity that will kill you”. For ten years I’ve made it a habit to NOT be in Texas for the bulk of my summer but with my new role comes new habits and it has led to me being present in ways to my church, to my family and in my marriage that I haven’t experienced before. I get to work on house projects, go to family birthday gatherings and cuddle with my kids on daily occurrences that were otherwise unknown in the Reynolds’ summer. I certainly miss my role in Student Ministry and that time together with our youth but growing up and finding new rhythms is essential to my spiritual development. Resisting change is a natural response to life. The Israelites grumbled in the desert and preferred returning to slavery in Egypt rather than change, the Jews preferred their law to the Messiah and today we find comfort in the known verses the infinite abundance God has for us in the unknown. If only we could confidently walk into the promises of God as a child that passes through the womb and doesn’t yet realize the world before them. The change and pressure is difficult, they aren’t in control of it, they may need help but it isn’t permanent. If you’re experiencing transition in life, whether with family, health, finances, or faith, know that even if it doesn’t make sense, God redeems and restores so we must be sure to not resist. Let’s transition well together friends! I’m praying for you daily. Love y’all,

Cam

K.I.T. LUNCH!
KEEPING IN TOUCH 55+ SINGLES

THURS, JULY 21 SEE YOU THERE AT 11:00



Panera
BREAD®



RSVP TO VICKIE 903-212-3306
SO WE'LL HAVE A GOOD HEAD COUNT

everyone's invited!!!

Game Day

Thursday, July 28
11:30 - 1:00 pm
IN THE GREAT HALL

LUNCH MENU: FRIED FISH, COLE SLAW,
FRENCH FRIES, HUSH PUPPIES, DESSERT

*RSVP for a lunch reservation
to Vickie 903-212-3306
Cost: \$5



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Happy Birthday!

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| 1 James Cashell | 14 Earl Barnard |
| Gayle English | 15 Gaye Brown |
| 2 Erna Hudgens | Jan Forester |
| 3 Gailya Oliver | 16 Barbara Barkley |
| 4 Gene Villyard | Toni Hanson |
| 5 Charles Risinger | 17 Jean Mitchell |
| Larry Smith | Carolyn Mitchell |
| 6 Curtis Barnett | 18 Thomas Beloney |
| Babette Tomberlain | 19 Rod Bullard, Jr. |
| 7 Sharon Bradshaw | 20 Duane Baese |
| Wayne Frost | Darba Jackson |
| 8 Cathy Furnace | 21 Maurine Jones |
| 10 Sharon Bufkin | Dale Jordan |
| 11 Johnnie Britain | 22 Earl Harkins |
| Linda Dearmon | Stephen McDaniel |
| Jack Gibson | 23 Larry Williamson |
| John Harris | 24 Glenn McDonald |
| Edward Johnson | Jeannie Rollert |
| 12 Kristi Magee | 25 Irby Liu |
| William Rice | 26 Sheryl Flores |
| Carol Smithers | 27 Patsy Gilbert |
| 13 Beckie Fuller | 30 Frank Chaney |
| Patty Willis | |



Combined morning service at 11:00 AM on July 17, 24, & 31

Life Groups are at the same time—9:45 AM

YOU'RE INVITED!



RSVP 903-240-6471 OR 903-452-7189

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 SAWTOOTH WILDERNESS, ID
 MEN'S BACKPACKING TRIP

LABOR DAY WEEKEND, 2022

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