#### FBC CHURCH STAFF

#### Ministers:

Dr. Jim Futral, Interim Pastor Rev. Ian Richardson, Interim Music Minister Mr. Sam Cowart, Student Minister Mrs. MeShay Franklin, Children's Minister

#### Ministry Assistants:

Miss Sue Nell McMillan Mrs. Kim Brewer Mrs. Coni Jolly Mrs. Sheri Warren

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Dr. Jim Futral, Interim Pastor

Wednesday, May 31, 2023

## Just ahead.. VBS – What a great time!\_

the KEY

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

P.O. Box 366 • Mendenhall, MS 39114

Phone: 601-847-2488

www.fbcmendenhall.org

What VBS "is not ... "

1. It's not just another activity to keep kids busy while school is out.

2. It is not just a promotion for Kool-Aid!

What VBS "is"!

- 1. A great time for kids to learn more about God and His love for them!
- 2. It is opportunity to be with their friend groups and caring adults in meaningful ways at church.
- 3. It is the #1 pathway for children to come to Christ!

Help if you can! Pray if you will! God bless VBS!

Jim Futral

Be STRONG in the Lord! – Ephesians 6:10

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## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

"Keepers of the Kingdom" -- Sunday-Wednesday, June 4-7 Sunday, June 4 – 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Wednesday – 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.

NO Evening Worship Service June 4 – Please support VBS where you can! Resumes June 11 (No Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal Wednesday, June 7) NURSERY

## SUNDAY, JUNE 4

Stephen and Leslie Franklin – (Babies) Josh and Lauren Pierce (2's & 3's)

### Children's Church

MeShay Franklin

## TECHNOLOGY

| SoundJason Wall          | ace |
|--------------------------|-----|
| Camera Phillip Brid      | ges |
| Projector AM Dennis Amma | ann |
| Projector PM             | /BS |

## Deacon of the Week

<u>June 4 – June 10</u> Danny Cowart and Maurice Gaskin

<u>Security – June 4</u> Steve Byrd and Doug Berry



## Each Sunday

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP** 

| Sunday School       |           |
|---------------------|-----------|
| Morning Worship     |           |
| Evening Worship     |           |
| Discipleship Groups | 5:45 p.m. |
|                     |           |

## **VITAL STATISTICS**

#### MAY 28, 2023

| BIBLE STUDY ATTENDANCE |            |
|------------------------|------------|
| In House               | 171        |
| Homebound              | 28         |
| Shelter                | na         |
| Nursing Home           |            |
| Strong River           | 16         |
| DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING  | 24         |
| BUDGET OFFERING\$      | 10,098.10  |
| HARVEST DAY\$          | 170.00     |
| BAPTIST CHILDREN VLG\$ | 210.00     |
| TOTAL OFFERING\$_      | 10,478.10  |
| REQUIREMENT\$          | 412,676.00 |
| <b>RECEIPTS</b> (22)\$ | 362,503.86 |

## **IN THE HOSPITAL**

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UNDER BUDGET .....\$

#### SIMPSON GENERAL

**Genevieve Patterson** 

#### MAGEE GENERAL

**Rosemary Gary** 

MEDIA / PROJECTOR volunteers needed! Come help us with our Sunday Media Ministry. Needing some help in running our slide presentations on Sunday morning / evening. Contact the church office (601-847-2488) if you are interested in helping.



God and Country Celebration led by FBC Sanctuary Choir Sunday, July 2 10:30 a.m. worship

U<sup>th</sup> of July Fellowship! Sunday, July 2 – 5:00 p.m. Hamburgers, Hot Dogs and Ice Cream

FBC will provide hamburgers and hot dogs – Please bring your favorite ice cream and fellowship with us!

### **KEENAGE LUNCHEON**

Thursday, June 22 – 11:30 a.m. Sign up in the church office!!



#### **PANTRY ITEMS NEEDED!**

Our food pantry is looking a little slim! Please help us by bringing your donations of canned meat, canned fruit, instant rice or potatoes, etc.. We appreciate all items given to help this ministry!

#### SAVE THE DATE WMU Equipping Leaders Training

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August 18 – 19 (Friday-Saturday) Broadmoor Baptist Church

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WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY -- 6:15 p.m. – Youth Room Discipleship Groups – Sundays at 5:45 p.m. CENTRI-FUGE CAMP – June 26-30 – Sign up now! SUPER SUMMER – July 11-14

## **Discipleship Training – All Ages!!**

Sundays – 5:45 p.m. Adults: The Handwriting on the Wall – David Jeremiah WILL NOT MEET SUNDAY, JUNE 4 (VBS) Resumes, Sunday, June 11

# PRAY FOR OUR PASTOR SEARCH & MUSIC SEARCH COMMITTEES

## CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES

Wednesdays - 6:15 p.m.



#### **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

June 4 – 7 – (Sunday-Wednesday) Sign up now if you are interested in helping with VBS!

#### **CENTRAL HILLS – KIDS CAMP**

June 29 – July 1 -- \$50 deposit for church members