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**Pastors'**  
**CORNER**

Hello NBBC Church Family,

God is so good! It's amazing to look back at the past year and see all that God has done in the life of our church. Around a year ago, we started our first sermon series together in Philippians. As I reflect, I truly hold to Philippians 1:3-6 as a prayer of joy and thankfulness for my time serving in the interim pastor role. I have greatly appreciated the partnership in the Gospel and am sure that God is continuing to finish the work started in our lives. I'm confident that God is going to continue to bless us as we faithfully worship and serve Him. Let me pause to personally thank you for the encouragement, support, and kind words. You all have been a blessing to me and my family throughout the year. Church, let me encourage you to demonstrate this same care and encouragement to Bro. Travis and the Ammon family.

*In His Service,*  
*Bro. Brad Napier*



## Honor Your Mom This Mother's Day – Pack a Shoebox!

This Mother's Day, we invite you to honor the special women in your life by packing an Operation Christmas Child shoebox in their name. What better way to celebrate a mother's love than by sharing the love of Jesus with a child in need?

You can stop by the church office or see Teresa Tolliver to get a box and brochure of what to pack. You can also choose to make a donation toward the cost of packing and shipping a box. Every gift helps bring joy, hope, and the message of Christ to children around the world.

We encourage you to include a personal letter and a photo—kids love to see who sent their gift and to hear your kind words!

Let's celebrate moms by giving a gift that lasts for eternity!

## Wake Up Walton

Remember if you signed up to be on the team for New Bethel Baptist Church, remember to be at the Walton Verona High School Commons at 8:30 am on Saturday, May 2nd. Look for our team leader Heather Stewart.

## Senior Sunday

Tis the season to reflect on accomplishments and new chapters in the lives of those graduating from High School and/or College. We will be honoring our seniors on May 17 during our morning service and having a luncheon for them as well. If you have a senior graduating, please contact the church office and let Kathy know by May 10th.



Men mark your calendars for a May 30th at 8:00 am for our monthly men's breakfast.



- 1<sup>st</sup>-Steve Cauthen
- 3<sup>rd</sup>-Palmer Michael
- 5<sup>th</sup>-Jack Blackburn  
Greg Ryan  
Paula Noel
- 7<sup>th</sup>-Craig Coyle
- 12<sup>th</sup> Dacia Wood
- 13<sup>th</sup>-Rebecca McClure
- 17<sup>th</sup>-Calvin Black  
Hannah Sullivan
- 18<sup>th</sup>-John Fountain
- 21<sup>st</sup>-Herb Benjey  
Ally Blackburn
- 23<sup>rd</sup>-Philip Blackburn  
Richard Billings  
Candi Leek
- 24<sup>th</sup>-Scott Carper
- 25<sup>th</sup>-Nora Grace True
- 26<sup>th</sup>-Scotty Kirk  
Chance Sullivan
- 29<sup>th</sup>-Albert Wood  
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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
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# Calendar of Events

## May

- 2nd Trustees Work Day 9:00 am
- Wake Up Walton 8:30 am
- 3rd Choir Practice 5:30-6:30 pm
- Kids Bible Club 5:30-7:30 pm
- Youth Meeting 6:00-7:30 pm
- Adult Bible Study 6:30-7:30 pm
- 6th Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 pm
- 10th *Mother's Day –no evening service*
- 12th WMU Meeting 9:30 am
- Women's Workshop 6:00-8:00 pm
- 13th Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 pm
- 16th Church Work Day 9:00 am
- 17th Senior Sunday
- Choir Practice 5:30-6:30 pm
- Kids Bible Club 5:30-7:30 pm
- Youth Meeting 6:00-7:30 pm
- Adult Bible Study 6:30-7:30 pm
- 20th Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 pm
- 24th Choir Practice 5:30-6:30 pm
- Kids Bible Club 5:30-7:30 pm
- Youth Meeting 6:00-7:30 pm
- Adult Bible Study 6:30-7:30 pm
- 25th *Memorial Day-Office Closed*
- 27th Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 pm
- 30th Men's Breakfast 8:00 am
- 31st *Building Fund Sunday*
- Choir Practice 5:30-6:30 pm
- Kids Bible Club 5:30-7:30 pm
- Youth Meeting 6:00-7:30 pm
- Adult Bible Study 6:30-7:30 pm

## June

- 3rd Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 pm
- 4th VBS decorating 5:00 pm
- 5th VBS decorating 5:00 pm
- 6th VBS decorating 10:00 am
- 7th Choir Practice 5:30-6:30 pm
- Kids Bible Club 5:30-7:30 pm
- Youth Meeting 6:00-7:30 pm
- Adult Bible Study 6:30-7:30 pm
- 8th-12th VBS WEEK!!!!