

- Announcements -

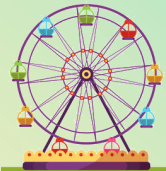
Birthdays: Scott Vogelsong (8/13), Terri Baker (8/15), Lana Bartlett (8/16), Ava Douglas (8/18)

Anniversaries: Larry & Betty Kemper (8/15), Julian & Martha Meadows (8/18), John & Betty Smith (8/19)

TONIGHT

-NO PM Events this evening. Business Mtg. & Church Council will be held next Sunday, 8/20.

BENGALI SEWING CIRCLE WILL **NOT** MEET THIS TUESDAY, 8/15, BUT WILL RESUME AFTER THE FAIR.



Folks who have reserved State Fair tickets for the Zach Williams show, please pick them up at the Welcome Center today if possible.

Next Sunday, 8/20, will be Promotion/Back-to-School Sunday! Students "moving up" to the next Sunday School class will be recognized at 9:45 (at the start of Sunday School), and Sunday School teachers will be honored at the 11 AM service.

Parents, if your college students would like to receive notes or care packages from folks at FBC, please let the office know their college addresses.



COMMUNITY BLOCK PARTY at FBC Sunday, 8/27, from 5 to 7 PM. See Pastor Ben if you would like to help as servers, greeters, set-up and

take-down crews, registration, etc. **(There will be a volunteer meeting after service next week for all willing helpers—teens and adults.)** Look forward to games, music, fun food, awesome fellowship! Plan to invite friends and neighbors!

*Attention, Ladies! There are still tickets remaining for the sold-out **Extraordinary Women's Conference** in Lynchburg 10/13 and 10/14! The cost is \$130, which includes tickets, lodging, lunch, and breakfast on Saturday. Fabulous guest speakers and performers, including Tim Tebow and Big Daddy Weave. It promises to be memorable and uplifting! See Brenda Wallace to sign up by 9/22 to attend.*

August Tithes/Offerings

Regular \$7,226.00, AE Scholarship Fund \$500.00, Worldwide Hunger \$10.00, Missions \$120.00, OCC \$1,540.00, Youth Fund \$50.00, Other \$170.00. *Offering plates are up front on both sides of the sanctuary AND now in the sanctuary's front foyer. Online giving is available at fbcfairlea.com. Scroll down to "Digital Giving", or text the word "give" to 304.600.7300.*

August shoebox items: soap, washcloths, crayons, coloring books, pencils.

Prayer needs: Gail Camp (recovery from knee surgery); John Smith (recovery from a fall); Will Godby (East student, serious accident); Jan DeHaven (Guatemala mission trip); Rhett Dixon; Jan Memel; Jack Smith; Judy Long; Carlos Dixon; Rodena Belcher; Reilly Heinbaugh; Peggy Lockhart; Haylee Heinsberg; Donna Yates; Lisa White; Mary Ellen Windon; Kevin Ahern's dad; Aretha Dowdy; Rene Ley; Missy Van Buren; Abby Bailey; Joe Bennett's brother; Debbie Holmes; Brandy Feamster; Al & Vi Clowser; the A. P. Search Committee.



"For the Lord God is a sun and shield...No good thing will He withhold from those who walk uprightly."

Psalm 84:11

FIRST BAPTIST FAIRLEA

AUGUST 13, 2023

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WELCOME! We are so glad you have chosen to worship together with us this morning! This is a vital part of "Gathering, Growing, and Going". If this is your first time with us, we would love to both give you some information about our church and get some contact information from you so Pastor Ben can connect with you sometime soon.

Welcome & Call to Worship—Colossians 3:17
Pastor Ben

Worship Song: "10,000 Reasons"
FBC Praise Team

Opening Prayer: Deacon Lance Ridpath

Special Music: "For the Mountains Shall Depart"
 (From Isaiah 54:10) *Tim Holbrook*

Missions Moment: WMU Brown Bag Outreach
Kaye Hinkle

Worship Song: "In Christ Alone", vv. 1, 2, & 3

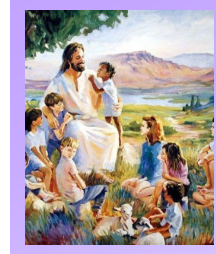
Dismissal of Adventure Kids

God's Message from Colossians 3:18—4:1
"Clarifying Relationships in a Confusing Society"
Pastor Ben

Closing Song: "In Christ Alone", v. 4

Benediction: Pastor Ben

- Sermon Notes -



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

- Sunday School** at 9:45 AM for ALL ages.
- Nursery** provided during all services.
- Adventure Kids** for children age 3 through 5th grade offered during the 11AM service.
- AWANA**, the dynamic Bible club children's program, meets Wednesdays from 6:45 to 8:15 for children age 3 (if potty-trained) through 5th grade from September to late April.
- Youth Group**, for students grades 6 -12, also meets Wednesdays at 6:45 beginning 9/6.

Servant Ministries

Today's Deacon: Lance Ridpath
Next week: TBD

Sunday School Nursery: Kira Glazzard, Linda Bennett

11:00 Nursery: Connie Gottshall, Betty Mulkey
Next week: Travis & Jennifer Bennett

Adventure Kids: Kaye Hinkle, Russ Shafer, Kiersten Moses, Beth Shafer
Next week: Drema Hill, Holly Ridpath, Lori Baldwin, Beth Shafer, Joey Moses

Security: Justin Straub, Alex Feamster
Next week: Ashley Fritzius, Dale Jackson

Sound Specialists: Eric Fritzius, Rob Thomas
Next week: Johnny Shores, Brent O'Dell

Videographer today: Kevin Ahern

Praise Team: Richard & Eliza Hardiman, Aubrey Adkins, Jeff Bryant

Ushers: Bruce Sloan, Justin Douglas, Bob McCroskey, Bill Hoover
Next week: Dan Franks, Kenny Goodall, Alex Feamster, Alfred Taylor, Jr.

Special music next week: Brentz Thompson