#### Church Calendar ~ schedule

#### Sunday Morning, May 21st

8:30am ~ Worship

9:30–9:50am ~ Lite Breakfast

9:45am ~ Bible Study for All Ages

10:30 - 10:55 ~ Media Center

11:00am ~ Worship

2 to 4pm FB FLC/ Baby Shower ~ Shauna & Jamie Byers

#### Sunday Evening, May 21st

4:00 - 5:00pm ~ Youth Choir Rm

5:00 - 6:30pm ~ Youth Time

5:30-6:30pm ~ Adult Prayer Time & Bible Study

#### ~ Children's Choirs (pre-k/

kindergarten) in preschool area w/ Lois & Tyler and 1st - 6th in Choir Rm w/ Leslie & Jesse Davis

6:30 - 7:30pm ~ Adult handbells

Wednesday Morning, May 24th

9:30am ~ 12:00pm - Media Center Wednesday Evening, May 24th 4:30 - 5:15pm~ 3rd - 6th Children's Handbells ~ Choir Room 5:15 - 6:00pm ~ Church Supper \$6 Adult Plate &/or \$4 Child Plate Sign up by Monday at 4pm 6:15 - 7:15pm ~ Mission Groups 4 yr. olds - K ~ Mission Friends Preschool Area

1st - 3rd grade ~ Girls in Action Children's Hallway Upstairs

4th - 6th grade ~ Girls in Action Children's Hallway Upstairs

1st - 6th grade ~ RA'S - Royal Ambassadors in LG Children's  $6:15 - 7:15 \sim \text{Youth Bible Study}$ Adult Bible Study

7:15 - 8:30 ~ Sanctuary Choir

NOTE: Wednesday Night Church Supper Team will take off during the Summer and will Resume in the Fall. Thank you! Kitchen Committee

#### Wednesday Night Supper

Sign-up or call 946-8074 by Monday at 4pm

\$6.00 Adult Plate & \$4.00 Child Plate

Menu for May 24th

Smothered Chicken, Rice, Beans, Bread. Tea & Dessert





Please sign up by June 11th for a BBQ Dinner: 1/2 Chicken **Boiled Potatoes** String Beans Rolls Dessert -SUGGESTED DONATION: \$10 PER PLATE -TAKE OUT PLATES WILL BE



Deacons Nomination Forms are now available. You may nominate six **Degcons** persons. Please use a separate form for To Serve each person.

**READY BY 10:30 AM** 

All forms due in the Church Office by June 30th. Please prayerfully seek the Lord and His direction as you consider up to 6 people for nominations.

The Lohman Family is Coming Home! Let's Welcome Them Home

the American Way with a BBQ!

Our missionary family will join us for worship

and lunch that day!

\*Note: Current Deacons are not eligible for nomination. See forms for a complete list of current Deacons.

#### The Informer

May 17, 2023

A weekly publication of First Baptist Church, Washington







Trip to the NC Farmer's Market in Raleigh

Friday, May 26

Fresh produce, garden and plant center,

fresh flowers, the Market Shops, etc.

Have lunch at the Market Restaurant or

the NC Seafood Restaurant

Depart FBC at 8am

\$6 per person for gas

Lunch on your own

Sign up outside the church office.



## Missions Recognition Service



Wednesday, May 31st 6:15pm in Sanctuary

Kona Ice Truck will be here to enjoy afterwards!

#### SAVE THE DATE ~ JULY 22ND

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH GOES TO SEE THE

SALEM RED SOX AT DOWN EAST WOOD DUCKS

GRAINGER STADIUM ~ KINSTON, NC



SIGN-UP SHEET WILL SOON BE POSTED.

### Christ Crusaders 4 A Cancer Cure

is hosting a Fundraiser -

#### A HUGE ~ YARD SALE

on Saturday, June 24th

7am until 12noon, invite your friends and neighbors to come out and support this worthy cause.

Do you have items you would like to donate?

Call Pam Warren 943-8772 to setup a time to



drop items off with her from now until the day of the sale. So clean out those closets, attics or garages and call Pam today.

#### Serving the Week of May 21, 2023

Nursery Workers please include Sunday night, let's make sure we have at least 2 people per service.

Nursery Workers - Tracie & Eric Asby, Chastity Perry, Lisa Hill, Kamryn Lewis, Michael & Heidi Hofland

Children's Church ~ 8:30 ~ Sebalds

11:00 ~ Debbie Harris

Deacon of the Week - Joan Harris

**Deacon Team Members -** Paul Bright, Penney Doughtie

Breakfast Team – Allen Hill ~ 3rd Sunday

Audio/Visual Ministry Team - Fred Anderson, Emerson Asby, John Davis, Carol Evans, Don Fann, Brody Fox, Jimmy Harris, Wyatt Renfrow, Robert Sebald, and Levi Setzer

We are always looking for folks interested in serving in the Audio/Visual Ministry, call <u>Jesse Davis 946-8074 or Carol Evans 946-1724</u> and ask them about the specifics of the different areas available.

WE NEED YOU ~ COME JOIN OUR TEAM!

#### Financial Report for May 14, 2023

YTD Budget Requirement (WK 33) \$ 440,770.11

YTD Budget Receipts \$ 505,110.75

Budget - <u>Over</u>/ Under \$ 64,340.64

Weekly Budget Requirement \$ 13,356.67

Actual Budget Offering \$ 23,179.20

July 31<sup>st</sup> - August 5<sup>th</sup>, *Youth Camp @ Fort Caswell* **SPECIAL LOVE OFFERING** for Caswell

at both Worship Services this Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>

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SAVETHE DATE for FBC VBS 2023!

**July 10th - 13th ~** 

Mon thru Thurs.

9:00am - Noon

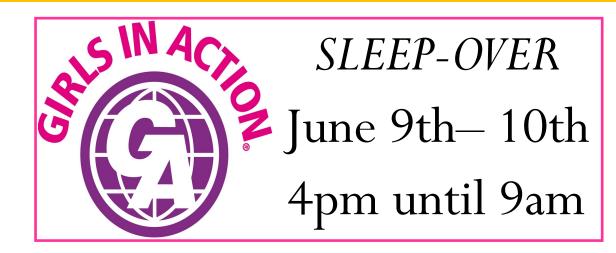
Registration will begin soon!



Sign-up sheet outside the church office.

Thank you in advance for sharing Jesus with the children of First Baptist and in our community!

More details to come... stay tuned your VBS Directors!



#### **Transportation Ministry**



Norma Latham's sisters would love some help transporting Norma back to Vintage Inn in Williamston on Sundays following the 11am worship service.

If you'd be willing to help out, please let Greg know.



## Pickleball Court CLOSED Thursday, May 18th

#### Join us for Communion Sunday, June 4th

During Both 8:30am & 11:00am Worship

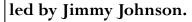




Buzzing by with a reminder Next Church Conference June 14th @ 6:15pm

Eswatini Mission Trip

June 20 or 21 thru July 6 or 7



Talk with Pastor Greg for more information.

Move Up SUNDAY, June 11, 2023
Preschool thru 12th Graders





Abby Lewis

Taylor Mitchell

Connor Lewis

Landon Modlin

Jay Lohman

Sophie Purser

Dawson Mitchell

Rocky Stephenson



class of Graduate Sunday

June 4th at both 8:30 & 11:00

Join us for worship & help us encourage and recognize our Class of 2023' Graduates!



#### **Fruitful Hands**

1st Tuesday ~ Every Month

June 6th~ meet at FBC/ FLC 9:30am - 11:00am Making puzzles, no supplies need everyone's welcome! We will be cutting out shapes with scissors.

Our purpose is crafting lots of different ways for various local and global ministries. 2023 Samaritan's Purse shoeboxes, Women's Shelter for Domestic Violence, Hygiene kits, etc. . .

#### ALL ARE WELCOME!

NO materials needed for this project. Making shorts for the boys shoebox gifts. Questions contact Gale Fitts call 252-342-1783 or email galegfitts05@gmail.com



#### Wheelchair Ramp Ministry

Interested in a practical handson ministry that will directly impact needy individuals?

The Wheelchair Ramp Ministry may be for you. No special skills are required, and the fellowship and rewards are great! Contact Paul Bright for more info. ~ 252-799-6216.



# We LOVE & Appreciate ALL our VOLUNTEERS

Matthew 5:16~ Let your light shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.