

Southside *Sentinel*

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER | SOUTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

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Opportunities for Worship and Service Sunday

9:00 a.m.	Muffins in the Café
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship Service
5:30 p.m.	AWANAS
5:30 p.m.	Youth Bible Study (6th – 12th grade)

Opportunities for Worship and Service Wednesday

6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship Service Wednesday
5:15 p.m.	Meal (When Scheduled)

Attendance for July

Date	7/7	7/14	7/21	7/28
Church	134	130	151	
Sunday School	98	103	125	
Visitors	6	2	14	

Record of Our Faith for July

General Fund	\$ 14,917.37
Building Fund	\$ 60.00
Faith Promise	\$ 1295.00
Miscellaneous	\$ <u>6838.78</u>
_Total	\$ 23,111.15

Church Events

- Aug 2nd Parents Night Out 6-9pm
- Aug 4th AWANA Pre-Registration after AM Service
- Aug 11th AWANA Pre-Registration after AM Service & Deacon's Mtg. 7pm
- Aug 17th AWANA Ministry Conference Longview
- Aug 17th Family Fun Night 5pm
- Aug 18th AWANAS Starts check in 5:10pm
- Aug 21st Back to School Meal 5:15-6:00pm (Burgers/ Dogs) & Business Mtg.
- Aug 25th Lords Supper





Pounding The Pulpit !! With Pastor Jack Maddox

“Just Do It!”

Nike coined the very popular saying “Just Do it” and in doing so they motivated thousands upon thousands of us to embrace an active lifestyle and to excel in athletic endeavors. I love this! When it comes to evangelism in the church we need the same kind of motivation. We can talk about evangelism, we can preach on evangelism and we can promote evangelism but at the end of the day we have to simply “Just Do It” This month we will have two door to door evangelistic days and we will begin a process of evangelism training as well. At the end of the day we all need to JUST DO IT! Below is a little parable concerning evangelism that I pray will both bless you and motivate you to a greater evangelism in your own life.

Now it came to pass that a group existed who called themselves fishermen. And lo, there were many fish in the waters all around. In fact, the whole area was surrounded by streams and lakes filled with fish. And the fish were hungry. Week after week, month after month, and year after year, these who called themselves fishermen met in meetings and talked about their call to fish, the abundance of fish, and how they might go about fishing. Year after year they carefully defined what fishing means, defended fishing as an occupation, and declared that fishing is always to be a primary task of fishermen.

Continually, they searched for new and better methods of fishing and for new and better definitions of fishing. They created witty slogans and displayed them on big beautiful banners.

*These fishermen built large, beautiful buildings called “Fishing Headquarters.” The plea was that everyone should be a fisherman and every fisherman should fish. One thing they didn’t do, however: **They did not fish.***

*In addition to meeting regularly, they organized a board to send out fishermen to other places where there were many fish. The board hired staffs and appointed committees and held many meetings to define fishing, to defend fishing, and to decide what new streams should be thought about. **But the staff and committee members did not fish.***

*Large, elaborate, and expensive training centers were built whose original and primary purpose was to teach fishermen how to fish. Over the years courses were offered on the needs of fish, the nature of fish, where to find fish, the psychological reactions of fish, and how to approach and feed fish. Those who taught had doctorates in fishology, but the teachers did not fish. They only taught fishing. Year after year, after tedious training, many were graduated and were given fishing licenses. They were sent to do full-time fishing, some to distant waters, which were filled with fish. Many who felt the call to be fishermen responded. They were commissioned and sent to fish. **But like the fishermen back home, they never fished.***

They engaged in all kinds of other occupations.... Some felt their job was to relate to the fish in a good way so the fish would know the difference between good and bad fishermen. Others felt that simply letting the fish know they were nice, land-loving neighbors and how loving and kind they were was enough.

*Now it’s true that many of the fishermen sacrificed and put up with all kinds of difficulties. Some lived near the water and bore the smell of dead fish every day. They received the ridicule of some who made fun of their fishermen’s clubs and the fact that **they claimed to be fishermen yet never fished.***

*Imagine how hurt some were when one day a person suggested that those who don’t fish were really not fishermen, no matter how much they claimed to be. Yet it did sound correct. Is a person a fisherman if, year after year, he never fishes? **Is one really following if he isn’t fishing?***

***18**As Jesus was walking beside the Sea of Galilee, He saw two brothers, Simon called Peter and his brother Andrew. They were casting a net into the sea, for they were fishermen. **19**[“Come, follow Me,” Jesus said, “and I will make you fishers of men.”](#) **20**And at once they left their nets and followed Him.*

Matthew 4:18-19

August Schedules

Building Opening & Closings

Sundays in August

If you will be unavailable please let the office know

8/4/2019 Rob Wells /

8/11/2019 Tom Dumas/John Curry

8/18/2019

8/25/2019 Alan Hood / Nathan Winship

Building Opening & Closings

Wednesdays in August

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8/11/2019 Tom Dumas

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8/25/2019 Alan Hood

Muffin & Doughnut Schedule Month of August

8/4/2019 Lindsey Davis & Kristin Green

8/11/2019 Bro. Jack & Dorothy Maddox

8/18/2019 Victor and Merry Rodriguez

8/25/2019 Stephen and Jolene Martin/Tommie Bassett

This ministry is in great need of help. It is nice to remember that it is better to give than to receive. Please sign up today. The more volunteers, the less often you have to bring anything!

Ushers for the Month of August

8/4/2019 Joe Burns, Marc Little, David Bunn, John Curry

8/11/2019 Tom Dumas, Steven Martin, Matt Richard ,Andrew Smith, & Todd Springfield

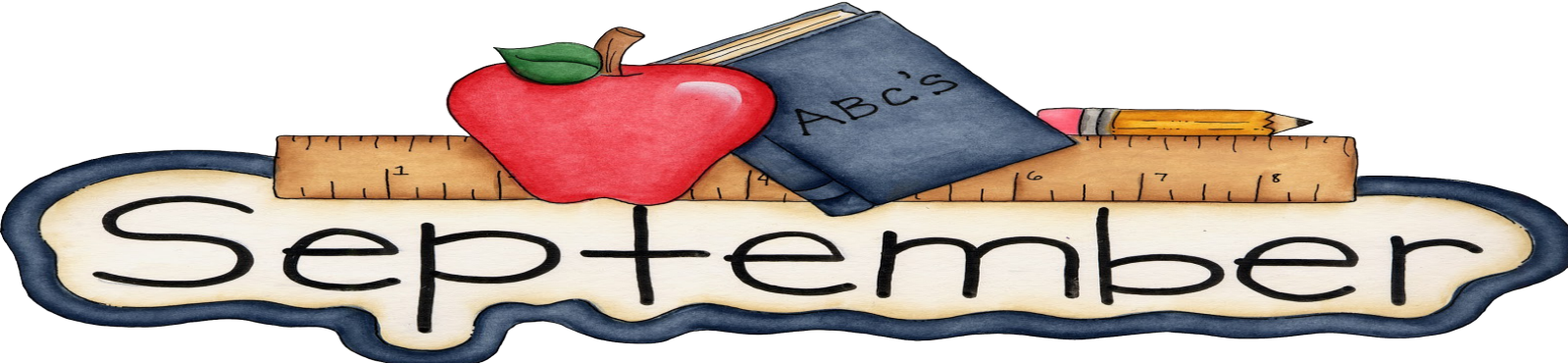
8/18/2019 Nathan Winship, Joe Burns, Marc Little, & David Bunn

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Service is another way to tithe. Be of good service and join one of the schedules. It's a blessing to you as well as others.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 Parents Night Out 6-9 Lindsey Davis Ray Laws Maria Paz	3 AWANAville 10am-12noon Water slide /pizza Awanas private event
4 AWANA pre register After AM service Helen Cheek	5	6	7 Wacky Wednesdays Begins 6:30 Jim Oliver	8 Benna McDonald	9	 Rex Ashby Aubri Dupree Nicole Robinson
11 Deacons Mtg 7:00 AWANA pre register After AM service Joseph Maddox	12 Jolene Martin Patsy Teakell	13	14 Travis Springfield Rylie Woods	15 Barbara Peterson	16 Judy Rogers	17 AWANA Ministry Conference Lgv. Matthew Green
18 AWANAS begins 5:10 1st Club night	19 Howard Moore	20 Lyla Springfield	21 Business Mtg. 6:30pm Back to School Meal 5:15-6pm Burgers/ Hot Dogs	22	23 Linda Burks	24 Sarah Maddox
25 Lords Supper Conner Davis Carl Sledge	26	27 Jessica Wylie	28 Lavelle (Bubba) Duncan	29 Stephanie Osteen	30	31 Shannon Bach
					Changes Can Occur During Month	



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 No Service Sunday School Pro- motions	2 Office Closed Labor Day	3 Ladies Bible Study 6:30pm	4 Kaboodles Pre- Season Kickoff Carol Sue Gray	5	6 Debbie Maddox	7 Noah Howard
8 Deacons Mtg 7:00pm	9 Matt Richard	10 Ladies Bible Study 6:30pm	11 Business Mtg 6:30pm Kaboodles Be- gins Benjamin Green	12	13	14 Stephen Martin
15	16 Landon Keen Abby Moore	17 Ladies Bible Study 6:30pm	18 Allen Varner	19	20	21 Family Fun Night 5pm
22 Lillian Gonzalez	23 Tina Springfield Kaleb Davis Tessa Davis	20	25 Ronnie Threadgill Max McGee	26 Rusty Robinson	27	28 Beth Wells
29	30 Henderson Mens Prayer Group					

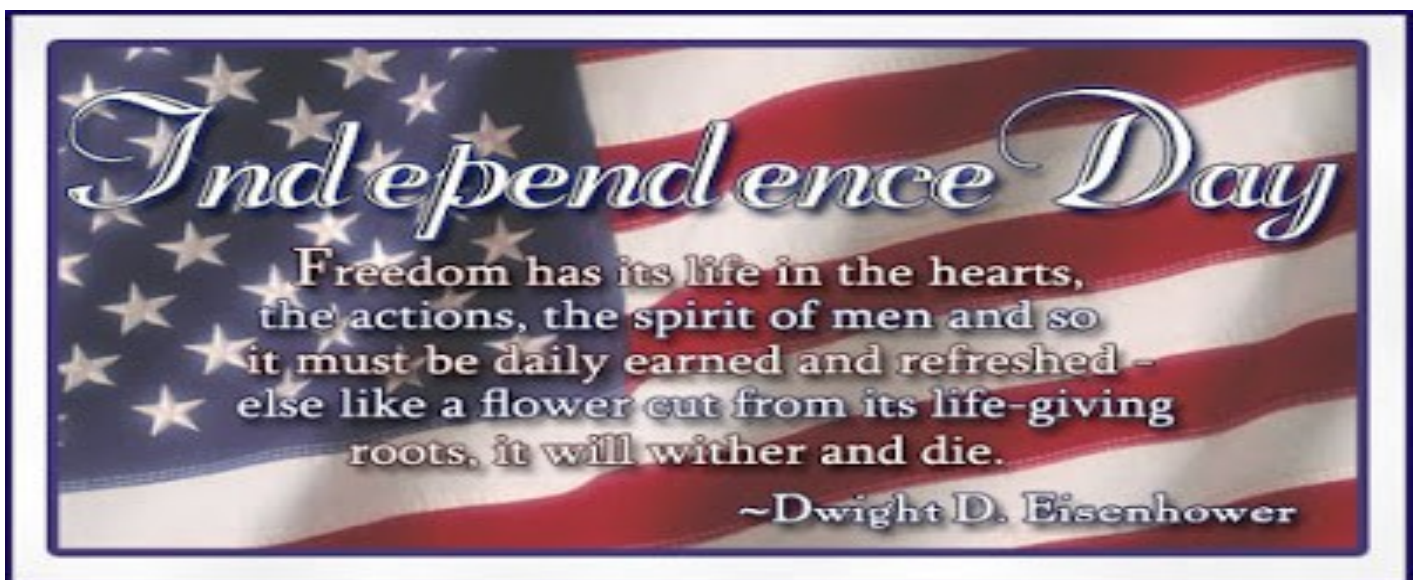
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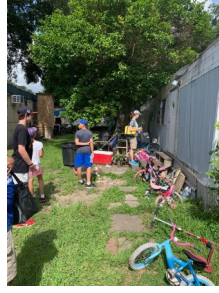
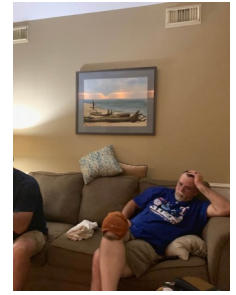
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Food, Fun and, Fellowship Celebrating the 4th on the 3rd

Coming together as a church family celebrating our
freedom to assemble and to worship.





Mission- the vocation or calling of a religious organization, especially a Christian one, to go out into the world and spread its faith.

We are called to spread the word in every area of the world.



Sharing the news of our successful Mission trip 2019



AWANAS



August 3rd Awanaville 10am — 12 noon

18' Water Slide and Pizza

(a private event) for Clubbers and Leaders

Aug 4 & 11 after AM Service Pre Registration

Aug 18 First Club Night Check In at 5:10 pm

Parents Night Out



August 2nd 6pm-9pm Members Only unless prior confirmation with the Nursery Staff

Ladies Bible Study

The image shows the cover of a Bible study book titled "Numbers" by Melissa Spoelstra. The cover has a green background with a photograph of a desert landscape featuring a large, leafy tree in the foreground and a small, distant tree on a hill. The title "Numbers" is written in a large, cursive font, and the subtitle "Learning Contentment in a Culture of More" is written in a smaller, sans-serif font below it. The author's name "A Bible Study By Melissa Spoelstra" is at the top.

ATTENTION ALL LADIES:
Mark your calendars for Tuesday nights at 6:30PM beginning August 6th through September 17th. We will be starting a Bible study entitled **Numbers, Learning Contentment in a Culture of More** by Melissa Spoelstra. More information coming soon

The List

One day a teacher asked her students to list the names of the other students in the room on two sheets of paper, leaving a space between each name.

Then she told them to think of the nicest thing they could say about each of their classmates and write it down.

It took the remainder of the class period to finish their assignment, and as the students left the room, each one handed in the papers.

That Saturday, the teacher wrote down the name of each student on a separate sheet of paper, and listed what everyone else had said about that individual.

On Monday she gave each student his or her list. Before long, the entire class was smiling. 'Really?' she heard whispered. 'I never knew that I meant anything to anyone!' and, 'I didn't know others liked me so much,' were most of the comments.

No one ever mentioned those papers in class again. She never knew if they discussed them after class or with their parents, but it didn't matter. The exercise had accomplished its purpose. The students were happy with themselves and one another. That group of students moved on.

Several years later, one of the students was killed in Vietnam and his teacher attended the funeral of that special student. She had never seen a serviceman in a military coffin before. He looked so handsome, so mature. The church was packed with his friends. One by one those who loved him took a last walk by the coffin. The teacher was the last one to bless the coffin.

As she stood there, one of the soldiers who acted as pallbearer came up to her. 'Were you Mark's math teacher?' he asked. She nodded: 'yes.' Then he said: 'Mark talked about you a lot.'

After the funeral, most of Mark's former classmates went together to a luncheon. Mark's mother and father were there, obviously waiting to speak with his teacher.

'We want to show you something,' his father said, taking a wallet out of his pocket 'They found this on Mark when he was killed. We thought you might recognize it.'

Opening the billfold, he carefully removed two worn pieces of notebook paper that had obviously been taped, folded and refolded many times. The teacher knew without looking that the papers were the ones on which she had listed all the good things each of Mark's classmates had said about him.

'Thank you so much for doing that,' Mark's mother said. 'As you can see, Mark treasured it.'

All of Mark's former classmates started to gather around. Charlie smiled rather sheepishly and said, 'I still have my list. It's in the top drawer of my desk at home.'

Chuck's wife said, 'Chuck asked me to put his in our wedding album.'

'I have mine too,' Marilyn said. 'It's in my diary'

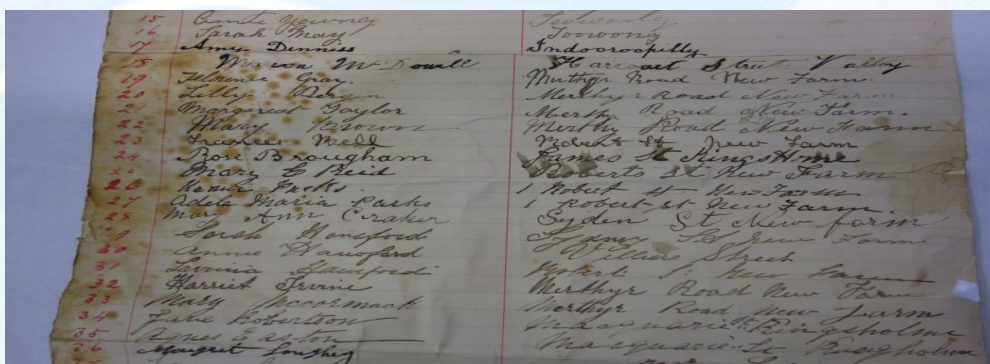
Then Vicki, another classmate, reached into her pocketbook, took out her wallet and showed her worn and frazzled list to the group. 'I carry this with me at all times,' Vicki said and without batting an eyelash, she continued: 'I think we all saved our lists'

That's when the teacher finally sat down and cried. She cried for Mark and for all his friends who would never see him again.

So please, tell the people you love and care for, that they are special and important. Tell them, before it is too late.

Remember, you reap what you sow. What you put into the lives of others comes back into your own.

What would they say about you? Make sure its worthy.





School starts on Friday August 15th.
Please be in prayer for our children, parents,
teachers, officials, bus drivers, cafeteria work-
ers, janitors, maintenance crews, aides, assis-
tants , coaches, sports teams and all those
involved in the education of our future.
With Prayer, God is still in our schools !!!

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