

Ebenezer Baptist Church

Spring Cleaning

This is an exciting time of year as we prepare for new growth on trees and see dormant plants come alive with green leaves. We clean out closets and get ready for a new season. For Christians, we prepare to celebrate the Resurrection, but we must not neglect the Passover.

The Resurrection reminds us that our God is alive, but the Passover paints a picture for us of the work that Christ completed for us to be acceptable to the Father. Jesus Christ, our Passover Lamb, shed His blood for our sins.

Just as we accumulate things throughout the year and have to purge from our homes, our lives are the same way. "Therefore purge out the old leaven, that you may be a new lump, since you truly are unleavened. For indeed Christ, our Passover, was sacrificed for us." (1 Corinthians 5:7, NKJV) We are given a command to clean out the sins in our lives that have accumulated as we look at the work of Christ by passing over the houses covered with the blood of the lamb.

By cleansing himself or herself from sin, the believer will be useful to God and bring Him honor. "Therefore if anyone cleanses himself from the latter, he will be a vessel for honor, sanctified and useful for the Master, prepared for every good work." (2 Timothy 2:21, NKJV)

Let's get ready for a new season of life and ministry!

In His service,

Bro. Chad

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APRIL BIRTHDAYS

1- Anna Dickerson 4- Emery McCoy 4- Lucas Suter
5- Eddie Suter 13- Jerry Henry 19- Carla Mills
19- Keith Mills 19- Tammy Perko 21- Chet Christianson

APRIL ANNIVERSARIES

7- Thom & Debi Wilson 8- Buck & Taylor Oberg

CHURCH CLEANING SCHEDULE

Week of:

4/4- Thom & Debi Wilson, Harvey Major
4/11- Amber Hudgins, Bro. Chad
4/18- Dianne Evans, Claudia Bales
4/25- Thom & Debi Wilson, Harvey Major

DEACON OF THE WEEK

April 4 Jerry Henry
April 11 Eddie Suter
April 18 Gary Suter
April 25 John Twist

Community Happenings:

April 6 Pro-Life Women's Day \$35
April 12 RCBA Crossover Training Session @
Springfield Baptist 6:30 - 8 PM
April 16 Lifeway You Lead \$75
April 17 Lifeway Women Live \$99 - Both \$149
April 20 RCBA Meeting @ Ridgetop FBC
6 PM - 8 PM
April 30 - May 1 SBC TN Disaster Relief Training

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sunday School 9 AM
Morning Worship 10 AM
Children's Worship 10 AM
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting/Bible Study 7 PM (Free
Conference.com)

EBENEZER HAPPENINGS:

April 2 Good Friday
April 4 Easter 8 AM SonRise Service
8:30 AM Breakfast 9 AM Sunday School
10 AM Morning Service
April 7 Deacon's Meeting 6 PM
April 11 Business Meeting after morning
service
April 18 Deacon Elections
April 25 Bank Sunday



April OCC Focus - This month we want to collect **stuffed animals**. April is a great time to get the after Easter clearance sales for all those loveable, cuddly, soft friends for shoeboxes!



EASTER

8 AM **SonRise** Service
8:30 AM Breakfast
9 AM Sunday School
10 AM Worship Service



Pro-Life Women's Day

April 6, 2021

Sheraton Grand Nashville Downtown
Call 615-298-5433 to reserve your seat
Cost is \$35

The Master's Table is a Soup Kitchen that serves a hot meal to anyone who comes by from 10-11 AM, Monday-Saturday. They are in need of: **three compartment to-go boxes, ground beef, bacon, eggs, and ham.** If you would like to bring these items to church we will get them to the Master's Table or you can drop them off at the Master's Table between 9:30-11 AM. Thank you for your continued support!

Lifeway You Lead Nashville

April 16, 2021, Long Hollow Baptist Church \$75

Lifeway Women Live

April 17, 2021 Long Hollow Baptist Church \$99

Bundle together for \$149

Go to lifeway.com/lifewaywomenlive for more information



Have you ever wanted to be a Disaster Relief Volunteer? This is your opportunity! As a Disaster Relief volunteer, you are the hands and feet of Jesus. There has never been a more important time to be involved in Tennessee Baptist Disaster Relief. Last year, our TN Baptist Disaster Relief volunteers served countless hours in recovery efforts for three tornadoes, straight line winds, hurricanes, local responses, and the COVID-19 response. We are hosting the following training to help prepare you to be ready to serve. We are encouraging current team members and new volunteers to attend. Go to the link below to view the training agenda for Middle TN Regional - April 30- May 1, 2021 - First Baptist Church, 304 E. Depot Street, Shelbyville, TN 37160 <https://tn Disaster Relief.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/2021-RegionalTraining-Agenda-Middle.pdf> Please pre-register for both classes and lunch with Elizabeth Holmes at eholmes@tnbaptist.org so we can have enough training materials and lunch available to all who attend. (The credentialing fee for new or expired credentials is \$36; the cost of lunch is \$6/person.)




Southern Baptist Annual Convention

July 15 and July 16 in Nashville

Volunteers are needed! Approximately 600 volunteers are needed, ushers, greeters, and friendly faces. Sign up at namb.net/crossover. If you have any questions contact Danny Franks, volunteer coordinator at drank@summitchurch.com

The **Elect Sunday School Class** is collecting the following items for the homeless children and youth in Greenbrier: individual **food** items, especially fruit cups, breakfast bars and macaroni and cheese. They do have access to a microwave so individual non-perishable microwavable items are welcome. Thank you for your donations. Please drop the items off at church.

April 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 April Fool's Day		2 3
4 EASTER 8 AM Sunrise Service 8:30 AM Breakfast 9 AM Sunday School 10 Worship Service	5	6 Pro-Life Women's Day	7 Deacon's Meeting 6 PM	8	9	10
11 Business Meeting	12 RCBA Crossover Training @ Springfield Bapt 6:30 - 8 PM	13	14	15	16 Lifeway You Lead @Long Hollow Baptist	17 Lifeway Women Live @ Long Hollow Baptist
18 Deacon Elections	19	20 RCBA Meeting @ Ridgetop FBC 6 - 8 PM	21	22 Earth Day 	23	24
25 Bank Sunday	26	27	28	29	30 SBC Disaster Relief Training	SBC Disaster Relief Training