# FSBC Messenger August 2021

#### **August Birthdays and Anniversaries**

6th—Tim & Rebecca Boender 7th—Rod & Laura Luehrs 9th—Tom & Crystal Faudere 10th—Hope Brickley, Hannah Brickley 12th—Char Roberts 17th—Tina Baca 18th—Tera McCarthy, Garrett Rumsey, Lexi Davis 19th—Kurt & Michelle Spivey 20th—Kurt Spivey 24th—Lane Baca 27th—Joe & Debbie Reinert 29th—Crystal Faudere, Martha Rowley

### **August Events**

- •Sundays 6 pm—Women's Bible Study
- Mondays 6:15 pm Prayer Meeting
- •Tuesdays 6:30 pm Celebrate Recovery
- •Wednesdays 6:30—Bible study (Children & Youth Begin Sept 8th)
- •8th—Potluck, A-Team
- •15th—Newsletter Articles Due, No items received after 8:30 am August 18th will be printed
- •18th & 22nd 6:30 pm—Altar Worker Training (for City-Wide Revival)—only need to attend one
- •20th—Praise Sing at Douglas
- •25th—September 6th Pastor Out of the Office
- •26th—5:30 pm Facilities Team Meeting
- •28th—Leadership Conference in Coffeyville 8:30am-3:30 pm
- •29th—Prayer Rally at Prospect Baptist Church (No Women's Bible Study)

Save the Date! Saturday, August 28, 2021

#### Southeastern and South Central Kansas Leadership Conference

#### **Revitalizing Your Church**

First Southern Baptist Church 2701 W. Eighth St. Coffeyville, KS 67337 8:30AM - 3:30PM

# Pastor's Pen

## **Building Notes**

Greetings Church! I Love You Church! Stay tuned for couple of very important dates!

We had a wonderful time together at our family meeting a couple weeks ago! We were able to hear from each other how the pandemic had affected our personal lives as well as our church life. We talked about the need to rebuild the church from whatever place God had planted us. Whether that be our own neighborhood, hobbies, interests, spiritual growth, or relationships, they could mark the very spot we are each to begin rebuilding our church. We also realized that no one else is planted where we are so no one else can build where we each are. It is only our own opportunity and responsibility to build where we are.

As we rebuild the church, we must focus on making disciples who make disciples. Who are you planted near who would benefit from your spiritual knowledge through a deeper relationship? If you don't know, start praying. If you do know, make a plan. Either way, get started.

Is revival coming? I sure pray so! If we will start repeatedly ringing Heaven's doorbell in prayer, we might just see not only our church be rebuilt, we may see the Kingdom grow! Revival doesn't come with a tent or a scheduled meeting, it only comes when God answers our prayers. However, there are some dates scheduled for having a tent revival meeting! This September 12th through at least the 18<sup>th</sup> at **6:30 nightly** many churches in our city are holding the event together on the lawn directly south of BG Stadium on Haverhill Rd across from Butler Community College. I want to challenge you to use this as an opportunity to get the person near where you are planted to hear the Gospel of Jesus Christ. There are several ways to be involved:

- Prayer and fasting. Will you join us in begging Heaven to bring 3000 new believers like He did in the Book of Acts?
- March in a parade to help spread the word. The City of El Dorado is hosting a parade on Saturday, September 11 to commemorate our 150<sup>th</sup> birthday as a city. Would you march and hand out invitations to get people to come out



- and hear the Gospel?
- Be aware of our nightly emphases so you can invite someone you would like to honor:
  - Sunday 9/12: Happy Birthday El Dorado! We will have cake and ice cream and honor our city fathers. We will focus on coming together in unity
  - Monday 9/13: Education night. We will honor educators, administration, and staff
  - Tuesday 9/14: First Responders. We will express appreciation for those who help protect our city.
  - Wednesday 9/15: Youth night. We will have a concert and special activities for our young people.
  - Thursday 9/16: Health Care Workers. We will express our appreciation to those who have given so very much during this pandemic.
  - Friday 9/17: Butler CC night. We will feed and celebrate this significant segment of our community.
  - Saturday 9/18: Biker night. We will sponsor a midday ride and offer bike blessings that evening.
- Help serve at the altar. We need people who are trained and ready to begin the follow-up process for each person who comes to Jesus. If you are willing to be available, training will be offered two different times: (need only attend one)
  - Wednesday, August 18, 6:30 p.m.
    Sunday, August 22, 6:30 p.m.
- Be ready to disciple a new believer! Would you be willing to jump right in with one or more baby believers to help them learn how to follow our Jesus? There have already been many indications that God is going to do something huge through this event. Please be a part of it, not as a consumer, but as a missionary!

## **Operation Christmas Child**

Greetings Church Family! Only about 4 more months until we pack our shoeboxes that will get sent to boys and girls all around the world!! These boxes are also referred to as gospel opportunities. Each box we pack and send is an opportunity for our brothers and sisters around the world to reach a child and share the good news and great joy of Jesus! What an opportunity we have to help bring the good news of Jesus to kids and possibly their families, friends, neighbors.

We are focusing on collecting school supplies this month. With school starting up these items are usually at a great price. Here is a list of the most common to include:

\*pencils with a sharpener

\*erasers

\*notebook paper, loose or in a notebook

\*crayons/markers/colored pencils with sharpener \*other items might include scissors and rulers

Next month I will have an inventory on what items we have and still need. I am thankful for your generosity in giving these items. If you don't want to shop and still want to give, you can put your donation in an offering envelope, mark it OCC, and put it in the offering plate.

Here are a couple of encouraging impact stories that you may have been a part of:

LESOTHO: REMINDED OF GOD'S LOVE Reithabetse, 9, doesn't know her father. Her mother works in South Africa and rarely returns to Lesotho to check up on her, so she lives with a grandmother from the church in her village. Reithabetse rejoiced to receive a shoebox gift filled with a doll, socks, a washcloth, soap, books, and pencils, and also participated in "The Greatest Journey" discipleship class. She marveled at Lesson one that described all the things God created, and soon gave her life to Jesus Christ. She also brought her siblings Karabo and Mamohlakoana with her to church. Every time she plays with the gifts from her shoebox, she is reminded of God's great love for her.

MONGOLIA: BEARING FRUIT IN BARREN AREAS Scattered along the border of Russia are small outposts in the desert located roughly 15 miles apart. Eight to ten families with a handful of children each live in these locations, and they rarely receive visitors. A volunteer named Enkhsaruul brought shoebox gifts to these isolated areas with the message of Jesus, God's Greatest Gift. "When we preached, some adults began to cry," she said. They had heard the Gospel when they were younger and were pleased to rededicate their lives to Christ. "Although they were living in the middle of nowhere, the Lord found them," Enkhsaruul said. As a result of these outreach events, 120 children received a gift for the first time in their lives.

Karen

## Youth

We will start back on Wednesday nights September 8<sup>th</sup>. We will meet weekly from 6:30-7:40 pm. I hope your students will join us!!!

Sunday mornings at 9:30 in the youth room we meet and are studying counterculture right now.

At the June 25<sup>th</sup> lock in, we started painting our youth room. At the time of this newsletter, we aren't quite finished but will be soon. If you have not had a chance to come see it, do it soon! It is awesome and refreshing already!!! Thank you to everyone who helped with this huge project!!!

In September, we will recap our week at camp. God is amazing and always works on all of us—students AND leaders!!!



Lisa Crook

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12 James Davidson, David Fyffe, Ezekiel Kreusel, James Todroff	13 Christine Brickley, Sandy Dewitt	14 Laura Luehrs City —	15 Dan & Brenda Sherman Wide Tent Rev	<b>16</b> Tom Faudere vival 6:30 pm	17	18
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Anniversaries	13th—Christine Brickley,
1st— Melynda Wint	Sandy Dewitt
3rd—Austin & Ulala Prewit	14th—Laura Luehrs
5th—Madilyn Lemaster	15th—Dan & Brenda
6th—LABOR DAY, Karen	Sherman
Leibbrandt, Shawn Luehrs	16th—Tom Faudere
8th—David & Susan Fyffe	21st—Spencer Simpson
9th—Tim Boender, Emma	26th—Kardyn Nielsen
Leibbrandt	27th—Skyler Simpson,
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#### **September Events**

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- Mondays 6:15 pm Prayer Meeting
- •Tuesdays 6:30 pm Celebrate Recovery
- •Wednesdays 6:30—Bible study for all ages
- •8th—6:30 Kid's Club and Youth kick-off
- 11th—City Birthday Parade March
- 12th—Potluck, A-Team
- •12th-18th—City—Wide Tent Revival 6:30 pm
- •19TH—Newsletter Articles Due, No items received after 10 am September 22nd will be printed
- •23rd—5:30 pm Facilities Team Meeting

## Viola Webb Missions Offering for State and Associational Missions

## **OUR MISSION FIELD**



- The Viola Webb Missions Offering provides critical funding for SCASB ministries. Half of what SCASB churches give to the Viola Webb Missions Offering supports SCASB ministries; half supports ministries of the KNCSB!
- The offering is named for Viola Webb who led Kansas-Nebraska Woman's Missionary Union for 1959 to 1982. KNCSB named the offering in her honor after she retired.
- A limited number of posters are available for you on the table. If you need more, contact Voyt, or you can download them and print your own (see next bullet point).
- Download Letter (8.5x11 inch) and Ledger (11x17 inch) sized posters, customized for SCASB from the SCASB website (Resources tab): <u>https://</u> <u>scasbks.com/2021\_viola\_webb\_associational\_and</u> <u>state\_missions\_offering</u>
- Find more information about Viola Webb Associational and State Missions Offering at <u>http://</u> <u>kncsb.org/ministry/viola-webb-missions-offering/</u>.

## Workers' Rotation August-September 2021

2	8/1	Steve & Cindy	Brickleys	Johnie & Donna G.	Deb, Laura & Glenna
X	8/8	Deb & Jackie	Brickleys	Deb R. & Hanna B.	Deb, Ulala & Norma
	8/15	Sandy & Dianna	Brickleys	Keith & Allison A.	Deb, Shawn & Penny
	8/22	Steve & Cindy	Brickleys	John B., Julie H.	Deb, Diane & Susan
X	8/29	Deb & Jackie	NONE	Steve & Cindy R.	Deb, Laura & Rod
	9/5	Sandy & Diane	Brickley's	Rod & Gloria	Mehaffey, Ulala, Glenna
	9/12	Steve and Cindy	Reinerts	Diane G. & Norma	Mehaffey, Shawn, Norma
	9/19	Deb & Jackie	Reinerts	Dianna & Brenda	Mehaffey, Diane, Penny
	9/26	Sandy & Dianna	NONE	Sandy & Kat	Mehaffey, Laura, Susan
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