

RENOVATION OF THE HEART

It's not too late to join the study!

PUTTING ON THE CHARACTER OF CHRIST

A 13-Week Book Study with Pastor David Peugh
Sunday Evenings at 6:00 pm

One Verse Evangelism Training

led by Pastor David Peugh



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Spiritual Coaching
Christian Character Development

Tuesday, September 23, 2025
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Trunk or Treat




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Cornelia Avenue Southern Baptist Church

October 31st
6:00pm - 8:00pm

| WEEKLY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE | | | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|---|--|
| Sunday | 9:00 – 10:15 am | Youth & Children’s Sunday School | |
| | 9:00 – 10:15 am | Adult Bible Study | |
| | 10:30 – 12:00 pm | Worship Service | |
| | 10:30 – 12:00 pm | Children’s Church | |
| | 6:00 – 8:00 pm | Renovation of the Heart Book Study | |
| Monday | 6:00 – 8:00 pm | Adult Bible Study at 5866 W. Belmont | |
| Wednesday | 6:00 – 7:30 pm | Impact Youth Bible Study, 7th through 12th grade. | |
| | | Kid Connect, Pre-K through 6th grade. | |
| | | Pastor’s Adult Bible Study - DANIEL | |
| Thursday | 6:30 – 8:30 pm | Men’s Accountability Group & Study | |
| Friday | 6:00 – 7:00 am | Facebook Live Prayer and Devotional | |
| | 7:00 – 8:30 pm | College-Young Adults Bible Study, ages 18-28 | |

| CALENDAR OF EVENTS | | | |
|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| September 23 | 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm | Learning to Share Your Faith | |
| October 11 | 8:00 am - 10:00 am | Water in the Park Outreach | |
| October 29 | 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm | Youth Costume Party | |
| October 29 | 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm | Childrens Fall-O-Ween Jesus Party | |
| October 31 | 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm | Trunk-R-Treat Event | |

| Deacons Ministry | |  YTD Financial Data through August 31, 2025 | |
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| Mike Arreola | 903-4596 | YTD Budget Requirement | \$261,933.27 |
| Mandy Alfonso | 349-8748 | YTD Budget Actual Giving | 267,471.34 |
| John Prentiss | 289-0780 | 2025 Budget Surplus/Deficit | \$5,538.07 |
| Ray Rocha | 493-8911 | Surplus/Deficit Percentage | 2.1% |
| Jon Smith | 907-3570 | 2024 Fiscal Budget Giving | \$223,866.58 |
| Pastor David Peugh | 326-4826 | 2025 Fiscal YTD Difference | \$267,471.34 |
| | | 2025 Fiscal YTD Percentage Change | 19.5% |




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Challenging people of all generations and backgrounds to discover and live a thriving relationship with Jesus Christ.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY – THURSDAY, 9:00am – 3:00pm
If you need to reach someone during a time the office is closed, call 326-4826 to leave a message and someone will call you back as soon as possible.

the avenue message by Pastor David Peugh for Sunday, September 21, 2025



Who is Jesus?

THE MAN BEHIND THE STORIES

THE LOVE THAT BRINGS THE LIGHT

John 3:16

¹⁶ “For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life. ¹⁷ “For God did not send the Son into the world to judge the world, but that the world might be saved through Him.

FOUR THINGS WE NEED TO UNDERSTAND ABOUT GOD’S LOVE:

I. THE _____ OF GOD’S LOVE.

¹⁹ We love him, because He first loved us. 1 John 4:19

¹⁵ Do not love the world nor the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. ¹⁶ For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh and the lust of the eyes and the boastful pride of life, is not from the Father, but is from the world.

1 John 2:15-16

⁸ But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. Romans 5:8



THE LOVE THAT BRINGS THE LIGHT
John 3:16

II. THE _____ OF GOD'S LOVE.

³⁰ "I and the Father are one." **John 10:30**

¹⁴ "As Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up; ¹⁵ so that whoever believes will in Him have eternal life.
John 3:14-15

²² "Men of Israel, listen to these words: Jesus the Nazarene, a man attested to you by God with miracles and wonders and signs which God performed through Him in your midst, just as you yourselves know— ²³ this Man, delivered over by the predetermined plan and foreknowledge of God, you nailed to a cross by the hands of godless men and put Him to death.

Acts 2:22-23

III. THE _____ OF GOD'S LOVE.

¹⁹ "This is the judgment, that the Light has come into the world, and men loved the darkness rather than the Light, for their deeds were evil. ²⁰ "For everyone who does evil hates the Light, and does not come to the Light for fear that his deeds will be exposed.
John 3:19-20

¹¹ 'He who has an ear; let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. He who overcomes will not be hurt by the second death.'
Revelation 2:11

⁶ Blessed and holy is the one who has a part in the first resurrection; over these the second death has no power; but they will be priests of God and of Christ and will reign with Him for a thousand years.

Revelation 20:6

IV. THE _____ OF GOD'S LOVE.

¹⁰ And he carried me away in the Spirit to a great and high mountain, and showed me the holy city, Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, ¹¹ having the glory of God...

¹⁶ The city is laid out as a square, and its length is as great as the width; and he measured the city with the rod, fifteen hundred miles; its length and width and height are equal.

²² I saw no temple in it, for the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb are its temple. ²³ And the city has no need of the sun or of the moon to shine on it, for the glory of God has illumined it, and its lamp is the Lamb. ²⁴ The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it. ²⁵ In the daytime (for there will be no night there) its gates will never be closed; ²⁶ and they will bring the glory and the honor of the nations into it; ²⁷ and nothing unclean, and no one who practices abomination and lying, shall ever come into it, but only those whose names are written in the Lamb's book of life.

Revelation 21:10-27



"BUT THESE HAVE BEEN WRITTEN SO THAT YOU MAY BELIEVE THAT JESUS IS THE CHRIST, THE SON OF GOD; AND THAT BELIEVING YOU MAY HAVE LIFE IN HIS NAME."

JOHN 20:31

GUESTS AND NEWCOMERS

We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us and hope your experience is both meaningful and fun. We would like a record of your visit with us today. Please complete the Connection Card found in your bulletin and drop it in the collection kiosk in the church foyer or in the offering plate.

WEDNESDAY EVENING ACTIVITIES - 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Children's Team Kid - Children starting Pre-K through 6th grade. Beginning this week Team-Kid is on a summer break mirroring the school year.

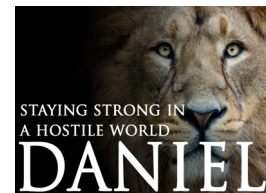


Impact Youth - Students in 7th - 12th grade are encouraged to come on Wednesday nights for worship, Bible study, and crazy fun! For more info Contact Rafa at 473-3121.

Adult Bible Study - Join Pastor Dave Wednesday evenings for a study of the book of Daniel.

Weighed and Wanting - Daniel 5:10-31

In this lesson we see faithfulness rewarded and sin punished. It often appears in this life that the righteous are set aside while the unrighteous prosper. While the righteous appear powerless the unrighteous seem powerful. Appearances are not everything - God is always preparing to balance the scales either in time or eternity.



DO YOU NEED PRAYER OR KNOW SOMEONE WHO DOES?

Submit Your Prayer Request



The Prayer Team receives your prayer requests and prays for the needs in your life. Our prayer team prays daily for the requests given to them. Submit a prayer request on an information card at the kiosk in the foyer, leave a comment on the Friday morning live feed, or email your prayer requests before 9:00 am on Mondays to: office@casbc.net or call 277-1533.

Facebook Live Prayer and Devotional

A great way to start your Friday is praying for others. Each week Pastor David Peugh goes live on Facebook to deliver a devotion, pray for our prayer list and whatever things God puts on your heart to share and pray about. Everyone is encouraged to come and pray with us every Friday morning on the LIVE FEED.

YOUR GENEROSITY IS CHANGING LIVES

Please look for the Four Ways to Give Card in the seat back for details on how you can be a part of what God is doing at the Avenue.



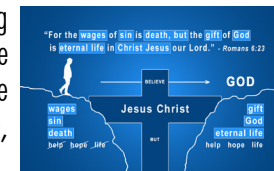
MEN'S BIBLE STUDY ACCOUNTABILITY GROUP, Thursdays 6:30 PM

The Bible is clear: Men Grow in Christ through Bible Study, prayer, and accountability to one another. This is a time for men of all ages to fellowship through bible study while bonding as men of God and learning to trust and be accountable to each other. For more information, please call Marvin King at 416-6516.



LEARNING TO SHARE YOUR FAITH, Tuesday September 23 @ 6:30-8:00 PM

One-Verse Evangelism is a simple, interactive way to share Christ's love conversationally and visually. It is based on asking questions and sharing truth simply. It's easy to learn because it uses just one verse. Join Pastor David Peugh to learn how to share your faith in a simple clear way. For more information, please contact Pastor David at 326-4826.



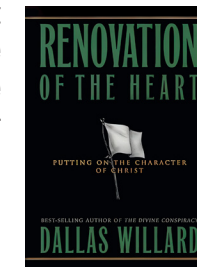
PASTOR'S BOOK STUDY - RENOVATION OF THE HEART

Sundays at 6:00 PM, It's not too late to join the study!

Renovation of the Heart, explains the common misunderstandings about human nature and the discipleship process by outlining the general pattern of personal spiritual transformation, not as a formula, but as a systematic process. As intentional apprentices of Jesus, we are to move deeper into a relationship with God while becoming more like Jesus. Pastor David Peugh will guide you in discovering your true identity while exploring spiritual growth in a new way.

Is the cry of your heart... "I want to go to Church?"
Or is the cry of your heart... "Lord, I want to be a Christian with all my heart?"

This study will help you understand the difference.



ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A PLACE TO BE A PART OF WHAT GOD IS DOING IN OUR CHURCH AND COMMUNITY?

- You Need Healthy Relationships.
- You Need a Place Where You Can Use Your Gifts and Talents.
- You Need a Place Where You Can Grow.
- You Need to Belong to Something Bigger than Yourself.

God has a special plan for our church. Use your God-given gifts and abilities in serving God and others through our church family. God has given you a unique personality, abilities, and experiences to make a difference in the lives of other people.

Do you want to meet to talk about how you can be a part of what God is doing? Contact Shelly Dilley at 288-5047.

