

SUNDAY

Welcome to SouthField

January 7, 2018

SouthField Kids

SouthField Kids enjoy a learning experience designed just for them. As you arrive, register with one of our check-in assistants. You will receive a name tag and a parent tag. The number on your parent tag will be used to contact you if your child needs your attention. During the school year Big Kids and Little Kids are offered during both the 9:00 and 10:30 Sunday services.

SouthField Students

Get ready for a high-energy time packed with games, worship, learning, and conversations. We prove that growth and a good time are not mutually exclusive!

Refuge [Junior High]
6:30 to 8:30pm Wednesdays

Revive [High School]
6:00 to 8:00pm Sundays

Online Giving Options

Make a one time contribution or set up recurring donations by clicking *GIVE* at southfieldchurch.com. You may even text the amount you want to donate to 84321.

Stay Connected

To receive Southfield emails, indicate your interest on our website or text SOUTHFIELD to 22828. Adding our email address to your contact list will ensure delivery. Gmail user? You might find our email under the promotions tab.

Catch the Podcast

If you miss a Sunday, you don't have to miss the message. On the website you'll find a podcast tab. You can listen online or download the service to your device.

Journey Groups

God doesn't intend for us to live the Christian life alone. That's why we offer Journey Groups. Sessions begin in September, January, April, and June. Groups provide opportunities to connect, discuss personal challenges, study the Bible, tackle questions, pray, and receive support in a way that isn't possible on Sunday mornings. For more information, see the Journey Group page on our website.

Winter jGroup Session Starts Today!

Our Winter Journey Group session begins today. Most groups start this week, so register asap! For more information about group options, pick up a Journey Group flyer at the Welcome Desk. Registration is open at southfieldchurch.com.

Created to Be Creative Outreach

Ladies, explore your creative process AND give a friend a taste of what real Christian community is like from 7-9pm on Friday, **January 19**. This evening combines outreach, painting, and laughter and the two-for-one \$25 registration fee allows you to bring one guest at no additional cost. So invite a friend who doesn't attend SouthField and register by January 17 at southfieldchurch.com.

Dave Ramsey Class Starts Soon

What if you could be debt-free with an emergency fund of 3-6 months of expenses saved, all while investing for retirement and planning for your family's future? Sound impossible? It's not! With Dave Ramsey's class Financial Peace University, you CAN take control of your money. Class meets 7-8:30pm on Tuesday evenings starting **January 16**. If you're interested in learning more, stop by the Welcome Desk or go to the News/Events page at southfieldchurch.com.

Victorious Women's Retreat

Many of us strive for victory, but struggle with how to measure success. We long for the mountain top experience, but allow life's obstacles to trip us up. While the path to victory may not be easy, the vital element for success is certainly within your grasp. Join us from 8:30am-4:00pm on **February 10** and learn how victory sits in the palm of your hands. Registration fee includes breakfast (coffee, water, fruit, and bagels), a catered lunch from Panera, retreat supplies, and craft.

Annual Meeting

Once a year SouthFielders gather to review the previous year and dream about the future. This year's meeting will be held at 7pm on Monday, January, 29.

First time here?

If you are new, you're probably wondering what to expect. While it is not possible to describe the entire SouthField experience on a page of paper, we think you'll find the following items helpful.

Hopefully you got some coffee

If not, head out and get a cup. We think it is some of the best coffee you'll find at any church, and it's free.

What about kids?

Yep, we love them and are glad you value bringing them to church. Look to the left column. See the note on SouthField Kids? That's what you need to know.

Parents of Young Children

We offer a safe and high-quality learning experience for children ages birth-5th grade. If you choose to have your children worship with you, we welcome you to do so. However, because we want to help everyone fully engage without distraction, we humbly ask that if your child becomes fussy or chatty, that you step out with them for the sake of those around you. Thank you for your consideration.

Communion

We celebrate communion every Sunday in a variety of ways that keep the experience fresh and meaningful. If you are a Christ follower, please participate. Prior to communion, we enter into silence. We value stillness. It creates space for God to move us toward Him and His desires.

Want to Know More?

Stop by the Welcome Center as you leave. We would enjoy meeting you and helping you learn more about SouthField. If you don't have time to stop, then check out the First Steps page on our website. It's the first option you'll see when you click Connect.

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NOTES

Bibles and pens are available at the door • Join our wifi and follow along using your electronic device • Passages will be projected on the screen

You Matter to God

That's Why We're Here

We believe there is more to this life than this life. God made us for a relationship with Him. But our friendship was interrupted by sin. Sin is an attempt to make life work on our own, apart from God. The only way to resume this friendship is to deal with our sin. Here's the Good News. Jesus paid for our sin so we wouldn't have to. To receive the gift of God's friendship, repentance and faith is required. We must acknowledge our sin and have faith in what Jesus did for us. The prayer below is an expression of that kind of faith.

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed; but, through You, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank You for paying my debt, bearing my punishment, and offering forgiveness. I turn from my sins and trust You as Savior. Amen

News and Notes

Calendar

Winter jGroup Session Starts	January 7
<i>Let It Shine</i> Blood Drive	January 8
Jr High <i>Arctic Blast</i> Trip	January 26-28
Annual Meeting	January 29
<i>Victorious</i> Women's Retreat	February 10
Feed My Starving Children	February 16
Green Lake Missions Trip	June 3-8
<i>Quest</i> Day Camp	June 25-28

Today's Play List

Overwhelmed
Love On The Line
Great Are You Lord

Giving

Budget	560,418
Weekly Need	10,777
Giving YTD	516,219
Weekly Average	9,740
Building Fund	335,523

Prayer

Prayer Station

In the noise break just outside the worship center, you'll find a corner where you can write prayer requests and display them to be lifted to God on your behalf. It's a place where you can linger and pray anytime you're at SouthField. It's also a place where you can encourage others by displaying answers to prayer. Stop by anytime. Take a card, write your request, and know that we'll be praying!

Let Someone Pray with You

After both services each Sunday morning, a caring individual is available to listen to your prayer requests and to join you in lifting them up to God. Prayer team members wait near the front right side of the stage immediately following the service. Please feel free to ask for prayer anytime! Your requests will be kept confidential unless you ask that they be shared with the entire prayer team.

**WANT TO KNOW MORE?
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