

FROM THE PASTOR

FALL REVIVAL
September 17-20

James 4:8 says, "Draw near to God and He will draw near to you." That is exactly what revival is all about, the church turning our hearts to God and Him pulling us to Him. And leading up to our scheduled revival, it is time for us all to "draw near to God."

Beginning September 17, Josh Stone, pastor of Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church in Skullbone, TN will be here to lead us in revival. Josh has a heart for God, His holy Word, and for His people. He will boldly share His truths as he preaches.

Alongside Josh Stone will be Jared Poore, worship leader at New Bethlehem Baptist Church. Jared will lead us in music as we worship our Lord Jesus each service. Jared is a gifted singer, musician, and leader and will help us all to worship Christ in our singing unto Him.

I want to encourage you to make plans to attend and invite your family and friends. If we draw near to Him, He will draw near to us. That is what revival is all about.

*Will you not revive us again,
 That your people may rejoice in you?
 Psalm 85:6*



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 WITH JOSH STONE
 & JARED POORE
 SEPTEMBER 17-20
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Jesus said in Matthew 25:40, "Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me." He said this right after he described the "least of these" as those who are hungry, thirsty, a stranger, naked, sick, and in prison. People all around us are hurting and Jesus has told us to go and love those who are unloved by the world.

On October 21, we are going to be able to minister to some of "the least of these" with an Operation Inasmuch Day. From 9:00 to noon, five teams will be out in the community representing Christ by showing His love to those who may not see love very often. Begin praying about which team God would have you serve on so that you can minister to these less fortunate people, work for the kingdom of God, and glorify our precious Lord Jesus Christ.

Serving Him,

 Brother Chris

Welcome Center Volunteers

Weekly Schedule

Sunday:	9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Morning Worship Service 5-7pm AWANA 5:00pm Discipleship 6:00pm Evening Worship	Wednesday:	7:00pm Adult Bible Study Youth Worship RA's, GA's, & Mission Friends
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Welcome Center Volunteers

September 3rd:	Carolyn Cranfield Eileen Elliott Virginia Hickerson
September 10th:	Barbara Taylor Diane Yarbrough Doris Graves
September 17th:	Janice Harper Kay Taylor Sheila Williams
September 24th:	Joe & Ruth Ethridge Linda Tilley

AUGUST

Average Sunday School Attendance for August	114
Proposed Monthly Budget Needs	\$21,412.20
Budget Received for August	\$20,858.94
BUDGET RECEIVED FOR THE YEAR (through 52 of 52 weeks of our budget year)	
Proposed Budget	\$274,542.56
Received	\$310,709.36
Expenses	\$295,542.45

Church Staff

Pastor.....Dr. Chris Alexander	Chairman of Deacons.....Charles Tyner
Minister of Music.... Jim Criswell	Minister of Youth..... Sarah Campbell
Pianist.....Ruth Ann Davis	Secretary.....Demetra Hickerson



HIS WATCH CARE OVER US

"For the Lord your God is living among you. He is a Mighty Savior; He will take delight in you with gladness. With His love, He will calm all your fears. He will rejoice over you with joyful songs." Zephaniah 3:17, NLT

Sometimes, best made plans just don't work out. Phyllis and I had planned to go to North Carolina for her brother's cancer surgery on August 1. God had other plans! Instead of vacation I spent the time in the hospital with pancreatitis. We are very grateful that we were not traveling when I got sick. Needless to say, we didn't get to go. Her brother's tumor was cancer, but the doctors were able to remove the tumor which had not attached itself to the kidney; therefore, he does not have to take any treatment. We are thankful for the wonderful report.

I am still recuperating - getting stronger by the day. God is truly the Great Healer! We want to thank you for the love you have shown to us with your phone calls, cards, visits, and most of all your prayers. Also, I want to thank Rick Foren for his willingness to step in and direct the music in my absence. We are so blessed to have him at White Hall.

Sunday, August 27, Phyllis and I will be at Westside Baptist Church for their Homecoming. We will be back with you on Sunday night. Pray for us as we minister to those wonderful people.

September 3 the choir will begin working on Christmas music. I know there are some good voices in the congregation who might want to join us. Pray about it and let God use that talent.

Love in Christ,

Bro. Jim

The children of WHBC are in full swing, learning God's words, ways in Sunday School, Awana and getting ready for a Christmas (yes I said Christmas!) program already. We are also preparing for our annual Children's Fall Retreat at Liberty Retreat and Conference Center. The kids will be studying all about prayer -- how, when, and where you can talk to God. Of course we can't forget another big annual event, Fall Festival! This is one of our biggest outreach events and it will be on Saturday, Oct.28.



Our youth have had a busy start to their school year between band, football, soccer and volleyball we have been stretched thin, but they have continued to study God's word. They have been a blessing helping in Awana this year. The youth are getting ready for their annual Fall retreat at Liberty. This will be in November (more information to follow). We pray that God will bless this time of learning about what God means when He tells us to stay pure. The SYATP event is Sept 24, featuring Jason McCleod from "Facing the Giants" and "Fireproof", 5 -7pm. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend. You will receive a blessing.



List of future events:

Every Tuesday night @ 6:30 pm — Church Wide Visitation

Every Wednesday night @6pm—Special Prayer Meeting Men in Prayer Room

Every Wednesday night @6pm—Women in Martha's Room

Sept 9th @9am—Family Day

Sept 12th @ 1:30—Missions/Ministry Meeting

Sept 17th thru Sept 20th—Fall Revival

September 21 @ 10am WMU Fall Meeting @ 10am @ Bethel Baptist Church Yorkville

Sept 24th 5pm to 7pm—See You At The Pole Rally

Sept 29th thru Sept 30th—Be Transformed @ FBC Jackson

October 10th—'A Night of Hope' @ the National Guard Armory

October 21st @ am—OperationInAsMuch Day

Fall Revival

September 17th thru September 20th

Monday thru Wednesday services begin at 7pm

Evangelist— Josh Stone

Mount Pleasant — Skullbone

See you at the Pole

September 24, 2017

5pm to 7pm

Pedestrian Park

Jason McCloud "Brock"

From the movie 'FACING THE GIANTS'

*Prizes Given

*Food Provided