



SEPTEMBER 2020

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
MONTICELLO, ARKANSAS

CHANGE IN ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICE PROGRAMMING

For those that worship with us online, starting September 6, we will be switching to a YouTube only LIVE broadcast on Sundays starting at 8:30 AM. That video will be available to watch at a later time, and there will be links to that video posted on our Facebook page. Make sure you are subscribed to our YouTube channel. Search for First Baptist Church Monticello and look for the page that has our green arrows logo.

KIDS & STUDENTS BEGINNING MIDWEEK

After a summer break, our kids and student ministries will be starting back up in September with Midweek online. Both kids and students will be doing a series through the book of Mark. Videos will air on Wednesday nights. Be watching our Facebook and YouTube pages, as well our website, for more information.

DIXIE JACKSON ARKANSAS MISSIONS

The Dixie Jackson Arkansas Missions Offering and Week of Prayer each year highlights and encourages Gospel work that Arkansas Baptists are faithfully supporting in our state and beyond. Your giving impacts new churches, community missions, collegiate ministries, and Disaster Relief. We have set a FBC Monticello goal of \$5,000. Please join us in the week of prayer September 6-13, and consider giving. Prayer guides and envelopes are available at the church. For more information, go to www.absc.org/dixie-jackson-arkansas-missions

CHURCH CLOSED FOR LABOR DAY

The church office will be closed on Monday, September 7 for Labor Day.

WE'VE GOT YOUR BACK RECAP & TEACHER GIFTS

Although different because of the times we currently live in, it was another successful "We've Got Your Back" event that was held in August. Thanks to your generous and faithful giving, we were able to hand out backpacks to our local school children, and the backpacks left over were donated to our local school districts. Also during August, our church was able to put together goodie bags to give to our local teachers with a note telling them we are praying for them as they began a school year like no other.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

July 2020 Receipts: \$78,358.32

July 2020 Expenses: \$58,587.69

July Building Loan Payment: \$10,708.74

July Building Loan Balance: \$655,984.01

*August's financial report will be available in the September MORE.

AUGUST ATTENDANCE

Not counting August 30, our worship service attendance during the month of August averaged out to 164 per week, up nearly 20 people per week from last month.

MEMORIALS GIVEN

Gifts given during the month of August include those in memory of: Genella Henry, David Carmical, Betty Davis, George & Pat Akin, Nancy Lemons, and Blake Haynes.

LATEST PRAYER REQUESTS

The Busby family, the Crossett family, Louise McArthur, Laverne Burnette, Virgie Owens (sister)

*For a complete list of prayer requests, or to place a request, contact the church office.