

# *The Beacon of New Bethel Baptist Church*

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Hello NBBC Family,

This is the first of what I prayerfully hope will be many newsletters to my church family! There are so many things to be thankful and praise the Lord for over the last month. God has faithfully been at work in the life of New Bethel and its members and visitors. We have seen the Lord bring people into a saving knowledge of Him, making Jesus their Savior; we saw four high school and three college graduates be celebrated as they walked across the stage at their particular schools; and had a great representation of the church serve at Wake Up Walton as we love our local community together. We have also celebrated Moms and expressed our gratitude for those who have lost their lives to defend the freedoms we have in our country. What a blessing for myself and my family to be a part of this church and what the Lord is doing here; it certainly has not been boring!

I want to give a special display of gratitude for all those serving in different ministries around the church. Thank you for your faithful service in your respective areas and know that the Lord is using you to reach people for His Kingdom. Our sermon series in Nehemiah has shown us that it is the Lord who builds the house and causes it to prosper as He has His hand on this church for good (Nehemiah 2:18). Because of His goodness to us, we can stand firm no matter the circumstances as we trust Him in all things. May we not be passive in our relationship with Him but pray for God to move, and then may we get to work, even if it means carrying our swords while building the wall.

On a personal note, I want to thank all of those who have helped us to get to the Walton-Verona area: the pastor search team and their families, those who have loaded and unloaded trucks and trailers with our belongings, and those who have loved us so well and welcomed us with open arms since Day 1. We could not be more excited to serve all of you and our community together for the cause of Christ so that we can see the nations come to know Jesus as their Lord and Savior. May the Lord show us favor as we seek to serve Him and grow to be more like Him, and may we bring Him the worship that He alone is worthy of.

*In His grace,  
Pastor Travis Ammon*

P.S. Don't forget to be in prayer for our upcoming Vacation Bible School June 8-12!!

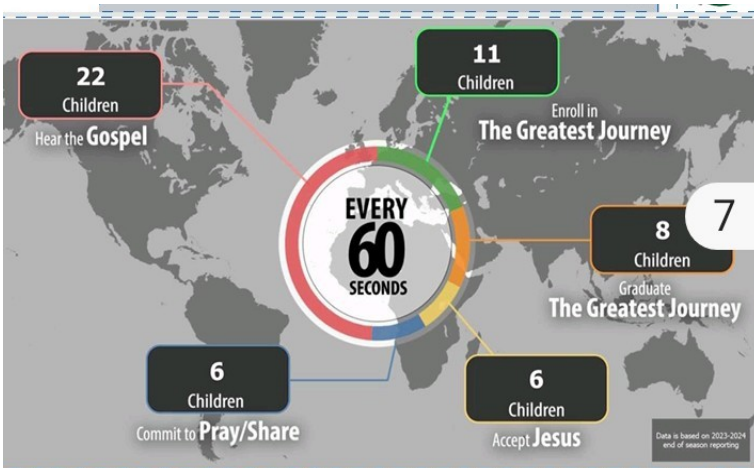
# History

- 1993 – Samaritan's Purse starts sending shoebox gifts
- 244 million+ shoebox recipients have heard the Gospel since 1993
- 171 countries and territories have received shoebox gifts
  - 88% of all 193 countries and territories



The New Bethel Operation Christmas Child ("OCC") Team will meet after morning worship service on June 28, 2026. A light lunch will be served. Jesus commanded us to share the Gospel locally but also to the ends of the earth. The OCC shoeboxes, along with the Gospel in the language of the children who receive them, go to 171 countries, including unreached people groups around the world. They also are now reaching blind and deaf/hearing impaired children. The impact of these gifts is amazing as many learn of Jesus and His love for them for the first time!

If you would like to know more about OCC and New Bethel's involvement, please join us for the meeting and lunch on June 28th. There is much work to be done in 2026 and YOU ARE NEEDED!!!!



### More Impactful Statistics

- The Greatest Gift booklet is now in 118 languages
- More than 27 million children have given their lives to Christ because of The Greatest Journey discipleship classes

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# VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

**Where:** New Bethel Baptist Church

**Date:** June 8<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 6:00-9:00 pm

**Ages:** 3 years old-6<sup>th</sup> Grade

**Call (859) 485-4864 if you need a ride.**

PRE-REGISTER AT [WWW.NBBCKY.COM](http://WWW.NBBCKY.COM)

look for the Vacation Bible School tab on the home page

*"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.  
John 8:12*



All men and boys make sure to mark your calendars for June 27th at 8:00 am for our monthly men's breakfast.



Ladies, Volunteering for VBS will be this month's workshop! See Pam Kirk if you want to volunteer to help out.

On June 16, we will have a game night in the fellowship hall at 6:00pm. We will be playing June Tyler's "Hand and Foot" game.



**"HER STORY, HIS GLORY"**

**2026 BABY BOTTLE**

**CAMPAIGN**



*Your prayers are the lifeline for Hope Lives Pregnancy Center, and your financial donations help sustain us, so we can offer our services for FREE. No donation is too small (a 3 year old once gave us her cherished penny!), and we would be thrilled if you decide to become a monthly partner. Any donation can be made using this QR code or you can fill your donation bottle with change, cash or checks, and return it to your church or the center. However you choose to join us, we THANK YOU for your support!*

*~ Hope Lives Pregnancy Center BOD*

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# Calendar of Events



## June

- 3rd Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 pm
- 4th VBS decorating 5:00 pm
- 5th VBS decorating 5:00 pm
- 6th Trustees Work Day 9:00 am
- VBS decorating 10:00 am
- 7th Choir Practice 5:30-6:30 pm
- Youth Meeting 6:00-7:30 pm
- Adult Bible Study 6:30-7:30 pm
- 8th VBS 6:00-9:00 pm
- 9th VBS 6:00-9:00 pm
- 10th VBS 6:00-9:00 pm
- 11th VBS 6:00-9:00 pm
- 12th VBS 6:00-7:30 pm
- VBS Family Night 7:30 pm
- 14th Choir Practice 5:30-6:30 pm
- Youth Meeting 6:00-7:30 pm
- Adult Bible Study 6:30-7:30 pm
- 16th Women's Workshop 6:00 pm
- 17th Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 pm
- 21st *Father's Day-no evening service*
- 24th Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 pm
- 28th OCC Meeting after the morning service
- Choir Practice 5:30-6:30 pm
- Kids Club 5:30-7:30 pm
- Youth Meeting 6:00-7:30 pm
- Adult Bible Study 6:30-7:30 pm

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Stacey Baker
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Kristalynn Hardin  
Lacey Alford
- 4<sup>th</sup> Jimmy Trusty  
Troy Wills
- 7<sup>th</sup> Kourtlynn Blackburn  
Nancy Praither
- 8<sup>th</sup> Kate Whaley  
Melissa Graves
- 13<sup>th</sup> Melody Mastin
- 14<sup>th</sup> Roma Stephenson
- 15<sup>th</sup> Amy Vassale
- 16<sup>th</sup> Mark Clinkenbeard
- 24<sup>th</sup> Dean Tolliver  
Jerry Martin  
Michelle Burton
- 25<sup>th</sup> Phyllis Stephenson
- 26<sup>th</sup> Ann Wethington  
Jonathan Strunk  
Clayton Tipton
- 27<sup>th</sup> Zachary Black
- 29<sup>th</sup> Evangeline True

## July

- 1st Budget & Finance Meeting 6:00 pm
- Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 pm
- 4th *Independence Day*
- 5th Lord's Supper Sunday
- Choir Practice 5:30-6:30 pm
- Kids Club 5:30-7:30 pm
- Youth Meeting 6:00-7:30 pm
- Adult Bible Study 6:30-7:30 pm
- 8th Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 pm
- 12th Church Council Meeting 4:00 pm

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