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August 3, 2017

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Sunday, August 13

Missions Celebration Night, 6:00 pm

Sunday, August 20

Lord's Supper, 10:00 am
Otter Creek Water Park, 5:45 pm

Wednesday, August 23

Fall Kick-off Prayer Service

Sunday, August 27

Encounter Service, 8:15 am
Breakfast
Sunday School Promotion
Cornerstone Service, 10:30 am
Community Fun Fair - Evening

Wednesday, August 30

All Wednesday night activities begin

This Sunday at Berea First Baptist Church



Sunday School at 9:00 am

Worship at 10:00 am

Evening Worship at 6:00 pm

Message by Dr. Chad Rickenbaker

Connections Class for Visitors and New Members

Sunday, August 13, 9:00 am
In the Senior Adult Building

This class is for anyone who would like to learn more about BFBC and how to get connected. An overview of the various ministries of the church will also be presented. If you know of someone who has been visiting our church and is interested in learning more, please invite them to attend.

In Need of Prayer?

- Complete the Pew Prayer Request forms and place in offering plate.
- Call (864) 246-9182, ext. 1 and leave a message.
- Email to prayerrequest@bereafbc.org

The Good News Club

Armstrong Elementary School
Mondays 2:00-4:00

What is the Good News Club? The GNC is a ministry of Child Evangelism Fellowship. Our church sponsors a club at Armstrong Elementary. It is an after-school program that meets one day a week to share God's truth with children. The format is similar to Vacation Bible School, in that it focuses on a weekly Bible lesson, memory verses, snacks, songs, and games.

How can I get involved? This is your opportunity to serve as a missionary in your own community. We need volunteers to help with snack, review memory verses, and just sit with children during the bible study time.

Our first club will be September 11.
A sign-up sheet will be in the Welcome Center.

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Summer Schedule**

Our next newsletter will be mailed on August 16.



Children's Worship will resume Sunday, August 27.

Deacon's Meeting

Monday, August 7, 7:00 pm
Choir Room

Friendship Group

Senior Adult Luncheon

Tuesday, August 15, 11:00 am
Senior Adult Building
Call the church office for reservations by Thursday, August 10.

The Reaching Center

Tuesday, August 8 our backpacks will be distributed, 9:30am—12:00. Extra hands are always needed on this day to help give out our backpacks and let the children know our prayers for them are to have a great, successful school year.

Tuesday, August 15 we will be on our regular schedule of distributing food and clothes and household items. Our hours are 9:30am—12:00 each Tuesday.

Nursery Help Needed

Volunteers are needed to help in the nursery during the worship services for birth - 3 year olds. Please contact Julie Lunsford at 246-1921 or jlunsford@bereafbc.org for more information.

The Very Newest

Congratulations to Lauren and Reece Ivey on the birth of a son, Maurice Ray (Moe), born July 23.

Financial Report

Sunday, July 30, 2017

Total Annual Budget.....\$1,353,255.76
Budgeted Gifts Rec'd 7-30.....\$20,118.60
Legacy Gifts.....\$2,095.00
Designated/Reimbursement.....\$2,697.63
Total Deposit.....\$24,911.23

Attendance

Sunday Morning Services.....390

Memorial Gifts

Gifts have been given in memory of:

Martha Woodruff by:

Esther Sunday School Class
Mr. and Mrs. Gordan Courtney
Clyde and Linda Thompson
Randy and Janet Blair
Bob and Kay Dobbins
Robbie Batson
Joe and Angie Blakely
Martha Hodge
Joyce and Wayne Clayton
Judith Keasler
Sam and Susan Childers
Larry and Janice Skinner
Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Dobbins
Betty Crenshaw
Open Door Sunday School Class,
Shady Grove Baptist Church
Patricia McKinney
Von and Janice Hallman
Nancy and Prue Sheriff
Walter and Evelyn Watson
Barbara Wood
Cheryl Taylor
John and Leah Hamilton
Joe Malone
Brenda Kelly
Batson Sunday School Class
Ernest and Betty Reece
Robert and Donna Coleman

John Lezan by:

Larry and Jeanne Blakely

Lois Barton by:

Terry and Donna Anderson
Finance Dept of Pickens County
Norman and Betty Willis
Brenda Kelly
Shirley Laws
Ernest and Betty Reece
Jeffrey and Emmalyn Heath
Caroline Edmonds
Monaghan Baptist Couples Class
Brenda Benton

Carolyn Aiken by:

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harris

Christian Wynn by:

Ernest and Betty Reece

Opportunities

SUNDAY

9:00am Sunday School
10:00am Worship Service
6:00pm Evening Worship

WEDNESDAY

6:30pm Bible Study
7:30pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY

7:00am Men's Prayer Group

Life Line Screening

Tuesday, September 12

BFBC Senior Adult Building

The following tests will be offered:

- * Carotid Artery (Plaque) Screening
- * Heart Rhythm Screening (Atrial Fib)
- * Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening
- * Peripheral Arterial Disease Screening
- * Osteoporosis Risk Assessment

Pre-registration is required.

Call 1-888-653-6450

August Mission Action Project

Christmas in August for the Berea House

To help keep holiday giving from being so hectic, we're collecting gifts for children (ages 4-18) throughout the month of August for the Berea House.

Help Us Refill the Shelves at

The Reaching Center

food items needed this week:
cereal, spaghetti sauce, stew meat



HEY 6TH GRADERS!

Welcome to the Student Ministry!

Let's go to Frankie's Fun Park!

Wednesday, August 16 | 2:00-6:00 pm

\$15 (cost includes pizza dinner)

Register online or at the church office.