

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ISBC Men's Ministry: Contact Matthew Robinson, Tom Hays or Clifford Andrews.

Men's Breakfast: **Saturday, February 17** at 8:00AM Please register by **February 11**.

Super Bowl Hangout: **Sunday, February 11**, 6:00PM - 10:00PM. All men and MS & HS guys are invited to watch the game together in the Student Center.

Christian Literature Collection: **Saturday, March 9**, 10:00AM - 1:00PM.

ISBC Women's Ministry: Contact womensministry@isbc.org

ISBC Ladies Retreat "Pursuing Peace": **February 23-25**, Speaker: Hettie Brittz Carson Springs Baptist Conference Center, Newport, TN Cost: \$125/ includes 2 nights lodging / 5 meals. Registration Deadline: **TODAY**

ISBCkids: Contact Rachel O'Dell Rachel@isbc.org

Awana: Contact Cathy Davenport or email awana@isbc.org

Wednesdays 6:30 - 8:00PM in the Christian Life Center.

CentriKid Camp, Ridgecrest Conference Center: **June 10 - 14, 2024** Total Cost: \$259 - \$100 Deposit due with registration by **TODAY** (\$75 is non-refundable).

ISBCstudents: Contact Elijah Cox elijah@isbc.org

EQUIP Sunday's 5:30 - 6:30PM in the Student Center.

ISBCstudent Nights Wednesday's @ 6:00PM in the Student Center.

MS & HS Guys Hockey Trip: **February 17**, 4:00PM - 12:00AM Cost \$30
Deadline to register: **February 14**

Refresh 2024, Doe River Gorge, **April 19 - 21** ISBC students \$50. Bring a friend for free. Space is limited to 40. Deadline to register **April 14**.

Student Life Camp (Myrtle Beach): **June 17 - 21** ISBC students: \$150.
Contact Elijah for details about bringing a friend. Space is limited to 45.

Senior Adults: Contact Pastor Tom Schoeneck tom@isbc.org

Lamplight Theater on **Saturday, February 17** for the 2:00PM show of "Shenanigans". Tickets will be \$13 and will be purchased at the door

Hymn Sing at the Cove on **Monday, March 25, 2024**. Your cost is \$20.

Spring Discipleship Seminars **TODAY at 5:30PM** and **Wednesday at 6:30PM** upstairs in the Education Wing. **Sunday, February 11 classes will alter their schedule and meet 4:30 - 5:30PM.**



INDIAN SPRINGS

BAPTIST CHURCH

February 4, 2024

"PRAXIS"

James: A Wise and Practical Faith

Hope Under Pressure, James 1.4

Pastor Aaron Rayburn

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Just point your phone's camera at this code and follow the link that pops up!



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ISBC EVENT REGISTRATIONS:

bit.ly/isbcregister

Or at the Registration Station in the lobby.

CHURCH CALENDAR:

isbc.churchcenter.com/calendar

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PRELUDE

“PSALM 150 (PRAISE THE LORD)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

“PRAISE HIM PRAISE HIM”

“ALL MY BOAST IS IN JESUS”

TIME OF FELLOWSHIP

“THANK YOU JESUS FOR THE BLOOD”

“HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD WITH HOW GREAT THOU ART”

MESSAGE — PASTOR AARON

TIME OF RESPONSE

“GOODNESS OF GOD”

CLOSING

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4

9:00AM: Sunday School
10:30AM: Worship Service
4:30PM: Deacon's Meeting
5:30PM: Discipleship Seminars

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6

6:30PM Kid's Ministry Feeds the Fire Dept.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

5:00PM: Student Worship Collective
6:00PM: Student Nights
6:30PM: Awana
6:30PM: Worship Choir Rehearsal
7:00PM: Worship Choir & Orchestra
7:45PM: Orchestra Rehearsal
8:00PM: Praise Band Rehearsal

DEACONS & PASTOR ON CALL THIS WEEK:

Mike Capell 276/591-8456
Greg Perdue 423/782-6347

Friday, February 9:
Pastor Evan Edwards 423/367-9621

JANUARY 28, 2023

Worship Service: 468
Sunday School: 250
Weekly Budget: \$35,657.49
General Giving: \$21,999.76

Contribution Statements:

Thursday, January 11 an email containing a link for you to download your contribution statement was sent. If you did not receive it, please contact the office at 323-2187 or melissa@isbc.org. If we do not have an email address for you your statement was mailed the same day. Please allow two weeks for US Mail delivery.

WAYS TO GIVE

- ◆ OFFERING BOXES IN EACH LOBBY
- ◆ TEXT AMOUNT TO 84321

Recurring contributions can easily be set up through online giving on the Church Center App. You can find the app in your App store then look for Indian Springs Baptist Church.

“PRAXIS”

James: A Wise and Practical Faith
Hope Under Pressure, James 1.4

Count (= to consider and think through; to process. Ps 46.10) > **Joy** (= the absolute hope of future good. Romans 5.3) = **steadfastness, maturity, lacking nothing**

Results. 3-4

Produce.

katergazomai = to carry through to the end; the end result; considerable expenditure of effort; to bear down to the ground until the work / conflict is done

Steadfastness.

hupomone = remaining under; unflinching hope; no double mindedness (1.6-8)

Is this merely the ability to endure?

Perseverance is more than endurance. It is endurance combined with absolute assurance and certainly that what we are looking for is going to happen. Perseverance means more than just hanging on, which may be only exposing our fear of letting go and falling. Perseverance is our supreme effort of refusing to believe that our hero is going to be conquered. . . . there is a call to spiritual perseverance. A call not to hang on and do nothing, but to work deliberately, knowing with certainty that God will never be defeated.” Oswald Chambers, My Utmost for His Highest

James 5.11

Hebrews 12.2, Looking steadfastly (*aphorao*) on Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before endured (*verb, hupomeno*) the cross

Perfect / complete / lacking nothing.

perfect = *teleios* = complete, mature, full grown, whole

complete = *holokleros* = intact, to retain

lacking = *leipo* = falling short; being destitute; being in need

How will I know if I am counting it all joy?