

The Messenger

First Baptist Church of Hudson

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Homecoming: 187 Years RESCHEDULED! **THIS Sunday, September 23, 2018**

Homecoming Sunday Schedule:

9 AM: Sunday School

10:15 AM: Combined Homecoming Worship, Life Center

11:30 AM: Covered Dish Feast

(Please bring a covered side dish to accompany chicken and rolls provided by the church.)

Toy Store Love Offering Sunday, September 23

On this day we will prayerfully give towards the ministry, the Toy Store. This ministry provides Christmas gifts to children in the community who are in need, while also simultaneously ministering to their parents at the event. Please give prayerfully towards this special ministry.



"Tee Off for Toys" Toy Store Golf Tournament Friday, October 12, 2018

Join us for our annual "Tee Off for Toys" Golf Tournament! This tournament will be located at the Lenoir Golf Club. All proceeds from this event will be used to purchase gifts for children in need this Christmas. Pick up a brochure this Sunday or come by the church office to get signed up!

ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, September 23

Homecoming - 187 Years

8:45 AM - Media Center Open

9 AM - Sunday School (All Ages),

No First Kids Worship

10:15 AM - Morning Worship, LC

(Homecoming Meal Following)

5 PM - Youth Praise, Youth Room - 2nd Floor

5:30 PM - Media Center Open

6 PM - Sunday Night Discipleship U - Session 2
(No Children's Activities, No Nursery)

Monday, September 24

7 PM - Deacons Meeting

Tuesday, September 25

1st Good News Club Meeting Today!

6 - 7:30 PM - LCDR Reserved,
Grandparents Again

Wednesday, September 26

8:15 AM - Adult Exercise, LCDR

5:45 PM - Media Center Open

6 - 7:30 PM - Midweek @ HF - Session 3

Adult Bible Studies

C.A.R.E. Ministry

Youth

First Kids Choir/RA's, GA's

Nursery & Mission Friends

Prayer Meeting

7:30 PM - Adult Choir

Saturday, September 29

11:30 - 5 PM LCDR & K Reserved



Wednesday Night Supper September 12th 5 PM

Menu: Chicken Pie, Rice, Peas,
Salad and Desserts

Caldwell Pregnancy Care Center Walkathon! September 22, 2018

If you are interested in participating in the Walkathon or praying at the Walkathon, please see Andra Kunkle or call her at 828-313-8293. Also, if you would like to support the center as we move into the new building God has provided, allowing us to provide ultrasounds for moms to see their new baby, please contact Andra Kunkle.

Thanks!

Church Family,

I am well blessed to be in the family of First Baptist Church Hudson. I am home now, each day gets better. Thank you for the prayers, calls, cards, food, visits at the hospital, Shaire Center, and at home. Thank you for all these and more! Pastor Mack came the day of surgery to pray with my family and I, Paul Renfrow visited me at the hospital and at Shaire Center, Morgan answered my calls each time I had an update, The Nursery & Mission Friends made me a Sonshine Basket that was hand delivered to me by Judy Hendrix and Ryan Parrish! Thank you, Thank you, Thank you!!!!

Thank you to all those who took me to appointments and offered to help. Thank you to the men who did a great job building me a ramp for my house, and thank you to everyone for all you are doing! I would give more names but there are so many! You know who you are! God knows each one of you and all the prayers and concern you have given me. It is good to be home and God and I take steps together each day to be stronger. I appreciate what the church family is doing for me as I continue on this journey of healing. Please keep on praying!

Love in Christ, Mary Bean

We gratefully acknowledge your gift of 16 lbs. in toiletries. Your gift is an investment in God's work with humanity and we appreciate your thoughtfulness in remembering this organization.

LEOS (Lenoir Emergency Outreach Shelter)

New Women's Prayer Group Beginning every 2nd Thursday at 11:15 AM Room 108

This is a call to all women of Hudson First who love their country and are willing to pray intensely for it! If you cannot come and wish to join, please call Helen Beam at 828-757-9113.

Prayer is our fight. It's not easy, but, when we let God know we trust Him, and we admit that we are weak, but He is strong, we can lift our hearts and petitions to Him for the life of our nation and for the people of the world!



Shoebox News

All weekend we have watched hurricane Florence ramp and rage. We have felt sorrow for



all those who have experienced loss of life as well as material things. We were lucky not to be in the direct path of this storm. My family only lost power for about 5 hours but when the lights came back on, they seemed even brighter than ever before, and I thanked God for the light He blesses us with every day. Jesus is the light for all of us who believe in Him. We want the children who receive our boxes to also receive the light of hope that Jesus gives to all who believe.

Seventy-seven more boxes were wrapped and packed by your Worker Bees last Wednesday. This brings our total to 1,823 for the year! Our time for packing is flying by quickly.

Flashlights with extra batteries, soap, washcloths, play dough, hair bows, brushes, balls, dolls, water bottles, and school supplies all top out want list this week.

Our deepest thanks to all of you who are helping us through your donations of boxes, needed items, and money.

May God bless you all! Linda Rash

GA Announcement!

Preparations for Parade for the Hungry Sunday, October 14, 2018

All GA's, please mark your calendars for making preparations to lead our church in collecting money and food for the 27th Parade for the Hungry. We will meet at 2:30 PM on October 14th to begin the Parade at Hudson Middle School and will conclude at First Baptist Church of Hudson.

Organizations that will receive the donations are Bethel Colony, Caldwell County Yokefellow, Lenoir Soup Kitchen, and South Caldwell Christian Ministries.

Additions to the Media Center

The book Night Night, Farm written by Amy Parker has been placed in the Media Center to honor the birth of Bryce Thomas DuSablón on September 12, 2018. His parents are Sebastian & Amanda DuSablón.

Report for September 16, 2018

Sunday School Enrollment	N/A
Sunday School Attendance	N/A
Worship Attendance	N/A

Designated Gifts Received

Back Pack Ministry	25.00
Toy Store	206.00
Lottie Moon	140.00
Total Designated	371.00

General Funds Required Year-to-Date 842,050.00

% Received Year-to-Date 89%

General Funds Receipts are currently 11% behind our needs

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Sebastian and Amanda DuSablón in the birth of their son, Bryce Thomas DuSablón, born Wednesday, September 12, 2018. Bryce Thomas is the little brother of Owen DuSablón and the grandson of Tony & Trina Winkler.

Your Invited to a Couples Wedding Shower

In Honor of

Tiffany Edwards

&

Logan Alley

Sunday, September 23

2-4 PM in the afternoon

Family Life Center

Registered at Target & Walmart

WMU 2018 Red Box Item Collection For the Month of September Lotion Guidelines: 8 to 11 Ounces No Pump Lotion!

The Caldwell Baptist Association is collecting lotion this year for the Red Box Ministry. Please notice the specific guidelines for this lotion. It must be in a plastic container of 8 to 11 ounces with no pump. Lotion must be brought to the church and placed in the red bin outside the church office by **Wednesday, October 17 2018**. The red boxes are a ministry of NC WMU and are distributed to women inmates in NC prisons.



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| September 23 | Dwight Jones
Julia Sells
Jonah McBurney |
| September 24 | Travis Land
Ann Winkler
Peggy Starnes |
| September 25 | Irene Yates
Jeremy Beal
David Mitchell
Beverly Dockery
Janet Aiken |
| September 26 | Catherine Smith
Andrea Plyler |
| September 27 | Philip Land
Cayden White
Tammy Williamson
Doug Main
Robyn Hawkins |
| September 28 | Lisa Annas
Kathy Kirby
David Reising
Amy White |
| September 29 | Rebecca Adkins
Chris Caldwell |

**NURSERY WORKERS:
September 23, 2018**

10:15 AM: Brad & Chasity Hardwick,
Linda Clark, Judy Hendrix,
Linda Rash, Ty Watts
Jeanne & Sandy Winkler



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