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BULLETIN

SECOND MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

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WELCOME to SMBC...



Our Pastor, Rev. Dr. William J. Smith, Jr., and First Lady Dennine J. Smith and the entire Second Missionary Baptist Church Family welcome each of you to our Sunday morning worship services. From your visit with us today, we hope you will feel the love of Christ and the sweet fellowship that comes from our love for Him. This is our special way of providing for you a rewarding and memorable worship experience. God bless you and thank you for your visit.



Second CARES: If you have a family loss, birth announcement, hospitalization, or prayer concern, please contact a member of the Deacon Ministry or call the church office at 765-452-8214 and provide us with your information so that we may minister to you during your time of need.

“Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth.”

3 John 1:2

A Peek at the Weeks...

Date & Time	Event/Activity	Location
Sunday, July 3 – Saturday, July 9		
Sunday, July 3 (9:30AM)	Adult Sunday Church School (in person)	Worship Center
Sunday, July 3 (9:30AM)	Bible and Breakfast (Youth 17 and below)	Activity Center
Sunday, July 3 (11AM)	Ordinance Sunday School Supplies Drive Begins	Worship Center
Monday, July 4	Independence Day Church Office Closed No Monday Morning Prayer	
Tuesday, July 5 (6:00PM)	Tuesday Night Teaching	Virtual
Wednesday, July 6	IMBSC Host Committee Meeting	Board Room (2 nd Floor)
Thursday, July 7 (5:30PM)	Next Generation of Praise Rehearsal	Activity Center
Thursday, July 7 (6:30PM)	SMBC Ensemble Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Friday, July 8 – Saturday, July 9 (10AM-6PM)	VACCINATION & TESTING CLINIC	Activity Center
Saturday, July 9 (1PM)	Ruth Circle Meeting	N-1
Sunday, July 10 – Saturday, July 16		
Sunday, July 10 (9:30AM)	Adult Sunday Church School (in person)	Worship Center
Sunday, July 10 (9:30AM)	Bible and Breakfast (Youth 17 and below)	Activity Center
Sunday, July 10 (11AM)	Morning Worship	Worship Center
Monday, July 11 (8:00AM)	First Monday Morning Prayer Line	Dial: 1-571-317- 3122 Code: 309-979-005
Monday, July 11 (6PM)	Official Board Meeting	Virtual
Monday, July 11 (6:30 – 7:45PM)	Line Dancing	Activity Center

Tuesday, July 12 (6PM)	Tuesday Night Teaching	Virtual
Wednesday, July 13 (5:30PM)	VBS Followup Meeting	Virtual
Wednesday, July 13 (6PM)	Deborah Circle Meeting	Virtual
Thursday, July 14 (6PM)	Mighty Men of Second Meeting	Choir Room
Thursday, July 14 (5:30PM)	Next Generation of Praise Rehearsal	Activity Center
Thursday, July 14 (6:30PM)	Male Chorus Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Saturday, July 16 (1 – 2:30PM)	Male Chorus Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Sunday, July 17 – Saturday, July 23

Sunday, July 17 (9:30AM)	Adult Sunday Church School (in person)	Worship Center
Sunday, July 17 (9:30AM)	Bible and Breakfast (Youth 17 and below)	Activity Center
Sunday, July 17 (11AM)	Morning Worship Last Day School Supplies Drive	Worship Center
Sunday, July 17 (5PM)	IMBSC Pre Convention Musical	Mt. Pisgah MBC
Monday, July 18 – Wednesday, July 20	IMBSC Annual Session	SMBC
Thursday, July 21 (6:30PM)	SMBC Ensemble Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Friday, July 22 (7PM)	Church Business Meeting (In person and Virtual) Virtual Access	Activity Center and ZOOM
Saturday, July 23 (10AM-12Noon)	Bookbag and School Supplies Giveaway	Bon Air Schools

Sunday, July 24 – Saturday, July 30

Sunday, July 24 (9:30AM)	Adult Sunday Church School (in person)	Worship Center
Sunday, July 24 (9:30AM)	Bible and Breakfast (Youth 17 and below)	Activity Center

Sunday, July 24 (11AM)	Morning Worship BACK TO SCHOOL SUNDAY Youth Emphasis Sunday	Worship Center
Sunday, July 24 (immediately after service)	Youth Ministry Open House	Activity Center
Monday, July 25 (6:30 – 7:45PM)	Line Dancing	Activity Center
Tuesday, July 26 (6PM)	MID YEAR BOOST REVIVAL	Worship Center
Thursday, July 28	Back 2 School Cheer	Bon Air & Pettit Park Schools
Thursday, July 28 (5:30PM)	Next Generation of Praise Rehearsal	Activity Center
Thursday, July 28 (6:30PM)	SMBC Ensemble Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Sunday, July 31 – Sunday, August 6		
Sunday, July 31 (9:30AM)	Adult Sunday Church School (in person)	Worship Center
Sunday, July 31 (9:30AM)	Bible and Breakfast (Youth 17 and below)	Activity Center
Sunday, July 31 (11AM)	Morning Worship CAYA: Come As You Are Sunday	Worship Center
Monday, August 1 (6:30 – 7:45PM)	Line Dancing	Activity Center
Tuesdays in August	No Tuesday Night Teaching during the Month of August!	

Scripture for the Month of July: 2 Corinthians 3:17

Now the Lord is that Spirit: and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty.

Take 6: Each day take 6 Minutes to:

- Read and recite scripture
- Pray
- Mediate and Worship (listen to a favorite worship song)

**SUMMER SIZZLING SERMON SERIES – You Can't Make me Doubt:
The Existence of God! (Each Sunday in July)**

AUGUST at a Glance

- **August is REST AND RENEWAL MONTH!** Take time to spend with God, family and yourselves. There will be no Tuesday Night Teaching during August.
- **LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP – CREATIVE MINDS FOR MINISTRY –** Saturday, August 27, 2022 (10AM – 1PM) Activity Center (receive the 2023 Planning Packets and Leadership Strategy for the coming year.)



Our website is updated weekly with relevant news and information. Check it out for more information, forms, etc.

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Special Notices

- **SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE BEGINS: Sunday, July 3 – Sunday July 17**
 - **Supply list:** Pencils, Pens, Notebook paper, Notebooks, Erasers, Rulers, Folders
- **HYBRID Church Business Meeting (In person and Virtual): Friday, July 22, 2022 at 7PM.** Items for consideration for the meeting should be submitted to pastorsmith@smbchurch.com by July 15th. All items should be signed for a response.

- **BUS DRIVERS NEEDED:** We need additional bus drivers to assist us on Sundays and Wednesdays. If interested, please see Trustee Jamie Foster or contact the church office.
- **Parking Alert:** Please do not park directly in front of the church as this is our pickup/drop off zone. Also, please do not block alleys, handicapped ramps, entrances/exits to parking lots and bus garage. Thanks for your cooperation.
- To limit the spread of Covid-19: Remember to limit fellowship in the building after service and return to your cars as soon as possible.
- If you need to meet with Pastor Smith, please contact the church office to schedule an appointment 765-452-8214.
- Come early and take a picture beside the SMBC banners in the lobby. Let's remind the world to Stay F.I.T. and We are S.E.C.O.N.D.
- **Mighty Men of Second (MMOS):** Do you need a copy of the brotherhood manual?, please see Minister Issac White.
- Do you desire to know Christ or learn more about SMBC? Please contact the church office at 765-452-8214 and a Deacon will contact you with further details.
- Worship Bulletin Announcement Form are available outside the church office. All announcements must be approved by Pastor prior to publish date and are subject to available space. Deadline for submission is Wednesday at 12 Noon before the date to appear in bulletin.
- Worship Service is available online and via phone line each week.
- Church Office Hours: Monday through Friday (10AM – 4PM). For our safety and security, please be sure to check in through the church office when entering the building (Monday through Friday, 9AM to 4PM).

JULY HYMN

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Oh, Freedom

And where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty — 2 Corinthians 3:17 KJV

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of four systems of music. The first system contains the first five lines of the hymn, with the lyrics repeated for each voice part. The second system contains the next five lines, also with repeated lyrics. The third system contains the final line of the hymn, 'bur-ied in my grave, And go home to my Lord and be free.', with repeated lyrics. The fourth system contains the final line of the hymn, 'bur-ied in my grave, And go home to my Lord and be free.', with repeated lyrics. The score includes a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a time signature of 4/4. The lyrics are written below the staves, with the first five lines of the hymn repeated for each voice part.

1. Oh, free-dom! Oh, free-dom! Oh,
2. No more moan-ing, No more moan-ing, No more
3. There'll be sing-ing, There'll be sing-ing, There'll be
4. There'll be shout-ing, There'll be shout-ing, There'll be
5. There'll be pray-ing, There'll be pray-ing, There'll be

free-dom ov-er me! ——— And be-fore I'd be a slave, I'll be
moan-ing ov-er me! ——— And be-fore I'd be a slave, I'll be
sing-ing ov-er me! ——— And be-fore I'd be a slave, I'll be
shout-ing ov-er me! ——— And be-fore I'd be a slave, I'll be
pray-ing ov-er me! ——— And be-fore I'd be a slave, I'll be

bur-ied in my grave, And go home to my Lord and be free.

WORDS: African-American spiritual

MUSIC: African-American spiritual; arr. by Paul Abels