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GOD AND COUNTRY SERVICE

Wednesday, July 5

6:00 p.m.

Join us for a patriotic service including
special music by our choir.

We will enjoy a fellowship meal immediately after the service.

Please invite an unchurched friend or relative
and bring your favorite dessert!

ROOF REPLACEMENT

After further evaluation of the roof over the 2004 addition, it has been highly recommended that the ½ inch plywood under the shingles also be replaced by a thicker board since it has been a part of the current problem. The additional amount brings the total repair to \$78,800. The Properties committee has weighed this long and hard and feels that this is the best decision concerning the long term viability of the roof structure.

This expenditure was not planned for this budget year so a fund has been established to offset the cost. If you can help with this expense, over and above your tithe, please designate “**Renovation Fund**” on your envelope.

Renovation Fund Goal: \$ 78,800.00

Total Given as of June 18: \$ 12,260.00

Balance needed: \$ 66,540.00



Our next blood drive, in honor of Albert Boone, will be Wednesday, July 19, 2017 from 1:30PM to 6:00PM in the old fellowship hall. Please contact Carol Boone (443-5036) for more information or go online to schedule an appointment at redcrossblood.org and use Sponsor Code: *Sunset Ave Baptist*.

QUARTERLY CHURCH CONFERENCE WEDNESDAY, JULY 19 6:30 P.M.

The 2017-2018 Nominating Report will be presented for approval. There will be no other services or activities.

BABY BOTTLE BLESSING

If you have not already returned your baby bottles, please do so at your earliest convenience.

Please make checks payable to “Your Choice Resource Center”.

There is a designated box in the office lobby.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 23 - July 27

5:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Come join us on a wild ride as we take the plunge to discover what the Bible teaches about loving God.

Kindergarten through 6th Grade
(Nursery through 4 years old provided for VBS workers only)

Each day we will have Bible lessons, crafts, music, games and more.

Dinner will be provided each night for those attending, with a special dinner night on Thursday, July 27

Register online at sabaptist.org today

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL WORKERS' MEETING

Sunday, July 9 immediately after the 11:00 worship service. We will meet in the new fellowship hall. If you are unable to attend, please contact David Stanford (252-382-0225)



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Lauren & Dee McKeel on the birth of their son, Dwight Lee “Tripp” McKeel, III. Tripp was born May 18 and weighed 7 pounds, 13 ounces.

Congratulations to Whitney & Brandon Vick on the birth of their daughter, Maggie Elizabeth Vick.

Maggie was born June 13 and weighed 8 pounds, 6 ounces.

DEACON NOMINATIONS

Sunday, June 25, 2017

There will be a church conference held at the conclusion of the 8:30 & 11:00 worship services for the purpose of nominating seven men for the position of deacon for a three year term beginning September 1, 2017.

Absentee ballots will be available in the church office Monday, June 19 through Friday, June 23 from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Absentee ballots must be returned to the church office by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, June 23.

The following men are currently serving as deacons and are ineligible for nomination: Phil Boone, Michael Britt, Jim Cary, Bill Davis, Cliff Futrell, Jeff Godwin, Gary Harrell, J.E. Hawkins, Clint Henry, Scott Langston, Charlie Meyer, Johnson Moore, Donnie Perry, Brian Rackley, Darryl Strother, W.C. Taylor, Bob Unrue, Craig Valentine, Brandon Vick.

DEACON ELECTIONS

SUNDAY

JULY 16, 2017

There will be a called conference at the conclusion of the 8:30 and 11:00 worship services for the purpose of electing seven men to serve a three year term as deacons. If possible, the names to appear on the ballot will be published in the Sunday bulletin prior to the election. Absentee ballots will be available in the church office Monday, July 10 through Friday, July 14 from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. All absentee ballots must be returned to the church office by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, July 14.



We would like to thank each and everyone of you for all the delicious meals you have fixed and sent to us on Wednesday nights. We appreciate each one of you so much! We have been blessed on Wednesdays with great cooking and wonderful dinners and desserts! The meals have been very helpful to us and such a blessing. Have a great summer everyone!

*Love,
Darryl and Fran Gschwind*

Dear SABC Family,

Thank you so much for faithfully lifting Mama up in your prayers, dropping by Breckenridge and all the cards over the last twelve and a half years. Your love for her has been so Christ-like. She has struggled for many years and is now free from the grip of dementia and is healed and at home with the Lord. Thank you for the wonderful meal after the graveside service. The mixed spray of flowers was beautiful and very thoughtful. Thank you again for all you have been and continue to be to our family.

*Love,
Cindy and Rusty
The Family of Jean Tyson*



BOOK FELLOWSHIPS

There will be two new book fellowships this summer!

The Sacrifice

with discussion held on

Thursday, July 20 at 7:00 p.m.

and

Amazing Grace

with discussion held on

Thursday, August 31 at 7:00 p.m.

Both books are available for check out in the library.

Prayer Concerns

David Blackmon ~ Albert & Pat Boone ~ Carol Boone ~ Millie Bryan ~ Evelyn Carlisle ~ Ben Carpenter ~ Norma Castillo ~ Jim Coates ~ Bob Connerly ~ James Curtis ~ Frances Daughtridge ~ Betty Sue Davis ~ Pam Davis ~ Ivan & Yvonne Dickerson ~ Ambler Dixon ~ Linda Doughtie ~ Pat Doughtie ~ Curtis Emigh ~ Darren Gemzik ~ Miguel & Maribel Gonzalez ~ Mary Goodwin ~ Bill Gregory ~ Bury & Cathy Hendricks ~ Jamie Henry ~ Anna Hernandez ~ Jake Hoggard ~ Lucille Howell ~ Dorothy Joyner ~ Hope & Jeff Lang ~ Judy McDaniel ~ Lauren McKeel & baby Dwight "Tripp" McKeel ~ Adam McRae ~ Steve Pernell ~ John Powell ~ Sam Proctor ~ Mary Anne Roebuck ~ Hilda Rosser ~ Teresa Sadlosky ~ Jody Shearon ~ Blake Stallings ~ Penny Taylor ~ Rebecca Terrell ~ Ryan Terrell ~ Wayne & Linda Mae Tyson ~ Fannie Unrue ~ Tom Vick ~ Garry Ward, Jr. ~ Virginia Ward ~ A.B. Whitley ~ Georgia Wilson ~ King's Way Ministry ~ Stone Gate Ministry ~ Boston Partnership ~ Mumbai Partnership ~ A Place of Grace Ministry ~ Hispanic Church ~ GriefShare Ministry ~ The Family of Emily Faircloth (Vickie Lawson's step-mother) ~ The Family of Raymond Beale ~ The Family of Margaret Spencer (Edith Baker's sister)

In order to keep our prayer list current, names will remain on the list for four weeks (unless otherwise requested).

**THE JULY NEWSLETTER,
CALENDAR & "THOSE SERVING" SCHEDULE**
are now available on the church website
sabaptist.org

AUGUST NEWSLETTER ARTICLES

Any information that you wish to have published
in the August newsletter should be emailed to
ccollie@sabaptist.org by noon on
Friday, July 14th.

THE LORD'S SUPPER
will be observed Sunday, July 2
8:30 & 11:00 services

May 28 - June 18, 2017 Attendance Totals

	<u>Sunday School</u>	<u>8:30</u>	<u>11:00</u>
28	203	105	181
4	229	99	241
11	218	107	212
18	221	108	235

Membership Additions in 2017		3
By Baptism		1
By Transfer or Statement of Faith		2

May 28 - June 18, 2017 Giving Totals

	<u>Offering Received</u>	<u>Designated</u>	<u>Total Received</u>
28	\$ 14,283.17	\$ 4,622.00	\$ 18,905.17
4	\$ 28,712.25	\$ 4,543.12	\$ 33,255.37
11	\$ 20,233.17	\$ 1,713.00	\$ 21,946.17
18	\$ 15,945.90	\$ 3,890.00	\$ 19,835.90

Year to Date Budget

<u>Required</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Difference</u>
\$ 529,625.00	\$ 489,824.49	{39,800.51}

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