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2024 Christmas Blessing Bags

We will be collecting items each month for our 2024 Christmas Blessing Bags. We will continue to collect long and short socks for women during the month of September. Thank you!

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*Ladies'
Prayer
Breakfast*

DATE: Tuesday,
September 17th

TIME: 9:00 AM

PLACE: Beth's Restaurant

Looking ahead to October...

Fall Fest & Trunk or Treat

DATE: Wednesday, October 30th

TIME: 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM



DATE: September 5th

PLACE: Golden Corral

TIME: 6:30 PM



75 Plus Group – September 2024 Newsletter

August has been cool and we love this weather. Our meeting was great with 17 present. Thanks to Mr. Hammond, we viewed our New Church History book.

We really enjoyed our lunch with vegetables straight from Ralph's garden. Any time I can have a tomato, I can have a good lunch. Everyone enjoyed being together. We had missed some but I always expect some to be unable to attend, sickness, doctor visits, etc. Just know we miss you and pray for comfort.

This month (September) we will not have a meeting. We will start our meetings the second Tuesday in October. Keep each other in your prayers and hope to see you October 8, 2024 at 11am.

Love and prayers, Bonnie Oster

September 2024

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THUR.

FRI.

SAT.

<p>1 Week of Prayer for NC Missions Offering 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship</p>	<p>2 Labor Day-Office Closed</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4 7:00 PM: Adult Bible Study, Mission Friends in FLC, GA, RA, Girlfriends in Christ, Youth in FLC 8:00 PM: Choir Practice</p>	<p>5 Men's Dinner at Golden Corral @ 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>7 AWANA Training in China Grove. See Jill for information.</p>
<p>8 Grandparents Day Ingathering for the NC Missions Offering 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship Baptismal Service 11:30 AM Church Conference 4:30-6:30 PM: AWANA</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10 NO MEETING This Month for 75 Plus Group</p>	<p>11 911 Never Forget 7:00 PM: Adult Bible Study, Mission Friends, GA in FLC, RA, Girlfriends in Christ, Youth in FLC 8:00 PM: Choir Practice</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>
<p>15 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship Autry Reunion 4:30-6:30 PM: AWANA</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17 Ladies' Prayer Breakfast At Beth's 9 AM</p>	<p>18 7:00 PM: Adult Bible Study, Mission Friends, GA, RA in FLC, Girlfriends in Christ, Youth in FLC 8:00 PM: Choir Practice</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>

<p>22 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship 4:30-6:30 PM: AWANA</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24 Deacons' Meeting 7 PM</p>	<p>25 7:00 PM: Adult Bible Study, Mission Friends, GA, RA, Girlfriends in Christ, Youth in FLC 8:00 PM: Choir Practice</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>
September 2024, continued						
<p>29 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship Communion 4:30-6:30 pm Awana</p>	<p>30</p>					

Ingathering: Sunday, September 8th

**WE ARE
FUELED
FOR AND BY
THE LOCAL
CHURCH.**

N.C. Baptists are sent across the state and around the world to share the hope of the gospel and bring relief to those in need.

**JOIN THE WEEK OF PRAYER
for the NCMO from Sept. 1-8.**



Pray for..

- Disaster relief volunteers with Baptists on Mission
- Physical and spiritual needs of those receiving medical and dental aid
- Red Springs, Shelby and Rose Hill (Charity) mission camps
- Baptist associations in North Carolina
- SendNC sending churches and church planters





NURSERY SCHEDULE

September 1st: Jana & Alyssa
 September 8th: Lisa & Kelsi
 September 15th: Mindy, Lexi & Lindsey
 September 22nd: Kristy & Skyla
 September 29th: Deanna & Taylor



September 1st: Jeff and Mindy
 September 8th: Sara & Luisa
 September 15th: MK & Joshua
 September 22nd: Jill & Kathy
 September 29th: Lauren & Chris



September 4th: (FLC) Lisa; Snack-Lisa
 September 11th: Lisa & Michelle; Snack: Ava
 September 18th: Lisa & Amanda; Snack: Amanda
 September 25th: Chad & Lisa; Snack: Meagan

BAPTISM SUNDAY



SUNDAY,
 SEPTEMBER 8th
 10:30 AM



AWANA Club starts back on...
 Sunday, September 8th
 at 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Watch bulletins for more information.



Monday, September 2nd
Church Offices Closed



**Pictures from the
August Kick Off Event**

Thank you to all who
prepared desserts and to
those who helped serve!

We appreciate you!



September Birthdays

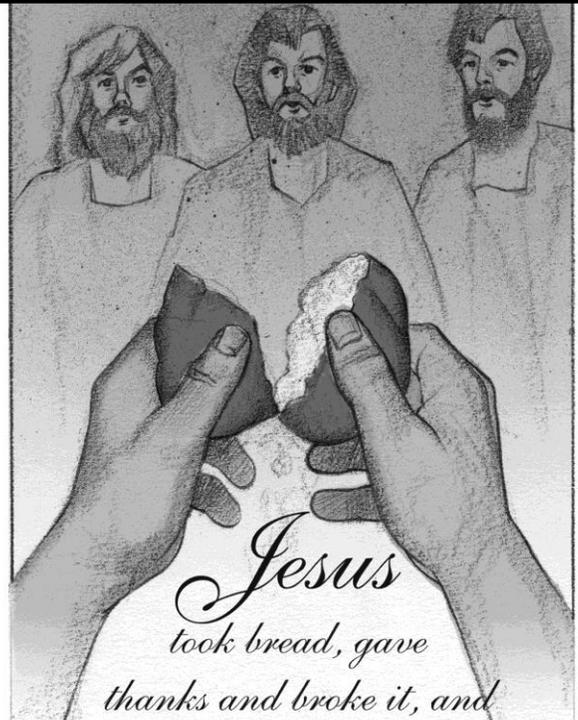
- 1-Reggie Ratliff
- 2-Carter Price, Katrina Rickard, Travis Vaughn
- 3-Nadia Carpenter
- 4-Jeffery Cave
- 5-Reagan Thomas, Teresa Autry
- 6-Garrett Newland, Aoife Tucker
- 7-Jonathan Query, Elizabeth Simpson
- 8-Jill Aldridge
- 9-Keith Benton
- 10-Luke Freytag, Sara Clay, Morgan Deese
- 11-Jennifer Helms, Peggy Smith
- 12-Richard Freytag, Dianne Helms, Devin Phillips,
Skip Severt, Zach Stanley, Deborah Stegall,
Jeff Taylor
- 13-Brooklyn Knight
- 14-Will Aldridge, Teresa Eudy, Linkin Rorie,
Mary Taylor, Kasey Wallace
- 15-Amber Gainey
- 17-Arabella Courtney
- 17-Rebekah Hagler, Kay Haigler, Ian Hargett
- 18-Rachel Brooks, Richard Taylor
- 20-Gary Nance
- 21-Elaine Price, Scott Stegall
- 22-Shelby Lee
- 23-Suri Beard
- 24-William Rickard
- 26-Edison Guffey, Harlan Krest
- 27-Crystal Craig, Hailey Phifer
- 28-Kyle Anderson, Wally Moore
- 29-Ryan Phillips
- 30-Tyler Bennett, Sherry Nash



October 1st Week

- 2-Chuck Newland
- 3-Ginger Patterson
- 4-Ma'Liyah Austin, Kim Chewning,
Morgan Farthing, Kyle Strawn
- 5-Donna Wallace
- 7-Grant Bailey, Alexis Chambers,
Charlie Craig, Annette Forester,
Donnie Hagler, Andrea Helms

Communion - Sunday, September 29th



*Jesus
took bread, gave
thanks and broke it, and
gave it to his disciples, saying,
"Take it; this is my body."*

Mark 14:22



DATE: Starting Sunday, September 14th

TIME: Following Children's Sermon

PLACE: Fellowship Hall

(Room across from Children's Church Room.)

MISSION: Our main focus is to encourage and assist 7 to 11 year olds in their ability/desire to study God's Word and develop a daily Bible study or devotion time and become more comfortable and consistent in their prayer life. Please contact Ava Strawn at 704-221-3258 if you would like to help. Thank you.

2025 Mission Trips

March 3rd – 17th and June 22nd – 28th

See Pastor Carroll for more details.

Our New Deacons 2024-2027

Jimmy Farmer, Jeff Jenkins, Joshua Tarlton

Girlfriends in Christ

New Bible Study

"The Women of the Bible Speak"

Wednesday Nights at 7:00 PM

Conference Room (Basement floor of main building.)

Ladies' Retreat at Camp Caswell

Friday, February 28, 2025 – Sunday, March 2, 2025

Please contact Luisa Price at 980-248-0024 if you would like to attend.

Autry Reunion

Sunday, September 15th in the Family Life Center.

Set up at 12:30 PM and we will eat at 1:00 PM.

HONDURAS Mission Trip

June 22 – 28, 2025, Philadelphia Baptist Church will be going on mission to Honduras with World Help. As a part of this trip, we have the opportunity to sponsor, and then meet some of the children in the village where we will be going. If you are interested in sponsoring a child, you can visit this website: <https://worldhelp.net/transformations/philadelphia-baptist-church/>

AWANA News

Awana Ministry Conference

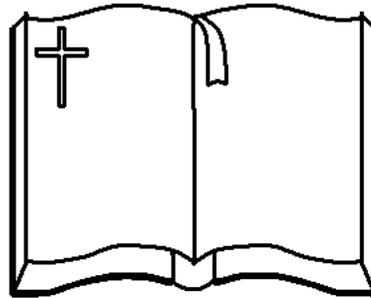
The Awana Ministry Conference will be held at Piedmont Baptist Church Family Life Center in China Grove on September 7th. This conference has 30 breakouts, and not all of them are Awana-specific. If you think you will be interested in working in Awana next year or any children's ministry, this will be a good conference to attend. Please let Jill know if you are interested.

Child Discipleship Forum

The Child Discipleship Forum will be held in Franklin, TN, on September 19th and 20th. This event is not an Awana-specific event. Awana does put it together, but the speakers are from many different Children's ministries. Attendees may or may not have Awana at their church. If you are interested in Children's ministries, this is a wonderful conference for you to attend. Please let Kathy know if you want to attend.

Unscramble the letters to find the words in our

About the Bible Anagram



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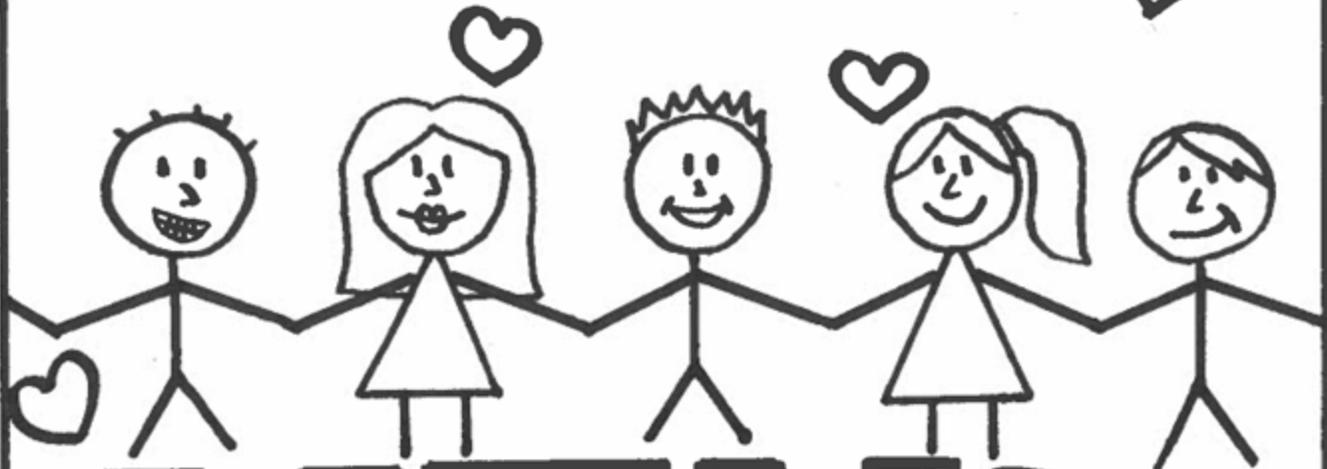
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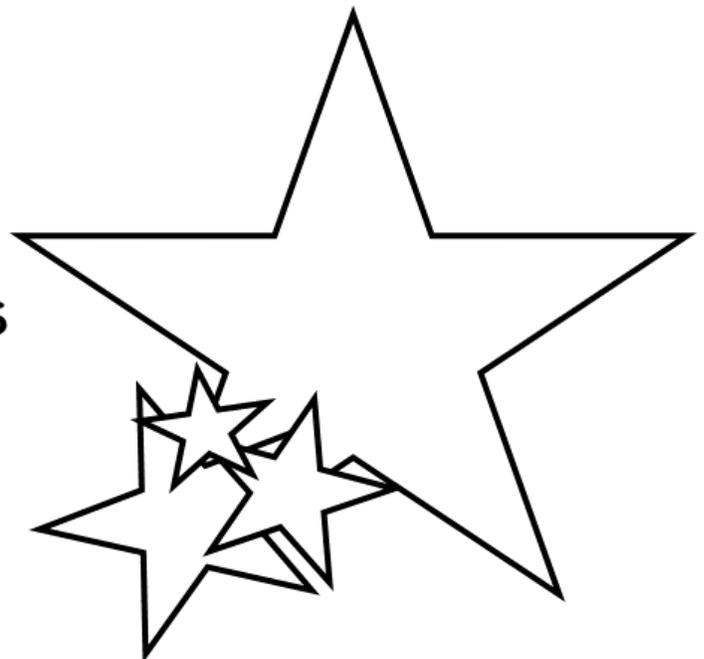
♥ Ephesians 4:32 ♥

Abraham & Sarah Word Search

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ABRAHAM
BABY
CHILDREN
COVENANT
FAMILY
FAITH
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ISAAC
LAUGHED

OLD
PRAYER
PROMISES
MIRACLE
RIGHTEOUS
SARAH
STARS
VISITORS



Dear Family of God of Philadelphia,

It has been said that we should live our lives the same way we look out the windshield of our car. There is a wide area where we are looking forward to see where we are going, and there is a small mirror to look behind us to see where we have been. With this in mind, as we begin our new church year, I want to share a poem by Woodrow Kroll, entitled “*Start Over.*”

*When you've trusted God and walked his way
When you've felt His hand lead you day by day
But your steps now take you another way...
Start over.*

*When you've made your plans and they've gone awry
When you've tried your best and there's no more try
When you've failed yourself and you don't know why...
Start over.*

*When you've told your friends what you plan to do
When you've trusted them and they didn't come through
And you're all alone and it's up to you...
Start over.*

*When you've failed your kids and they're grown and gone
When you've done your best but it's turned out wrong
And now your grandchildren come along...
Start over.*

*When you've prayed to God so you'll know His will
When you've prayed and prayed and you don't know still...
When you want to stop cause you've had your fill...
Start over.*

*When you think you're finished and want to quit
When you've bottomed out in life's deepest pit
When you've tried and tried to get out of it...
Start over.*

*When the year has been long and successes few
When December comes and you're feeling blue
God gives a January just for you...
Start over.*

There is a new church year before us. Let's look back at our past failures and successes, but only for a while. So, we can look forward to what God will do with us, for us and through us during this church year!

May our Father bless you today. It is a joy to serve our Lord with you. RCA