

**Pulpit Swap with Briarcliff
&
Clairmont Hills Baptist
Church**

Sunday, February 19, 2017

11 am



Please welcome Pastor Fred Pitts (“Pastor Fred”) to Briarcliff Baptist this Sunday! Many months ago, Briarcliff and Clairmont Hills Baptist began a discussion about the possibility of merging together. Members of each church’s leadership teams have met continuously since October exploring the possibility, feasibility, and desirability of the two churches becoming one and being better together. In this process, we invited CHBC to join us for our Chili Cook off and Super Bowl watch party; It was a great time and was very well attended. This Sunday, as we continue to get to know one another, the Pastors of both churches are swapping pulpits. This will give both congregations the pleasure of getting to know the other church’s pastor, and will allow the pastors to get to know the worship and people of the other church. Please plan on attending Sunday and making Pastor Fred and his wife Cindy feel the love and hospitality you have shown to countless others. God is up to something BIG!

A Little About Pastor Fred

Pastor Fred became the lead pastor of Clairmont Hills Baptist Church in September 2004. Although life in the 21st century is complex, he believes the purpose of life can be summed in a simple way, using the answer Jesus gave when asked which was the greatest of all the commandments: "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' The second is this: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'" Pastor Fred says, "As a pastor, the primary calling in my life is helping people live out their purpose. My passion is teaching God's word in a manner that is both understandable and relevant. Primary emphases in my ministry are compassion and encouragement. I like to see myself as a 'player-coach' who walks among others in the church and not above them." Please plan on attending Sunday and welcoming Pastor Fred.



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community groups

Are you part of a group here at BBC?

Join a community group today!

Community Group	Room	Topic
BBC Kids (K-2)	220 <i>Leader: Merry Rowe, 404.326.6315</i>	Children's Group
BBC Kids (3-5)	217 <i>Leader: Doug Jamieson, 404.321.1936</i>	Children's Group
Credo (Young Adults)	224 <i>Leader: Dr. Sam Caudill, 770.414.9824</i>	The Origins of Christian Faith
Daring Faith (Mixed)	213 <i>Leader: Pastor Paul Millarc, 404.989.7900</i>	ImpACT Scriptures
Hidden Treasures (Mixed)	219 <i>Leader: Tim Swanson, 832.586.5766</i>	The Gospel of Luke
PAL (50's +)	207 <i>Leader: Chris Hunnicutt, 404.325.8998</i>	LifeWay Lessons
Youth	208 <i>Leader: Tiaan Schutte, 404.247.5010</i>	Live to Tell It: Learning to Share Your Story

Missions News ~ Continued Donation Collection

The mission team is teaming up with the Clothes Closet and we need your help! We are having clothing drive in February. The clothes closet is in need of the following MEN's items: jeans, khakis, sweatshirts, long-sleeve t-shirts, boots, sneakers, dress shoes, coats, jackets, gloves, belts, wallets, socks, underwear, undershirts, and sleepwear.



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Upcoming EVENTS

Make Plans to Be a Part

February

- 19 Briarcliff and Clairmont Hills Baptist Church Pulpit Swap
- 22 Wednesday Night Activities
- 25 9 am ~ Grasshopper Basketball, Gym
- 28 9:30 –11:30 am ~ Women's Ministry Event (details below)

women's ministry

Next BBC Women's Event
Tuesday, February 28



We will be helping organize the clothes closet from 9:30 am—11:30 am. After we will go to Newk's for lunch together. Please see Norma Millarc to sign up or for more information.

Food Ministry Distribution Leader Needed!

The BBC missions team is looking for someone to lead this ministry on Tuesday mornings. Duties include organizing/coordinating the bread and food bags and to recruit/schedule volunteers. If interested call Kevin Fortune at 404.550.7308.

