

Morning Worship

September 16, 2018

Welcome & Prayer

Bro. David Hutto

Celebration & Praise

Worship

Bro Joel Wiley

Offertory

Special Music

Message

Dr. Tommy Bolan

Invitation

Closing Prayer

Welcome to Worship with the First Family

We pray that you feel the warmth of God's love as you enter these buildings, that you feel great freedom as you worship the Lord Jesus Christ and that you hear God's truth for your life as God's word is preached. Please register your visit with us by filling out a guest card located in your bulletin. Thank you.

*The Altar Flowers are
given in loving memory of
Ronnie Whitworth &
Mr. & Mrs. Whitworth*

Sunday School Teacher needed ASAP: due to personal reasons we have had a teacher that needed to step down from teaching. We are in need of a 2nd Nursery teacher ASAP. If you can fill this position, please contact Mishele Beaman or Kathy Hopper.

Operation Christmas Child year Round: for the month of September we will be collecting bar soap, washcloths, duct tape, baseballs and hand held pencil sharpeners. Please place these items in the box marked OCC in the fellowship hall. Enough supplies have been collected to begin packing shoeboxes. If your Sunday school class would like to participate as a group, please contact Connie Gannaway 256-852-7784 or 256-658-3710
Offsite address: 2265 Carter's Gin Road

Farmer's Market: Tuesday afternoon 3:30-6:30 Last market Sept. 25th

Online giving: We now offer online giving. Just go to the church website and follow the instructions on the Giving Page.

Ministry Opportunities/Announcements

One Call Now Church Text and Email Notifications: If you would like to be a part of our church text and email notifications service, please send your name, cell phone number and email address to TJB@Integrity.com and place "ONE CALL NOW" in the email heading. We can also do phone calls through this service, so if you don't do either texting or email, please call the church office and let Christina know that you would like your home phone and/or cell phone added to the call list and provide her with those numbers. Thank you.

Children's Announcements: text 81010 response-@FBCMkid

****J-Team:** Joseph and his family. Children will discuss how Joseph was sold into slavery by his jealous brothers and then rose to be the second most powerful man in Egypt

****Sunday Evenings:** "I am a Christian Now" Bible Study for kids. This is an excellent study for all kids, whether they are taking steps toward Christ, recently accepted him as their Savior, or been a Christian for several years. Join us in the old F/hall from 5-6:00 p.m.

****Wednesday Evenings:** Awana from 6-7:15p.m.

Sept 19-RA Racer work nights

September 26-RA Racer Race at 6:00 in the fellowship hall

Dinner included but you must make a reservation!!

****D-Now 2018:** Mark your calendars for October 19-21 Grades 3rd-6th.

Sign-up sheet located outside the chapel.

Host homes needed-See Jenda if you can host a group in your home for the weekend.

WNS Our Weekly meal is offered from 4:45-6:00. Sign-up sheets are located in the hallway outside the sanctuary. **All reservations/cancelations must be made by Monday at noon.**

September 19: Spaghetti, Garlic Bread, Salad, Dessert

September 26: (RA Racer Night) Hot Dogs, chips, cookies

Meal is free but you must sign up in the fellowship hall to reserve your spot.

Davidson Farms Donations-September: furniture polish, Windex, toilet cleaner, dish soap, dishwasher soap, jet dry

Women's Ministry Updates:

Women of Joy April 26-28, 2019: We have 15 spots for 2019 \$25.00 deposit due when signing up \$229.00 total cost for double occupancy. Angela Thomas-Pharr, Karen Kingsbury, Annie Downs, Jennifer Rothschild, Music-Danny Gokey, Charles Billingsley. This conference is SOLD OUT!

Women's Ministry OCC Workday: September 22nd 9-12:p.m.

Women's Ministry Committee Meeting: Sunday 9/23 at noon.

D-Life Boot Camp: Sunday September 30th 4-7:30 p.m.

Join us in training for a lifestyle of disciple making

Menu: Sub Sandwiches-Adults, Pizza-Children

Sign-up sheets located in the fellowship hall for meal & childcare.

For more information go to www.livethedlife.com

Men's Announcements: Tuesday morning Bible Study-Strengthening your Core: Setting Boundaries-What are the consequences when you get out of bounds?

Sunday Evening Bible Study in the Fishes/Loaves SS Class-Kingdom

Disciples by Tony Evans

Celebrators Conference: October 22-25 Pigeon Forge, TN
Balances are due now.

GriefShare: GRIEFSHARE will meet this Thursday from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in the church conference room. Our topic this week is "Why?"

Nursery Workers Needed: We have an immediate need for Sunday Nights/Wednesday Nights in the nursery. Please see Kathy Hopper if you can serve in the Nursery.

Mission Firefly-"Stomp out Hunger" 5K: Come run or walk to support Lunches of Love a ministry of Mission Firefly. Saturday, September 22, 18 Hazel Green High School Race Start Time 8:00 a.m. Regular Registration \$25.00 (Sept 1-22, 2018) Youth ages 14 & under \$15.00 Group rate \$15.00 for 10+. Registration forms can be found on the Welcome Center.

Youth Announcements:

For King & Country Concert: October 14th "Burn the Ships" \$30.00 We will leave @ 4:00 return @ midnight.

Hearts on Fire: November 16-17 Leave @ 10:00 a.m. (check out of school or miss school) Return 10:00 p.m. Price coming soon!

D-Life Boot Camp: Training YOU to be a disciple who makes disciples Sunday Night-Discipleship in the Upper Room @ 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night-"The Gathering" in the Upper Room @ 6:00 p.m.
Sunday Morning-Worship in Sanctuary

Homework Helpers: Started September 13th at the Charlie Walker Community Center 3:30-4:30 for grades K-6 **Only if your child has homework to do.

"Hang Time" for grades K-6 4:30-5:30

David Jeremiah @ VBCC: The church has 28 tickets available. Call to reserve your free ticket or you can go online and reserve tickets for your family.

Prime Timers Lunch: Sept. 18th Swiss Pantry Sign up on PT Bulletin board.

Guest Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____ .Age: 0-12 _____ 13-18 _____

19-24 _____ 25-39 _____ 40-49 _____ 50-59 _____ 60-69 _____ 70+ _____

Children (Name/Grade) or Comments: _____

Announcements for the First Family

DEACONS ON CALL:

Today: Glen McGriff 256-755-0039 & Brent Watson 256-426-0575

September 23: Phillip Pickens & Finn Pendergast

Hospital Visitation 9/17-9/23: Mon: J.Richburg Tues: P.Duggan

Wed:S.Hurst Thurs: M.Trent Frid: G.Parsons

Sat: D.Watson Sun: R.Moore

Usher

Today: Rickey Moore

September 23: Johnny Henderson

COUNTING TEAM:

Today: J.Morrison, K.Cooper, W.R.Foutch, J.Robertson

September 23: J.Richburg, E.Wagner, L.Peterson, C.Johnson

Welcome Center

Today: Jason & Bonnie Richburg

September 23: Stacia & Bubba Jones

Nursery Workers Today: On Call: Carmen Roop

Casey/Ryan Falwell, Cyndle/Hunter Tate, Lisa Jones, Cyndi Beard,

Jennifer Davis, Savannah Taggart, Alicia/David Kelley, Phyllis Watson,

Allison Henderson, Wendy Jackson, Lexi Quick

September 19: Jan Crouch

September 23: John/Julie Turner, Nancy Foster, Ersilia/Sam Nuckols,

Kelly/Brent Watson, Valerie/Adam Johnson, Laura Lee/Jamie Branum,

Kirsten/Blake Moffatt, Gina Edwards, Laura Bolan, Kitty Whitworth

Today am: TBA

Today pm: TBA

Wednesday September 19: TBA

September 23: AM: TBA

PM: TBA

Worship Attendance: September 9: 362

Tithes & Offerings (9/09) General Fund: \$ 14,520.00

Building Fund: \$ 215.00

Myers-Mallory Offering: Goal-\$1,500.00 Given to date: \$450.00

Mowing Team: September 22: S.Harmening, S.Nuckols, B.Waller

September 29: George Parsons, Tom Schwaller

How Can We Help You?

___ I would like to talk with someone who can help me understand what it means to be a follower of Jesus.

___ I am interested in Baptism.

___ I am interested in becoming a member of First Baptist Meridianville.

___ I would like a Staff Member to contact me for a visit.

___ I would like to pray with someone.

Comments:

Important Notes for Our Guests

First Family Schedule

9:00 AM Sunday School

10:15 AM Morning Worship

5:00 PM Evening Worship/Discipleship

Wednesday Bible Study / Prayer Service / Choir /

The Gathering (Youth) / AWANA- 6:00-7:15

Children's Church

We offer J-Team for Kindergarten -6th graders, with the exception of the first Sunday of each month when all of the children worship in "big church."

All children will meet in the Chapel

Our Church Staff

Tommy J. Bolan, Th.D., Senior Pastor

David Hutto, Associate Pastor/Student Minister

Joel Wiley, Music Minister

Whitney Harmening, Financial Secretary

Christina Atnip, Church Secretary

Kim Hutto, WEE Care Director

Kathy Hopper, Nursery Director

Tony Landron, Church Custodian

Jenda Hillis, Children's Minister

Cristall Brown, Church Hostess/WNS

General Information

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Church Website:

www.fbcmeridianville.org

For announcements and info go to...

www.facebook.com/firstbaptistmeridianville

OUR MISSION:

"To seek out individuals and lead them from where they are to become mature followers of Jesus Christ through worship, discipleship, and fellowship in an environment of Christian love."

The First Baptist Church of Meridianville September 16, 2018



James 1:2-3 (NIV)

Trials and Temptations

² Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters,^[a] whenever you face trials of many kinds, ³ because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance.