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Intercessory Prayer Ministry Resources Available in the Welcome Center

- For the remainder of the year, the IPM will be focusing on prayer for our church. In the Welcome Center, you may get a copy of the scripture prayer guides that we will be using as we pray daily in the Prayer Room. Please join us as we strategically intercede for Berea First Baptist Church!
- Sometimes it is difficult to know how to pray during times of national crisis. **Intercessors for America** has provided a scripture prayer guide to help us in praying for our country as we experience recent natural disasters. You may pick one up at the Welcome Center.
- The basket of prayer cards in the Welcome Center has been restocked. Please take some and give them out to people you encounter during the day, letting them know you will pray for them. If time or the situation permits, even ask the person how you can pray for them. Perhaps God would use your act of kindness to a stranger to give hope in these uncertain days.
- Listed below are 2 great resources available to help us pray for our president and national concerns. You can also register with these websites to receive daily prayer information.

uspray365.com (gives the daily schedule for the President and also specific prayer information)

IFA.org (Intercessors for America)

The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. James 5:16

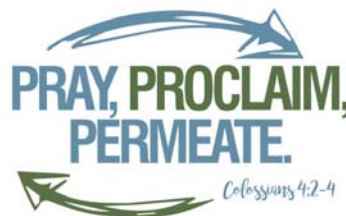
Need Prayer?

Please share any concerns with our Intercessory Prayer Ministry
Email: prayerrequest@bereafbc.org
Voicemail: (864) 246-9182, Ext. 1

This Sunday at Berea First Baptist Church

Encounter Service, 8:15 am
 Sunday School, 9:30 am
 Cornerstone Service, 10:30 am
 6:00 pm
 Evening Worship
 Small Groups
 TeamKID
 Youth Bible Study

Season of Prayer for State Missions and Janie Chapman Offering



Our Goal: \$6,000
Received: \$2,010

"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

Joyful Sound from North Greenville University Coming October 1st

On Sunday, October 1st, North Greenville University's traveling music team "Joyful Sound" will be leading us in worship in both of our Sunday morning worship services (8:15 & 10:30). Make sure to be here for this great opportunity to be led by these talented college students in worship.

BFBC Child Development Center Fundraiser CHICK-FIL-A @ Cherrydale

Thursday, September 21
 5:00-8:00 pm

When you order make sure you say that you are with Berea First Baptist CDC!

Changes In Online Giving

If you are registered with our Egiving system, you will soon notice some changes. We are still using the same company, but our service is changing to a new look and portal to add even more security and ease of use. This is a whole new website, so there are a few changes that need to be made.

To login to the new portal, you will no longer use your username but instead your email address that you used at registration. Your password should still work. If not it is very easy to change as some special characters are no longer allowed. Once you're logged in you will notice some things look different, but it all should work the same. All of your information should have transferred over and if you use a scheduled payment, nothing will change with that as it has been moved over.

Here is the link to the new site: <https://giving.ncsservices.org/dl/?uid=ncs-4054>. Please update your bookmarks with this new location. Our current site will not be available after September 25. If you have never used our Egiving, now is a great time to look over it and to register. You can even pay for several of our church events online at this site.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email or call me. My email is Mparker@bereafbc.org and the church number is 246-1921.



Ladies Dinner

Tuesday, September 26, 6:00 pm
Mama Maria's Restaurant
Sign up in the Welcome Center or call the church office.



Financial Report

Sunday, September 17, 2017

Total Annual Budget.....\$1,353,255.76
Budgeted Gifts Rec'd 9-17.....\$18,075.00
Legacy Gifts.....\$320.00
Designated/Reimbursement.....\$3,305.00
Total Deposit.....\$21,700.00

Attendance

Sunday Morning Services.....521

Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to:

The family of Teresa Clayton.

Kay Dobbins in the death of her sister-in-law, Martie Miller.

Memorial Gifts

A gift has been given in memory of Douglas Neil Baker by Harriet Baker.

Baby Dedication

Sunday, October 1
10:30am



"Lights On" Dinner With Joyful Sound

Saturday, September 30, 6:00 pm
BFBC Senior Adult Building

Please join us for a night of great food and entertainment with Joyful Sound from North Greenville University. All proceeds from this event will help place solar panels on the new dormitory in Koreng, Uganda.

Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased from Steve or Kathie Burgess, or Alice Peace. You can also go online to www.eventbrite.com and search for "Hands of Kindness Lights on Dinner with Joyful Sound."

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

The Reaching Center

food items needed this week:
peanut butter, green beans, corn, diced tomatoes, stew meat, mixed vegetables

Wednesday Night Suppers

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

Menu for Sept. 27

Baked Spaghetti, Salad, Corn on the Cob
or
Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, chips

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.

