First Baptist Church Moorestown
Worship Service
August 9, 2026

THOUGHTS FOR MEDITATION:

GATHERING MUSIC		FBC Worship Band
WORDS of GREETING and GRACE:		Jess Figueroa
HYMN of PRAISE	**Psalm 150**	Congregation
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE		John & Lois Dinsmore
HAPPENINGS & OFFERINGS		Lois Dinsmore
PRAYERS of the COMMUNITY		Scott Whitefleet
SCRIPTURE	**Genesis 17:1, James 2:23, Isaiah 41:8 & Hebrews 11:8-10**	Neva Roszek
MINISTRY OF MUSIC	**In the Garden**	FBC Worship Band
SERMON	**Walking with the God who calls us friend**	Jess Figueroa
CLOSING HYMN	**Friend of God**	Congregation
BENEDICTION		Jess Figueroa
POSTLUDE		FBC Worship Band

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WELCOME

We extend a warm welcome to all who have joined us for worship today. Please visit with us during coffee and refreshments which will be served in the 1st Floor lounge following worship.

THANK YOU

This week's Greeters are Adam Buck and Patrick O'Brien.
Next week's Greeters are Norma & Bill Wright, Vickie & Bannon Donadel.

This week's Coffee Hour Host will be Michael Ostrow.
Next week's Coffee Hour host will be Debra & Rick Reed.
Please consider volunteering to provide
Simple Refreshments for Sunday Coffee Hour.
Please sign up on the volunteer board in the 1st floor lounge.
Coffee Hour is held in the 1st floor Lounge after service.

PRAYER CONCERNS*

Please pray for:

Angelique Lyons - Mother health; Gloria Thorton-Peek - Healing; Lois Dinsmore - Healing; Bev Allegretti - Healing; Laureen Gibeau - Healing; Marilyn Raudenbush - Healing; Scott Alston friend Tim Randall - health; . Bev Bennett - Healing; Dinsmore's friend Fred Smith health; Van Perry - health; Debbie Murray - health; Courtney Robertson's mother Joan Nolan - health; Susan Roseboro - health; Lauren Jones' Aunt Joan and Uncle Chris - health; Ray Perry's sister Marilyn & Joanie Perry's sister Susan - health; Leila Morgan - healing; Lorene Moore - health; Ruth Reigens - health; Sheila & Oswald Brown's grandchild Orain Baugh - healing

**If you have prayer requests or you would like to be removed from this list, please contact the church office at: fbcmoorestown@gmail.com*

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GIVING TO FBC MOORESTOWN

Please help support the ministries of First Baptist Church.
There are several ways you can give:

There are donation collection boxes at the top of the stairs on both sides of the sanctuary as you exit.

Donation envelopes are available for your use in the pews.

We do not pass a collection plate during the worship service. Checks may be mailed to the Church Office.

You can securely donate to the church online. You can click on the "Give to FBC" button at the top of the FBC website homepage (www.fbcmoorestown.org); or you can use your smartphone camera to scan this QR Code or web address:

https://firstbaptistchurchmoore.churchtrac.com/give

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Church Office Hours: Mon to Fri - 9:30am to 11:30am or leave a voice message (856)-235-1180

FBC CARE TEAM

Should you have any life concerns, prayer needs, or just need to talk to someone, please contact the church office at eMail: fbcmoorestown@gmail.com or phone; 856-235-1180. Your message will be forwarded to the Care Team and one of them will get back to you as soon as possible. - Care Team

FBC August Birthdays

Melissa Chu	Jennifer Kautz
Amy Hawthorne	Lisa Velesbir
Stacey Williams	Suzy Dinsmore Price
Danielle Dreier	Eufemio Pagan
Michael Ostrow	Cate Romano
Jim Danley	Jessica Figueroa
Hailey Gearhart	Sam Kirk
Adam Buck	Jerome Whitehead
Finn Hart	

Wishing all a Happy Birthday Month.

We are now celebrating birthdays by month instead of specific dates to assist in protecting personal information. If we do not have your birthday, or you would like to add a family member's birthday, or have yours removed please contact the church office at: +1 856-235-1180 or at fbcmoorestown@gmail.com.

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Consider volunteering to provide refreshments for Sunday Coffee Hour.

There are many Sundays available now.

Please sign up on the Volunteer Board in the Lounge

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FOOD PANTRY

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Please remember the Food Pantry this week.

Non-perishable food items may be brought to church on Sundays. They may be placed in the Food Pantry Cart in the foyer, left in the yellow & black bin next to the breezeway ramp door, or beside the pantry room door on the lower level any day of the week.

Financial donations are always welcome. A check or cash can be put into a giving envelope and then into the offering boxes.

During the week of July 27th, we fed 296 people, including 83 children and 58 seniors.

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LETTING GO

"We must be willing to let go of the life we have planned, so as to have the life that is waiting for us." -E.M.Forster

It's so difficult to let go of things, situations, events that have shaped our lives. We need to make peace with what was and a clear decision not to carry this weight forever, and to move on with a purpose.

We hold on to the familiar, but this stops our growth and doesn't really have a reasonable purpose.

Releasing the past can make room for real healing, gratitude and a kinder, honest relationship with ourselves.

Strength isn't measured by endurance alone, to me it's measured by the ability to release..letting go!

Accept that not everything can be fixed, and every loss doesn't need to be carried endlessly. It would be an act of courage to choose peace over resentment and regret.

I wish you the peace that you're looking for. This will be my last Jo's Corner. Thank you for your support & kind words.

Jo's Corner

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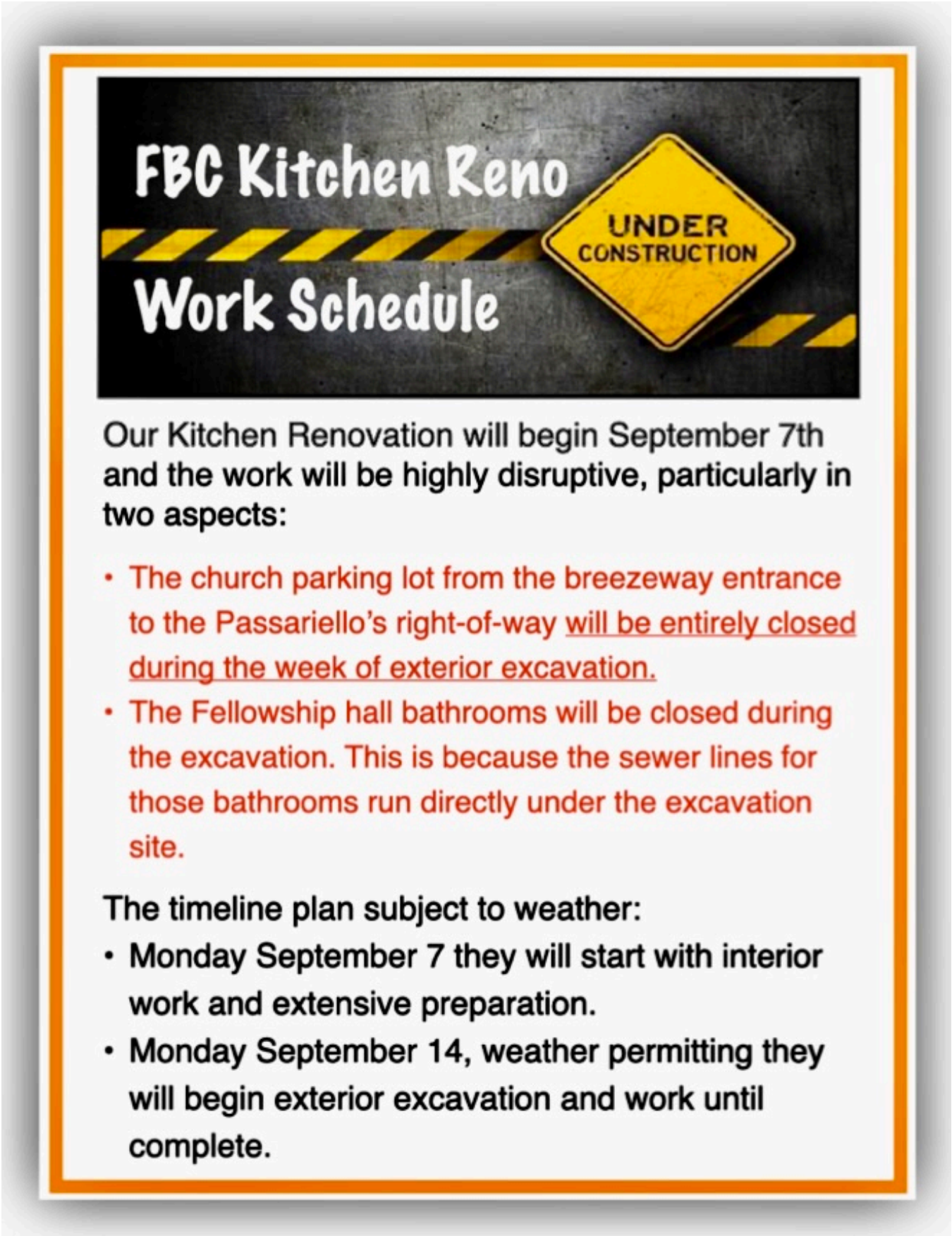

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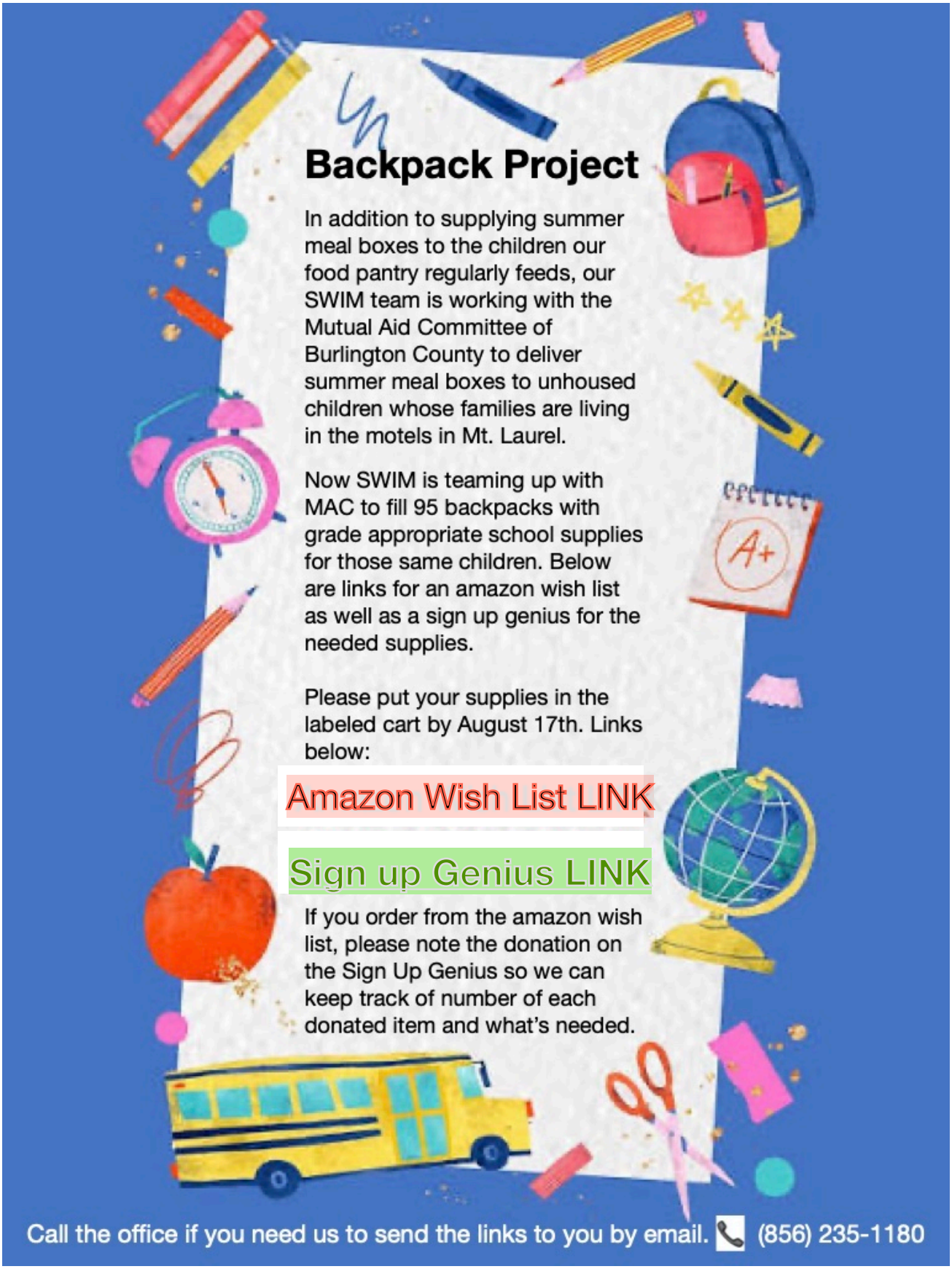

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