Last Sunday's Record - January 30, 2022

Sunday School: 164 Offering: \$42,770.50

January 1, 2022

\$ 132,939.80 Requirements: \$ 206.936.93 Receipts:

Deacon of the Week

February 6 - Tommy Cason February 13 - Adam Foreman February 20 - Tommy Hurtt February 27 - Jim Lauderdale

Sermon for Sunday, February 6

Welcome Erik Reed **DNOW Pastor**

Family Night Supper - February 9

Sliced Ham, Corn Casserole, Fried Okra, Cornbread and Fruit Crisp **KIDS: Hot Dogs and Tater Tots** Adults: \$5 KIDS (12 and under): \$3 Family Maximum \$20

SERVERS

Ronnie and Merrie Smith Micki Harrison Lydia Sanders

VOLUNTEER MINISTRY - FEBRUARY 6

<u>Preschool Ext. Session</u> Erin Whitt	<u>Launch</u> Clifford and Erika Holloway
Worship Welcomers Joe and Judy Pettey Tommy and Mary Emma Allen	<u>Greeters</u> Debra Porter Christie Daugherty Brian and April Sellers
Security Team 1 Walter Rogers, Jr., Justin Anders, Wallace Heggie, Neil Henry	Counting Committee Sharon McMullen, chairman Ward Calhoun, Tyler Covington, Ryan Haarala

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, February 6

9:15 - Sunday School

10:30 - Morning Worship

3:15 - Acteens

4:30 - Bible Drills (Youth)

5:30 - Bible Skills and Drills (Children)

TUESDAY, February 8

9:30 - Ladies Bible Study/Laird

WEDNESDAY, February 9

4:15 - English as Second Language

5:00 - FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER

- YOUTH BELLS

5:30 - YOUTH CHOIR

- Young Ringers

6:00 - Preschool and Children's Choirs

6:15 - Prayer Meeting and Bible Study

SPECIAL CALLED BUSINESS MEETING

6:30 - MISSIONS (G.A.s R.A.s, and Mission Friends)

- YOUTH WORSHIP

7:15 - Sanctuary Choir

FRIDAY, February 11

6:00 - G.I.F.T.

Open Position in FBC Kitchen Staff

Wednesdays from 3 to 7:00 p.m. One Sunday a month 6:00 to 9:00 a.m. No Experience necessary.

Contact Kim Clark or Sandra Dennis.

USHERS FOR FEBRUARY

Tommy Cason, Leonard Cobb, Chris Dean, Van Goodman, J.B. Griffith, Alan Lamar, Jim Lauderdale, Ben Leake, Joey Mabry, Davis Miller, Greg Monsour, Freddie Poitevent, Larry Roberts, Brad Sykes, Gary Wilkinson, Jim Williamson

Dr. Nathan VanHorn, Pastor Rev. David Bishop, Associate Pastor for Music Zach DePriest, Minister of Youth Caitlin Braud, Director of Children's Ministries Dr. Raymon Leake. Pastor Emeritus Rev. David McCubbin, Associate Pastor Emeritus 701 26th Avenue Meridian, MS 39301 601.484.4600 www.fbcmeridian.org

THE MESSENGER FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MERIDIAN

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February ...

is our month to supply the shelves of the LBA Crisis Center. Boxes are in the Welcome Center.

Students

Preschool 2 lb. rice Grades 1 - 6 1 lb. spaghetti Youth/College 28 oz. spaghetti sauce

Adult I

5 lb. cornmeal Co-Ed 1, Mabry Foreman, Henry 5 lb. plain flour

Adult II

Fellowship, Adkins 48 oz. oil

Adult III

Snowden, Davis/Williamson Money for Meat Leake, Seekers 5 lb. sugar

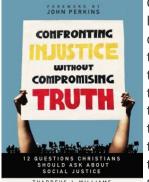
Adult IV

Pilgrim Class 100 tea bags/24 family

"Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God." **Hebrews 13:16**

A NEW CO-ED BIBLE STUDY

beginning Sunday, February 20 5:30 p.m. - Chapel Sarah Allison, facilitator



God does not suggest, he commands that we do justice. Social justice is not optional for the Christian. All injustice affects others, so talking about justice that isn't social is like talking about water that isn't wet or a square with no right

angles. But the Bible's call to seek justice is not a call to superficial, kneejerk activism. We are not merely commanded to execute justice, but to "truly execute justice." The God who commands us to seek justice is the same God who commands us to "test everything" and "hold fast to what is good." Not everything called "social justice" today is compatible with a biblical vision of a better world. The Bible offers hopeful and distinctive answers to deep questions of worship, community, salvation, and knowledge that ought to mark a uniquely Christian pursuit of justice.

Topics addressed include:

- Racism
- Sexuality
- Socialism
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- Culture War
- Abortion
- Tribalism
- Critical Theory
- Identity Politics





Youth DNOW Weekend February 4 - 6

Pray for our Weekend Group Leaders:

Luke Yocum Stephanie Smith Peyton DePriest Savannah Adams

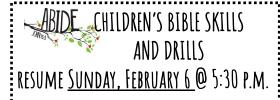
Sunday, February 6

Welcome Erik Reed (pictured above),

DNOW Event speaker,
as he shares with us in Morning Worship!



YOUTH SUNDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY RESUMES FEBRUARY 20!



SPECIAL CALLED BUSINESS MEETING

Wednesday, February 9

6:15 p.m.

With the purpose of:

Voting on recommendations from the Buildings and Property Committee regarding lighting in the sanctuary



Welcome to our newest member... Hudson Haarala

Sympathies to...

The family of Dorothy Little

Nathan and Haley VanHorn and family in the death of her grandmother,

Gwen Dukes

Memorials...

Music Fund

In memory of: Doris Lummus
Jeanette Brooks (Debra Anderson's mother)
Joyce White (Glaniece Roberts' sister)
Virginia McCormick (Laura Abney's mother)
Les Prystup

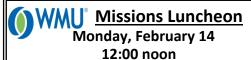
Benevolence Fund

In memory of: Hoot Gipson Jeanette Brooks

Missions and Ministry Fund

In memory of: Jeanette Brooks
Dorothy Little

In honor of: Mike and Janice Covert



Speakers: "Joel and Leslie"
"Field workers in the Middle East...
A young family of four"

G.I.F.T.

Friday, February 11 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.
Birth through 6th Grade
Make reservations by contacting Julie Holloway
@ 601-934-0803 by Sunday, February 6