



Friday, September 29
9 - 11 am

Volunteer Training at
Etowah Baptist
Missions Center

Call Missions Center to
reserve a spot
(256) 546-2980

Meet at the Missions Center.

Thursday, October 12
Noon

Chick-Fil-A Lunch
Guest Speaker, Lacey Tompson from
Medicare/Medicaid

Cost: \$5 for lunch
CFA Sandwich & chips

November 30
Bus Trip to Tate, GA



Tate House
Christmas Luncheon Tour

Non-Refundable Cost
(due upon signup)
\$55

Space is limited.
Sign up soon!

Christian Sympathy

Is extended to Keith, Nicki & Will
Barksdale in the loss of Keith's
father, Garry Barksdale.

Is extended to
Dr. Tommy Dowling and
Dr. Tommy Dowling, IV, and family
in the loss of Mrs. Kay Dowling.

Sanctuary Flowers

The flowers in the sanctuary are
from the Parkinson Association of
Alabama in appreciation for the use
of our facilities.



Ladies Bible Study

Mondays at 10:00 AM & 6:00 PM
Beginning October 2

Meeting in
Kids Worship Room



Weekly Records September 17, 2023

Worship
Attendance 225
Kids Worship..... 42
Total Attendance 267

Sunday School
Enrollment 391
Attendance
Members 179
Visitors..... 3
Total Attendance..... 182

Stewardship Records
Budget \$22,336.02
Tithes Received..... \$24,825.49
Designated..... \$1,801.00
Budget to Date \$848,768.76
Received to Date \$854,425.57

Serving the little ones

Becky Brittain
Keri Lonnergan
Jared & Cantrell Lowe
Marion Stone
Francie Vann, Prissy Yother

Lydia Sewell, Becki Morgan
Martha Haller, Noah Miller
Brittany & Dan Johns
Vanessa Walker

Sound & TV Ministry

Scott Morgan, Matthew Vance
Chris Alexander
Brooke & Matt Jackson
Jeff Martin, Kay Moore
Allen Ray

Security & Greeters

Larry Brittain, Danny Hankins
Paul Hodge, Ronnie Lee, Ricky Vann
Allen Back, Jim Hicks
Ragan Lonnergan

Rev. Mat Alexander..... Senior Pastor
Rev. Woodie Turner Associate Pastor
Rev. Nathan Edwards..... Associate Pastor for Worship
Miss Lydia Sewell..... Minister of Children & Missions
Rev. Coale Jordan Minister of Students & Media
Mrs. Sharon Reynolds Pianist
Mrs. Lana Cornutt..... Organist

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DOMINION & DYNASTY

SERMONS FROM SAMUEL

"A RIGHTEOUS KING"
2 SAMUEL 4

reach week

September 24 - 29

The Chimes

September 24, 2023

Sunday, September 24, 2023 10:30 am

Prelude Mrs. Sharon Reynolds

Call to Worship 206 "Blessed Be the Name" BLESSED NAME stanzas 1, 2 and 4

Welcome Rev. Woodie Turner, Associate Pastor

Hymn 221 "When Morning Gilds the Skies" LAUDES DOMINI

Missions Moment Miss Lydia Sewell, Minister of Children & Missions

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

"Song of Remembrance" Fettke Sanctuary Choir

Choral Worship "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" arr. Edwards Sanctuary Choir The text to this anthem may be found on page 25 in the Hymnal.

Hymn 14 "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" LOBE DEN HERREN On the final stanza, the children are invited to FirstKids Worship.

Message "A Righteous King" Rev. Mat Alexander, Senior Pastor 2 Samuel 4 Pages 354 in pew Bible

Time of Response Mrs. Sharon Reynolds

Congregational Benediction 177 "There's Something About That Name" THAT NAME

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus; there's just something about that name! Master, Savior, Jesus, like the fragrance after the rain; Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, let all heaven and earth proclaim: Kings and kingdoms will all pass away, But there's something about that name!

Postlude Mrs. Sharon Reynolds

Song of Remembrance

Do this in remembrance of Me. Do this in remembrance of Me. This bread is My body, this cup is My blood; Share them among you in love. Do this in remembrance of Me.

This is My body given for you; This cup is the New Covenant, sealed with my blood.

Do this in remembrance of Me; do this in remembrance of Me. And whenever you eat this bread; whenever you drink this cup You proclaim the Lord's death 'til He comes; Until He comes.



September 24 - 29 Church-Wide Projects

September 25 Baking Day Beginning at 10:00 am we will spend the day baking items to be packaged and distributed to our neighbors. Packaged items will be available for church members to pick-up and distribute after 3:00 pm.

All Week Pick up a neighborhood packet from the church with a map and doorhangers to pass out.

September 28 Park Day 5:00-6:30 pm at Moragne Park Pass out water and snacks to people and invite them to join us at the park Sunday for Church Outside the Walls.

Next Sunday!

CHURCH outside the WALLS

NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday, October 1

Moragne Park

Feel free to bring your own lawn chair

Worship - 10:30

Free Picnic - 11:30

This Week at FBC

Sunday, September 24 9:15 am Sunday School 10:30 am Morning Worship 8:00 pm Rebroadcast Comcast Channel 5

Monday, September 25 8:00 am Ladies Exercise 10:00 am Baking for REACH WEEK 3:00 pm Distribute Cookies

Tuesday, September 26 6:30 am Men's Prayer Group 10:00 am Staff Meeting

Wednesday, September 27 8:00 am Ladies Exercise 10:00 am Backpack Ministry Supper 5:00 pm Menu: Breakfast

5:30 pm Prayer Time 5:45 pm First Students Choir Preschool & Children Activities Training U

6:00 pm First Students 6:45 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal 7:00 pm

Thursday, September 28 5:00 pm Park Day

Friday, September 29 8:00 am Ladies Exercise

BACKPACK MINISTRY Wednesday Mornings 10:00 am FLC We would love to have you help pack backpack food for those students that may not have food for the weekend.

Thank you for being our guest today!

Please fill out the information card and place in the Offering Box as you leave the service. If you prefer, please scan this code.

GUEST INFORMATION

Name

Email address

Other Contact Info

LOOKING AHEAD

September 24 - 30 REACH WEEK

Friday, September 29 Volunteer Training at Missions Center

Sunday, October 1 Church Outside the Walls

Monday, October 2 SA/Friends to Missions Center

Thursday, October 5 Finance Committee

Wednesday, October 11 No Wednesday Night Activities due to Fall Break

Thursday, October 12 SA/Friends Luncheon

Friday, October 20 Dental Clinic

Sunday, October 22 EBA Annual Meeting - Southside BC

Sunday, October 29 Lord's Supper & Family Worship

Monday, October 30 Linen Savers