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# October Birthdays

- 3 Debbie Smith
- 5 Carter Seaman
- 6 Alan Loris
- 7 Tommy Cannon Abigail Williams
- 10 Lisa Skinner
- 14 James Williamson
- 18 Phylliss Hennessee Christy Tuck
- 20 Kyle Smith Kourtney Meins
- 21 Kimberly Robertson Gail Clemons Roy Foote
- 24 Martha Rankin
- 26 Bill Tyree Jack Simms Doris Werner
- 29 Ken Hughes
- 31 Gracyn Tuck

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### September 2022 Van Driver Terry Williams 337 397 7454

### Deacon on Call

October 2-8, 2022 Billy Johnson 337 208 7417(c) 337 537 3383 (h)

October 9-15, 2022 Tommy Cannon

337 238 4366 (h) 337 3563 6058(c)

October 16-22, 2022 Tim Tuck 337 392 9555 (h) 337 353 9796 (c)

October 23-29, 2022 Rodney Blackwell 337 238 4222 (h) 337 208 6302 (c)

October 30-Nov. 5, 2022 Billy Jones 337 238 9217 (h)

### Staff

Bro. Darin Worthington, Pastor Elizabeth Cyr, Pianist Rodney Blackwell-Interim Youth Minister Kiersten Nolen, Children Minister

## Sunday

Sunday School for all ages 9:45 AM Worship Service 10:45 AM Sunday morning Evening Worship Service @ 6 PM in the CLC

### Wednesday

Youth & Adult Bible Study in the CLC @ 6 PM Adult Choir Practice @ 7 PM

### **FBC State of Affairs**

2022 Monthly Budget Required \$41,266.25
September 4, 2022 \$ 17,303.04
September 11, 2022 \$ 7,631.34
September 18, 2022 \$ 4,798.09
September 25, 2022 \$ 5,438.23
Total for September 2022 \$35,128.56

Georgia Barnett Offering \$4,475.04

### Sunday School Report

9/4 9/11 9/18 9/25

Members Present 80 92 92 85

Visitors 20 9 22 15

Worship 169 183 200 195

Attendance

Tapestry October 11, 2022

Bring your own snacks if you desire.

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# Fall Festival at FBC October 30, 2022 from 4 to 6 PM



Come and enjoy the Autumn Weather

Trunk or Treat, Jumpers, Water Slides, Petting Zoo, Games, lots of Candy and Goodies!!

Popcorn and Cotton Candy

### A Word from Pastor Darin

Dear Church Family,

I pray that this newsletter finds you enjoying the goodness of our God. We are starting a stewardship sermon series this Sunday; this series will go through the entire month of October. During this time, I will be discussing that we are managers and not owners. God is the owner of it all and we are His managers. This week is the inro sermon and in the following weeks we will be discussing stewardship of the home, the body, the church, and your finances. Please try not to miss it as this series will guide us as we approach the Thanksgiving and Christmas season.

There are so many exciting things going on at FBC Leesville right now. Bro. Rodney and the youth ministry are having several new faces and I am excited to see what God will do through our youth. We are weekly seeing new faces and we are so excited to see life change happen right before our eyes; Also, Kiersten is rocking it as our children's minister, and she also is doing a great job of leading that ministry. She is continually looking at ways to maximize our impact in Vernon parish. Please be praying for these ministries and how you can be involved in reaching the next generation.

Please be in prayer for our search for a Minister of Music. I believe this position is crucial to the growth of our church. Also, be praying for some of our church members that are going through difficult times. See you on Sunday.

Serving Him, Bro. D

### Children's Corner

September was a great month in our Children's ministry! We kicked off our Wednesday night Awana program. Thank you to our super leaders- Mrs. Karan, Mr. John, Mr. Mark, Mrs. Lisa, Mrs. Gail, Mr. Randall, Mr. Dustin, and Mr. Walker for working with our children. We also kicked off our Sunday night Children's Choir, RA, and GA activities. Thank you to our awesome leaders Mrs. Karan, Mrs. Elizabeth, Mrs. Syd, Mr. Kap, Mr. Dustin, and Mr. Walker for helping in these areas. We are looking forward to continuing to grow these programs and would love for you and your children to join us! FBC kids Levanna Meins and Trip Clemmons also helped coordinate our See You At The Pole at WLE this past week. Bro. Darin led in an awesome time of prayer. Thank you to Bro. D. and Mrs. Amy for joining us! At the end of this month we will have our Fall Fest. Contact me or Debbie Smith if you would like to assist with this fun outreach opportunity! Remember, you will never regret serving the Lord! He is so good! "O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good: his mercy endureth forever."-Psalm 107:1

Kiersten Nolen, Children's Minister

### **FIRST YOUTH NEWS**

Hello FBC Leesville Family,

It is truly amazing how 2022 sure has flown by; but I'm so glad to finally be experiencing the blessing of cooler weather. With this season, we have an opportunity for so many fun events with family, friends. The Friday nights lights at the "Wampa Dome" sure are shining bright this season. Congratulations to the Wampus Cats Football Team and to head coach, Robert Causey. October 5-9 here in Vernon Parish, means it's time for the West Louisiana Forestry Festival and the Lions Camp Rodeo. I always enjoy seeing folks that I usually don't see if it wasn't for the fair and of course, the food. 5<sup>TH</sup> Quarter Fellowship will be held here at FBC Leesville after Oct. 14 and at ELBC on Oct. 28 after LHS home games. Youth Breakfast will be held on Sunday, 23 Oct. FBC Leesville Fall Fest will be on Sunday, 30 Oct. from 2-4 pm. Youth, signup now for the Youth Evangelism Celebration at the Rapides Parish Coliseum on 20-21 Nov.

The FBC Leesville Youth are doing a couple of fundraisers right now. You can purchase a Poinsettia for yourself and in Memory or Honor of your special loved one. They are \$30 for a 10-inch plant and money is due for those on Wednesday, 12 Oct and for last minute orders, you can call me by noon on Friday, 14 Oct. We are also selling Jambalaya plate lunches for \$10. The pick up and delivery date is Friday, 28 Oct. Money for the lunches is due by Friday, Oct. 21. The FBC Leesville Youth Ministry truly appreciates each of you for your support our youth and our efforts to reach the youth of our community for Christ.

In His service,

Rodney Blackwell



### Memorials

<u>In Memory of</u>: Leonard Endris Given By:

Tommy & Janet Cannon Garry & Glenda Dowden

Dewitt Wagner Garry & Glenda Dowden

Jane James

Robbie Endris r. Robbie Endris

Roy B. Tuck, Jr. Harvey Haymon Curtis Brumley, Jr. Dickie Bailes Loretta Forque

Leonard Endris

Charlie & Brenda Bealer

Cathy & Rick Couch
Billy & Cordelia Jones
Bruce & Alice Westmoreland

FBC Deacons

# Thank You

Judge Roy B. Tuck, Jr. will be greatly missed and the love all of you have shown lets us know you will miss him as well. The food, prayers and phone calls meant so much more than you can ever know. Thank you for standing with us and being there during our time of need.

Our sincerest love and appreciation, Ramona, Kim, Anita, Jim, Tim and the entire Tuck family

### **NEW MEMBERS**



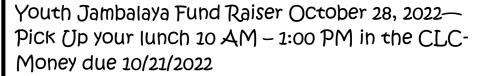




Operation Christmas Child delivers great joy and the Good News of Jesus Christ to children in need around the world through gift-filled shoeboxes. Each box packed full of quality toys, school supplies, and personal care items becomes a tangible expression of God's immense love for the child. For many, it is their first gift ever! Shoebox gifts provide an opportunity to present the Gospel to boys and girls in a clear, child-friendly way.

October Happenings @ FBC

Youth Fund Raiser-Poinsettia - \$30.00 Each - Money due 10/12/22



Fall Festival October 30, 2022 4:00-6:00 PM





