

Fellowship Baptist Church

Sunday, October 21, 2018

ANNOUCEMENTS

CHURCH BIKE RIDE & PICNIC

The Activities Committee will be hosting their Annual Bike Ride and Picnic on **Sunday, October 21st**. You can come out at 2:30pm for the 9-mile or 3-mile bike ride... or you can just come at 5pm and enjoy the picnic and fellowship. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. Families are asked to bring sides, desserts, and drinks. The Committee will provide the stuff needed for sandwiches. If you have any questions, please see Sandra McGill.

Reminder – this is our Pastor Appreciation event this year. Please come out and support your pastors and their families. Due to the tight budget this year, the Activities Committee will not be purchasing the gift cards, etc. they usually do. While they will tell you they don't need anything, a little token of appreciation is always... well, appreciated! Sunday School classes and individuals can come together... there are many ways to show them love – be creative and think out of the box!

WMU MEETING

The India Mission Team will continue their lessons over the Spiritual Disciplines on **Thursday, October 25th at 6:30p.m.** Joanne will be discussing Journaling and Karamie will be discussing Silence & Solitude. All women are encouraged to come out and hear/discuss these important topics.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

Church Council will meet **Wednesday, October 24th at 6pm** in the Ch3 classroom. The Council is made up of all Committee Chairs as well as elected Church Officers and Mission Leaders.

If you have anything for the Council agenda or the calendar, please let Joanne know by 1pm on Tuesday.

VOUCHERS

Please remember that all vouchers turned in for reimbursement/payment must be signed by the authorized signer **BEFORE** being turned in. If you are not sure who the authorized signer is, please contact Joanne.

Checks are cut generally cut on Wednesdays and available for pick up on Thursdays. This process may be delayed if vouchers are not signed by the authorized signers. If you do not have a mailbox, you can find your check on the window ledge above the mailboxes.

NEW FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

It is time to stir the pot! We will be starting new Fellowship Groups on Sunday evening, October 28th at 6pm. Please sign up on the bulletin board across from the office. If you have any questions about logistics, just ask the teacher/host.

- **Jonathan Waller** will be teaching in the home of *David & Sandra McGill* (180 Lake Lane, Vienna). Children are welcome. They have 5 stairs to go up to get into their home.
- **Wade Stewart** will be teaching in the home of *Tom & Assiah Gray* (6805 Rte 147, Simpson). Children are welcome. They have a few stairs to get up into their home.
- **Josh Stafford** will be teaching in the home of *Fred & Linda Moore* (5852 Old Cypress Rd., Vienna). Children are welcome. Depending on group size, adults may be meeting down a flight of stairs.
- **There will be a group meeting at the church.** This group does not yet have a teacher. children are welcome.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES

We still have over 40 shoeboxes available to filling. If you have not picked up one, please stop by the table this morning. Families are asked to fill the rest of the shoebox and return it with the \$9 shipping fee. You can also "Follow" your shoebox when you pay online. **Boxes are due back November 4th.** Our goal is 100. Remember these boxes include a pair of shoes that was graciously donated to our collection efforts. I would hate to have them sitting around for a year when they could be on the feet of children!

LADIES' BIBLE STUDY

The Ladies' Bible Study will start on Tuesday, November 6th and run weekly 4:15pm – 5:15pm in the home of Sandra McGill. If you would like to be a part of the group, please let Sandra know (618-713-3866). Sandra will be teaching the first lesson. Please bring your ideas for bible studies to the first meeting. We hope to see you there.

If you would like to mark your calendar with the first couple months of Bible Study dates...

- Nov. 6, 13, 27
- Dec. 4, 11
- Jan. 8

REMINDER FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

Please be sure to take attendance each week and turn your roster in each Sunday following Sunday School. We use these numbers in various ways so they are important.

VOLUNTEER ROTATION LISTS

Just a reminder... if you are in charge of getting the office a monthly volunteer rotation list, please have your November list turned in by Wednesday, October 24th.

LOST & FOUND

All bibles, cups, sunglasses, mittens, umbrellas, etc. that are left behind after church services will be placed in the black & white basket in the connector. If you have lost something, please look in there. (Ashley even says she will rinse out the cups left behind – YAY!)

CHURCH DIRECTORY UPDATE

Joanne is currently in the process of updating the church directory. If you have moved, changed a phone number, added family members, or had family members move away... please contact the office to let us know. It is hard to keep track of over 300 people ☺ You do not have to be a member to be included in the church directory. If you are a regular attender of Fellowship Baptist Church, we would like to know more about you. You may or may not realize that the office is asked for addresses and birthdates all the time! The updated directory will be made available by November 4th, so get your changes, updates and other pertinent information to the office as soon as possible. Please contact Joanne with any questions.

EMAILS

Each week, we send out at least one email – the Announcements email. We also send out prayer requests, reminders and other important information as it necessary. If you would like to be added to the email list, please fill out and return the Connection Card at the bottom of the bulletin.

WEEKLY ANNOUCEMENTS

With the change in the way the bulletins are being done, if you have anything for announcements, please turn into the office by Wednesday evenings. You can leave a note on the desk or send an email to joannecantrell@fellowshipbaptistvienna.com.

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you have any prayer requests to add to the weekly prayer sheet, please email them to Joanne by Wednesday at 10am. joannecantrell@fellowshipbaptistvienna.com.

*** If you see something that is incorrect in these announcements,
please let me know so that I can make that correction! ***

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, October 21

Church Bike Ride
2:30pm at City Park

Church Picnic
5pm at City Park

MONDAY, October 22

Missions Committee Meeting
6pm in the Ch3 Classroom

WEDNESDAY, October 24

Church Council Meeting
6pm in the Ch3 Classroom

Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
Youth Group
Children's Ministry
7pm at Fellowship

THURSDAY, October 25

Senior Adult Bible Study
10am at Autumn Ridge

WMU Meeting
6:30pm in the Ch3 Classroom

THURSDAY, Nov. 1 – SATURDAY, Nov. 3

Faith Alive Work Rotation

SUNDAY, October 28

NEW Fellowship Groups Begin
6pm at Fellowship, Gray's, Moore's, McGill's

WEDNESDAY, October 31

Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
Youth Group
Children's Ministry
7pm at Fellowship

THURSDAY, November 1

Senior Adult Bible Study
10am at Autumn Ridge

WMU Meeting
6:30pm in the Ch3 Classroom

SUNDAY, November 4

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS

2am **FALL BACK** or be an hour early!

Fellowship Groups
6pm at Fellowship, Gray's, Moore's, McGill's

Be sure to check out the **ONLINE CALENDAR** for additional events and updates!

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LAST WEEK BY THE NUMBERS

ATTENDANCE

Sunday School: 94
Morning Worship: 145

GENERAL FUND TITHES & OFFERINGS

Weekly Budget: \$ 4,632.34 Year to Date Budget: \$ 240,881.65
Amount Received: \$ 4,126.15 Year to Date Received: \$ 9,377.56

SPECIAL OFFERINGS: State Missions

2018 Goal: \$ 300.00
Received: \$ 447.00

VOLUNTEERS

counters

October 14
Drew Lawrence
Nick Cockrum

October 28
Jonathan Waller
Dan Kerley

av team

October 21
Ethan Gray
John Wells

October 28
Ethan Gray
Josh Stafford

greeters

October 21
Drew & Kara Lawrence

October 28
Teale Betts

deacons

October 21
Jonathan Waller
Dale Smith

October 28
Jonathan Waller
Dale Smith

childcare

October 21
DeWayne Hensley
Marah Saltzman
Isaac Smith

October 28
Sherie Smith
Sue Alsip
Laurie Smith

ushers

October 21
Nick Cockrum
Isaac Goins
Drew Lawrence
Conrad McLaughlin

October 28
Jerry Miller
Wade Stewart
Joshua McGill
Conrad McLaughlin

October 24–Wednesday
Volunteer Needed
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