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The Network



The Weekly Newsletter of First Baptist Church, Paris, Tennessee

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OCC Ministry Trip to Boone, N.C.

NOVEMBER 27- DECEMBER 1



Trip Participants

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Pat Nelson
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Vicky Sinclair

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Pam Sparks
Scott Stephens
Pam Stephens
Mike Williams
Clara Williams
Walt Williamson
Naomi Williamson
Jim Younger
Karen Younger

DECEMBER 2023

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sundays

8 a.m. - Prayer Time
 9 a.m. - Sunday School
 10:15 a.m. - Morning Worship
 (Childcare Birth-3)
 6 p.m. - Adult Discipleship Groups;
 Bible Discussion Group;
 Kids Discipleship (Childcare Birth-3)

Wednesdays

5 p.m. - Family Night Meal
 5:45 p.m. - Adult Equipping Center;
 Children's Choirs;
 Youth-The Loft;
 7 p.m. - Adult Choir Practice & Orchestra Rehearsal

Additional Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2 9 a.m.-Studio Recital- Sanctuary 10 a.m. - Youth Service Saturday
3 Week of Prayer for IMB & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering 8 a.m. - Sunday School Fellowship 5 p.m. - Special-called Business Meeting-Orr Hall	4 Week of Prayer for IMB & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering 6:30 p.m. - Henry Elementary School Band Concert- Sanctuary	5 Week of Prayer for IMB & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering	6 Week of Prayer for IMB & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering 2:30 p.m. - CEF Good News Club	7 Week of Prayer for IMB & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering 11 a.m. - BPU Christmas Luncheon-Orr Hall	8 Week of Prayer for IMB & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering	9 Week of Prayer for IMB & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering 9 a.m. - Women's Ministry Fellowship Noon - FARO Outreach (Soccer Tournament)- Gym 6 p.m. - Youth Christmas Party-The Loft
10 Week of Prayer for IMB & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering 4 p.m. - Christmas Caroling 5 p.m. - D Group Fellowship-Orr Hall	11 11 a.m. - LLL Meeting-Orr Hall	12 4:30 p.m. - Henry County Chorus Concert- Sanctuary	13 2:30 p.m. - CEF Good News Club	14 5:30 p.m. - Biblical Counseling Ministry Team Meeting	15	16
17 6 p.m. - Music Ministry Christmas Program	18	19	20 6 p.m. - Candlelight Communion Service	21	22 Church Office Closed	23
24 10:15 a.m. - One Family Worship Service No Other Activities	25 Christmas Day Church Office Closed	26 Church Office Closed	27 No Wednesday Night Meal or Activities	28	29	30
31 No Evening Activities						

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Submission deadline for the next issue is noon, Monday, November 27, 2023

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering®

*Week of Prayer
December 3-10*

FBC Goal: \$60,000



This Week At First Baptist

SUNDAY, November 26

- 8:00 Prayer Time
- 9:00 Sunday School
- 10:15 Worship Service
(Childcare Birth-3)
- Family Fellowship Night**
No Evening Activities

November 27-December 1

**Operation Christmas Child
Group Trip to Boone, N.C.**

WEDNESDAY, November 29

- 2:30 Good News Club at PES
- 4:30 Senior Adult Ministry
Team Meeting
- 5:00 Family Night Meal
- 5:45 Adult Equipping Center;
Children's Choirs;
Youth-The Loft
- 7:00 Adult Choir Practice
& Orchestra Rehearsal

SATURDAY, December 2

Youth Service Saturday

SUNDAY, December 3

- 8:00 Prayer Time; Quarterly
Sunday School Fellowship
- 9:00 Sunday School
- 10:15 Worship Service
(Childcare Birth-3)
- 5:00 Special-called Business
Meeting (Orr Hall)
- 6:00 Adult & Youth
Discipleship Groups;
Children's Discipleship

December 3-10

**Week of Prayer for International
Missions & the Lottie Moon
Christmas Offering**

WEDNESDAY, December 6

- 2:30 Good News Club at PES
- 5:00 Family Night Meal
- 5:45 Adult Equipping Center;
Children's Choirs;
Youth-The Loft
- 7:00 Adult Choir Practice
& Orchestra Rehearsal;
Student Ministry
Team Meeting-The Loft

SATURDAY, December 9

- 9:00 Women's Ministry
Fellowship-Orr Hall

SUNDAY SCHOOL



Sunday School Fellowship

Sunday, December 3

8-9 a.m.

CLC & Basement of Sanctuary
Coffee, Milk, Orange Juice, Cookies

SPECIAL CALLED BUSINESS MEETING



**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3
5 P.M. • ORR HALL**

The purpose of this meeting will be to consider accepting a gift of the property at 409 N. Poplar St., and the approval of monetary funding for renovations and repairs to that property for use by the Paris Biblical Counseling & Education Center.

WE NEED YOUR FAMILY PICTURE

*This Christmas, the
Welcome Center tree
will feature family
photos of FBC families*

Please text or email your photo to
Caitlin Jelks at 618-910-8844
or caitlinjelks@gmail.com

If you would like to use your
directory photo, please let us know.

Join Us!



refreshments provided

gift wrapping workshop

**saturday, december 9
9 - 10am • orr hall**

*boxes and wrapping paper
provided- we will place
wrapped (empty) gifts under
the welcome center tree*

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First Baptist Church



313 N Poplar Street
Paris, Tennessee 38242
*One Block North
of the Court Square*

Sunday School

9 a.m.

Morning Worship

10:15 a.m.



Sunday, November 26

Sermon:

"Give Thanks to the Lord!"

Psalm 107

Dr. Trent Bullock

Foundations Bible Reading Plan

Week 47 (Week of November 19)

Colossians	1-2
Colossians	3-4
Ephesians	1-2
Ephesians	3-4
Ephesians	5-6

Week 47 (Week of November 26)

Philippians	1-2
Philippians	3-4
Hebrews	1-2
Hebrews	3-4
Hebrews	5-6

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FINANCIAL REPORT

November 19, 2023

Worship Attendance	367
Sunday School Attendance ..	335
Budget Required	\$27,404.62
Budget Received	\$27,794.95
Other Designated	\$12,344.48
Total	\$40,139.43

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

November 29

Open-faced Ham &
Cheese Sandwich
Cream of Potato Soup

Alternate Menu:

Hot Dog/Chips/Dessert

Sunday, November 26

Church Volunteers



Bus Ministry

Driver

Roger Veazey

Children's Ministry

Babies

Caitlin Jelks

1-year-olds

Tammy Irby

2 & 3-year-olds

Rebecca Gielis, Pam Sparks

Media Ministry

Sound

Barry Flood

Pro Presenter

Scott Nanney

Media Room

Kevin Buie

Philip Todd

Evan Twilbeck

Security/Usher Ministry

Security

Chuck Elizondo

Michael Miller

Bob Moultrie

Bo Sinclair

John Spencer

Ushers

Kerry Bell

David Crawford

Robert Head

Myrtice Owens WMU Group Christmas Party

Monday, December 11 • 5 p.m.

At the Home of Jane Overton • 20 Emerald Cove, Unit A

**Please bring a gift for the Silent Ministry*