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SHELBYVILLE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

August 2019

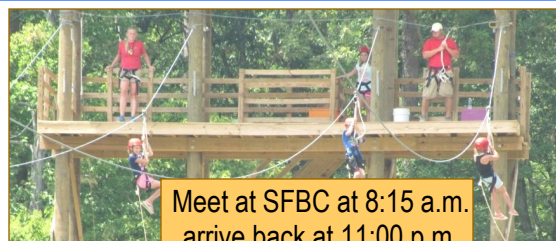


Saturday, August 31

8:15 a.m.-11:00 p.m.

6th-12 Grade

Country Lake, Underwood, IN



Meet at SFBC at 8:15 a.m.
arrive back at 11:00 p.m.

Students! Join us for an amazing day at CAMP F260 at Country Lake Retreat Center!

Activities includes
Zip-lining, Archery,
Low Ropes Course,
Swimming, & Gaga
Ball or Basketball



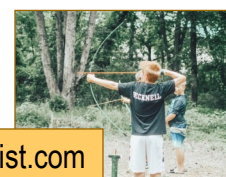
Cost: \$30 per student **by Sunday, August 11** (\$40 August 12-20).

Includes lunch, dinner, snacks and an awesome day of fun!

Payments can be made in the church office, through the church app or online at shelbyvillebaptist.com. Select Fund "Student Events".

Bring: Bible, pen, reusable water bottle, swimsuit, towel, and change of clothes. Ladies, one piece or tankini swimsuit. Guys, no Speedos.

To Do: Parents will need to complete a church release form & Country Lake participation agreement form. See Chad for forms.



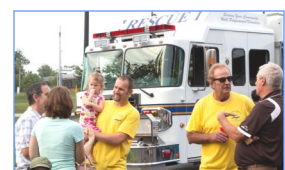
Call, text, email or see Chad with questions, 502.220.0012 or clynn@shelbyvillebaptist.com



5th Annual Salute to Shelby County First Responders

The Weekend of September 6th - 8th

SFBC is planning our 5th year of celebration honoring and praying for the First Responder Community of Shelby County. These men and women stand ready for us, the community as a whole, whenever the time of crisis arises. Whether responding to a robbery, fire, or heart attack, they faithfully train in preparation for so many different contingencies. And when we need them, they are always there for us. To honor their service and the families who stand behind them, our church family plans this annual event to say "Thank you."



Friday, Sept. 6 at 6:00 p.m. – Barbeque & Bluegrass

We will host a BBQ & Bluegrass Party featuring a Bluegrass Band, and all kinds of refreshments. This is the time when the hog will go on the fire for the Barbeque in honor of our first responders. We will have a few of the local first responders with their equipment on our parking lot, so the community can stop by and meet some of our hometown heroes. There will be free brats, hotdogs, & popcorn.

Saturday, Sept. 7 at 1:00 p.m. – BBQ For Badges & their Families

Our church wants to honor the service and sacrifices of Shelby County First Responders by hosting a BBQ in their honor. First responders and their families are invited to attend.

Sunday Worship, Sept. 8 at 11:00

On Sunday, September 9, 2019, at 11:00 a.m. we will hold a special time of worship where our church family will honor and pray for the first responders in our county. First responders are encouraged to come in uniform, as various branches of service will be recognized in the service.



A word from your pastor....

My beloved church family,

At our June business session, we discussed at length the spiritual DNA of our body of believers. Every organization has a character. Some organizations are known for their commitment to charity. Some groups exist to support a sports team. Others exist to promote education. No less is true of Shelbyville First Baptist Church. After five years of service here in Shelbyville, I prayerfully prepared a mission statement, vision statement, and a summary of what I believe to be our core values. After presentation, the church family adopted them as follows: **Mission Statement** -- To Live by Faith, To be Known by Love, and to be a Voice of Hope! Our mission is to help lead people into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ by creating a dynamic environment for authentic worship and effective communication while developing a genuine servant-oriented family-community with each other. **Vision Statement** - To make and deploy mature and equipped followers of Christ for the sake of Family, Community, and Global transformation. **Core Values:** Christ-likeness, Relationships, Trust, Teamwork and Excellence.

To a degree, these statements represent who we are or who I pray we will become. I don't want to be known simply by virtue of a beautiful building in the heart of Shelbyville. I dream of people thinking of us because of the vibrancy of our faith. Based upon that faith, we have the capacity to love the person who feels unworthy of love and acceptance. I want our church, the body of believers, to be seen as a pool of hope because we are so very grounded in the abiding faith towards our loving Lord. What is our goal? Vision captures that.



Help a needy child this Christmas.

For these children, a backpack from KY Baptist may be the only Christmas present they receive.

Backpacks purchased by our Missions Council are available in the office. Bible Fellowship classes are asked to fill backpacks with underclothing, socks, toys and non-perishable food.

Visit this site for more details on what & how to pack:

<http://www.kybaptist.org/stories/christmas-backpacks.2369?>

Backpacks will be collected in August



August Greeters

(At back awning door)

8:20-8:40 a.m. Sophia Davis

9:20-9:40 a.m. Don Kemp

10:30-11:00 a.m. Linda Barnett

Whether a person lives in Shelbyville for a lifetime or for a season, we want to equip them to face the challenges of life and ministry as mature disciples. When a person grows in their faith, it will necessarily affect family, community and the world in a positive manner. These ripples of Christian expression will be felt far beyond the moment and the geography of Shelby County. Kingdom is bigger than any one of us.

Finally, after five years of service, I believe our church family wants to reflect Christ on every level, both individually and corporately. As we move together in relationship as part of the family of God, our levels of trust and teamwork will expand to greater heights. Teamwork only happens effectively when it is based upon a foundation of trust. And finally, we must do all that we do with excellence. Jesus was not tolerant of a church content with spiritual mediocrity. In **Revelation 3:15-16** we see these words to the Apostle John: "I know your deeds, that you are neither cold nor hot; I would that you were cold or hot. 'So because you are lukewarm, and neither hot nor cold, I will spit you out of My mouth.'" We cannot remain content with what was or what is "good enough." Doing things extremely well is an act of worship as unto the Lord. Raising up equipped disciples is a noble goal, and one to which I pray our church will aspire, prioritizing all around this central point of focus. Together, we can face the future and dream dreams big enough to honor our glorious Savior!

In His grip,

Bro. Maurice



We are discussing the possibility of a united worship service for Sunday mornings. Submit your input for this proposal anonymously at: bit.ly/shelbyfbc and encourage your sphere of influence to use it.

Whatever our church decides about the future of corporate worship, we want to move forward together, united around the cross. God knows best how we can honor Him in the context of worship in the life of SFBC. The Worship Study Committee includes Wayne King (2nd service), Wes Penick (1st), Lynn Martin (2nd), Lorri Stivers (1st), and Johnna George (both services).

Worship Study Forum

Sunday, August 4 at 3:30 p.m. in the Chapel

Please join us for a Worship Study Forum. This will be a time for healthy dialogue of the body. No business, motions or votes will occur.

Sunday Attendance

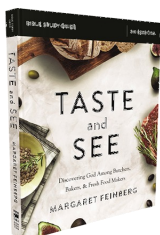
	July	7/7	7/14	7/21	7/28	Avg.
Bible Fellowship		347	315	319	324	326
Worship		505	478	436	415	459

WMU Meetings at SFBC

Aug 5-Jean Albright Circle, Chapel 7:00 p.m.
Aug 6-Mary Sampson Circle, Chapel 10:00 a.m.



New Women's Bible Study This Fall!



"TASTE and SEE"

Discovering God among Butchers, Bakers, & Fresh Food Makers

This study by Margaret Feinberg will take us on a culinary exploration of Scripture. Each session begins in the kitchen with a delicious recipe you can try at home, then transitions in rich, tasty Biblical teaching. God's focus on food in the Bible is meant to do more than satisfy your stomach. It's meant to heal your soul and draw you closer to Christ.

Let's taste and see God's goodness together!

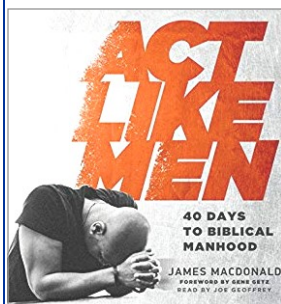
Sunday, August 25, 5:00 p.m.

We will kick off our fall study with a progressive dinner, beginning at the church for prayer and appetizers, then proceeding to homes for salad and entrée courses. We will return to the church for dessert and to preview the new study.



The **TASTE and SEE** Bible Study begins on Sunday, September 15 from 5:00-6:30 p.m. in Room 300

MEN'S MINISTRY



Fall Discipleship Session

Saturday, Aug. 24-Sept. 28

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

"Act Like Men"

"40 Days to Biblical Manhood"

by James MacDonald

Cost: \$10

Choir Practice Resumes

Wed., August 7, 7:30 p.m.

If you love to listen and sing along to music, then we have just the place for you! You are invited to join the choir! Practices are on Wednesdays beginning August 7.

The Psalmist David wrote in Psalm 10, *Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness: come into his presence with singing.* Here's your opportunity to make a joyful noise for Jesus! Join the Choir!



The Church Offers Condolences to Families of...

- † Patti Neary, sister of Debbie (Ed) Bridgett
- † Beatrice Montgomery, mother of Dwain (Pam)
- † Nelson Sweeney, father of Seth (Ashley)
- † Ruth Wilson, mother of Ronnie (Mary) Wilson



SHAKER VILLAGE
— of Pleasant Hill —

Shaker Village Craft Fair

Saturday, August 3

Join us for a trip to one of Kentucky's premier craft events, leaving the church at 9:00 am. General admission to Shaker Village is discounted for this event. We will have lunch at Cheddar's at Danville. If anyone desires to return to Shaker Village following lunch, your readmission is included.

Cooking with Chef Brent Evans

Monday, August 5

Sauce it Up!

Cost: \$10.00 per person



Learn to make easy, but tasty sauce recipes to enhance your dishes.

We will meet in the small dining room.

Very limited space is available, sign up soon!

Celebration of Indian Independence

August 17 at 4:00 p.m.

You are invited to help celebrate Indian Independence with the Aashirwad Fellowship of Hurstbourne Baptist Church. Let the Pastor know if you will be available to assist in the kitchen and serving food. Also, if you could bring a cake or ice cream, please let him know as well.



STAFF ANNIVERSARY

Marlene Gash celebrates 4 years of dedicated service this month. Thank you for all you do as you serve as administrative assistant to the Senior Pastor and Worship Pastor. Marlene is always willing to help and always with a smile. We appreciate all you do Marlene!



Thank You Church!

I appreciate and am thankful for the cards, calls, thoughts and prayers during my recent recovery from knee surgery. Thank you Gene for coming to the hospital and having a prayer with me and my daughter before surgery. It was greatly appreciated. Thanks to Dr. Hollingsworth for his phone call to check on me. To Mrs. Myles for sending me the bulletin and prayer list, thank you. My recovery has gone great. Many thanks, **Pam Gray**



Building Debt
Balance as of July 29, 2019
\$422,021.93



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

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Students! We are going to Holiday World!

Saturday, August 10

Tickets: \$35, purchase by Aug 7
at <http://bit.ly/2JuVEiA>

Select Fund "Student Events"

We will meet at church at 8:45 & leave by 9:00

**Holiday World
& Splashin' SAFARI**

Space is
limited!

Student Host Homes in August

Sundays from 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Middle School - LaVertus

High School - Donahous

Contact the office or Chad for addresses.



The Lord's Supper

Will be observed in both services

Sunday, August 4



CHURCH BUSINESS
meeting

Sunday, August 11

Deacon's Meeting 5:30 p.m.

Business Meeting 6:30 p.m.

New Members

By Baptism:

- † Taylor Sweeney
- † Colby Stivers

By Letter:

- † Jordan Cole
- † Clay, Lana & Chezni Campbell



Summer Nights of Worship

WEDNESDAY
Night
This Summer



August 14, 7:00 pm



We conclude our special summer program MERGE on Wednesday night on August 14. Join us in worship featuring a wonderful praise band, food, fellowship and games.

We will meet on the front patio of the Sanctuary, bring lawn chairs. We will move to the gym in case of rain.

Next Level Resumes Wed., August 28

5:00 - 6:00 p.m. Fellowship Dinner

**6:15 - 7:15 p.m. Discipleship sessions,
Student worship & AWANA**

7:30 - 8:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Join us each Wednesday to experience life at the Next Level. There is something for everyone!



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