

The Witness

"....and you shall be my WITNESSES both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth."
Acts 1:8

The Newsletter of First Baptist Church, Dewitt, AR—The Church On-Mission

December 2020



AN EAGLE'S PERSPECTIVE



Let me begin by telling each of you Merry Christmas from the Albrechts. My family & I wish each of you the very merriest of holidays as we remember the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. May His blessing be with you!

Our church packed 1,006 OCC Christmas Boxes - that is 1006 children who will have the opportunity to hear the gospel of Jesus Christ who otherwise might not have the opportunity. Thank you First Baptist for your mission spirit!

We will be receiving our Lottie Moon International Missions Offering on December 6th. Our goal this year is \$2,500. This offering helps supports missions all over the world!

Sandy Wood will also be with us to share on that day. She has been a Missionary to East and Southeast Asia for 23 years, currently home on furlough in Western Tennessee. I am excited about her visit home and that she will be here on December 6th. I am sure you will not want to miss hearing Sandy speak.

We look forward to our Annual Christmas Eve service on the 24th. As of right now, it is still on the schedule. We had to cancel our Thanksgiving Community Service due to COVID, I pray we will not have to cancel this as well.

I have enjoyed being your Pastor this year, with all of its challenges. I also look forward to next year - hopefully a year without COVID. Thank you for being loving people, and I pray God's richest blessings on you.

Enjoy the Christmas season. See some family. See some friends, and be sure to Praise our Lord!

A BIT OF HUMOR:

The school of agriculture's dean of admissions was interviewing a prospective student, "Why have you chosen this career?" he asked. "I dream of making a million dollars in farming, like my father," the student replied. "Your father made a million dollars in farming?" echoed the dean, much impressed. "No," replied the applicant. "But he always dreamed of it."

Remember, I love you all & Merry Christmas! Bro. Jimmy



We will be taking up the Lottie Moon mission offering thru the month of Dec. Our goal this year is \$2,500. We will have a special ingathering on Sun., Dec. 6th.



We will have the Annual Christmas Eve Candle Light Service Thursday, December 24th at 6:00 p.m.



If you would like to honor a loved one or someone special in your life or to memorialize a loved one for Christmas you may do so by giving a donation & your dedication will be acknowledged & inserted in the December bulletins. Contact the church office to purchase your memorial.



The Deacon's Christmas Party will be Thursday, Dec. 3rd at 6:30 at Hoots in McGehee.



Make plans to attend Generate Summer Camp 2021 from June 14th – 18th, 2021 at LA Tech in Ruston, LA. If you paid your deposit last Summer it transferred to this Summer, but I need to know if you plan to attend. If you did not pay your deposit last Summer and want to attend this summer, the nonrefundable deposit is \$75.00. Space is limited so sign up and get your deposits in NOW. The last day to register and pay deposits is January 10, 2021. You do not want to miss out on this great week of camp.

Budget & Finance Meeting



Sunday, December 6th at 5:00 p.m.

BUSINESS MEETING



Sunday, December 13th at 6:00 p.m.

THE LORD'S SUPPER



Sunday, December 20th During the morning worship service.



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 Deacon's Christmas Party 6:30 p.m.	4	5
6 Lottie Moon Ingathering Guest: Sandy Wood Budget & Finance Mtg. 5:00 p.m.	7	8	9	10	11	12
13 Business Mtg 5:00 p.m.	14	15	16	17	18	19
20 Lord's Supper	21	22	23	24 Christmas Eve Candlelight Service 6:00 pm Office Closed	25  Office Closed	26
27 Guest Speaker Roger Gaunt	28	29	30	31		



- Crystal Simpson—1st
Jack Noble—2nd
Dickie Allen—3rd
Kevin Endsley—3rd
Keller Reidhar—4th
Ken Newsom—7th
Ricky Bateman—8th
Timmy Horton—11th
- Frances Looney—12th
David Magness—15th
Carolyn Braswell—16th
Kirk Vansandt—17th
Virgil Hynum—18th
Ashley Traylor—18th
Su'Aaron Travis—20th
Jody Steeland—20th
- Allison Criswell—20th
Garland Long—21st
Jaden Steeland—21st
Donald Horton—22nd
Jacob Boyd—22nd
William Kahila—24th
Carl Allen—25th
Mark Cooper Craig—26th



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CHURCH STAFF

Pastor—Bro. Jimmy Albrecht
Student/Children Minister—
Kevin Gantt
Leslee Lamb—Secretary
Tammy Albrecht—
Worship Leader Interim

No p.m. Service

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