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All Boards Retreat

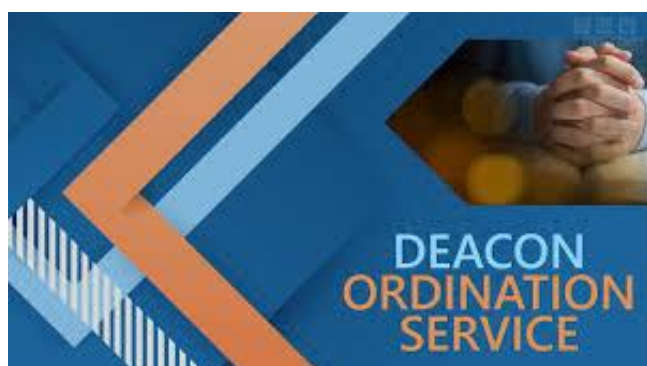
Saturday, August 21

9:00 AM - Noon

Family Life Center

Retreat is for current and newly elected members of the Boards of Trustees, Deacons, Missions, and Christian Ed

This meeting is most important as the Board members reflect on current year and make plans for the year ahead



Sunday, August 15
During Morning Worship

Candidates:

Carol Findley - Julie Laytham
Fred Starkey

Two Mission Opportunities

The Board of Missions needs your help to pack food bags for the residents at the Cotton Street Apartments on Wednesday, August 18, 6:30 p.m. in the Family Life Center. This is in conjunction with Heart for Monroe.

They also need your help in collecting school supplies for the Union County Human Services to distribute to children in need. These supplies can include: backpacks, loose leaf paper, composition books, #2 pencils, blue or black pens, crayons, colored pencils, markers, glue sticks, pencil sharpeners, scissors for children, 12" rulers, pencil boxes and pouches, 1" and 1½" binders, binder dividers, 2-pocket folders, highlighters, and erasers. Please place in the marked bin in the Gathering Area.

Memorials Received ...

By Frances Vaughan and Dot Bates in memory of Mary Nash, Audrey Bales, Jessie Purnell, Patti Simpson, Angie Bean, and Ann Ruth Moore. By Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tuggle in memory of Jessie Purnell, Audrey Bales, and Al Kessel. By Jean Duck in memory of Angie Bean, Jessie Purnell and Patti Simpson. By Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kilby, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Litaker, Amelia Dodd, Barbara Austin, Jane Austin, and Kay Smith in memory of Audrey Bales. By Mr. and Mrs. Gene Herrell in memory of Audrey Bales, Al Kessel, Patti Simpson, and Pearl Meredith. By Sheila London and Dr. and Mrs. Ken Murray in memory of Angie Bean. By Deborah Taylor, Marjorie Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Rawls, Mary Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Tal Dixon, and Susie Gaskill in memory of Jessie Purnell. By Mr. and Mrs. Hill Overton in memory of Patti Simpson. By Carol Tyson in memory of Patti Simpson, Audrey Bales and Al Kessel. By Mr. and Mrs. Carol Baker in memory of Patti Simpson, Audrey Bales, and Al Kessel.

By Mr. and Mrs. Carol Baker in honor of the Board of Deacons.



Wednesday, August 18, 2:00-6:30 PM
Union Baptist Association Resource Center

Friday, September 3, 2:30-7:00 PM
First Baptist Church Family Life Center

To make an appointment for either Drive, visit [RedCrossBlood.org](https://www.redcrossblood.org)



FBC Weekday Preschool is looking for Godly, loving, and fun individuals to join their preschool team for the 2021-22 school year! The positions available are Transitional Kindergarten Lead Teacher and 3's Lead Teacher. Experience working with preschool age children is required for both positions. Teaching experience is required and experience as a K, 1st, or 2nd grade teacher is preferred for the Transitional Kindergarten Lead Teacher position. For more information on how to apply, visit their website at <https://fbcmonroenc.com/employment> or contact the director, Alyssa Metze, at msalysaprek@gmail.com.

Church Calendar

Sunday, August 8

10:30 am Morning Worship
Sanctuary/Facebook

Friday & Saturday, August 13 & 14

9:30 am Quilting Retreat - *Family Life Center*

Sunday, August 15

10:30 am Morning Worship / Deacon Ordination
Sanctuary/Facebook

Wednesday, August 18

6:30 pm Pack Food Bags for Cotton St. Apts.
Family Life Center

Saturday, August 21

9:00 am All Boards Retreat - *Family Life Center*



Ken Murray - Joey Forbes - Mary Wade
Annette Kilby - Joy Shute - Ray Sowder
Dr. Joel Penegar, brother of Max Penegar
Emma Hemphill, family member of Chris Dawson
Suzanne Jewell Unruh, daughter of Judy Jewell
Kevin O'Neill, brother of Tex O'Neill
Daniel Mackay, brother of Jonathan Mackay
Bill Geouge, brother of Ted Geouge
Connell O'Neill, son of Tex and Eleanor O'Neill
Kevin Casner, son of Ray and Gerry Casner

Facts & Figures:

Sunday, August 1, 2021

Weekly Budget Requirements	\$	7,856
Budget Receipts	\$	15,689
Budget Receipts to Date	\$	336,214
Expenses to Date	\$	317,862

Worship August 8 — 10:30 a.m.

Opening Music	Beth Adams
Words of Welcome	Dr. Dawson
Call to Worship	Dr. Dawson
Opening Hymn: "Praise Him, Praise Him"	Beth Adams
Scripture Reading: Ephesians 4:25-5:2	Fred Starkey
Prayer for the People	Fred Starkey
Lord's Prayer	
Anthem	Grant Hughes, Randy Taylor
Sermon Text: John 6: 35, 41-51	Dr. Dawson
Sermon	Dr. Dawson
Prayer	Dr. Dawson
The Stewardship of Tithing	Dr. Dawson
Dismissal	Dr. Dawson
Musical Benediction	Beth Adams

This Week's Committees

Livestreaming Equipment for Worship:

August 8 - Matt Dinkins
August 15 - TBD

Worship Leaders:

August 8 - Fred Starkey
August 15 - Vickie Tuggle

Money Counters:

August 8 - Harvey Whitley, Jim Griffi
August 15 - Patti Duncan, Libby Totty



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Vision Statement: "First Baptist Church Monroe exists to Love God, Love Within, and Love Beyond"