

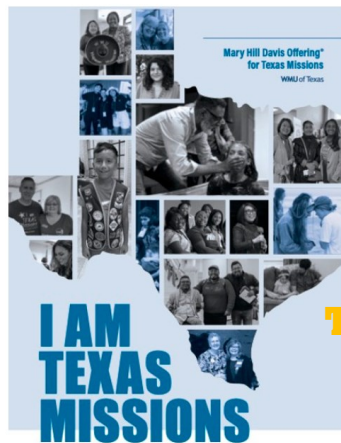


#### HOME GROUP INFO

- Lists of Home Groups with addresses of host homes are on the tables in the mall area.
- Envelopes for \$6 book fees are located on the tables. Just drop your envelope in an offering box. You can also pay through the ShelbyNext app, select fund 'Sunday Nt Small Group Books'
- Childcare is available from 4:45-6:45 pm.

## WE NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS!

HAVE QUESTIONS? CALL ROGER GUNZ, 903.658.2214.  
OR MEET IN THE PARKING LOT @ 2:00.



## PRAISE THE LORD!

Church Goal:

\$18,000

Given to Date:

\$21,127.71

**WE MET OUR GOAL!**  
**THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFULNESS IN MISSION GIVING!**

**WE NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR CHILDCARE DURING SUNDAY SCHOOL & WORSHIP!**

IF YOU CAN VOLUNTEER FOR ONE OF BOTH, SCAN THE QR CODE OR CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE!



**WE ARE ALSO NEEDING 2 NURSERY WORKERS FOR PAID POSITIONS.**

APPLICATIONS CAN BE PICKED UP IN THE CHURCH OFFICE.

**WE APPRECIATE ALL YOU DO FOR KIDZ!**

Welcome New Members  
Lakevia Williams

### Sympathy to

*Tyler & Cortland Esters and Leandra Esters  
in the loss of their uncle,  
Warren Esters*

THIS WEEK AT FBC

#### Today

8:45am Prayer Time with the Pastor (rm. B104)  
9:15am Bible Study  
10:30am Morning Worship  
3:30pm The Master's Hands  
5:00pm DiscipleLife Home Groups  
5:30pm KIDZ Choir

#### Monday

1:00pm GriefShare  
5:00pm Volleyball

#### Tuesday

6:45am Prayer Time with the Pastor (Mall Area)  
8:30am Pickleball  
9:00am Working Hands (craft room ministry)  
9:00am Exercise Class  
11:00am Lunch at FBC  
3:00pm Shades of Read

#### Wednesday

8:30am Pickleball  
11:00am Lunch at FBC  
11:30am BSF  
4:00pm Prayer & Devotional  
4:30pm Wednesday Night Supper  
6:00pm KIDZ-Wednesday Night Live  
Youth-The Cause  
Adults-DiscipleLife  
Worship Choir & Orchestra

#### Thursday

9:00am Exercise Class  
11:00am Lunch at FBC  
1:00pm Fellowship & Games (in the FLC)

#### Friday

8:30am Pickleball

#### Sunday

8:45am Prayer Time with the Pastor (rm. B104)  
9:15am Bible Study  
10:30am Morning Worship  
3:30pm The Master's Hands  
5:00pm DiscipleLife Home Groups  
5:30pm KIDZ Choir

#### Monday

2:00pm Rusk/Panola/Shelby/Doches Associational Annual Mtg. (Worship Center)

#### Financial Statistics thru 09.15.24

Total Weekly Budget Receipts Target: \$44,461.74  
Actual Budget Receipts This Week: \$44,350.71

Year-To-Date Budget Target: \$1,721,163.00  
Year-To-Date Budget Receipts: \$1,546,958.93

#### Children's Building

Amount Given This Week: \$5,101.00  
Balance Owed: \$1,181,909.54



September 29, 2024

Welcome  
Dr. David Higgs

"Blood Of Jesus Mashup"  
"Because He Lives (Amen)"

"My Feet Are On The Rock"  
Worship Choir & Orchestra  
Kim Higgs & Scott Coleman

"The Call To Fruitful Living"  
Dr. David Higgs

"O Praise The Name (Anastasis)"

Recognition of Decisions

Closing Prayer

*The flowers in the Worship Center are in loving memory of*

*Scott Maurer*

*on his birthday*

*Given by Wayne, Nelda, and Mason*

Church Office 903.657.1646 - Family Life Center 903.657.2504 - Prayer House 903.657.1394

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The Call To Fruitful Living  
John 15:1-5

What does it mean to bear fruit as a Christian?

- Bearing fruit is more than just \_\_\_\_\_ church or saying a quick prayer before meals.
- Bearing fruit means living a life that reflects the \_\_\_\_\_ and values of Jesus Christ.
- Bearing fruit means \_\_\_\_\_ others as Christ loves us.
- Bearing fruit means showing kindness, compassion, and \_\_\_\_\_ to those around us.
- Bearing fruit means sharing the good news of the \_\_\_\_\_ with others.
- Bearing fruit means living a life that \_\_\_\_\_ the love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control that come from a relationship with Christ.

TYPES OF FRUIT

- The fruit of telling people about \_\_\_\_\_ (Prov 11:30)
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- The fruit of \_\_\_\_\_ in Jesus (Phil 1:11)
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- The fruit of offering \_\_\_\_\_ to Jesus (Heb 13:15)
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- The fruit of the \_\_\_\_\_ (Gal 5:22-23)

Why is it important for Christians to bear fruit?

1. Bearing fruit brings \_\_\_\_\_ to God. (John 15:8)
2. Bearing fruit gives evidence that I am a genuine \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ. (Matt 7:20)
3. Bearing fruit reveals that I am living a life of \_\_\_\_\_. (John 15:16)
4. Bearing fruit enables me to make a positive \_\_\_\_\_ on others.
5. Bearing fruit leads to spiritual \_\_\_\_\_ and maturity. (Col 1:9-10)
6. Bearing fruit enables me to fulfill my \_\_\_\_\_ on earth. (Eph 2:10)

Question: How does a Christian bear fruit?

1. By \_\_\_\_\_ in Jesus.
2. By removing the works of the \_\_\_\_\_ in our lives.

APPLICATIONS

1. Ask God to help you realize how \_\_\_\_\_ this topic is to Him.
2. Be aware that \_\_\_\_\_ is awaiting those who don't bear fruit.
3. Remember that in order to produce fruit you must be a faithful follower of Jesus not just a \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus.
4. Never forget that bearing fruit is the pathway to a life of \_\_\_\_\_. (John 15:11)



KIDZ CHOIR  
5:30-6:30 pm  
Sundays



Christmas



Fall Fest-Trunk or Treat is coming!  
So...that means lots and lots and lots  
of candy will be passed out to lots  
and lots and lots of kidz!  
When you are out shopping, would  
you grab a bag or two or individually  
wrapped candy?  
Just drop your donations in  
the pumpkin in the mall area or  
in your Sunday School room.



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31  
6:00-7:30 PM  
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
PARKING LOT



WHAT A FUN WAY TO FELLOWSHIP WITH CHURCH & CLASS MEMBERS...  
CAR TO CAR! SCAN THE QR CODE OR SIGN UP IN SUNDAY SCHOOL.  
HOW MANY CAN YOUR CLASS SIGN UP?  
THIS YEAR, WE ARE EXPANDING OUR TRUNK OR TREAT A LITTLE.  
WE WILL ADD A FEW CARNIVAL GAMES AND OUR BOUNCE HOUSES.  
IF YOU WOULD BE WILLING TO WORK ONE OF THOSE,  
PLEASE INDICATE ON THE FORM ONLINE OR BELOW.

Student ministry





DUAL CREDIT  
BIBLE STUDY  
THIS FRIDAY  
1ST GROUP 11:35  
2ND GROUP 1:00

The Character of a  
Follower of Jesus

YOUTH  
HOME GROUP

5:00pm-6:30pm

| Study Together | Pray Together     | Fellowship Together |
|----------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| 09/29          | @ Lane & Andrea's |                     |
| 10/06          | @ The Coleman's   |                     |
| 10/13          | @ Lane & Andrea's |                     |
| 10/20          | @ The Coleman's   |                     |
| 10/27          | @ Lane & Andrea's |                     |



WE HAVE PICKLEBALL

Call the FLC to schedule  
your time today!

PICKLEBALL

903-657-2504



FLC Hours:  
Mon, Tues, Thurs  
8:00am-7:30pm  
Wed, Fri  
8:00am-4:00pm



MONDAY NIGHT VOLLEYBALL  
5:00PM