



The Sardis Messenger

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Hey Sardis Family,

Wow, it is hard to believe it has already been a month! What a blessing it has been, and we are so thankful for all of your love and support as we have settled.

As we conclude our "Firm Foundation" series, I pray that it has been beneficial for you and has allowed you to refocus on the simple areas of loving God and loving others. We now shift our focus and tone slightly as we dive into the "Armor of God," taking each piece and suiting up for our battles.

We are one month away from our first big launch, with our Men's and Women's D-Groups, as well as our new Children's Church and Wednesday Night program. This is truly an exciting time to be at Sardis! I pray that you will join us on Tuesday nights for these meetings, and if you feel led to help with our Children's programs, please let us know. We have a lot of work to do, and we need all hands as we focus on these two areas.

Alyssa, Eli, and I are so thankful for each and every one of you and pray for you daily. Know that we love you and are here if you need anything.

In Christ,
Pastor Matt



GriefShare will begin with a new 13-week session on Monday, August 18th and will continue to meet every Monday at 5:30 p.m. at the Sardis Baptist Church Family Life Center. This is a free Grief Support Group for everyone and anyone can join at any time! We have trained leaders to guide you through your Grief Journey and who will help you find comfort & support during this most difficult time. For more information, or to pre-register, visit www.griefshare.org/groups/265785 or call 706-376-8568.

Mark your calendar! Car Show at Sardis Baptist Church



**Saturday, September 20th
4:00-7:00 p.m.**

BBQ Pork Plates, Sweets & Drinks

**All proceeds will benefit Bobby Powell
who is battling leukemia.**

Trophies will be given!

**For additional information contact:
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August Birthdays

1 Brenda Thompson	15 Brady Burgess
1 Lewis Bannister	15 Eleanor Thompson
1 Evan Adams	16 Susan Craft
2 Thomas Griffith	21 Oy Shiflet
3 Greta Eberhardt	23 Landon Bannister
3 Paisley Eberhardt	24 Snip White
5 Jimmy Gray	24 Beverly Cox
5 Grethe Adams	24 Allison Farrow
6 Kim Powell	25 Herman Teasley
11 Maci Eberhardt	27 Peggy Adams
11 Sherry Darley	27 Annette Moorhead



**Join us for our Deacons
Commissioning Service
on Sunday, September
21st during the AM
Worship Service.**

August 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 <p>The Women's Mission group will meet on August 19th (third Tuesday) at 2 p.m., in the FLC. Pastor Matt and Alyssa will be presenting their vision for the WMU and for our Church. All ladies are invited to attend and enjoy ice cream with our mission group.</p>				1	2	
3 10 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Worship	4	5	6 6:30 p.m. Bible Study (nursery provided)	7	8	9
10 10 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Worship	11 6:30 p.m. Deacon's Meeting in the fellow- ship hall	12	13 6:30 p.m. Bible Study (nursery provided)	14	15	16
17 10 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Worship	18 5:30 p.m. GriefShare at FLC	19 2 p.m. Women on Mission Group at FLC	20 6:30 p.m. Bible Study (nursery provided)	21	22	23
24 10 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Worship	25 5:30 p.m. GriefShare at FLC	26	27 6:30 p.m. Bible Study (nursery provided)	28	29	30
31 10 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Worship	 <p>D-Groups will begin meeting on Sept. 2nd! Sign-up at our new sign-up station behind the sanctuary! The Men will be studying "The Titus Ten" and Women will be studying, "Equipped to Serve." Join us!</p>					