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# Reflections

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### Women's Ministry Lift Dinner

The BFBC Women's Ministry invites women of all ages to the next LIFT dinner on Thursday, October 13 at 6pm. We will meet at Mama Maria's restaurant in Berea, on White Horse Road, across from the QT station. Please sign up in the Welcome Center or call the church office before October 12. Join us for a wonderful time of fun, fellowship and great food!

You're Invited to the

### Embrace the Nations

Conference

October 21-22

Berea First Baptist Church

Topics include:

- Cross Culture Evangelism
- Preparing Missions Volunteers
- Discovering Unreached Peoples and Places
- Working with Missionaries and National Leaders
- Reproducing Models that Avoid Dependency

Led by: Brett Freemon, missions pastor at First Baptist Church of Fort Mill. Brett previously served with the IMB in South Asia.

BFBC church members can sign up for \$10 in the Church Office. See Michael Hodge.

### Trunk and Treat

Sunday, October 30, 5:00-8:00pm

Begin NOW making plans to help with our annual Trunk and Treat. To have a successful night, we must have lots of people, like you, willing to bring your car and give out candy. This is a fun event for our church family and our community!



### Connections Class For Visitors and New Members

Sunday, October 9, 9:30am

This class is for anyone who would like to learn more about BFBC and how to get connected. A presentation 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.

### Pink Sunday

Sunday, October 23, 8:15 and 10:30

Wear pink to support the fight against breast cancer, to promote the importance of early detection, to support, honor, and celebrate survivors, and remember those who have lost their battle with breast cancer. Survivors from our congregation will be at the doors after the services giving out important information.

### Operation Christmas Child Kickoff

Beginning this Sunday, cardboard boxes and brochures will be available in the Welcome Center. Pick up your box and fill it full of quality toys such as a doll, soccer ball with pump, or stuffed animal. Then add other fun toys, hygiene items, and school supplies. Return it to the church by November 14. OCC is a missions opportunity for our entire congregation!

### Janie Chapman Offering For State Missions

Our Goal: \$6,000  
Received: \$4,132.38



**You just have a few more weeks to sign you and your friends up for Fall Retreat.** Don't miss this incredible weekend full of ziplines, giant swings, kayaking, mudpits, campfires, and more. Plus, we'll be digging deep in the Word through worship and small groups. We can't wait to see you there! **Hurry though! The deadline to register is October 16!**

**A quick note to parents:** We believe God is going to do something awesome in the lives of students this weekend, and we want to make sure *every student is there*. If finances are determining whether or not your student can participate, please let us know. We have full and partial scholarships available upon request.

**The Very Newest**

Congratulations to:

Adam and Raechel Hackett on the birth of a daughter, Maddilyn Grace Ann, born September 29. Maddilyn is the granddaughter of Steve and Kathy Shead.

Kosta and Amber Sialmas on the birth of a daughter, Stella Elizabeth, born September 29. Stella is the granddaughter of Guy and Betty Davis.

**Financial Report**

**Sunday, October 2, 2016**

Total Annual Budget.....\$1,291,427.97  
 Budgeted Gifts Rec'd 10-2.....\$25,853.78  
 Legacy Gifts.....\$735.00  
 Designated/Reimbursement.....\$14,478.50  
 Total Deposit.....\$41,067.28

**Attendance**

Sunday Morning Services.....488

**Sympathy**

Sympathy is extended to Mattie Wilson in the death of her niece, Ann Ammons.

**Memorial Gifts**

*Gifts have been given in memory of:*

Betty Garvin by:  
 Leslie Baker  
 Paul and Jean Stegall  
 Anne Linder  
 Joyce Clayton  
 Robbie Batson  
 Ruby Cook  
 Darrell and Amy Reese  
 Charles Jones S.S. Class

Charles Granger by:  
 Jim and Diane Harrill

Ed Ware by:  
 Jim and Diane Harrill

Dean Batson by:  
 Jim and Diane Harrill

**BFBC Book Club**

Monday, October 10, 6pm  
 Church Patio Room

Book to be discussed: "When We Were Sisters" by Emilie Richards

**Opportunities**

**SUNDAY**

8:15am Encounter Service  
 9:30am Sunday School  
 10:30am Cornerstone Service  
 4:45pm Student Choir  
 6:00pm Evening Service  
 Youth  
 TeamKID

**WEDNESDAY**

5:15-6:30pm Supper  
 6:00pm Praying @ the Dock  
 6:00-6:45pm Preschool Choir  
 1st-5th Grade Choir  
 6:30-7:30pm Bible Study (Sanctuary)  
 Student Worship  
 6:45-7:30pm Preschool Mission Friends  
 Grades 1-5 G.A.'s  
 Grades 1-5 R.A.'s  
 Sanctuary Choir

**THURSDAY**

7:00am Men's Prayer Group

**Wednesday Night Supper**

Reservation deadline is Monday @ 11am .

**Menu for October 12:**

Fried Chicken, Rice and Gravy, Corn,  
 Lima Beans

**October Mission Project**

**The Reaching Center**

Blankets and cold-weather clothing

**WMU Group Meeting**

Susan Tidwell Group  
 Tuesday, October 11, 7:00pm  
 Senior Adult Building

**Thank You! "Church at the Park" Volunteers**

We want to give a big THANK YOU to all of the volunteers who helped with our Church at the Park event last Sunday! It was a great day of worship and fellowship, and it wouldn't have been possible without the many people who gave their time and energy in serving so that our church family and friends could enjoy a fabulous day.

We are very grateful for you! - BFBC Staff

**Church at the Park**

