



Last Sunday's Record - May 2, 2021

Offering: \$
Sunday School: 210
January 1, 2021
Requirements: \$
Receipts: \$

Deacon of the Week

5/9 - Leslie Dunn
5/16 - Jim Williamson 5/23 - John Anderson, Sr.
5/30 - Tommy Cason

Deacon's Breakfast

Sunday, May 23
8:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall

Sermon for May 9

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Menu for Wednesday, May 12

(for Noon Lunch only and Evening Take-out)
Bacon Wrapped Chicken Breast with White Rice,
Glazed Carrots, Yeast Roll and Dessert
KIDS: Chicken Strips, French Fries and Dessert
Adults: \$5 KIDS (12 and under): \$3 Family Maximum \$20

VOLUNTEER MINISTRY - May 9

Preschool Extended Session

Timothy and Candice Maloney

Launch

Will and Katie Carpenter

Greeters

Pam Maloney Richard and Laura Abney

Worship Welcomers

Joe and Judy Pettey

Tommy and Mary Emma Allen

Security - Team 2

John Calhoun Steve Gressett
Brad Henry Ben Webb

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, May 9

9:15 - Sunday School
10:30 - Morning Worship
3:30 - Acteens
4:30 - Youth Bible Drill

WEDNESDAY, May 12

12:00 - Senior Adult Prayer Meeting, Luncheon and
Bible Study - (Fellowship Hall)
5:45 - G.A.s (Adult 3 Gathering Space)
R.A.s (Seeker Classroom)
Missions Friends/Preschool Choir (Children's Hall)
Youth Worship (Youth Room)
BIBLE STUDY/VanHorn (Chapel)

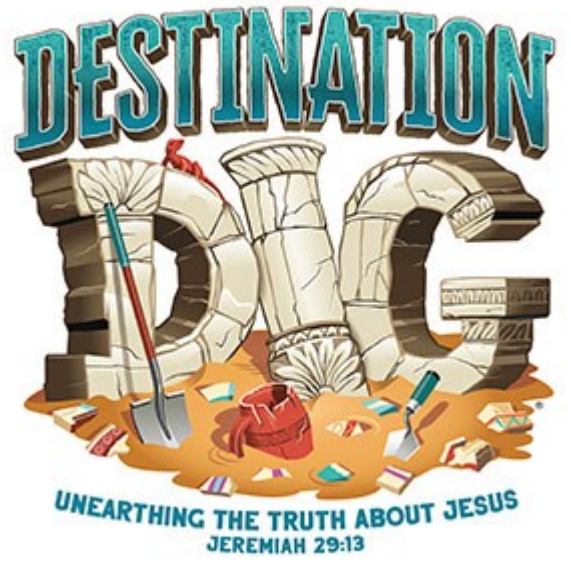
PLEASE NOTE:
*Senior Adult Prayer Meeting, Bible Study
and Luncheon
will suspend for two weeks.
See you all back again on
Wednesday, June 2!
No new reservations are necessary.*

**FIFTH SUNDAY OFFERING
FOR TRINIDAD
SUNDAY, May 30**

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. Nathan VanHorn, Pastor
Rev. David Bishop, Associate Pastor for Music
Zach DePriest, Minister of Youth Caitlin Braud, Director of Children's Ministries
Dr. Raymon Leake, Pastor Emeritus
Rev. David McCubbin, Associate Pastor Emeritus
701 26th Avenue Meridian, MS 39301 601.484.4600 www.fbcmeridian.org



**Vacation Bible School 2021
June 21 - 25**

8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

for children Pre-K through 6th Grade

EXCAVATE THE TRUTH!

Grab your pick ax and shovel...

*VBS 2021 is headed to present-day Israel where discovery awaits at **Destination Dig**. Kids will unearth more than dirt as they dig up exciting evidence that proves biblical events were not just stories. As junior archaeologists, they will explore real-life archaeological finds that have helped to uncover the truth about Jesus! Along the way, they'll discover the truth of Jeremiah 29:13, that God reveals Himself to us when we seek and search for Him with all our hearts.*



On Mother's Day, May 9, First Baptist Church will gather our annual **Mother's Day Offering** to benefit The Baptist Children's Village. (There will be an offering envelope in your Order of Worship.)

Since 1897, The Baptist Children's Village has relied totally on gifts from God's people to sustain this ministry, which now includes both residential and non-residential programs and serves over 200 children each year.

The residential program is designed to meet the long-term needs of children, ages 1 through 20. Children in this program remain until they may be reunited with their families or otherwise placed in caring family environments. Some residents remain until they are equipped to function independently. During their stay, each child lives in a cottage on one of seven campuses with other residents and Christian adults (houseparents). The children will share a bedroom with one or two others, each one having their own bed and closet space. They will attend local public schools and Baptist churches in the community, and participate in many recreational activities, both on and off campus.

The non-residential program, the Dorcas In-Home Family Support Program, is designed to aid families in creating homes that are safe and stable for children, providing education and training in areas such as child-rearing and appropriate discipline, household budgeting and shopping, meal planning and preparation, and household safety and care. They also assist families in obtaining community services such as healthcare, education, and childcare. This minimizes the likelihood of these children being taken into state custody.

Please pray for The Baptist Children's Village and give generously to support this ministry.

ATTENTION COLLEGE STUDENTS!

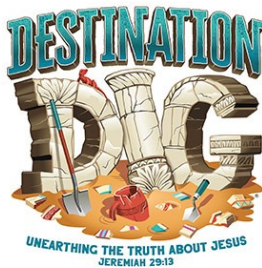
**J. G. And Mellie T. Repsher Scholarship
William B. Crooks Scholarship
Brandon Scholarship**

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 13.**

**The Disciple's Study Calendar
Week 20 - (May 10-14) John 14
Sunday School Lesson for May 16**



PHOTOGRAPHY APPOINTMENTS are available for our in-house Pictorial Directory on Wednesdays and Sundays. Please call the church office (601.484.4600) or sign up on the sheets at the Welcome Center Counter. **Saturday appointments are now available.**



VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Call Caitlin if you would like to help:
**Classroom Helpers
Rotation Leaders**

Snacks (children and teachers)

Sympathies to...

Jamie and Amy Presley
in the death of her grandmother,
Movalene Griffin.

Memorials...

Music

In memory of:

Jack Follis
Bobby Deweese (*Marilyn Green's brother*)
Leonard E. Jones (*Pam Maloney's father*)
Jimmie Reynolds (*Enley Long's grandmother*)
Mary Aycock (*Earl Aycock's mother*)
Ben Campbell (*Renee Snowden's father*)
Ken Little

Benevolence

In memory of: Jack Follis

The Library Fund

In memory of: Jack Follis



**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
WMU**
AND FAMILIES OF OUR
**ACTEENS AND BIBLE DRILL
PARTICIPANTS**
ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND A

**RECEPTION
SUNDAY, MAY 16**

2 TO 4:00 P.M.

FBC WELCOME CENTER

HONORING

ELISHA ALLISON

GINA GARRETT LEE GARRETT

HAILEY FOREMAN KAITLYN FOREMAN

MALLORY CLAIRE LEAKE

GRACE ROGERS