



WEEKLY

Announcements

APRIL 5
2026

The SPBC Theme for 2026: Strengthening Our Communication with God in Prayer
I Thessalonians 5:16-18

Month of April from 9:00 am – 11:00 am

Annual Health Walk

The SPBC Women's Ministry will hold its Annual Health Walk every Saturday in April. EVERYONE's invited to do laps around the perimeter of the church. There will be refreshments, and a prize will be awarded. Come out for a walk and bring a friend. It's a great fellowship.

Saturday, April 11, 2026 from 1:00 – 4:00 pm ** See Flyer

AI (Artificial Intelligence) Workshop.

Join us at SPBC for this workshop that provides simple ways to use AI in everyday living situations.

Presented by Dr. Nicole Irving- Hogan

More details coming soon!

April 16, 2026

Deadline for entries to the California 26th Congressional District Congressional Art Competition

Open to high school students in the Ventura and Conejo Counties.

See attached flyer for more information

April 18, 2026 at 4:00 pm ** See Flyer

Men of Wisdom Legacy Recognition Dinner

The black-tie affair will honor "Our Senior Distinguished Elder Statesmen" who are or will be eighty (80) years or older by June 30, 2026.

The cost of the tickets is \$60.

Location: The Bard Mansion Bldg. 36 NBVC Port Hueneme, CA

Space is limited. Call the church office, see any member of the Men's Ministry, or Deacon Larry Bumpus to purchase tickets: 805-396-4479

COMING APRIL 2026

Honoring SPBC Men Over 80 Celebration!

Join the men of SPBC in celebrating our senior men of Saint Paul. ALL are invited for an evening of entertainment, fellowship, and a choice of prime rib or salmon. Tickets on sale soon: Two for \$106 / One for \$60 Location: Oxnard Performing Arts Center/ 800 Hobson Way More details to follow in the coming weeks.



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COMING SOON!!!! Spring 2026

“All Things Made New” Stage Production

Get ready for a production filled with laughter, real-life moments, healing, and prayer.

Seeking actors, and volunteers to work on the production.

See Sis. Dominica Stanley, the writer and director, to enlist your gifts.

SAVE THE DATE: June 26-28, 2026.

Youth OVERTAKE Event

A Three-Day YOUTH EXPERIENCE involving games, food, workshops and a major concert night, with a major artist.

Be a part of the team. Sign-up sheets are now in the lobby. Age is not a factor.

To join the Stepping Team, contact Dominica Stanley at 205-644-4256 or profoundandblessed@gmail.com

JOIN US FOR OUR WEEKLY IN-SERVICE EXPERIENCE

- Weekly Morning Service – Sundays 10:00 am
- Sunday School for All Ages - Sundays 8:30 - 9:30 am
- Tuesday Afternoon Bible Study – noon at the church
- Tuesday evening Prayer: Meeting with Pastor Cryer — 6:30 pm at the church
- Tuesday evening Bible Study “A Journey of a Lifetime” with Pastor Cryer — 7:00 pm at the church
- Thursday morning Men’s Prayer Breakfast — 8:00 am via Zoom (ID 882 997 3832 passcode: 972317)

SICK AND SHUT-IN, BEREAVED, THOSE ASKING FOR PRAYER

Let us pray for our known sick and shut-in members and families, and those requesting prayer including Bros. Eric Hopgood, Deacon Danny Thrower, Mother Betty Roberson, Mother Sallie Adkins, Deacon John Johnson, Sister Charlene Johnson, Brother Kenneth & Sister Jean Lee, Lizzie Jones, Sister Margaret Lewis, JA, Yvonne Railey, Shirley Johnson, Rev. Jacquala Shropshire, Paul Barsoumian, Carol Sellers (Arizona), Minnie Henderson, Mark Price, AJ Laans, Mother Olga Ivey, Sister Pollie Latimer, Mother Marie Frazier-Cannon, Liz Binder (Las Vegas), Sis Chris Trice (mother of Stephanie Wright), J’rese Mitchell, David Dawson, Audrey Coleman, AT, Cal Van Meter, Deacon Charles Dixon, Sr., Rev. Lorenzo Cole, Velvet George, Carletta and Christopher Noland, and Deana Harvey.

BEREAVEMENT

We ask that you keep all bereaved families in prayer.

YOUR GENEROSITY IN GIVING:

Your Generosity in giving makes our ministries possible by helping to fulfill our mission to build disciples who win the world for Jesus Christ. We Challenge you to be faithful in your giving. We have multiple ways to give:

- Online via Givelify
- Church Drop Box
- Church P.O. Box 642 Oxnard, CA 93032
- Debit or credit card via ATM or Kiosk located in the church
- Text by dialing (855) 520-7722 on your mobile device





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Be sure to download our new SPBC APP to receive daily bible verses, weekly Manna Moments from Pastor Cryer, Announcements, and more—right at your fingertips. Use the QR Codes here to download the APP to your iPhone or Android device. And be sure to spread the word. Henry, you'll need to add the QR codes

IMPORTANT REMINDER:

If you are planning to be in the church outside of the church service or scheduled events, please check in with the office when you arrive so we can monitor who is in the building, for the sake of the Day Care.

QUOTE FOR THE WEEK:

“No matter what happens in your life Jesus will always see you through!”

EVERYDAY AI

SIMPLE WAYS TO USE AI IN REAL LIFE SITUATIONS

Learn how to use AI for writing, creativity, research,
planning, and everyday problem solving.



DATE: April 11, 2026

FREE EVENT*

TIME: 1 PM – 4 PM PT

LOCATION: ST. PAUL BAPTIST CHURCH

1777 Statham Boulevard, Oxnard, CA 93003





It's that exciting time of year when I get to invite all high school students in grades 9-12 throughout California's 26th Congressional District to participate in the Congressional Art Competition!

This is a fantastic opportunity for our region's youth to showcase their creativity and talent. The winning artwork will be publicly displayed in the U.S. Capitol Building for a year, along with winners from across the nation. Additionally, the first-place winner and a parent/guardian will be flown to Washington, DC for the unveiling of the exhibit. Three honorable mention entries will also be on display in my district offices.

The deadline to submit artwork is **Thursday, April 16, 2026!** Artwork should be dropped off between 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM on or before the deadline at my Oxnard or Thousand Oaks district offices. Please note that **students should call in advance to schedule drop off for their artwork.**

To learn more about the 2026 Congressional Art Competition, please visit my website at <https://juliabrownley.house.gov/services/art-competition/>.

Every year, I am deeply impressed by the artistic talents of students across Ventura County and the Conejo Valley. I am confident that this year's submissions will be no exception!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Julia Brownley". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end of the last name.

Member of Congress

Pinkard Youth Institute *“A Heart for Youth”*
Presents

African American Youth Leadership Awards

Recognizing our youth in the community for service, volunteerism, scholastic achievement, and school involvement. Monetary awards will be presented.

- Two high school students: one male and one female, \$500 each

Please plan to join us for this afternoon of recognition!

SAVE THE DATE

\$80.00

Awards Luncheon

Oxnard Holiday Inn

Sunday, April 19, 2026

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

For more information contact:

Dr. Irene G. Pinkard at (805) 797-2998, Julia Dixon at (805) 901-3639 or
pinkardyouthinstitute@gmail.com

OVERTAKE STEP TEAM INTEREST

Calling All The Youth Interested In, Stepping, Rhythm, and Movement!



1. Team Options

- DELTA MU - CO-ED
- OMEGA TAKE- BOYS ONLY (SUBJECT TO PARTICIPATION)



2. Who Can Join:

- Youth Ages: 6-18 (Younger participants must be able to follow instruction and commit to rehearsals.)
- No prior stepping experience needed!
- Commitment, Teamwork, and Consistency is encouraged.



3. Practice Expectations

- Practices will likely take place on Saturdays.
- Must be available fro rehearsals leading up to the **OVERTAKE EVENT (JUNE 26-28, 2026)**.
- **FINAL** schedule to be determined based on availability.



4. Purpose/Tone

- This is to gauge interest.
- This is a **ministry-based step team**, **NOT** a fraternity or sorority.
- Focus on unity, movement, discipline, and positive expression.



5. CALL TO ACTION !!!

Interested?!

Please Contact : **Dominica Stanley**

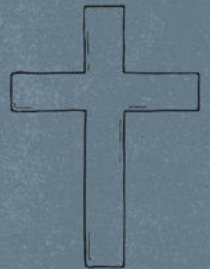
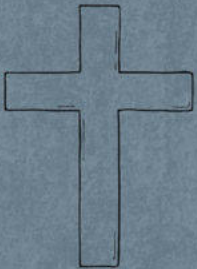
Phone: (205) 644 - 4256

Email: profoundandblessed@gmail.com

PARTICIPATION WILL DETERMINE FINAL TEAM STRUCTURE



MEN OF LEGACY



APRIL 18, 2026 4:00 PM - 9:00 PM
BARD MANSION, BLDG. 36, NBVC PORT HUENEME
CA 93041

FORMAL ATTIRE (BLACK & GOLD)

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE 805-487-2015

OVERTAKE

SAVE THE DATE !!

JUNE 26-28

FOR A WEEKEND OF
INSPIRATION, COMMUNITY
AND FAITH !

AND FOR A HOME WHERE
THERE'S NO FEAR. NO
LIMITS. JUST FIRE.



LOCATION:

1777 STATHAM BLVD.
OXNARD, CA 93033



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