Last Sunday's Record

Sunday School: 265 Worship: 330 Offering: \$69,641.92 January 1. 2023 Requirements: \$ 858.499.95

Receipts: \$860,105.70

#### **DEACON OF THE WEEK**

Aug. 20 - David Webb Aug. 27 - Jim Williamson Sept.3 - Jimmy Wilson Sept. 10 - Steve Gressett

> **Deacon's Meeting - August 20** Fellowship Hall 8:00 a.m.

#### Sermon for Sunday, August 20 "How Lovely" Psalm 84

#### **FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER - August 23**

Meatloaf, Cheesy Bacon Potatoes, Roasted Brussel Sprouts, Yeast Roll, Salad Bar and Dessert **KIDS:** Hamburger and Curly Fries Adults: \$5 KIDS (12 and under): \$3 Family Maximum \$20 SERVERS: Micki Harrison, Melissa Mabry and Rachael Scarbrough

## **VOLUNTEER MINISTRY - August 20**

#### PRAYER LINE Volunteer - Ben Webb

Preschool Ext. Session	<u>Launch</u>
Brandon and Brittney	Timothy and Candice
Harkins	Maloney
<u>Worship Welcome</u>	<u>Greeters</u>
Diane Fairbanks	Pam Maloney
Alan and Lou Ann Lamar	Freddie Poitevent
<u>Security Team 1</u> Walter Rogers, Jr. Justin Anders Wallace Heggie Neil Henry	<u>Counting Committee</u> Kathy Stehle <i>, chmn</i> Ward Calhoun Don Evans

## **WEEKLY CALENDAR**

#### SUNDAY, August 20

9:15 - Sunday School 10:30 - Morning Worship 2:00 - Bridal Tea Shower for Lauren Hunt and Brock Williams

#### **TUESDAY**, August 22

- 4:30 Ladies Bible Study (R. Scarbrough)
- 6:00 Prayer Shawl Ministry (Aldersgate)
- 7:00 YOUTH Bible Study (Jack's)
- 12:00 Fellowship Luncheon

#### WEDNESDAY, August 23

5:15 - FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER

- YOUTH PARENT MEETING (Private Dining Room)
- Committee on Committee Meeting
  - (Conference Room)
- 5:30 YOUTH CHOIR
- 6:00 Preschool and Children's Choirs
- 6:30 Prayer Meeting and Bible Study
  - G.A.s, R.A.s, and Mission Friends - YOUTH WORSHIP
- 7:30 Sanctuary Choir

#### **THURSDAY.** August 24

- 7:00 YOUTH Bible Study (The Pig)
- FRIDAY, August 25

FIFTH QUARTER FELLOWSHIP/GYM (immediately following the football games)

SATURDAY, August 26

Women of Hope Rally (Newton, MS)

#### **USHERS FOR AUGUST**

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



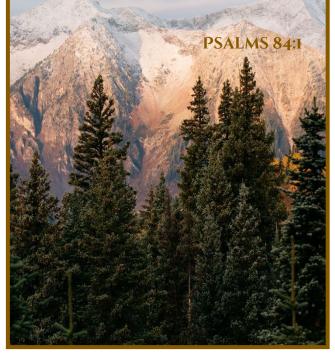
Dr. Will Wall, Pastor Rev. David Bishop, Associate Pastor for Music Rev. Noah Greer, Student Minister Caitlin Braud, Director of Children's Ministries Dr. Raymon Leake, Pastor Emeritus Rev. David McCubbin, Associate Pastor Emeritus 701 26th Avenue Meridian, MS 39301 601.484.4600 www.fbcmeridian.org



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# **HOW LOVELY IS YOUR DWELLING** PLACE, **O IORD IGHTY!**





## Dear Church Family,

Thank you for such a generous outpouring of love

you showed to the Wall family at last week's welcome fellowship and "pounding". The food was delicious, the ice cream was surely sinful, and the time of fellowship blessed me tremendously. Your generosity of gift cards went above and beyond anything we could have imagined. The gift cards kept coming, but your sweet words of encouragement were priceless. Thank you for making us feel like family in such a short amount of time. We are blessed to serve wonderful people, who are part of a wonderful church, who live in a wonderful city/county. We can't wait to see what the Lord has in store for all of us, and are excited about the journey ahead.

## The Wall Family



Ladies' Bible Study Isaiah beginning Tuesday, September 12 9:30 a.m. Cornelia Laird, facilitator





FIFTH QUARTER FELLOWSHIP FRIDAY, August 25 CHURCH FAMILY...



The Pig at 7:00 a.m.

Bring a friend!

this event will involve a lot of area youth. Please help Noah by donating canned soft drinks and door prizes. Thanks!

(Drop donations off at the church office)

September 2 - MS BRAVES GAME (Watch for details)



# Church Family,

I cannot put into words how much you mean to me, Kelsey and Heidi Jewell. You made my ordination service an unforgettable night. Members from Russell Baptist spoke of how genuine and kind all of you were. I can see the evidence of God's grace throughout this entire church body. I would also like to thank all who shared pictures with me from that night. I will cherish all of these things forever. I am honored to serve as the student pastor of this church and look forward to what God has in store for the future of His student ministry. Lastly, thank you so much for the generous gift that was given to me! You truly did way too much and I am forever thankful for you. I love you!

For His Glory, Noah Greer

If you would like to ride on the church van to the Women of Hope Rally in Newton, MS on Saturday, August 26, please let Amy Price or the office know by August 20th.

## Sympathies to...

Mel Bounds and family in the death of his wife, Mary Bounds.

### Memorials...

Capital Improvements In memory of: Maedelle Covert Janice D. Jones Alan Akin Billie Jenkins (Merrie Smith's mother)



