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 Request Line: 501-624-5288 ext. 1

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

Sunday

9:00 am	Worship Service Adult Small Groups (On Campus)
10:45 am	Worship Service & Livestream Children's Worship and Small Groups (*Worship services are identical.*)

Monday -Sunday

Various Times	Adult Small Groups (In Home) *(For small group list contact info@gospellight.org)*

Wednesday

6:00pm	Student Worship and Small Groups
6:30pm	Ignite *(Bi-weekly on Wednesdays)*

Bible Reading

Acts 20-21
Acts 22-23
Acts 24-25
Acts 26-27
Acts 28

Memory Verses:
Acts 20:24
2 Corinthians 4:7-10

Financial Update

Weekly Budgets

Main Campus: $17,598.17
Spanish Campus: $484.62
LH Campus: $1,915.38
LSH Campus: $1,384.62
PP Campus: $1,500.00
Missions: $1,615.38

Last Week's Giving

General: $22,500.14

Missions: $1,764.06

Blessing: $658.40

- **Give online:** www.gospellight.org
- **By mail:** 600 Garland Ave, Hot Springs, AR 71913
- **By text:** Text "**GIVE [amount]**" to (888) 486-5187
- **Giving Questions?** jeff.manthe@gospellight.org 501.624.5288 ext.1008

GOSPEL LIGHT BAPTIST CHURCH 2026

EMPOWERED

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

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Worship Guide - November 15, 2026

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Ministry Opportunities

UPCOMING DATES

Lord's Supper Service - TODAY, 5 PM
Ignite Friendsgiving - November 18, 6:30 PM
OCC Shoebox National Collection Week - November 15-22
GLCS Homecoming - November 20, 4:30 PM
GLCS Thanksgiving Break - November 23-27
Thanksgiving Day Feast - November 26
Family Service Sunday - November 29
Shine Christmas Tea - December 5, 11 AM - 1 PM
Baptism Sunday - December 6
Shine Prayer Meeting - December 12, 10 AM

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

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES - We are packing shoeboxes and sending them to children all over the world! All shoeboxes need to be packed and returned to the church no later than Sunday, November 22. Please drop your packed shoebox off at the welcome desk in the atrium. If you have any questions, contact Carie Bachel at carie.bachel@gospellight.org or at 501-624-5288, ext. 1020.

SHINE FOR A CAUSE: CHRISTMAS TEA - Ladies, you are cordially invited to our Christmas Tea on Saturday, December 5, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Chittum Venue (305 Forest Lakes Blvd). Not only will we enjoy a tea party filled with little sandwiches, Christmas treats, and hot tea with homemade clotted cream; but we will also enjoy hearing from our very own Karen Davis and having some fun along the way, all while benefiting Beautiful Life Recovery House! Don't forget to invite that friend, neighbor, or co-worker you have been praying for! Cost is $20. Register by December 2 on the church center app!

THANKSGIVING DAY FEAST - Our annual community project we call the "Thanksgiving Day Feast" is coming soon! Sign up today as a volunteer on the church center app or by calling the church office at 501-624-5288. You can also sign up to donate pies at the welcome desk or by designating $8 increments to the blessing fund! You can deliver your 20-25 lbs. turkeys to 600 Garland Avenue at the Cafeteria door. If your donated turkey(s) is UNCOOKED, deliver it between now and November 22 if it is frozen or by noon November 23 if it is thawed. However, if it is COOKED and PULLED, you may deliver it between November 23-25 along with your pies. Please call the church office to notify the time of your delivery in case instructions are needed.

5TH SUNDAY FAMILY SERVICE - Our Family Service will be Sunday, November 29. All the elementary aged kids will join the adults in the service (Minilights for nursery and preschool will still be available). This will be a great opportunity for families to worship together, and we will even have a special worship guide just for the kids! We would like to invite the adults to participate with the children in their Kid's Light offering project for Ashes to Life. Come prepared with coins (and/or bills) to donate during an offering time in the service.

SHINE PRAYER MEETING - Ladies, come join us on Saturday, December 12, from 10 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., at our Park Place Campus for a time of prayer and fellowship!

BAPTISM SUNDAY - Baptism Sunday will be December 6! If you are interested in following Jesus in believer's baptism, or if you would like to know more about what it means to follow Jesus in believer's baptism, please contact the church office at 501-624-5288.

MINILIGHTS NURSERY MINISTRY

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.

KID'S LIGHT CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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.

LIT YTH MINISTRY

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!

IGNITE COLLEGE & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

1. Ignite will be having friendsgiving on Wednesday, November 18, at 6:30 p.m., at Pastor Capaci's home (621 3rd St.). The theme is "Color Me Grateful"--match your dish with your fit.
2. For any questions, you can contact Zo Capaci at 501-463-8791. You can also follow @ignitespacity on Instagram for updates and further announcements!

GOSPEL LIGHT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Come out and support our Lions for their homecoming basketball games on Friday, November 20! Homecoming court begins at 4:30 p.m., and the games start at 5 p.m., in the Gospel Light Gym.

CHAMPION CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

Empowered JOY

THE SPIRIT FILLED LIFE IN PHILIPPIANS

How to Protect Your Joy

We can lose our joy when we start looking for it in the _____ places.

You can be successful in _____ and still be empty _____.

3 Powerful Ways to Protect Our Joy

1. Reject _____ without relationship.
   - Nothing drains the _____ out of Christianity faster than turning a relationship with Jesus into a religious _____.
   - God is more interested in your _____ than He is in your religious _____.
   - Stop trying to _____ what Jesus has already _____.
2. Reassess what really _____.
   - When Christ becomes your greatest _____, everything else finds its proper place.
   - When first things are put _____, second things _____.
   - It's possible to spend our whole lives climbing the ladder of _____ only to discover it's leaning against the _____ wall.
   - When Jesus becomes our greatest _____, we can appreciate life's _____ without depending on them for our happiness.
   - There is nothing wrong with having goals, but don't allow a _____ thing to become the most _____ thing.
3. Refocus on knowing _____.
   - The _____ you know Jesus, the _____ you discover what there is to love about Him.

Paul Wanted to Experience 3 Things

1. To know Jesus _____

   3 Ways to Know Jesus Personally
   1. _____ – Spend time with Jesus through His Word.
   2. _____ – Communicate with Jesus through prayer.
   3. _____ – Follow Jesus through faith and obedience.

   - The secret to lasting joy isn't knowing more _____; it's knowing Jesus more _____.

2. To know Christ's _____
3. To know Jesus through _____

THE SECRET TO PROTECTING YOUR JOY ISN'T HOLDING ON MORE TIGHTLY TO THE THINGS OF THIS WORLD. IT'S HOLDING MORE CLOSELY TO JESUS. THAT'S EMPOWERED JOY!

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