



**BACKYARD BIBLE CLUB**

**Backyard Bible Club** is coming soon!! In hopes of teaching our children and reaching out to our neighbors, we are hosting several Backyard Bible Clubs in our neighborhoods. It will look something like this... You just choose one. If you can't come to the one closest to you, just pick another and come on.

- August 16 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. The Roger's front yard in Honey Creek
- August 16 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. The Sauceman's front yard on Forest Lane
- August 16 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. The Mumblow's front yard on White Oak Road
- August 23 4:00 – 5:30 p.m. The Horton's front yard on Brown Avenue
- August 23 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. Glenwood Garden Apartments

Please plan to bring your children ages 3 and up to participate in fun Bible study and a chance to be a reflection of Christ in our neighborhoods. Invite those that live near these areas that may or may not be a part of a church family. This is a great outreach opportunity!



- August 9 – Pickle Ball with Neals Creek at 6:30 p.m. at the Tennis Center.
- August 16 – Back To School Rally at Honea Path First Baptist. We will meet at the youth building at 5:30 p.m. to depart for Honea Path First Baptist.

**FINANCIAL NEWS**

Sunday Receipts (8-2-20)	\$	16,138.73
Year to Date Requirements	\$	445,694.75
Year to Date Receipts	\$	458,397.41

**PRAYING FOR OUR DEACON FAMILIES**

*Norman Smith*  
*Walter & Nancy Smith*  
*Junior & Amy Standridge; Emily and Seth*  
*Christopher & Lauren Stevens*  
*Jeremy & Elizabeth Stone; Patrick, Edie Kate and Cailyn*  
*Lane Stoner*  
*Chuck & Teresa Strickland; Avery, Cooper and Camden*  
*Chris & Allison Strickland; Eli and Sydney*  
*Mike & Patricia Strickland*  
*Wesley & April Sumner; Ellie and Will*  
*Brent & Meleah Thomas; Emma and Judson*  
*James & Joyce Thomas*  
*Jerry & Shirley Thomas*  
*Russ Tysl – Deacon*

**SYMPATHY**

First Baptist Church family expresses Christian love and sympathy to:  
 ~ The family of Mattie Browning  
 ~ To Meleah Thomas and her family in the loss of her grandmother, Margene Murdock

**THANK YOU CARD**

Our church family received a thank you card from Jimmy and Abby Ouzts. This card and other items of interest have been placed on the information board beside the office for your convenience.

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 9**

<b>Safety Team</b>	Brian Moon, Jack Marshall Mac Horton & Chris Mumblow
<b>Deacon Worship Service Team</b>	Polly Gilreath, Michael Gilreath Jeremy Sauceman & Jerry Thomas

**POWER OF PRAISE**

A South African poet, Gift Gugu Mona, wrote:  
 “When you understand the power of praise, you cannot waste precious time on cursing your enemy, but rather be steadfast in praising God for the guaranteed victories. After all, there is no essence in fighting battles that are already won.”

*But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.*  
 1 Corinthians 15:57

The scripture tells us that sin has no dominion over the believer because we are under grace not the law. We have no need to fear or to be anxious for anything. Just keep putting on the whole armor of God, stand in His might, make our request to Him and give praise to Him; for the victories belong to Him.

~ Randy Fagg

**AUGUST MEETINGS**

We are resuming our regular meetings this month. We will meet in the FLC. Tables and chairs will be spaced for social distancing. Face masks are mandatory. Anyone who feels uncomfortable attending will be excused.

August 11	6:00 p.m.	Missions Meeting
	7:00 p.m.	Stewardship Meeting
August 18	7:00 p.m.	Properties & Space Meeting
August 25	6:00 p.m.	Deacons Meeting
	7:00 p.m.	AMC Meeting

**LOOK UP LODGE**

What a wonderful blessing the children were that went to Look Up. They made our church family proud! A big thank you to Mac and Lindsay Horton, Russ Tysl and Katy Sauceman for helping chaperone, and to Sadie Ellen Blake for helping with the driving. Please continue to pray for these children and their families as they grow in faith and knowledge of our Lord.

## SUNDAY SERVICE

August 9, 2020

9:00 a.m.

Pre-Service Music		Patti Rowe
Prelude		Matt Limbaugh
Welcome		T. Dale Lynch
Hymn	<i>The Solid Rock</i>	Congregation
Invocation		Nick Kirby
Prayer Response		Congregation
	<i>Near to the Heart of God</i>	
Ministry in Song		Sanctuary Choir
	<i>Amazing Grace / My Chains Are Gone</i>	
Hymn	<i>I Must Tell Jesus</i>	Congregation
Children's Message		Jennifer Wilson
Ministry in Song	<i>Come Thou Fount</i>	Austin Finley
Sermon	<i>Why Should We Pray?</i> Luke 11:1-13	T. Dale Lynch
Closing Hymn	<i>Sweet Hour of Prayer</i>	Congregation
Benediction		T. Dale Lynch
Postlude		Matt Limbaugh

(Our worship is live-streamed at 9:00 a.m. so you can worship with us from any place and at any time.)

The links for the worship service are below:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCCwPN9FRkGBzGNJFvMEFiug>

<https://www.facebook.com/BeltonFirstBaptistSC/>

<https://vimeo.com/event/112562>

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*Robert Beaver*  
Music Minister

*Jennifer Wilson*  
Children's Minister

*Katie Mumblow*  
Children's Missions Leader



The *Back To School Give Away* was a HUGE success!! Thank you to Greg & Karen Tysl for leading our church in serving our community in this way!



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### SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE TIME

We want to know your preference on the Sunday Morning Worship Service time.

A. Current 9:00 a.m. time

B. Move to 10:00 a.m.

C. No preference, I'm good with 9:00 a.m. or 10:00 a.m.

If you receive your Bell Tower via email, please respond back to the email. If you receive the Bell Tower by USPS, please call the church office (338-7776) with your preference.