



First Baptist Church of Ahoskie

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September 20, 2023

Wednesday Family Night Begins October 11, 2023 | 5:15 PM

FBCA is pleased to announce a new churchwide opportunity for Wednesday evenings beginning October 11.

5:15—6:00 PM Meal is served.

6:00—7:00 PM • Children's Choir/Missions

 Prayer Meeting—Bible Study for Adults & Youth (Grades 6-12)

7:15—8:15 PM Sanctuary Choir 8:15—9:00 PM Vocal Ensemble

Meal Costs: Adults \$8 Children (Ages 3-12) \$4 We will not provide take out plates.

Meal reservations are required. They may be made on a weekly or permanent basis. To make your reservation, place each name on the signup sheet on the bulletin board in the second floor hallway or call the church office at (252) 332-4003.

Fall Picnic | October 15, 2023

The deacons will host a picnic for the entire church family on Sunday, October 15, 2023. Please gather in the Fellowship Hall at 5:00 PM.

Building & Grounds Update

The new chair of Building & Grounds is Lee Taylor Rose. Meetings will be moved to the Monday before the monthly Deacons' Meeting.

The Window Correction

Ahoskie Woman's Club The Meeting October 18, 2023 was mistakenly omitted from the October calendar. They meet monthly on the third Wednesday at 12:00 PM. Please add this to your calendar.



Worshiping Together

September 24, 2023 11:00 AM Ordinary Time

Looking Ahead James 4:13-15

Rev. Dr. Dennis Bazemore

Pastor Search Committee Commissioning

In Sympathy



We offer our sympathy to Alex Britton in the September 17, 2023 passing of his 92 year old paternal grandmother, Julia Britton of Galatia. She was the

grandmother-in-law of Sarah Grace (Magette) Britton, and great grandmother of Corbett and Wells Britton. May she rest in peace.

Churchwide Mission Project September - October 1, 2023

We are collecting school supplies for 7 elementary schools in our association. A collection basket is located in the missions closet across from the kitchen. Items needed:

- Marble Hardback Notebooks
- 1 Subject Notebooks
- Gift Cards for Teachers
- Disinfectant Wipes & Spray
- Hand Sanitizer (*Medium Sized*)
- Tissues (Boxed)
- Dry Erase Markers
- Microfiber Cleaning Rags
- Kindergarten ABC/123 Writing Notebooks (Dollar Tree & Dollar General)

- #2 Pencils
- Earbuds
- Headphones
- Band-Aids
- Colored Pencils
- Pink Erasers
- Glue Sticks
- Crayons

SERVING IN THE LOVE OF CHRIST

Week of September 24 - 30, 2023

Minister on Call

Rev. Anita Thompson, 395-0061 anita@fbcahoskie.org

Deacons on Call

Austine Evans, 398-2724 Eley Whitehead, 398-5256

Childcare During Worship - September 24

Ages 1 & 2: Georgia Copeland & Debbie Greene Ages 3 & 4: Will Blanchard & Michelle Boyd **Kindergarten:** *VOLUNTEERS NEEDED*

<u>Ushers - September 24</u>

Madison Alexander, Alex Britton, Tim Frei, Perry Newbern, Nat Riddick, L. Taylor Rose; Balcony: Brad Hauser

Sound System Operator - September 24 Walt Pierce

<u>Security Monitor - September 24</u> Henry Daniels

Floral Offering - September 24

Rick & Jamie Burns

<u>Home Delivered Meals - September 25</u>

Susan Earley

Food Pantry - September 29

Carolyn Arrington & Vicky Overman

Women's Bible Study September 14, 2023 | 10:30 AM

Meetings will take place on the 2nd and 4th Thursday's of the month. Invite your friends to join us for *Bad Girls of the Bible* by Liz Curtis Higgs—not just for FBCA women! If you have any questions, please contact Jayne Frei at (757) 478-6194.



2024 Budget Preparation

On August 23, 2023, the church office distributed 2024 budget preparation forms to committee chairs and other appropriate persons. They are encouraged to consider their budget needs for the year 2024, and return completed forms by Friday, September 22, to Sharon Hill, Financial Secretary.

Week of October 1 - 7, 2023

Minister on Call

Rev. Dr. Dennis Bazemore, (910) 890-2940 dnbazemore@gmail.com

Deacons on Call

Austine Evans, 398-2724 Eley Whitehead, 398-5256

Childcare During Worship - October 1

Ages 1 & 2: Bland & Nancy Baker Ages 3 & 4: Brian & Victoria Outlaw Kindergarten: Landis & Will Chamblee

<u>Ushers - October 1</u>

Frank Britt, Heath Britt, Duck Harrell, Nathan Pierce, Frank Rose, Walter White; Balcony: Larry Freeman

Sound System Operator - October 1

Andy Woodard

Security Monitor - October 1

Jordan Harrell

Floral Offering - October 1

Sharon & Kenny Roope, Tracy & Bryant Lewis

Home Delivered Meals - October 2

Noreen Hannon & Joyce Leary

Food Pantry - October 6

Carolyn Arrington & Patrise Godwin

Stewardship Statement

September 17, 2023

Weekly Need	\$ 9,550.14
Weekly Offering	\$ 8,281.00
Difference	\$ -1,269.14
YTD Needs	\$ 362,905.32
YTD Offerings	\$ 296,255.38

Baptist Retirement	\$ 8.00
Children's Ministry	\$ 670.00
Music Designated	\$ 213.00

\$ -66,649.94

YTD Difference

Thank you for your generous gifts!