

Sunday School Prayer Emphasis

Pray faithfully for each other as Sunday School needs are emphasized. As progress continues toward establishing a new adult Sunday School Class, the need to find God appointed leadership is essential. Pray for yourself and for others to be obedient to the call of God for this ministry opportunity through Bible study.

Church Leadership Prayer Emphasis

Pray also for the Nominating Committee and Committee on Committees as they work to secure leadership for the various ministries of First Baptist Church.

Children's Activity

Wednesday, August 1st

Inflatable water slide & swimming @ the Sproles house. The cost is \$5.00 each. We will meet at the church @ 4:00 p.m. & return by 7:30 p.m. Don't forget your towel.

Mission Hope Needs

Mission Hope needs your help in gathering school supplies for the people in our area. School supplies can add up quickly. We want to help some families with this before school starts. A list for each grade level is posted on the bulletin board in the entry way of the church. You may bring the supplies to the church or by the mission by July 30th. We would like to have these items to pass out at the mission by August.

There will be a Prayer Walk for our schools on Sunday, August 5th beginning at 6:00 p.m. @ First Baptist Church. This prayer walk will cover the three schools of our community. The congregation will proceed from the church to the community school of their choice where there will be a time of prayer walking for the 2007 – 2008 school year.

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Back To School Retreat

Youth Retreat August 3rd-4th.
We will meet at F B C on Friday the 3rd @ 5:00 p.m. & will return on Saturday the 4th @ 5:00 p.m. If you are interested in going you must sign up by August 1st. The Cost is \$15.00.

The Speaker will be Johnny Cox



And we, who with unveiled faces all reflect the Lord's glory, are being transformed into His likeness with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit..

II Corinthians 3:18

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**CALENDAR
SUNDAY, JULY 29**

10:00 A.M. Sunday School
 11:00 A.M. Morning Worship Service
 5:00 P.M. ... Nominating Committee Meeting
 6:00 P.M. Evening Worship Service
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1
 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship Service
 4:00 P.M. Children's Activity
Waterslide & Swimming @ Sproles
 6:00 P.M. Youth Deep Impact
 7:00 P.M. Prayer Meeting
 7:30 P.M. Sanctuary Choir Practice
FRIDAY, AUGUST 3
 5:00 P.M. Youth Back To School Retreat
SATURDAY, AUGUST 4
 5:00 P.M. Youth Return From Retreat

**SUNDAY MORNING
NURSERY**

Donna Neal, Barbara McClellan,
Edna Rider, Tee & Pam Golding

**SUNDAY NIGHT
NURSERY**

Stephanie Jackson & Norma Biggers

NURSERY CONTACT PERSON

Betsy Tompkins

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Hershel Harp

DEACON COUNTING COMMITTEE

Harry Neal, John Perry, Ken Powell

SENIOR PARKING ATTENDANT

Sidney Castle

Sanctuary Flower Calendar

If you would like to place an arrangement in the sanctuary in memory or honor of a loved one, the following dates are available.

September 2 September 9
 September 23 September 30

**BIBLE STUDY REPORT
JULY 22, 2007**

Adult.....167
 Youth.....14
 Children11
 Preschool27
 Visitors8
ON CAMPUS TOTAL.....227
 Winona Manor.....33
 Bus Ministry4
 Kent Street Ministry4
 Homebound3
OFF CAMPUS TOTAL.....44
TOTAL IN BIBLE STUDY.....271

Thank You Notes

Thank you notes have been received from the following and are placed on the bulletin board at the Family Life Building main entrance Family:

**Tangie Carson
 Clara Dotson
 Connie Dees
 Rosie Grimm**



HOMEBOUND OF THE WEEK

MARTELE GRIFFIN
 147-A GRAYSPORT RD.
 WINONA, MS 38967

Duck Hill Baptist Church will be hosting a benefit for Lizzie Roberts on Saturday, August 4th, 10:00am-4:00pm in the church Family Life Center. There will be food, entertainment, music, an auction and lots of fun. All proceeds go to the Lizzie Roberts medical expense fund, which is set up at the Duck Hill Regions Bank.

From Your Pastor:

MATTHEW 21:43 N IV

“ Therefore I tell you that the Kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people who will produce its fruit. ”

One who delights in the world, who is enticed by flattering or deceiving earthly pleasures wants to remain in the world a long time... Since the world hates Christians, why do you love that which hates you? And why don't you follow Christ instead, who both redeemed you and who loves you? John, in his epistle, cries and urges us not to follow fleshly desires and love the world. “Love not the world.” he says, “neither the things which are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him....And the world shall pass away, and the lust thereof; but he who doeth the will of God abideth for ever, even as God abideth for ever.” Instead, beloved, let us be prepared for the will of God with a sound mind, a firm faith, and a strong virtue. Laying aside the fear of death, let us think on the eternal life to come. Through this knowledge, let us demonstrate that we are what we believe.... Then we won't delay or resist the Lord on the day He calls us to Himself.

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Change of Address

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Sympathy

The pastor and entire church family extend sympathy to the family of:

Rev. Curtis Griffin

Mission Trips

Please pray for the team members as they complete their work and for safe travel home.

Ukraine

Tammy Reid Susan Robertson
 Randy Marchant Kirby Dees
 Dr. Phillip Dancy Joby Jackson
 Stephanie Jackson Eliot Jackson
 Miles Jackson Walker Jackson

Jenny Claire Hammond

September 28th-October 6th

Peru

T.R. Darsey