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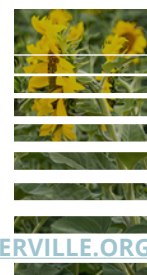
sunday school
at FBC Fisherville

Sunday School “**PROMOTION SUNDAY**” is **August 9TH**, when our Children and Youth will “move up” to their new Sunday School classes! The new Quarter for our Adult classes will begin on September 6TH launching our study of the book of Romans.

While I am enjoying and being challenged in my faith each week through our current study of Joshua, Judges and Ruth, I must admit I am eager to get back into the New Testament, and especially the **book of Romans**. C.K. Barrett suggests that Romans answers the question as if posed to the Apostle Paul: “Paul, if you were to die tomorrow, what would you tell us today?”

I pray you will consider joining us in these **Sunday Morning small group Bible Study** classes we call Sunday School. There is a class for every age and stage of life, from children to the most senior adults. Whether married or single, whether you prefer a class just for men, or women or co-ed. Larger classes or smaller. Ask me and I will help you find a class that fits YOU!

Dr. Gary Redding



Gracie and I are so excited to be a part of the FBC Fisherville family! From the moment we arrived, we have felt welcomed, encouraged, and grateful for the opportunity to serve here at FBC Fisherville.

We believe that loving students, investing in their lives, discipling them, and, above all, pointing them to Jesus is one of the greatest privileges God has given us. It is truly a joy and an honor to get to know these students and their families.

As we move forward together, our youth ministry will be centered on these core values:

- 1 **KNOW GOD** — Helping students develop a personal relationship with Jesus.
- 2 **GROW IN CHRIST** — Encouraging students to deepen their understanding of God's Word, discover His purpose for their lives through discipleship, and grow in community with other believers.
- 3 **LIVE ON MISSION** — Equipping students to understand that following Jesus is more than attending church and just “checking the boxes”. It is a daily calling. Every day is an opportunity to live out the Gospel wherever God has placed us.

We are excited to see what God has in store for our youth ministry and look forward to partnering with parents and the rest of the church family as we help students know Christ, grow in Him, and live on mission for His glory.

Austin Mathis



CENTRIKID CAMP 2026 — These boys and girls had a wonderful and meaningful time at camp. Thank you to everyone who helped make it possible!!



PROMOTION SUNDAY — August 9TH

“Donut” forget it is Promotion Sunday! All Children and Youth will move up to their new Sunday School classes!

CHILDREN'S MISSIONS PROGRAMS START BACK — Wed., August 12TH

All children's missions programs begin at 6:30 PM — and there is something for every age group. Programs include:

Mission Friends
for Preschoolers
3s–Kindergarten



GA
Girls in Action
for 1ST–6TH Grade Girls



RA
Royal Ambassadors
for 1ST–6TH Grade Boys



GET THE SCOOP NIGHT

Wed., August 19TH

Join us for ice cream following our normal activities to pick up the yearly Children's Ministry Schedule and to “Get the Scoop” for this upcoming year!



Come join us as our kids learn what it means to be on mission for Him — here in our community and around the world.

music & worship ministry



There is a renewed sense of energy and excitement in our music ministry as we move into the second half of the year!

Our **choir resumed rehearsals on July 8TH**, and it has already been a joy to be back together. Even more exciting, we have **four new members** joining the choir family — and there is always room for more. If you have ever thought about helping to lead in worship, **now is a perfect time to jump in**. You do not have to be a professional musician — just come with a willing heart and a desire to serve.

Looking ahead, our **children's and preschool choirs will begin on August 16TH**. The children's choir will hit the ground running as they begin preparing for this year's **Christmas musical**. In the early weeks, they will get a pre-view of the music, begin learning songs, and participate in light tryouts for speaking and featured parts. It is always a highlight of the season and a wonderful opportunity for our children to grow both musically and spiritually.

More than anything, let us remember that music is not just about notes and rhythms — it is about **leading others in worship and pointing hearts toward Christ**. Each rehearsal, each anthem, and each service is an opportunity to offer our gifts back to God and to encourage one another in faith.

Whether you sing, play, or simply join in from the pew, **you are part of the worship of our church**. Thank you for the way you participate so faithfully each week.

If you are interested in getting involved in any area of the music ministry, we would love to have you. There is a place for you here.

Bro. Kelvin

missions



Over the past couple of weeks, our mission team had the privilege of serving in Iowa. As a church family, thank you for praying, encouraging, and supporting those who went. While the trip may be over, we know that God is still at work in Davis City and in those who served.

I want to encourage you to continue praying for the ministry that took place in Iowa and for the seeds that were planted. One conversation, one song, one Bible lesson, one game played during VBS, one act of service, one word of encouragement, whatever it was... God can use any of those moments to reveal Himself to someone who does not have a personal relationship with Him.

Please continue to pray for every person our team encountered. Pray that the Lord would continue working in their hearts, watering the seeds that were planted and drawing them to Himself. Thank you for being a church that faithfully prays, gives, and sends.

Austin Mathis



fifty five plus

Hello 55+ family,

The summer is now behind us and with it comes a new season to experience God's goodness and work in our lives.

I hope you will join us on August 13TH, at 11:30 AM for "A Great Awakening". Please remember to bring finger foods for all to enjoy. The fellowship will be in the gym.

Just as a reminder, there is still time to sign up for our trip to Eureka Springs, to watch "The Passion Play". There are brochures in the lobby. All final payments should be in by August 16TH.

Our youth are about to return to school. Please pray for them that they will stand strong for Jesus. Also, please consider sponsoring a youth this year to build relationships and encouragement. You will be hearing more about how you can get involved on August 13TH.

Last, our fall retreat will be October 7TH-8TH, at The Country Place. This year's theme will be "A House of Prayer". Please mark this on your calendar.

Nadia and I love each of you very much!

Bro. Sam

BUDGET

In Memory of Sherry Walker given by:
Gloria Jones

In Memory of Laverne Yancey given by:
William & Barbara Lee
Jack & Linda Lewis
Guy Thomason

In Memory of Lisa Waller given by:
Guy Thomason

In Memory of Ferne Presley given by:
Guy Thomason

MISSIONS

In Memory of Adriana Garza given by:
Brian & Betty Barry

In Memory of Lisa Waller given by:
Gloria Jones
Brian & Betty Barry

In Memory of Laverne Yancey given by:
Brian & Betty Barry

In Memory of Ferne Presley given by:
Brian & Betty Barry

HISPANIC CHURCH

In Memory of Laverne Yancey given by:
Larry & Jeri Stringer

WEDNESDAY NIGHT FAMILY MEALS will resume in August!

August 12TH & 26TH — The menu will be announced soon.

Sign-ups will be available online and through the church office.

Churchwide
Bridal Shower

in honor of

Paige Ritchey

Sunday, August 2nd, 3:00 pm

Paige is registered at tieknot.com

LADIES FALL BIBLE STUDY

"Forever for Our Good" starts

Wednesday, September 9TH at
9:15 AM and 6:30 PM and on
Sunday evenings at 6:00 PM.

august schedule of events

02
Men's Prayer Breakfast
7:00 AM
Please Sign Up

Churchwide Bridal Shower for
Paige Ritchey
3:00 PM

09
Sunday School Promotion

12
Wednesday Night Family Meal
5:00 PM

13
55+ Lunch & Matinee
11:30 AM

19
Children's "Get the Scoop Night"

Youth Back to School
6:30 PM

22
Men's Ministry Golf Outing

26
Wednesday Night Family Meal
5:00 PM

Christopher Roberts

Saige Hug

Larry Pugh

Ava Roberts

Martha Beckett

Clara Lovett

Candice Beaver

Catherine Bailey

Gloria Jones

Sandra Wells

Marina C. Bogan

Charlotte Tiner

Daisy Miller

Nancy Burton

Murray Smith

Mark Block

Brooke Williams

Margaret Jones

Ivie Sanderson Rogalski

Nancy Perkins

Cannon Hart

Jack Moore

Sammi Moore

Clark Kirby

Jimmy Hill

Judy James

Peggy Miller

Glenda Lawrence

Bette Robbins

Jetta Smith

Angela Gayden

Linda Wicker

Cecil Wages

Jonathan Barron

Maura Bailey

Robbi Stephens

Josiah Richards

august Birthdays



Faith Gillespie

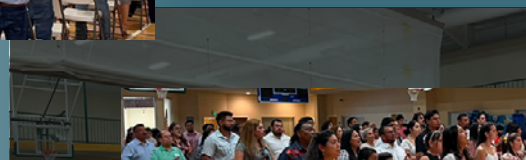
NEW members



Jay, Keri, Kailyn, & Adelyn Burr



Our Hispanic congregation had 180 in attendance for their first service in the Fisherville RecNet with Pastor Samuel Garcia leading the service.



guests

Please scan and complete digital guest registration.

Thank you.