

# First Baptist Church of Spring Hill

## The Messenger

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**2021-2022  
Tennessee  
Missions  
Emphasis**

**SAME  
Jesus**

**SHARING HOPE & TRUTH**

**"Jesus Christ is the same yesterday  
and today and forever."  
Hebrews 13:8**

**GoldenOffering.org**  **T-M**  **Tennessee Baptist  
MISSION BOARD**

*Week of Prayer: September 12-19, 2021*

*Church Offering Goal: \$2,000.00*

## From the Library...

About this time of year, the students are already counting down the days until Fall Break. It's a natural desire-even some of the best students look forward to a time with less structure and more play. And, teachers can't wait to take a rest from the piles of papers to grade.

We all need education. We all need people who care enough about us to tell us when we've done something wrong, and then help us make it right. We all need to rely on God's Word to teach us about Him.

And we all need to remember that rejecting chances for correction will only make us look foolish.

Proverbs 12:1: *If you love learning, you love the discipline that goes with it—how shortsighted to refuse correction! (The Message)*

**Here are a couple of books from our library...**

Hear Me When I Call by Charles Swindoll. As the author writes, "I offer these prayers not because I consider myself eloquent, but in hopes that they might minister to you in your need. I pray this book will encourage you to make your entire life a prayer to God. This book helps put into words what your heart and soul are trying to express as you draw closer to the One who always hears you.

Hard To Believe by John McArthur. This book shows the modern tendency to alter the true message on Christianity in order to meet the whims and desires of a culture hoping for non-confrontational messages, and superficial commitments. The hard truth about Christianity is that the cost is high, but the rewards are priceless, abundant and eternal life that comes only from faithfully following Christ.

Yours in Christ,  
Mary Robertson & Joan Frank

## GREETERS SCHEDULE

**September 5:** Jane Love & Shavonnah Gaines

**September 12:** Joan Frank & Mary Robertson,  
Doug & Beverly Williams

**September 19:** John Boyle & Ed Johnson

**September 26:** Mike Welch & Linda Bland



**Dear Church Family:**  
*Words cannot describe my gratitude for the generous way you gave to a Love Offering to help a fellow member in need. You once again exemplified a loving and caring fellowship that is First Baptist Church of Spring Hill. Thank you just doesn't seem adequate and I*

*thank God for you every day. I pray God will continue to bless His church in Spring Hill. I love you all...From a grateful church member.*

## Happy Birthday to You!

- 1 Jonathan Lingle
- Tally Peters
- 3 Kathy Miller
- 4 Joe Bailey
- Lizzy Andre
- 6 Linda Hagerty
- 9 Jana Weaver
- 10 Rachel Stooksbury
- 11 Mark Stooksbury
- 13 Sofie Lingle
- 15 Paul Smith
- 17 Amy Easton
- 18 Sarah Long
- 20 Billie Lingle
- 21 Chuck Peters
- 22 Willie Mangrum
- 24 Jerry White
- Vivian Bowen
- Adam Vaughn
- 25 Kathy Wilson
- David Warren
- 28 Edna Durham
- Ann Smith
- 29 Jan LaRose



**Outdoor Movie Night, Saturday, September 25th**

**Movie begins at 7:30**

*Bring a blanket or chairs*






# September

## 2021

*Sunday*      *Monday*      *Tuesday*      *Wednesday*      *Thursday*      *Friday*      *Saturday*

			<b>1</b> 6:30 pm Facebook Live Bible Study	<b>2</b> 9 am Sr. Adult Bible Study	<b>3</b> 8am-4pm Facility in Use -Homeschool	<b>4</b>
<b>5</b> 8:45 am Sunday School 10 am Worship Deacons' Mtg.  5:30 pm Team Kid 6 pm Evening Service Youth Activities	<b>6</b>  <i>Church Office Closed</i>	<b>7</b> 10 am Ladies Prayer Group	<b>8</b> <b>10:15 am Cracker Barrel Fellowship</b>  6:30 pm Facebook Live Bible Study	<b>9</b> 9 am Sr. Adult Bible Study	<b>10</b> 8am-4pm Facility in Use Homeschool Orientation	<b>11</b>
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<b>Week of Prayer for TN Missions—Golden Offering Emphasis</b>						
<b>19</b> 8:45 am Sunday School 10 am Worship  5:30 pm Team Kid 6 pm Evening Service Youth Activities	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> 10 am Ladies Prayer Group	<b>22</b>  6:30 pm Facebook Live Bible Study	<b>23</b> 9 am Sr. Adult Bible Study	<b>24</b> 8am-4pm Facility in Use -Homeschool	<b>25</b>
<b>26</b> 8:45 am Sunday School 10 am Worship  5:30 pm Team Kid 6 pm Evening Service Youth Activities	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> 10 am Ladies Prayer Group	<b>29</b>  6:30 pm Facebook Live Bible Study	<b>30</b> 9 am Sr. Adult Bible Study		

**Schedule of Services:**

**Sunday**

8:45 am Sunday School  
10 am Worship Service  
Children's Worship (excluding last Sunday of each month)  
5:30 pm Team Kid  
6 pm Evening Worship  
Youth Activities (in Youth House)

**Wednesday**

6:30 pm Facebook Live Bible Study





## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD 2021

As in the past 2 years, we are again collecting items on a monthly basis for OCC Shoeboxes. The collection basket is in the Senior Ladies

SS Classroom. Below is a list of the items suggested for each month. Please remember that items must be fresh & new.

**September:** Games (Etch-a-sketch, puzzles, marbles, dominos, mazes, etc.)



*Sponsored by the Women's Ministry*

Your response to the Christmas Backpacks has been wonderful. Adoption of backpacks will continue until September 5. We will continue to receive cash donations to be used for items to fill backpacks. Return all filled backpacks by September 19. Bibles and Christmas Story will be provided for each backpack. For more information, see Vivian Bowen ([vivana924@gmail.com](mailto:vivana924@gmail.com)).



**Sunday,  
September 12  
6:00 pm**



**September 5:** The Warrens (Babies), Sarah Long & Sarah Seiber (Toddlers), The Johnsons (Pre-K)

**September 12:** Billie Lingle & Rachel Stooksbury (Babies), Julie Crotzer & Sarah Smith (Toddlers), Shelia Chitwood & Kimberly Pullen (Pre-K)

**September 19:** Sarah Smathers & Linda Bland (Babies), The Vaughns (Toddlers), Sarah Long & Sarah Seiber (Pre-K)

**September 26: Family Sunday (No Nursery)**

## Fbckids & Youth Spring Hill

In Isaiah 43:19, God said, "Behold, I am doing a new thing." And on Sunday, September 5, 2021 we will be too!

**TeamKID** is our new Sunday night children's program. It will start at 5:30 and end at 7:00. There will be games, snacks, Bible lessons and a mission emphasis. If you didn't preregister, make sure you get there early to register your child so they don't miss any of the fun.

**Youth group** will also begin on September 5th at 6:00 PM. Everyone grades 6-12 will meet in the youth house then divide between middle and high school for a Bible study tailored just for you.

It is an exciting time for us as we get things kicked off this fall!!  
Josh



## youth retreat & discipleship weekend

OCTOBER 1ST-3RD  
6TH-12TH  
\$20 PER STUDENT

See Josh Howland for more details



**Register for Youth retreat by September 12. Questions? See Josh Howland.**

## Offering Envelopes



**Do you need offering envelopes? If so, please contact the church office and a box will be prepared for you. Thank you!**



**Future Growth Funding**  
\$21,311.62 in a Construction Acct.  
at First Farmer's & Merchant's Bank  
\$367,634.33 in a Building Fund at the  
Tennessee Baptist Foundation.