

New Here?_____

Welcome to Gospel Light!

We're so glad you came to worship with us today and want to do all we can to help you feel at home. If you have any questions please stop by the desk in the atrium and ask one of our friendly volunteers. We're honored to help you anyway we can!

Lighthouse Small Groups

If you are desiring a closer relationship with Jesus Christ, one of the best ways to make that happen is by being part of a Small Group. Small Groups are weekly small gatherings where we dig deep into the Word of God, find fellowship and support, as well as ways to provide service and outreach into our community. Come by "The Welcome Desk" in the atrium for more information.

Ministry Contacts

Senior Pastor - eric.capaci@gospellight.org
Counseling Pastor - doug.gulley@gospellight.org

Pastor's Prayer Line Numbers

Hear Requests - 501-624-5288 - ext. 7
Leave Requests - 501-624-5288 - ext. 8

Guest WiFi

Network: Gospel Light Guests | Password: Light_hotsprings

Connection Card



"Welcome to Gospel Light! If this is your first time visiting, we have a FREE gift for you as our way of celebrating your visit today! Also, as our guest, please scan this QR code, which allows us to better introduce ourselves through brief, short videos. Go ahead and scan now to take a look!"

Weekly Schedule

<i>Sunday</i>	
9:00 am	Worship Service Adult Small Groups (On Campus)
10:45 am	Worship Service & Livestream Children's Worship and Small Groups (<i>Worship services are identical.</i>)
<i>Monday - Sunday</i>	
Various Times	Adult Small Groups (In Home) (<i>For small group list contact info@gospellight.org</i>)
<i>Wednesday</i>	
6:00pm	Student Worship and Small Groups
6:30pm	Ignite (<i>Bi-weekly on Wednesdays</i>)

Bible Reading

- Matthew 3-4
- Matthew 5
- Matthew 6
- Matthew 7
- Matthew 8

Memory Verses:

- Matthew 5:16
- Matthew 6:33

Financial Update_____

Weekly Budgets	Last Week's Giving		
Main Campus: \$17,598.17	General: \$27,858.96		• Give online: www.gospellight.org
Spanish Campus: \$484.62	Missions: \$2,480.85		• By mail: 600 Garland Ave, Hot Springs, AR 71913
LH Campus: \$1,915.38	Blessing: \$230.54		• By text: Text "GIVE [amount]" to (888) 486-5187
LSH Campus: \$1,384.62			• Giving Questions? jeff.manthe@gospellight.org
PP Campus: \$1,500.00			501.624.5288 ext.108
Missions: \$1,615.38			

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...YOU ARE EMPOWERED FROM ON HIGH - LUKE 24:49 -

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Worship Guide - August 9, 2026

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Teen Affirmation/Promotion Sunday - TODAY
Leadership Rally - TODAY, 5:30 PM
CCC First Day of Classes - August 12
Ignite Activity - August 12, 6:30 PM
GLCS Volleyball Game - August 13, 4:30/5:30 PM
Ignite Service - August 19, 6:30 PPM

Lord's Supper - August 23, 5 PM
Spanish Campus's 24th Anniversary - August 30
Shine Prayer Meeting - September 5, 10 AM
Forge Service Activity for Widows - September 5
Next Baptism Sunday - September 6
Shine Women's Retreat - September 26, 9:30 AM - 3 PM

LEADERSHIP RALLY - Dear Gospel Light Family on All Campuses, our Leadership Rally will take place TODAY, at 5:30 p.m., on the main campus in the Gospel Light auditorium! The leadership rally will last one hour, and everyone is invited! We even encourage you to invite those who might be interested in becoming a part of Gospel Light.

GOSPEL LIGHT CHEER FALL MUM FUNDRAISER - The Gospel Light cheerleaders are having a fall fundraiser from August 12 to September 9. They are selling beautiful potted mums for \$25 per pot. Please stop by their table in the atrium after the service to place your order today! For any questions, please contact Coach Celsi Silva at 325-668-7938.

LORD'S SUPPER SERVICE - We will be observing the Lord's Supper on Sunday, August 23, at 5 p.m., in the auditorium at 600 Garland Ave. We encourage you to prepare your heart now as we remember what our Lord and Saviour, Jesus did on the cross for us!

SHINE WOMEN'S RETREAT - The Arkansas Baptist Women's Conference invites women from all walks of life to come together for a powerful time of worship, fellowship, and spiritual renewal on Saturday, September 26, from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., at Immanuel Baptist Church in Little Rock. This year's theme, "Rooted," is inspired by Colossians 2:6-7, which calls us to walk in Christ, "rooted and built up in Him, established in the faith." Through dynamic teaching and heartfelt worship, the conference will explore what it means to be deeply grounded in Christ in a world that constantly shifts. Join us as we grow deeper in faith, stronger in community, and more fully rooted in the love and truth of Jesus. The cost is \$35 for regular registration and \$25 for student registration. Register on the church center app or by calling the church office before September 13!

CAPCHI'S SUNDAY VOLUNTEERS - Capachi's is in need of volunteers who can help run the cash register, and we would love to have you! You can choose to volunteer during the 9 a.m. or the 10:45 a.m. service, and you get a free drink for every service you volunteer. If you are interested in volunteering or would like more information, please contact Andrew Corter at 501-276-9893 or andrew.corter@champion.edu.

SHINE PRAYER MEETING - Ladies, come join us on Saturday, September 5, from 10 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., in Capachi's for a time of prayer and fellowship!



If you have a heart for little ones and are willing to serve, we would love to have you join the Mini-Lights team! Whether you can help occasionally or on a regular schedule, your time and care make a difference. This is a wonderful opportunity to share the love of Jesus and help create a safe, loving environment for our children during services. For more information, please contact Courtney Manthe at (913)683-2328 or courtney.manthe@champion.edu.



1. If you are interested in helping serve in Kids Light, please contact Beth Firestone at 224-632-0750 or at beth.firestone@gospellight.org.
2. Be sure to follow us on Instagram [@kidslight_glbc](#).
3. Download the free Parent Cue App for resources to help disciple your children.



For any questions, you can contact our student pastor Kyle Connor at 219-775-1725. You can also follow @lit_yth_ on Instagram and Facebook for updates and further announcements!



1. Ignite will be playing pickleball on Wednesday, August 12, at 6:30 p.m., at Family Park.
2. The next Ignite service will be Wednesday, August 19, at 6:30 p.m., in Capachi's!
3. For any questions, you can contact Zo Capaci at 501-463-8791. You can also follow @ignitespacity on Instagram for updates and further announcements!



Come cheer on the Lady Lions as they have their first home games on Thursday, August 13, at 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m., at the Champion Community Center!



SUMMER *FRUITS*

GALATIANS 5:22-23

Mastering Your Inner Life: The Fruit of Temperance/Self-Control

Self-control is not merely about controlling ourselves; it's about allowing the _____ to control us.

Self-control is not about _____ yourself. It's about surrendering yourself to the _____ control.

3 Principles That Teach Us How to Live Under the Holy Spirit's Control

1. Surrender your _____.

- Every temptation begins with a _____.
- Instead of our desires being _____ by God, we often allow our desire to _____ us.
- When we _____ come to Christ, we often obey because we know we should; and as we mature in Christ, we _____ obey because we _____ want to.
- Spiritual growth begins when we stop making _____ and start taking _____ before God.
- The Holy Spirit cannot _____ what we continue to _____.
- Self-control is not about saying, "_____, " to everything; it's about saying, "_____, " to the Spirit of God.

2. Strengthen your _____.

- Spiritual maturity is developed _____ decision at a time as we _____ surrender ourselves to the Holy Spirit.
- Character is developed _____ before it is displayed _____, and that is why spiritual disciplines matter.

3. Shine through your _____.

- Self-control always begins with loving God _____ than the temptation before us.
- When the Holy Spirit controls the _____, He also controls the _____.

AS WE COME TO THE END OF THIS SERIES, REMEMBER THIS:
THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT IS NOT A LIST OF BEHAVIORS FOR US TO IMITATE.
IT IS THE CHARACTER OF CHRIST REPRODUCED IN US BY THE HOLY SPIRIT.
DAY BY DAY, DECISION BY DECISION, HE IS TRANSFORMING US INTO THE
LIKENESS OF CHRIST.

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