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# Reflections

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## Season of Prayer for State Missions and Janie Chapman Offering



### Our Goal: \$6,000

"Devote yourself to prayer, being watchful and thankful. And pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ, for which I am in chains. Pray that I may proclaim it clearly, as I should."  
Colossians 4:2-4

### Christmas 2017

"The Light Has Dawned"

It's not too late for you to participate in this ministry! Meet in the Choir Room Wednesday night at 7:35.

### Friendship Group

#### Senior Adult Luncheon

Tuesday, September 19, 11:00 am  
Senior Adult Building

Menu: roast beef, rice and gravy, mixed vegetables, roll and apple cobbler.

Program: The Legacy Quartet

Reservations due by Thursday at 4pm,  
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### Baptismal Service

Sunday, September 17, 10:30am

## This Sunday at Berea First Baptist Church

Encounter Service, 8:15 am

Sunday School, 9:30 am

Cornerstone Service, 10:30 am

Evening Worship Service, 6:00 pm

## Sermon Based Small Groups Sundays at 6:00 pm

If you are interested in growing in your walk with the Lord while connecting with other believers, then our Sermon Based Small Groups are what you are looking for.

The Groups discuss application questions from the morning message.

This allows group members to discuss the biblical truths contained in the morning message and how they are being led to apply them.

Sign-up sheets are available in the Welcome Center.

### Groups Leaders:

Britni McCall

Jim Southerland

Gary Brock

Andrew and Susannah Lewis/Braden and Anna Brock

Walt and Melissa Brashier



### Sundays, 6:00-7:00

K3-K5 Meet in the CDC

Grades 1-5 Meet in the Dock

TeamKID is a fun, high-energy ministry that encourages preschoolers and children to know Jesus Christ and to grow in a relationship with Him. All parts of TeamKID, including Bible stories, scripture memory, arts, crafts, missions and recreation connect to teach life lessons to kids.

## Student Ministry

### STUDENT CHOIR

**SUNDAYS, 4:45**  
in the choir room.

### SUNDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

**SUNDAYS, 6:00**  
In the Crosswalk



**Early Registration (by Sept. 20): \$125**  
**Regular Registration (by Oct. 8): \$150**

We're heading to Camp Highland in Ellijay, GA this year, and it's gonna be EPIC! Get ready for a weekend full of ziplines, kayaks, ropes courses, campfires, crazy competitions, amazing views, and more. Plus, we'll be diving in the Word and growing closer to God and one another through awesome times of worship and small groups. You do not want to miss this. Register online or at the church.

## Deacons Meeting

Rescheduled for  
**Monday, September 18, 7:00 pm**  
In the Choir Room

## The Very Newest

Congratulations to:

Emily Southerland on the birth of a son, Jace Paul, born September 10. Jace is the grandson of Jim and Sherri Southerland.

Jonathan and Hannah Looper on the birth of a son, Wesley Arthur, born September 10. He is the grandson of Dave and Beth Burgess.

## Financial Report

**Sunday, September 10, 2017**

Total Annual Budget.....\$1,353,255.76  
Budgeted Gifts Rec'd 9-10.....\$21,899.62  
Legacy Gifts.....\$695.00  
Designated/Reimbursement.....\$5,683.00  
Total Deposit.....\$28,277.62

### Attendance

Sunday Morning Services.....507

## Memorial Gifts

Gifts have been given in memory of:

Paul Justice by:

Kevin and Elaine Styles  
Alvin, Diane, Anna Henson  
Jeff, Amy, Colton Evatt  
Al, Katelyn, Emma, Sadie, William Henson  
Von and Janice Hallman  
Norman and Betty Willis  
Susan Jones  
Jim and Diane Harrill  
Walt and Christine Brashier  
Danny, Gina, Tucker and Olivia Simmons  
Jim and Sandra Cagle  
Doug and Jean Black  
Jerry and Gwyn Balcombe  
Jean Elliott  
Shirley Laws

Marcy Griffith by:

Marshall and Lynne Ferguson  
Gerald and Pat Knecht  
Loyalty Sunday School Class  
Glenn and Jane Harrison  
Dick and Artie Hughes  
David and Julie Lunsford  
Jarad, Maegan and Raylan Watts  
Zach, Rebekah and Peyton Tarrant  
Employees at the SC Farm Service Agency  
Jesse and Pat Hipp  
Seth and Katie Peterson  
Edd and Nan Stroud  
Freddie and Cathy Mixon  
Martha Batson  
Don and Jane Watson  
Larry and Beverly Mixson  
Jean Elliott  
Jim and Diane Harrill  
Harold and Pat Batson  
Paul and Marie Dacus  
Brenda Kelly

Martha Woodruff by:

Alvin and Diane Henson  
Bob and Karen Burdine and Family  
Jane Godfrey  
Jim and Sandra Cagle  
Allison Henderson

## September

### Mission Action Project

**BFBC Child Development Center**

Items needed: glue sticks, sticky notes,  
C & D Batteries, colored copy paper,  
band-aids, scotch tape,  
white washcloths.

## Opportunities

### SUNDAY

8:15 am Encounter Service  
9:30am Sunday School  
10:30am Cornerstone Service  
4:45pm Student Choir  
6:00 pm Evening Worship  
Small Groups  
Student Bible Study  
TeamKID

### WEDNESDAY

5:15-6:30pm Supper  
6:00-6:45pm Preschool Choir  
1st-5th Grade Choir  
6:30-7:30pm Bible Study (Sanctuary)  
Bible Study (Chapel)  
Ladies Bible Study (Library)  
Student Worship  
6:45-7:30pm Preschool Mission Friends  
Grades 1-5 G.A.'s  
Grades 1-5 R.A.'s  
7:35-9:00pm Worship Choir

### THURSDAY

7:00am Men's Prayer Group



## Wednesday Night Suppers

Reservations or cancellations must be made by Mondays at 11:00am.

### Menu for Sept. 20

Baked Chicken, Yellow Rice, Broccoli and Cheese Casserole, New Red Potatoes  
or  
Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, chips



## BFBC Book Club

Rescheduled for  
**Monday, September 18**  
6:00 pm  
In the Welcome Center  
Book:  
"Beach House for Sale"  
Author:  
Mary Alice Monroe

## The Reaching Center

food items needed this week:  
corn, green beans, stewed tomatoes,  
peanut butter