

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

November 2020



AN EAGLE'S PERSPECTIVE



Revival! We had a great week of revival! We were challenged to be revived, to pray to witness, and to be all God wants us to be for Him! With five different speakers, one person told me, it was like having the finally sermon five times! I was encouraged and I pray you were as well.

Tammy and I had a great vacation in North Carolina visiting our daughter and our grand-children. It was truly a refreshing time. Then to arrive home and see a big sign in our yard! What a blessing it was! Thank you so much for showing your love and appreciation. We are truly blessed to be serving here at First Baptist!

During November, we will be collecting OCC boxes. Our goal is 1000 boxes that touch the lives of 1000 children with the gospel of Jesus Christ! We will be packing boxes Sunday November 8th. Our church will be a collection site November 15th-22nd. So pray for this great ministry that we are a part of.

The Thanksgiving Community Service will be held on Sunday, November 22nd at the Faith Baptist Church starting at 6:00 PM. It is a time for our community to come together and worship God and give thanks. A love offering will be taken for the work of the Ministerial Alliance. Yours truly will be the preacher this year!

November is a time when we think of the things we should be thankful for. We have so many things, so many blessings that God has given us, so let's be thankful, not just in November, but all the time. Remember to be thankful for your church and the ministries that take place here. Remember to be thankful for a country that we can gather to worship. Just remember to give thanks in all things!

Election Day is November 3rd. As always, I encourage you to vote. Vote for the candidates that you believe God wants to lead our Country. Know this, whoever wins the election, God will still be on the throne and Jesus will still be Lord of all. I will get up and go to work and continue to share the gospel of Jesus Christ. I will also pray for our president and our congress. I may be happy with the choice or I may be disappointed, but I will still do what God has called me to do. So pray, vote, and keep on praying and live your life as a child of God!

A BIT OF HUMOR:

Little Dewey is in art class. The art teacher looks at his blank paper and asks, "What are you drawing?" Dewey answers, "A cow eating grass." "Where's the grass?" "The cow ate it." "Oh...well, what about the cow?" "She ran away."

One More:

Bubba and Johnny Ray, two good ole boys from North Carolina, were sitting' on the front porch drinking beer when a large truck hauling rolls of sod went by. "I'm gonna do that when I win the lottery," said Bubba. "Do what?" asked Johnny Ray. "Send my grass out to be mowed," answered Bubba

Remember, I love you all, Bro. Jimmy



We will have our OCC packing party on Sunday, November 8th. Please look for the time to be announced in a upcoming Sunday Bulletin. Our goal is to pack 1000 shoeboxes. The children love to receive special cards, pictures and notes in their boxes. Feel free to bring your own personal notes, old Christmas cards, photos, etc. and we will pack them in our boxes. Hope to see you all then!

OCC DATES TO REMEMBER:

Sunday, November 1st—Work day 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, November 8th—Shoe Box Fill (time TBA)
Sunday, November 15th—Shoebox Dedication
November 15th-23rd—Collection Week



Daylight Savings Time Ends on Sunday, November 1st at 2:00 a.m. Be sure and set your clocks back one hour!

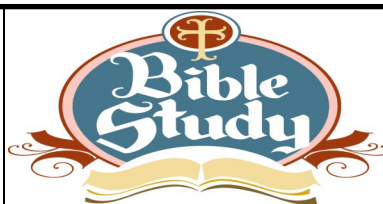


There will be a community Thanksgiving Worship Service on Sunday, November 22nd at Faith Baptist Church at 6:00 p.m. Following the worship service, a love offering will be taken up for the DeWitt Ministerial Alliance. Please attend & show support for our community.



Christmas Decorating

We're putting together a team of elves to get the church ready for Christmas. Anyone interested in helping, please contact Andie Wallace or Beth Carter.



We will continue Wednesday Evening Bible Study on Wednesday, November 4th at 6:00 p.m. We would love for you to join us & bring a friend!

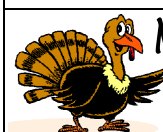


Paula and I would like to say THANK YOU for the great sign in the yard, the yellow rose for her & the pastor appreciation gift. We are humbled and appreciate each of you!

Kevin & Paula Gantt



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. Do not miss out on this great week of camp.



November 26th

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!

Budget & Finance Meeting



Sunday, Nov. 8th at 2:00 p.m.


Deacons Meetings



Sunday, Nov. 1st at 4:00 p.m. in the Parlor.



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Daylight Savings Fall Back 1 Hour Deacon's Mtg. 4:00 OCC Work Day 5:00	2	3 	4 Bible Study 6:00 pm	5	6	7
8 OCC Shoe Box Fill B & F Meeting 2:00	9	10	11  Bible Study 6:00 pm	12	13	14
15 OCC Shoe Box Dedication A.M. Service	16	17	18 Bible Study 6:00 pm	19	20	21
22 Comm. Thanksgiving Service 6:00 p.m. at Faith Baptist Church	23	24	25	26  Office Closed	27 Office Closed	28
29	30					

	Sara Johnston—4th Sherry Allen—5th Mary J. Horton—5th Chuck Wallace—5th Chris Earhart—6th Bo Johnston—10th Josie Sweetin—10th	Cathy Watkins—11th Penny Merritt—12th Peggy Allen—15th Ronald Hestir—16th Bradley Hargrove—16th Harleigh Jo Horton—16th Spencer White—17th	Tripp Wallace—18th Lauren Vansandt—22nd Clay Carter—26th Mark Watkins—28th Ralph Travis—28th Stephanie Noble—28th Kathryn Chambless—29th
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Tammy Albrecht—Worship Leader Interim

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