

## **TODAY'S SERMON SCRIPTURE**

### **Genesis 16:11-12**

<sup>11</sup> The angel of the LORD also said to her:

“You are now pregnant  
and you will give birth to a son.  
You shall name him Ishmael,  
for the LORD has heard of your misery.

<sup>12</sup> He will be a wild donkey of a man;  
his hand will be against everyone  
and everyone's hand against him,  
and he will live in hostility  
toward all his brothers.”

## **UPCOMING EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES**

### **Wednesday Night Events**

- August 31** Celebration Gathering at the building 7:00 pm  
Letter writing at the building 6:30 pm
- September 7** Service night at the church building 6:00 pm  
we will be trimming bushes, weedeating, general  
clean up of the grounds.
- September 14** Singing & visitation at Southlake 6:30 pm  
Letter writing at the building 6:30 pm
- September 21** Volunteering at LICS 6:30 pm  
Letter writing at the building 6:30 pm
- September 28** TBA

### **LIFE GROUPS**

Please sign up **TODAY** if you want to be a part of a life group  
(small group bible study on Sunday night in someone's home.)  
Also indicate if you would be willing to host or lead a life group.

### **PRAYER REQUEST**

**Julia Furr, Norm & Lynn Gaines, John Chandler, Andrew Brown, Makonde Team**

**Jean Cottrell**, has resumed chemo treatments, pray she will be able to tolerate them.

**Jack Close** is home from the hospital. Continue to pray for his recovery.

**Leanne Badeaux** remember her in prayer.

**Marjorie O'Neal**, Phyllis Bruff's mother, continue to lift the family up in prayer.

**Karen Thompson**, Andrews mom had eye surgery this week.

**Chris Shedd**, Ryan's brother is in jail in Georgia.

**Sarah Fabry**, as she adjust to her college year away from home. That she will be strengthened and feel our love.

# **SERVING TODAY August 28, 2011**



**WORSHIP LEADER:** Andrew Thompson

**LORD'S SUPPER:** Michael Barker

**LORD SUPPER SERVERS:** Cameron Kerby  
Wayne Burress  
Eduardo Diaz  
Ryan Shedd  
Matthew Bridges  
Sean Kiser  
Travis Jex  
Corey Wisniewski

**ELDER BLESSING:** Allan Whitacre

## **Our Celebration**

*O Come Let Us Adore Him  
Shout Hallelujah  
You Are Worthy Of My Praise  
No Other Gods*

Welcome by Andrew Thompson

*Before The Throne Of God Above  
The Risen Christ*

Communion Thoughts by Michael Barker  
Bread (song: *Open Our Eyes Lord/Abre Mis Ojos*)  
Cup (song: *Be Unto Your Name*)  
Giving (song: *Offering/Lord We Come Before Thee Now*)

*Great Are You Lord*

Sermon by Allen Close: "Abram and Sarai Help God Out"  
Invitation (song: *I Worship You Almighty God*)

Elder Blessing

*Magnificat*



Jeff & Trish Kerby



**Sound Room:** Chester Warren



**Nursery Infants - 2 Yrs:** Cheryl Larsen Rachel Larsen

**Nursery 2-3 yrs:** Karen Oliver Heather McNeil

### **Birthdays**

8/29 Drew Thompson    8/29 Cindy Cox    9/1 Mara Mae Grice  
9/2 Sophia Kellis    9/2 Tucker Kitchen    9/2 Aaron Iniguez  
9/3 Rick Grice    9/3 Geoffrey Cottrell



### **Anniversaries**

9/1 Vernon & Karen Lowe

**Pulpit Minister: Allen Close**  
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**Creative Arts Minister: Rick Castleman**  
rick@lexingtonchurch.net

**Youth: Dawn Wisniewski**  
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**College & Young Adults: Keke Brooks**  
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**Pastoral Counselor: Karen Close**  
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**Bible Study**  
Sunday 9:00 AM

**Assembly**  
Sunday 10:00 AM

**Life Groups in homes**  
Sunday evenings

**Bible Study**  
Wednesdays 7:00PM