

Easter at the Mathewson



What can I EXPECT?

When you enter the Center we hope you receive a warm welcome. We will have light refreshments and the door will open at 9:00 a.m. At 9:30 a.m. we will celebrate Easter with a worship experience featuring great music with a fresh "beat" (hymns, new praise songs) with a variety of styles...yes, even a little country thrown in! We're bringing in a great sound and lighting system (same used by the band Audio Adrenaline). A few "surprises" sure to engage the young and young at heart!

What should I WEAR?

Dress comfortably to suit your taste.



Where do I ENTER the fairgrounds?

The Main gate on 16th Street will be open and so will Gate 6a on Clarendon Rd. We will have parking lot greeters to help you find your way to the parking areas.

Which DOOR should I use to enter the Mathewson Center?

All of the main doors to the Center will be open with greeters to help you find your way. We will seat people on the Main floor and it can be directly accessed on the Northeast side of the facility. See the map (also on our website) For those who park on the South or West lots, feel free to use the entries on that level. There are stairs and an elevator to the Main floor.

Will there be CHILDCARE?

YES! It's no secret, we love kids. The childcare will be available for children up through age 4. We will ask parents/guardians to sign-in and sign-out the children. We want to provide a safe and secure environment for each child. For children who attend the worship celebration there will be a "bag" of goodies containing crayons, playdough and special Easter coloring pages available. There will be some very special moments for children during the service and we think they will enjoy being a part of it all.

What TIME does it start?

The doors will open at 9:00 a.m. and there will be pre-service refreshments and we will have activities for children. The Worship Celebration BEGINS at 9:30 a.m.

Does it COST anything?

NO. A love offering will be received, but if you are visiting with us we don't want you to feel obligated to give as you are our guest!

How can I get more information for SPECIAL NEEDS?

If you have special needs questions please call Bob at 660-553-1520. It is our wish that the celebration be fully accessed and enjoyed by everyone. Interpreting services will be available for this event. The Mathewson Center is wheelchair accessible and in addition to designated parking there will be optional valet service for those with mobility impairments. We will offer golf cart transport and manual wheelchairs to assist anyone who has trouble walking. We will be open at 9:00 a.m. and encourage you to arrive early. Materials will be on hand in large print and helpers available to assist in locating seating, restrooms, etc.

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