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Ebenezer Baptist Church

JULY 2022

Moving Forward

The month of June was filled with opportunities for us to reach our community as we knocked on doors inviting people to VBS, and then we had a week full of teaching, worshipping, fellowship, and encouragement. God blessed and we see that we are stronger working together. Thank you to all the volunteers!

The motto for Spark Studios VBS was “Created! Designed! Empowered!” from Ephesians 2:10 (NKJV): “For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.” God has good works for us all to do! We must not lose that focus of accomplishing what God has set out for us to do.

June ended with the Southern Baptist Convention. The theme for the pastors’ conference this year was “We Proclaim Him!” and focused on the book of Colossians with the entire book being preached. There was a diverse group who preached. It was truly a time of encouragement. If you would like to listen to the sermons, click on the link in the newsletter email.

The Southern Baptist Convention overall was positive. The theme was “Jesus: The Center of It All.” The Sexual Abuse Task Force presented recommendations of a database and another task force to study the best ways to implement recommendations from Guidestone and the existing task force that work within our polity. There was a resolution encouraging rural churches. The SBC actions through resolutions and business confirmed the resolve to stay theologically conservative and the expressed desire to reach people for Jesus. 52 new IMB missionaries were commissioned. This past year included record giving to the Cooperative program, the North American Mission Board, and the International Mission Board.

The center of the Southern Baptist Convention is the local church. All the churches need believers to remember they are created, designed, and empowered by God to do the good works God has planned for them to do. This also applies to the local church as we love those whom God loves. God loves the church and has work for us to accomplish. Let’s keep the focus on making disciples of Christ!

Love you all!

Bro. Chad

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JULY BIRTHDAYS

1- Rebecca Schussler	6- Donna Grace	7- Tom Campbell
10- Brooklyn Hasty	11- Percy Folse	11- James Garrett, Jr
13- Anighya Crocker	13- Kim Hasty	13- Donna Shelton
16- Mike Hughes	21- Bryan Suter	26- Vicky Clark
27- Lyla Dickerson	31- Andrew Schussler	31- Isaiah Oberg

JULY ANNIVERSARIES

7- Tom & Belvia Campbell	14- Wayne & Pat Semore
16- David & Janice Cohea	17- Bro. Chad & Sarah Phelan
27- Keith & Carla Mills	30- Chet & Frances Christianson

CHURCH CLEANING SCHEDULE

Week of:

7/3	Dianne Evans, Claudia Bales
7/10	Thom & Debi Wilson, Harvey Major
7/17	Amber Hudgins, Sonya Henry
7/24	Dianne Evans, Claudia Bales
7/31	Thom & Debi Wilson, Harvey Major

EXTENDED SESSION

7/3	Thom & Debi Wilson
7/10	Pam Orum, Janice Cohea
7/17	Brenda Campbell, Sonya Henry
7/24	Sarah Phelan, Bobbie Morgan

DEACON OF THE

WEEK

7/3	Jeff Delong
7/10	Carl Brownfield
7/17	Eddie Suter
7/24	Gary Suter
7/31	John Twist

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sunday:

Deacon Prayer Time 8:50 AM
Sunday School 9 AM
Morning Worship 10 AM
Children's Worship 10 AM
Choir Practice 1:30 PM

Wednesday: Prayer Meeting/Bible Study 7 PM

EBENEZER HAPPENINGS:

July 4	4th of July Parade, meet at church at 9 AM
July 5	Deacon's Meeting 6 PM
July 6	Dinner 6 PM/Missions 7 PM
July 12	Ladies Bible Study 10 AM @ church
July 13	Business Meeting 7 PM
July 17	Sundaes on Sunday 4 PM
July 22	Keenagers to Brick Oven in Lafayette, KY
July 31	Bank Sunday 5th Sunday Sing

Community Happenings:

July 3	Turning of the Pig 5-8 PM, food, vendors, games and live music
July 3	City of Springfield Freedom Fest 3-9 PM, music, carnival, food, & vendors
July 4	4th of July Parade 10 AM in Greenbrier
July 19	Preschool & Children's Leader's Brunch, 10 AM @ RCBA Office
July 23	Haiti 5K @ Travis Price Park, Kids Fun Run 5:30 PM, 5K 6 PM (sign up at Active.com)
July 29	Baptist Men's Annual Fish Fry, Oak Grove Baptist Church 6:30 PM
July 31	Gospel Concert featuring Brian Free & Assurance 6 PM @ Oakland Bapt

City of Springfield



Music, Carnival Rides, Food, Vendors and More
July 3 3-9 PM
Robertson County Fairgrounds



Turning of the Pig
July 3 Louise Martin Park
Live Country and Gospel Music, Food,
Carnival Games and Local Vendors
(selling everything from crafts to
Greenbrier memorabilia)

Single Mom Celebration August 6 9-11 AM
Bethlehem Baptist Church Free Event and a Free Gift
Haircuts * Coffee * Live Music * Car Wash * Food
Register @ www.bbclife.online by August 3



Sundaes on Sunday
July 17 @ 4 PM
Come have some fun and fellowship!



Ladies Bible Study
Tuesday, July 12
10 AM @ church



RCBA will intentionally pray for four churches each month.
For July the churches are Lighthouse Baptist, Lights Chapel
Baptist, Mt. Carmel Baptist and North Springfield Baptist.
Please add these churches and their members to your prayer
list for the month of July.

Choir News

Hello Church Family! Can you believe it's already July? The year is really flying by.

The Scripture of the Month for July is **Revelation 4:11**.

"You are worthy, O Lord our God, to receive glory and honor and power. For You created all things, and they exist because You created what You please." Revelation 4:11

We have another 5th Sunday this month! (July 31st) That means that the congregation gets another opportunity to pick all the songs for the service. Place your song requests in the box up front. The last day to add a request will be July 17.

Blessings!
CathyJean



Baptist Men's Annual Fish Fry

July 29 6:30 PM

Oak Grove Baptist Church

Make sure you invite someone. This is
a great opportunity to bring an unchurched friend.



Remote Area Medical Free Clinic
August 13, 2022 @ The Center in Springfield
Volunteers Needed (Dental, Medical Vision &
General Support) To register, go to rcbatn.org/mah



OCC for July - All About the Boys
Cars and Trucks, Building sets, Dinosaurs and
Animals, Items for fishing kits: lures, small
spools of line, hooks, sinkers...
Tools: Screwdrivers & screws,
Hammers & nails (short handles so it fits in
the box), tape measures (with metric),
pliers... Zip Ties, electrical tape, duck tape,
Rope, tarps...



July 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 Turning of the Pig Louise Martin Park 5-8 City of Spfld Freedom Fest 3-9 Fairgrounds	4 4th of July Parade 10 AM Meet at church at 9 AM	5 Deacon's Meeting 6 PM	6 Dinner 6 PM Missions 7 PM	7	8	9
10	11	12 Ladies Bible Study 10 AM	13 Business Meeting 7 PM	14	15	16
17 Sundaes on Sunday 4 PM at Church	18	19 Preschool & Children's Leader's Brunch 10 AM @ RCBA Office	20	21	22 Keenagers to Brick Oven in Lafayette, KY	23 Haiti 5K @ Travis Price Park Kids Fun Run 5:30PM 5K 6 PM
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