

Last Sunday's Record

Sunday School: 252 Worship: 331
Offering: \$27,453.80
January 1, 2024
Requirements: \$ 512,261.64
Receipts: \$ 576,344.58

DEACON OF THE WEEK

May 12 - Jimmy Wilson
May 19 - Steve Gressett May 26 - Jim Lauderdale

Deacon's Meeting - May 19

8:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall

Sermon for Sunday, May 12

Sean Milner, Executive Director
Baptist Children's Village

FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER - May 15

Chicken Alfredo and Penne Pasta, Steamed Broccoli, Breadstick, Salad Bar and Dessert
KIDS: Pizza and Fruit Cup
ADULTS: \$5 KIDS (12 and under): \$3 Family Maximum \$20
SERVERS: Jim Williamson, Cathy Carpenter, Cary and Faith Vaughn

VOLUNTEER MINISTRY - May 12

GREETERS - John and Gaile Culpepper
Allan and Diane Tolleson

PRAYER LINE - Helen Webb

PRESCHOOL EXT. Session - Bobby and Patty Ann Bogue

CHILDREN'S CHURCH - Candice Maloney,
Kayla and David Mowdy

WORSHIP WELCOMERS - Leonard and Betsy Cobb,
J.B. and Theresa Griffith

COUNTING - Neil Henry, chmn
Tyler Covington, Susan Hill

MEDICAL RESPONSE - Bobby Berg

SECURITY - Jim Anderson, Leslie Dunn, Brad Sykes,
Bernie Mitchell, Allan Tolleson

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, May 12

9:15 - Sunday School
10:30 - Morning Worship

TUESDAY, May 14

6:00 - Prayer Shawl Ministry (*Aldersgate*)

WEDNESDAY, May 15

5:15 - FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER
5:30 - YOUTH CHOIR
6:00 - Embrace Life/E. Holloway, facilitator
6:30 - Prayer Meeting and Bible Study
Youth and Children's Activities



**GREAT MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY FOR FBC
to help rebuild Rolling Fork, MS
after the tornado!**

DATES: June 17 - 21 **AND/OR** July 15 - 19
Skill Sets Needed: frame and finish carpentry,
dry wall hanging and floating, painting, roofing,
cooking, helpers and house keeping!
See John Temple or Adam Foreman for more
details or to sign up. Forms in the church office.
Watch Messenger for updates!

USHERS FOR MAY

Tommy Cason, Leonard Cobb, Chris Dean, Van Goodman,
J.B. Griffith, Alan Lamar, Jim Lauderdale, Ben Leake,
Joey Mabry, Davis Miller, Greg Monsour,
Freddie Poitevent, Larry Roberts, Brad Sykes,
Gary Wilkinson, Jim Williamson



Dr. Will Wall, Pastor
Rev. David Bishop, Associate Pastor for Music
Rev. Noah Greer, Student Minister
Caitlin Braud, Director of Children's Ministries
Dr. Raymon Leake, Pastor Emeritus
Rev. David McCubbin, Associate Pastor Emeritus

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THE MESSENGER

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It's time for our annual

Mother's Day Offering Sunday, May 12 10:30 a.m.

*to benefit the
Baptist Children's Village*

Welcome our Special guest,

Sean Milner,

*Executive Director of the
Baptist Children's Village,*
to First Baptist
Church





Sean Milner

"He grew up at a children's home... and now he runs it."

This quote from *MS Christian Living* speaks directly to the experience of Sean Milner

(pronounced *Seen*) who goes about doing his job as executive director of the Baptist Children's Village from a unique point of view. He knows the importance of the BCV vision from first hand experience..."We exist, as part of the Mississippi Southern Baptist Church, to take the good news of Jesus Christ to at-risk children and families."

We will be taking our annual MOTHER'S DAY OFFERING THIS Sunday, May 12th to benefit the work of the Baptist Children's Village. (There will be envelopes in the pews for this purpose.) Sean Milner will be in our pulpit with a very special word for us about the devastating effects that crime, addiction, divorce and loss can have on some of our precious Mississippi children. He will explain how The Baptist Children's Village gives them a support system to deal with the reality in which they live.

Plan to come and learn about this vital Mississippi ministry and find your place in making it succeed...for God's glory and your good.



ATTENTION COLLEGE STUDENTS!

J. G. And Mellie T. Repsher Scholarship
William B. Crooks Scholarship
Brandon Scholarship

Scholarship applications are available at the Welcome Center Desk or may be secured by e-mail. They must be completed and returned to the church office

on or before Sunday, June 16.



Mark your calendars!

VBS 2024

JUNE 24 - 27

Breaker Rock Beach

8:30 am to 12:00 noon

For kids who have completed

Pre-K 4 to Sixth Grade!

SEE YOU THERE!

Parents...invite your friends' children and your children's friends!
Grandparents...invite your grandchildren!
Church family...invite your neighbors!



Welcome to our newest members...

John Thomas
Anna Kate Daugherty

Sympathies to...

Sam and Diane McCorkle and family in the death of his brother-in-law, Ray Downey.

Memorials...

Annie Armstrong

In honor of:

Glaniece Roberts Lydia Sanders
Fonda Holladay Myrna Crane
Blanche Harmon Penny McKinnis

Benevolence

In memory of: Mel Bounds



Fellowship Luncheon

Tuesday, May 21

12:00 noon COST: \$5

(sign up NOW)

Join us for lunch and a special program featuring Stan Buckley with But God Ministries (updates on Haiti and Mississippi Delta)

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

DATES FOR SUMMER LUNCHEONS

June 18 July 23 August 27