

Jesus Centered - Word Driven
NOVEMBER 2022

Sundays: Bible Study 9:30 AM ♦ Worship 10:45 AM & 6:00 PM

Wednesdays: Prayer, Bible Study, Youth, RA's, GA's 6:00 PM, (Mission Friends to restart November 2021), Worship Choir 7:15 PM



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William A. (Bill) Boldt, Pastor

Tim Leadingham, Interim Youth Pastor

Maria Lester, Minister of Music

Thanksgiving Service with Communion and Soup & Sandwich

Tuesday, November 22nd, 6:00 P.M. in Fellowship Hall

Congregation is asked to bring a dessert



Please note there will be no service Wednesday, Nov 23rd. Also, the church office will be closed on Nov 24 and 25.



Celebratory thoughts from Pastor Bill,

We find in the scriptures many times where God's people "Celebrated" the hand of God on their lives. Going through the Red Sea safely while the army behind them was destroyed. Exodus 15. Psalm 95:2 "Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving. Let us shout joyfully to Him with psalms." Exodus 23:14 "Three times a year you shall celebrate a feast to Me." Psalm 126:3 "The Lord has done great things for us; We are glad." **Isaiah 30:29** "You will have songs as in the night when you keep the festival, and gladness of heart as when one marches to the sound of the flute, to go to the mountain of the Lord, to the Rock of Israel." Luke 15:24 "For this son of mine was dead and has come to life again; he was lost and has been found.' And they began to celebrate."

Even during trials and difficult times we can find reasons to celebrate when God is on His throne guiding His children through a maze of twists and turns. This we have done and will continue to do as God's people move forward in serving Him and building His kingdom for His glory.

We have celebrated His hand upon Southern Heights over many years and we did so again just a couple of weeks ago. God's people hard at work seeking to let our neighborhood know about the good hand of God upon us. We had a couple hundred people attend our block party on October 8th, and we consumed a lot of pulled pork and fried fish, nearly 500 pieces of fish and 11 pork butts. You all were a hungry bunch.

Best of all was not the food, not the fun, not the music but Sunday morning when God's people responded to the call to help make Southern Heights debt free. At the beginning of the service, we were still over \$13,000 short of reaching our debt free goal. At the end of the service when we took the special offering there was nearly \$20,000 in the offering and even days later more has come in. It truly was a time to celebrate the goodness of God through His people.

When we began this campaign to do the remodel on our building, we used the offering of every 5th Sunday called "**More Than Enough**" to begin paying down the \$153,000 debt that we owed. If you are wondering where we got this idea it is not new. It comes from **Exodus 36:5-7**. The people were bringing contributions for the building of the sanctuary and in these verses, it says the people were so ambitious that they brought "More Than Enough" to build the temple. All the while you were doing this our regular tithes stayed the same. Praise the Lord.

This is what happens when God's people become one mind and one heart. They see the need, they dig deep, they sacrifice and soon, there is "More Than Enough". To God be the glory and this is what we celebrate. Not so much the funds that come in but what happens when God's people united in heart and spirit can do to bring all praise and glory to our King of Kings and Lord of Lords.

You are all to be commended for your efforts and I am sure the Lord will reward your offerings. It is to be a proud moment in the history of Southern Heights when we can humbly say to our Lord, Thank you. To the One who gives us eternal life through His Son who sacrificed His life on the cross, may your name be lifted to the community around us and through our mission efforts all around the world.

God bless you all and thank you for being obedient to God's calling.

Love in Christ,

Pastor Bill Isaiah 26:3

And they spoke to Moses, saying, The people bring much more than enough for the service of the work, which the LORD commended to make.



November 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30 9:30am Bible Study 10:45am Morning Worship, Communion and More Than Enough Offering 5:00pm Women + Discipleship, Fellowship Hall 6:00pm Evening Service	31 6:00pm Halloween, Trunk or Treat 6-8 pm	1 2:00pm SHBC @ Northpoint Nursing Home 7:30pm Diamond Plus, Fellowship Hall (7:30-9:30p)	6:00pm Children in Action (1-5th gr.) 6:00pm Mission Friends (preschool) 6:00pm Prayer, Bible Study 6:00pm Youth 7:15pm Sanctuary Choir	3 10:00am Art Class in Fellowship Hall (Barb Riddle) 10- 11:30 6:00pm Round Dancers, Fellowship Hall, 6-10p	4	Fall Back 1 hour before going to bed tonight 9:00am Women's World Day of Prayer Durbin Memorial Baptist Church 8650 Durbin Lane, Loxington
6 TIME CHANGE 9:30am Bible Study 10:45am Morning Worship 5:00pm Women + Discipleship, Fellowship Hall 6:00pm Evening Service	7	8 Election Day 2:00pm SHBC @ Northpoint Nursing Home 7:30pm Diamond Plus, Fellowship Hall (7:30-9:30p)	9 6:00pm Children in Action (1-5th gr.) 6:00pm Mission Friends (preschool) 6:00pm Prayer, Bible Study 6:00pm Youth 7:15pm Sanctuary Choir	10 10:00am Art Class in Fellowship Hall (Barb Riddle) 10- 11:30 6:00pm Round Dancers, Fellowship Hall, 6-10p	Veterans Day 10:00am Dulcimer Class meets in Choir Room 7:30pm Do Si Do, Fellowship Hall (7:30-9:30p)	9:00am SHBC Women with Hope Day Conference, Fellowship Hall
13 Deadline- Christmas Shoe Box Delivery 9:30am Bible Study 10:45am Morning Worship 4:45pm Finance Ministry Team Meeting, Lamplighters Room 6:00pm Evening Service	14 4:45pm Counting Meeting	2:00pm SHBC @ Northpoint Nursing Home 7:30pm Diamond Plus, Fellowship Hall (7:30-9:30p)	6:00pm Business Meeting, Prayer, Bible Study 6:00pm Children in Action (1-5th gr.) 6:00pm Mission Friends (preschool) 6:00pm Youth 7:15pm Sanctuary Choir	17 10:00am Art Class in Fellowship Hall (Barb Riddle) 10-11:30 6:00pm Round Dancers (Sweets Auction Dance), Fellowship Hall, 6-10p	18 Youth Event- Smores & Outdoor Movie	9:00am Women w Hope Conference
9:30am Bible Study 10:45am Morning Worship 3:30pm Irishtown Re-dedication Service 245 Perry Street, Lexington 6:00pm Evening Service	21	22 2:00pm SHBC @ Northpoint Nursing Home 5:00pm Thanksgiving Soup & Sandwich, Communion 7:15pm Sanctuary Choir	23 no service/activities (see Tuesday)	24 Thanksgiving Day	25 Church Office Closed 7:30pm Do Si Do, Fellowship Hall (7:30-9:30p)	26
27 1st Sunday Advent 9:30am Bible Study 10:45am Morning Worship 6:00pm No Evening Service	28 6:30pm Deacons Meeting	29 2:00pm SHBC @ Northpoint Nursing Home 7:30pm Diamond Plus, Fellowship Hall (7:30-9:30p)	30 6:00pm Children in Action (1-5th gr.) 6:00pm Mission Friends (preschool) 6:00pm Prayer, Bible Study 6:00pm Youth 7:15pm Sanctuary Choir	1 10:00am Art Class in Fellowship Hall (Barb Riddle) 10- 11:30 6:00pm Round Dancers, Fellowship Hall, 6-10p	2 5:30pm Lamplighters Christmas Party, Fellowship Hall	3



Many of you ask for updates on Aunt Sally and I appreciate it. She is doing well and we are planning her 100th birthday party on November 20th. She hears me talking about each of you and enjoys hearing about the Happenings at SHBC. She says she is so thankful for your prayers for her. If you would like to send her a 100th birthday card, I know she would be excited to hear from you. Add SHBC under your name so she knows who it's from. Just bring it to the church and give it to either Allen or myself. Thank you for your love and concerns for her.- Dolores Howard



Children's Hunger Fund sends their thanks!

Southern Heights Baptist VBS Team

"God Bless and thank you for the donation from your VBS group! You not only provided much needed meals but also the Hope of the Gospel! Thank you!"



1 Bill

1 Amy

5 Allen

5 Jakub

7 Anna

8 Nathan

10 Ashford11 Jean

12 Roger

12 Erin

3 Lynette

Pam Beam, former church secretary, is a GRANDMA y'all!
Dani Kay Gamroth arrived 10/26 at 4 pm.
I bet Pam Beam is BEAMING with joy and excitement.
Is Dani precious or what???



Landrum

Walls

Perkins

Howard

Planck

Ratcliff Sonii

Martin

Bailey Kieh

Lee

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

12	Ronnie	Rue
13	Alberta	Obenshain
14	Jerry	England
16	Kim	Gipson
17	Fred	Rue
19	John	Blair
20	Donna	Redwine
26	Courtney	Rue
26	Kayla	Jones
28	Sara	Howard

Arnold

29 Judy

Greeters are needed. To serve. contact Don Carter.

GREETER SCHEDULE

27-Nov

Day	Greeter		Location
30-Oct	Don	Carter	Front
30-Oct	Rena	Reed	Rear
6-Nov	Barbara	Riddle	Front
6-Nov	Karen	Blair	Rear
13-Nov	Brenda	Howard	Front
13-Nov	Joe	Vice	Rear
20-Nov	Bill	Grant	Front
20-Nov	Linda	Grant	Rear
27-Nov	Bill	Landrum	Front

DEACON OF THE WEEK

Charlie	Watts	Week of Oct 30-Nov 5
Jerry	England	Week of Nov 6-12
Ben	Harberson	Week of Nov 13-19
Allen	Howard	Week of Nov 20-26
Manuel	Howard	Week of Nov 27-Dec 3

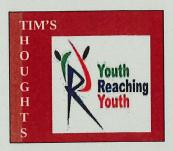
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<u>November:</u>		
Allen	Howard	
Ronnie	Rue	

Margaret



Wow! October has been crazy busy, and we are not done yet! We look forward to being involved in this year's "Trunk or Treat" event on October 31st.

The student ministry of SHBC enjoyed a tailgating event at the Lafayette home football game and the next day our students were out serving three of our church families in a service fundraising event.

I was extremely proud of their hard work, and we had a great time at the tailgating event. One of the things I have really come to appreciate, and value is the leadership and service of our Youth Parent Leaders. What a wonderful group of folks who love not only their student but all the students!

We have planned a Youth event for **November 18th**. We will be having an outdoor firepit/movie night. As always, we are encouraging our students to bring their friends. I have always taught that **"students reaching students"** is the only way to grow the youth group & then ultimately the church.

Thanks again for the privilege and honor of teaching and leading the students of SHBC.

Love you all,

Pastor Tim



Tuesday, December 13th at SHBC.Call 888-814-0416 to schedule.
More information can be found on the bulletin board by the Lamplighters Room.



Time change

Remember to set your clocks back one hour before bed on Saturday, November 5th



Election Day is Tuesday, November 8th YES FOR LIFE — Amendment 2



December 4th, following worship **Pastor Bill Retirement Dinner** Come wish him well. Let him know he will be missed. More details to come...



I would like to say **thank you** to our **veterans**. Without our veterans, our freedom would not exist. We are one blessed nation because of God and the brave men and women who fought for

our country. I don't really think we all realize the sacrifices these men and women gave to this country. The families they left behind for a season, the holidays they missed, the injuries they endured, and so made the ultimate sacrifice, some gave ALL! THANK YOU, VETERANS, for our freedom, especially our freedom to practice religion. Do you know in China people have to hide to practice religion? Well, thanks to our veterans we don't have to. So if you aren't a veteran when you see one thank them.



As we go into the season of Thanksgiving let us remember that God asks that in EVERYTHING, we are to give THANKS.

My hope for you is that not only now in this season but all seasons you are grateful, and thankful, and know you

are blessed. As we enter this holiday season enter it with a thankful heart because if you are like me you have to maintain it to get through some family get to-gathers. **I'm very thankful to you all!**

Harlan County Christian School receives its school furniture. Can you see the cross in between?











Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer

Saturday, November 5th 9 a.m.

Durbin Memorial Baptist Church 8650 Durbin Lane, Lexington We will be joining thousands of men and women all over the world who will be totally focused on prayers.



Irishtown Rededication Service Sunday, November 20th 3:30 p.m. 245 Perry Street, Lexington, KY 40508

You're invited! The Irish Town Baptist Ministries project has been completed and the Dedication Service is on November 20th. Hope some of us can attend to celebrate with them. They are reaching those in the community for Christ even during the remodeling phase God was at work lifting hearts from their burden of sin. Let's pray for this ministry that it will continue to flourish with the gospel message being preached and presented.

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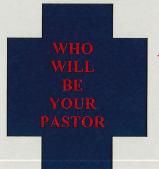


Southern Heights Baptist Church

Women's ministry is currently having **Women + Discipleship** on Sunday evenings at 5 p.m. We will continue with Women + Discipleship through November 6th. In November we will also have a Women with Hope Day conference. Please see Kayla Jones for more information.



Southern Height Baptist Church will be **sending love** this holiday season to children across the world. If you would like to help in reaching a child with love and have an opportunity to **get** the Gospel to them, get a shoebox from our church building foyer, fill it up and return it by November 13th. More details about Operation Christmas Child can be found in the literature near the shoeboxes or by reaching out to Barbara Riddle.



WHO WILL BE YOUR PASTOR? Is the Lord calling upon you to nominate someone for the Pastoral Search Committee? If so, please take a Nominating Form, fill it out and return it to a Deacon by December 4th.