

Graniteville First Baptist Church

Reaching Out

SEPTEMBER, 2015

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Our Prayer List

Richard & Pat Barton
Buddy & Joenette Wise
Ronnie & Sylvia Bryant
Bruce & E. Ruth Herring
Bryan & Cheryl Satcher
Gene & Angelle Wilson
Pastor & family
Duane & Louise Strother
Ann & Marty Bryant
Valerie & Helen Williams
Ben & Reita Cobb & family
Larry & Elsie McGee
Steve & Julie White
Clyde & Josie Widener
Bobby Proctor
Jean Johnson
Houston Holley
Valerie Spradley
Nick O'Berry
JoAnn Munson

IN NURSING HOMES

Dot Phillips - Saluda
Nursing Home
Mary Napier/Trinity Home
Ruth Adam/Meadows, IL
Joenette Wise/Forest Veiw

AT HOME

Jimmie & Sara McManus
A.J. & Helen Randall
Mary Eubanks
Elsie McGee
Alvin Greer
Jean Padgett

FROM OUR PASTOR "Preparing for the Storm"

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow wrote: *"Into each life some rain must fall."*

Rain may fall gently at times, however, it also falls furiously in times of storm. In our lives, there are many types of storms— physical, financial, emotional, spiritual, etc.— and they all vary in size and intensity. Storms are very common. Where can we turn when the storms of life rage?

"Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, I will liken him to a wise man who built his house on the rock: and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock."

"But everyone who hears these sayings of Mine and does not do them, will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand: and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it fell. And great was its fall." (Matthew 7:24— 27).

Into every life, sooner or later, the rains descent, the floods come, and the winds blow and beat. For one man the "house" falls in ruins, while for another it stands secure. The difference lies not in the intensity of the storm, but in the power to withstand its fury. The power to withstand the storms of life depends upon the foundation of one's life.

In Jesus' teaching the house of the wise man withstood the storm because his house was built upon the rock. And who is the wise man? The wise man is one who hears the words of Jesus and does them (v.24). Jesus assures us that no matter what storms may arise, obedience to Him is the only sure foundation on which to build our lives.

Pastor Todd

Drama Team News

Nursery

SEPTEMBER

- 06 - Clyde, Josie (S.S.) & Melanie
- 13 - Julie (S.S.) & Kellie
- 20 - Bobbie (S.S.), Charles & Bobby
- 27 - Julie Harris

OCTOBER

- 04 - Charlene, (S.S.) Ellie & Sharon
- 11 - Donna (S.S.) & Marcy
- 18 - Tina (S.S.) Kara & Mary
- 25 - Ashlyn, Taylor (S.S.) & Lynne

Children's Church

SEPTEMBER

- 06 - Terri & Morgan
- 13 - Lynne & Ashlyn
- 20 - Clyde, Josie & Valerie
- 27 - No Children's Church

OCTOBER

- 04 - Julie & Kellie
- 11 - Blake & Andrea
- 18 - Marcy & Ivy
- 25 - No Children's Church

Our Potter's Hands!

Age Group 3rd Grade & UP

Leaders: Miss Taylor & Miss Kara

Drama Team Practice

Will start back in September

Watch Bulletins for when & time

Music Notes

Choir Practice

@ 7 PM

Sunday Nights

More Upcoming Events

HAPPY LABOR DAY

September 7, 2015

Labor Day Holiday Office Closed

October 18, 2015 Quarterly Bus. Mtg.

July, August & September Reports

November 1 Daylight Savings Time Ends

Using Our Fellowship Hall

Reserved for November 7th

Associational Meeting "We're Hear for You"

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November 29

AM Service Lord's Supper

PM Service Sing Celebration

Watch for Sign-Up Sheet

Updates & Events

REACHING OUT

Remember to Participate in the
 "Prayer Chain Ministry" Through E-Mail: gfbcpayerpartner@gmail.com
 Be sure you look at our Website
 Website - www.granitevillefirstbaptist.com

Senior Adults 2015 Outings

August 28 11:30 am
 Fish Fry in Fellowship Hall

September 18
 Hendersonville/Apples

October 30 11:30 am
 Old Edgefield Grill

Nov. 20/Blackville, SC

Dec./Christmas Lights

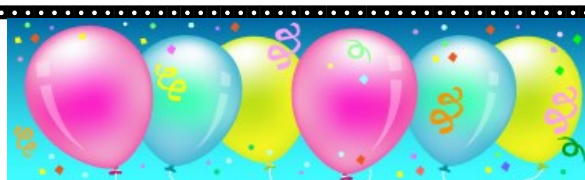
Wedding Anniversaries

September

07 - Buddy & Kathy Friday
 11 - Charles & Shari Bethold
 20 - Buddy & Joenette Wise
 21 - Clyde & Josie Widener

October

02 - Lad & Lois Wright
 14 - Kevin & Tina Blackwell
 18 - Larry & Elsie McGee



September

04 - Thomas Bates
 05 - Brooke Friday
 06 - Ladson Wright
 07 - Julie Stutts
 Logan Friday
 08 - Mallory Morris
 09 - Morgan Harris
 10 - Kevin Blackwell
 14 - Eleanor Craig
 15 - Carol Brantley
 Charles Bechtold
 16 - Barry McGrath
 Aidan Spradley
 17 - Leyton Johnson
 19 - Donna Hatcher
 21 - Charles Hilton
 25 - Laurie Rowe
 Lauren Friday
 26 - Chuck Jordan
 27 - Joey Blackwell, Sr.
 30 - Shirley Overstreet
 Brandon Stutts

OCTOBER

03 - Charles Bates
 04 - Barry Cubbedge
 Cheryl Satcher
 06 - Freda Koster
 10 - Sam McLane
 Logan Spradley
 11 - Rebecca Blackwell
 15 - Kathy Friday
 Daryl Napier
 19 - Emma O'Berry (1)
 23 - Helen Byrd
 Lee Friday
 Landen Friday
 28 - Dylan Redd
 31 - Mark Howard
 Sara Efird

CHILDREN'S EVENTS



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YOUTH EVENTS



Missions News



By Love Compelled Ladies Meeting

September 14 6:00 pm Fellowship Hall

This Group is for all LADIES different Ages



Our Goal: \$2,000.00

Janie
Chapman
Offering

September 13 - 20

Week of Prayer for State Missions

Janie Chapman Offering

Pray Radically

For State Missions, Mission Education,
And Great Commission Living

COOPERATIVE
PROGRAM



October Cooperative Program Emphasis



October 11, 2015
World Hunger Day

November

Baptist Women Day of Prayer

SC Baptist Convention Annual Meeting

Nov. 29 - Dec. 6/Week of Prayer for
International Missions

REACHING OUT

Upcoming Events

September 4th

3:30 pm

Meal for

Midland Valley

Football Team

Fellowship Hall

HARVEST
Festival

Date & Time TBA

October Pastor Appreciation Month

Nov. 18/Church-wide Thanksgiving Meal

November 24/Community Thanksgiving Service

(where & time TBA)

Nov. 25/No Services Nov. 25-27 Office Closed