

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

February 2020



AN EAGLE'S PERSPECTIVE



40 Days In The Word - learning to love the Word of God! We are half way through this study and learning more each day how to study and fall in love again with the Bible - the Word of God! You can still join this study and be a part of a great fellowship as well. It will go through February. We will be starting new groups in March as we keep moving through 2020 - growing in the Lord.

Haiti - what a wonderful week of ministry we had. We had a three day VBS - over 115 kids attended. We worked three days in the Medical Clinic praying with patients and giving out food and Bibles. We worshiped with Hope Rising Church on Sunday - Gregg Greenway preached, we all sang a special, and our ladies helped with children's church - 80+ kids! Our Ladies also worked with Hope Rising School one day. Our men put up a house for one of the guards at Hope rising. (We build one like this last year, but did not put it up.) Former relationships were strengthened and new ones made. Connections were made and lives were encouraged and changed. It was a great week of ministry and glorifying our Lord. Thank you for allowing us to go and for praying for us while we were gone. Continue to pray for Hope Rising Children's Home and the ministry that continues every day. Be praying about an opportunity to go back and continue on with this ministry and partnership.

There are many ministry opportunities right here as well. We still need a van driver for Sunday mornings. Is this something you could do? We still need some help in the sound booth and on the computer. How about singing? Don't let the talents God has given you go to waste! God uses each one of us to carry out His work. I encourage you to be faithful unto Him.

We will have our annual Super Bowl Fellowship at 5:30 p.m. on February 2nd. We will have our Bible Study groups meet at 4:00 p.m.

On February 23rd, we will pass out ballots for Deacon nominations. Our church voted to increase our number of deacons up to 12 active deacons (we currently have 9). We are asking you to pray about whom you should recommend using Timothy 3:8-13 as your guide. Each member will be allowed to recommend up to three names. Be praying now about whom God may lead to the ministry of deacons for First Baptist Church.

A BIT OF HUMOR:

After my three-year old put his shoes on by himself, I noticed that the left shoe was on the right foot. I said, "Son, your shoes are on the wrong feet." He looked up at me with dismay, and a raised brow. "Don't kid me, Mom. These are the only feet I got!"

Remember, I Love You All ! Bro. Jimmy



FBC has been asked to host the C.A.L.L. dinner this month for Arkansas County Foster Families. The dinner is scheduled for

Monday, February 24th at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We are needing cookies, brownies and/or volunteers to help for the evening. If you would be willing to assist please contact Joyce Hargrove. THANK YOU!!

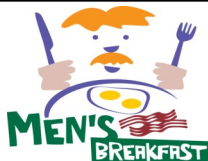


If your child, grades 3rd (completed)—6th, would like to go to church camp this summer please let Bro. Kevin know. Dates are June 21st-24th

at Camp Renu in Lonsdale, AR. A deposit of \$50 is due by Wednesday, February 19th. room. The total to attend camp is \$160.



The Young At Heart group will be going on a field trip and eat lunch on Tuesday, February 11th at 10:30 a.m. More details in the upcoming bulletins.



You are invited to a Men's Community Prayer Breakfast on Wednesday, February 5th at 6:00 a.m. at Faith Baptist Church



There will be a Operation Christmas Child lunch & dessert/gift auction on Sunday, February 9th. If anyone has a dessert or item they would like to donate for the auction please let Heidi Craig, Brandi England or Stephanie Noble know.



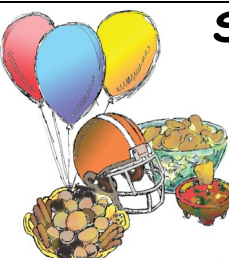
Sunday, February 16th at 4:30 p.m.



Sunday, February 23rd after Evening Bible Study



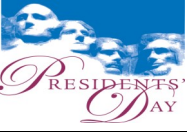
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SUPER BOWL FELLOWSHIP

Join us Sunday, February 2nd for a Super Bowl fellowship. We will meet at 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall to watch the game and fellowship together. Drinks will be provided, but bring your favorite finger foods or snacks. Join us & bring a friend!



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 Bible Study 4:00 pm Super Bowl Fellowship 5:30	3	4	5 Men's Breakfast 6:00 a.m. at Faith C.I.A. 3:30 p.m.	6 Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.	7	8
9 OCC Fundraiser Lunch	10	11 Young At Heart Field Trip Lunch 10:30 a.m.	12	13	14 	15
16 Budget & Finance Mtg. 4:30 p.m. No Evening Study	17 	18	19 Camp RENU Sign up Deadline C.I.A. 3:30 p.m.	20	21	22
23 Deacon Nominations a.m. Service Business Meeting	24 C.A.L.L. Mtg. 6:00-8:00 p.m.	25	26 C.I.A. 3:30 p.m.	27		



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| Dallas Traylor—3rd | Dawn Watkins—13th | Susan Mitchell—25th |
| Chandler Merritt—9th | B.J. West—13th | Chuck Wilson—25th |
| Glenn Gordon—10th | Michelle Simpson—14th | Turner Earhart—25th |
| Patricia Kinley—10th | Aubrey Beaton—15th | Hallie Henderson—27th |
| Patsy Huffman—11th | Beth Carter—16th | |
| Lakelann Kimbrell—11th | Charley Jo Coleman—17th | |

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