

Celebrating 200 Years



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SHELBYVILLE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

May 2019

THE NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER | MAY 2, 2019

★ PRAY FOR AMERICA ★

LOVE ONE ANOTHER

LOVE ONE ANOTHER. JUST AS I HAVE LOVED YOU JOHN 13:34

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NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER Observances

Wednesday, May 1 - 6:15 p.m.

Night of Prayer

Everyone is invited to a special Night of Prayer in the Sanctuary following Wednesday Night Fellowship Supper. Children and Students will have separate activities in their respective areas.

Thursday, May 2 - 7:00 a.m.

We will host a Prayer Breakfast at 7:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall, followed by a Season of Prayer from 9:00 a.m.-Noon in the Sanctuary. Contact the church office to make your breakfast reservation with payment at the door of \$5.00 per person.



June 17-20 6-8:30 p.m.

Family Night is Friday, June 21

Entering Kindergarten— 5th grade (5 year old by August 1, 2019)

Shelbyville First Baptist Church,
1516 Midland Trail (across from fairgrounds)

A word from your pastor....

My beloved church family,

Together, we will be observing the National Day of Prayer on May 1 & 2, 2019. I cannot remember a season when our country was more polarized and people were more divided by ideology and rhetoric. Government and politicians are incapable of changing hearts, though they can have incredible influence in how we live our lives. The challenges we face are not new. They are timeless. Jesus said, "... 'Any kingdom divided against itself is laid waste; and a house *divided* against itself falls.'" [Luke 11:17] It is because of the divisions which separate us that our nation needs the divine influence of heaven to heal these breaches. This is not a norm which we have to accept. The church, in spite of society's influences, must be different. We are called to a God-size love that transcends our differences. Jesus said, "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another, even as I have loved you, that you also love one another."

[John 13:34]

As we look to the future, we cannot realistically assume a biblical worldview will impact our nation. Though we stand on the shoulders of many great believers from the past, we must be vigilant in calling our nation in this generation to pray. As a church family, we will do just that the first week of May. Together, we will pray for great things to happen. We will pray for a movement of God which will reignite the spiritual passion of believers. And, we will pray for a sense of reconciliation over past pain. I hope you will prioritize joining us on Wednesday night, May 1, 2019 and Thursday morning, May 2, 2019.



Bro. Maurice



Baby Bottle Campaign

May 12—Jun 17

The annual fundraiser for A Loving Choice (ALC) Pregnancy Resource Center runs from Mother's Day, May 12, through Father's Day, June 17.

You can make a big impact by filling a baby bottle with coins, cash or check. Donations can also be made through our church app. Collect your baby bottle (s) at the main entrance, black awning entrance or in the small dining room, beginning on May 12.

Thank You Church!

We thank you for the donations to the Food Pantry at Victory Baptist Church and for your help at God's Kitchen. Your assistance continues to support those who need food in our community. May God bless you all. **Victory Baptist Church**



We want to thank all of you so very much for the many ways of love, encouragement and kindness shown to our family as our dear loved one went home to be with the Lord! She loved her church family very much. What a blessing it was to her to attend the 200 year celebration! We are so grateful to Gene & Joanna Wright as well as Pastor Maurice for their care for Mom and our family. The Bereavement Ministry luncheon was such a gift to us following the celebration service. Everything was so personal and special. That time not only fed us well but it gave us quality time with people that we love and don't necessarily get to see very often that may have come a long way! Thank you ever so much! Much love and God's blessing to all. **The Family of Mary Lou Derringer**

Thank you for the mixed flower arrangement you provided for Dad's funeral service. Although much time has passed, the years at FBC were a vital and integral period for our father and our family. We are forever grateful for all the wonderful people and memories that continue to enrich our lives.

Mary Jane (Moffatt) Yates, Bruce & Sandra Moffatt

My family and I will be forever grateful for the support we received during Ken's long illness. The memorial service was all we wanted it to be. Thanks to Bro. Hollingsworth, Bro. Wright, Marlene, sound technician, Bereavement Committee and Deanna for the lovely reception.

June Martin & family

Weekday Preschool News

Fall Registration is now open for 2-4 year olds, but spots are filling up quickly!

See shelbyvillebaptist.com/children for details and the registration form, or contact Chad or the church office.



Spring Program

Monday, May 6

6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary

Family and friends are welcome to join us for our fun-filled spring program,

"Commotion in the Ocean". The kids have worked hard and are excited to share with you!

Teacher Appreciation Week May 6-10

We love our teachers and appreciate all they do for our kids every day. Thank you!



Our last day of preschool is Friday, May 17.



Photographic Society

Thursday, May 16, 7:00 p.m.

Join us monthly in Room 302 on the 3rd Thursday. The topic for the May meeting is "Life in the Fast Lane". All ages & skill levels welcome! We all learn from each other.

Creative Writing Group

**May 19 at 4:00 p.m.
Room 302**

This group is open to all ages, and focuses to help all of us to

be better at expressing ourselves through the written word. We are challenged to write a short essay on a suggested topic for each bi-monthly meeting. Please consider joining this fun group!



FBC Shelbyville, KY

WMU Meetings at SFBC

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



Senior Recognition Sunday

May 5

We will recognize all graduating High School and College Seniors in both services.

The church family is also invited back at 6pm that evening for a meal and a time to encourage our students as they graduate from High School.

Student Parents, We are in need of your student's photos for our slideshow! Please email Trey or bring in a USB drive with photos by Wednesday, May 1st!

STUDENT SUMMER CAMP FUNDRAISER

Sunday, June 2

Mark your calendars for this great opportunity to encourage our students as we prepare to go to Generate Camp at Lookout Mountain, GA. Watch for more details or contact Trey for more information.

The Church Offers Condolences to the family & friends of

- ✝ Adolph Joseph Cleary, father of Robert (Vickie) Cleary
- ✝ Billy Covey, brother of Deborah Covey
- ✝ Nancy Thornton, mother of Laura (Steve) Rice
- ✝ Brenda Raisor, mother of Michelle (Mark) Davis
- ✝ William C. (Buddy) Smith
- ✝ Charles Thornton, father of Laura (Steve) Rice



Mission Statement: "love God, love people, make disciples."

May 2019

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Sunday, May 5
5:30 p.m.



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MEN'S MINISTRY FELLOWSHIP

Saturday, May 18

6:00 p.m.

Bonfire at Brad Callahan's
570 Eminence Pike, Shelbyville

New Members

By Baptism: Maya Dalton
Ellie Hay
William Clark
By Letter: Jeff & Cheryl Read
Jim & Lisa Stargle



Building Debt
Balance as of April 26, 2019
\$449,908.70

Sunday Attendance

April	4/7	4/14	4/21	4/28	Avg.
Bible Fellowship	353	341	361	320	344
Worship	446	628	760	463	574



May Greeters

(At back awning door)

8:20-8:40 a.m. Maria Stivers
9:20-9:40 a.m. Antonine Pinkerton
10:30-11:00 a.m. Don Kemp

Staff

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Wednesday Night Supper Menus

5:00 - 6:00 p.m.



Adults- \$6, Kids or 1/2 adult entrée - \$2

- May 1:** Meat Loaf or Chicken Casserole, Romaine Salad, Yukon Potatoes, Broccoli, Hawaiian Rolls & Dessert
Kids: Chicken Nuggets or 1/2 Portion of Adult Entrée, Yukon Potatoes or Broccoli, & Dessert
- May 8:** Chicken Cordon Bleu or Stuffed Peppers, Romaine Salad, Rice, Green Beans, Sister Shubert's Rolls, & Dessert
Kids: Mini Corn Dogs or 1/2 Portion of Adult Entrée, Rice or Green Beans, & Dessert
- May 15:** Creamy Pasta with Shrimp, Spaghetti Baked Pasta, or Chicken Alfredo Pasta, Spring Mix Salad, Corn, Italian Bread & Dessert
Kids: Mini Corn Dogs or 1/2 Portion of Adult Entrée, Corn, & Dessert

This is our last Next Level until Fall

Faith, Fun, & Fellowship

Begins Wednesday, June 5

Join us on Wednesday nights this summer for Bible study, fun activities and delicious treats for all ages. Watch for more details coming soon!

