Fellowship Baptist Church

Sunday, February 17, 2019

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ONE FOR THE CROSS

This Sunday, February 17th, we will be taking up a special offering for Bald Knob Cross of Peace. All monies raised will go to help with improvements and restoration. Special baskets and envelopes will be provided on the day of the offering. Each person is asked to donate \$1 for the Cross!

CHILDREN'S ART SHOW

If you haven't already done so already, please take a stroll down the children's hallway check out the wonderful masterpieces created by the children in grades 1-6.

HAITI MISSION TRIP

If you are interested in attending the 2019 Haiti Mission Trip, please join us at the meeting TODAY, Sunday, February 17th, following the morning service. We will have a potluck lunch then the meeting. We will have a special guest speaker discussing the Haitian culture. If you are still on the fence or would just like to learn more, please attend. For more information, please contact Joanne Cantrell or Josh Stafford.

SIU INTERNATIONAL STUDENT LUNCHEON

We will be providing lunch to the International Students at the AIU Baptist Student Center on Tuesday, February 26th. We will meet at the church at 9am to load up the van and head over. Volunteers are needed to help serve and minister to the students. Please sign up on the bulletin board if you are able to go. We expect to be back about 2-2:30pm.

Baked goods such as cookies and bars are also needed. Please have them to the church by 8:30am on that day. They are expecting about 70 students this year.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY DAY

On Saturday, March 9th, all children in grades 1-6 are invited to join in a hands-on missions opportunity. This is a great opportunity for them to be motivated and engaged in mission action in their own community. Children are experiential learners and this gives them the opportunity to experience value and meaning to what they have learned about missions, experience the fellowship and excitement of doing missions, and to instill a love for helping others. We will be participating at the location in Simpson. Please sign up on the bulletin board if you are interested. Cost is \$10 per participant with a \$30 family cap.

MEN'S RALLY

All men and boys are encouraged to attend the Iron Sharpens Iron Men's Rally on Saturday, February 23rd in O'Fallon. Further details are available on the bulletin board with the sign-up sheet. The more people going, the cheaper the tickets will be. See Mark Bundren for more information. He went last year and was greatly uplifted by the conference.

BROTHERHOOD MEETINGS

We will be having our next men's brotherhood meeting on Thursday, February 21st at 6pm. Pastor Phil Neilson from Lakeland Baptist Church in Carbondale will be speaking on how men can lead their families in family devotionals. All men in the church are highly encouraged to attend for a great evening of learning and growth. If anyone has any questions, please contact Drew Lawrence.

Then, on Saturday, March 9th at 9am, Mark Kiesling from WSIL Channel 3 News will be speaking to our men's group. Mark is a strong man of God will bigtime faith and he will have a strong message to share with us. Please contact Mark Bundren with any questions.

BOWLING PARTY

Strike out the winter blues with a couple games of Ten Pins. The Activities Committee is hosting their annual Bowling & Pizza Party on Saturday, February 23rd from 4-6pm at the Strike Zone in Anna. Cost is \$7.00 per bowler (for 2hrs. of bowling and shoes). After bowling, we will meet at Pizza Hut for dinner. Families will be asked to pay a portion of the meal, but unsure how much yet – the Committee will cover up to \$150 of the total cost and the rest will be divided between the diners. Deadline to sign up is February 10th. Remember it's always free to come and watch the fun!

RIVER TO RIVER RACE

If you are interested in running the River to River Race with the church's team, please contact Karamie Waller ASAP. The race is on April 13th. We have a 6:45am start time. If you are not a runner but would like to help volunteer at the station, please contact Christina Cockrum.

MCGILL BABY SHOWER

The McGill Family will be hosting a Baby Shower for Jacob & Emily on Saturday, March 2nd at 12:30pm. They will be serving light lunch, cake and punch. Please sign up by February 24 on the on the bulletin board so the family can plan appropriately.

ONLINE CALENDAR

Before planning a Department or Committee event, please be sure to double check the calendar to make sure there isn't something already scheduled. The Online calendar is updated at least once a week, sometimes more. But, always verify the date with the calendar in the office to be sure before planning your events just in case.

FAMILY MEAL MINISTRY

Our Family Meal Ministry will be changing a little bit. Instead of putting up a sign up sheet, we are looking for volunteers that can be called upon when the need arises. There is a sign-up sheet posted. Please sign up even if you can only do one day a week or even less. Many, many volunteers are needed for this vital ministry of our church.

VOUCHERS

Reminder - all vouchers need to be signed by the authorizing signer **PRIOR** to being turned in. If it is not, payment may be delayed.

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 ANNOUNCEMENTS

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 <u>joannecantrell@fellowshipbaptistvienna.com</u>.

PRAYER REQUESTS

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

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, February 17

One for The Cross Special Offering To be taken up during morning service

Haiti Team Meeting / Potluck Lunch 12pm in the Christian Family Life Center

Fellowship Groups 5pm at Gray's 6pm at Fellowship, McGill's, and Moore's

TUESDAY, February 19

Women's Bible Study 4:15pm at Sandra McGill's Home

WEDNESDAY, February 20

Rekindling Youth Rally at Bethany Baptist 6:17pm – meet at church

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

THURSDAY, February 21

Senior Adult Bible Study 10am at Autumn Ridge

SATURDAY, February 23

Men's Rally in O'Fallon See Mark Bundren for details

Volleyball Games at Waldo 11am Adult Team 12pm Youth Team

Bowling & Pizza Party 4pm at Strike Zone in Anna

SUNDAY, February 24

Fellowship Groups 5pm at Gray's 6pm at Fellowship, McGill's, and Moore's

TUESDAY, February 26

SIU International Student Luncheon 9am meet at church

Women's Bible Study 4:15pm at Sandra McGill's Home

WEDNESDAY, February 27

Church Council Meeting 6pm in the Ch3 Classroom

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

THURSDAY, Feb. 28 - SATURDAY, Mar. 2

Faith Alive Work Rotation See Linda Moore for details

FRIDAY, March 1

Volleyball Tournament at Fellowship Times to be announced

SATURDAY, Mar. 2 – MONDAY, Mar. 4

Youth Trip to the Creation Museum See Joshua Stafford for more information

Be sure to check out the **ONLINE CALENDAR** for additional events and updates! <u>www.fellowshipbaptistvienna.com</u>

LAST WEEK BY THE NUMBERS

ATTENDANCE

Sunday School:	114
Morning Worship:	149

GENERAL FUND TITHES & OFFERINGS

Weekly Budget:	\$ 4,632.34
Amount Received:	\$ 2,949.86

2018-2019 Budget:	\$ 240,881.65
Year-to-Date Received:	\$ 101,550.97

VOLUNTEERS

counters

February 17 Randy McLaughlin John Origliosso

greeters

February 17 Fred & Linda Moore **February 24** Randy McLaughlin John Origliosso

February 24 Drew & Kara Lawrence

childcare

February 17 DeWayne Hensley Marah Saltzman Isaac Smith

February 20 Assiah Gray Judy Miller **February 24** Sherie Smith Sue Alsip Laurie Smith

February 27 Kara Lawrence Youth Rotation Volunteer

av team

February 17 Ethan Gray Kyleigh Smith

deacons

February 17 Mark Bundren Jim Haney

ushers

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