

# First Baptist Church Vancleave

Weekly Newsletter

October 15, 2023 Issue

## 5 Ways to Pray for Israel



**1 Pray for peace in the Holy Land.**

*Pray for the well-being of Jerusalem: "May those who love you be secure . . ." (Psalm 122:6)*

**2 Pray for the protection of innocent people in Israel.**

*Pray for the well-being of Jerusalem: "May those who love you be secure; may there be peace within your walls, security within your fortresses." Because of my brothers and friends, I will say, "May peace be in you." (Psalm 122:6-8)*

**3 Pray for justice for Israel and blessings on the nations who come to her aid.**

*The Lord said to Abram: Go from your land, your relatives, and your father's house to the land that I will show you. I will make you into a great nation, I will bless you, I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, I will curse anyone who treats you with contempt, and all the peoples on earth will be blessed through you. (Genesis 12:1-3)*

**4 Pray for Christian believers in Israel.**

*Jerusalem, I have appointed watchmen on your walls; they will never be silent, day or night. There is no rest for you, who remind the Lord. (Isaiah 62:6)*

**5 Pray that Christ would be made known as God fulfills His eternal purposes for Israel.**

*I will not keep silent because of Zion, and I will not keep still because of Jerusalem, until her righteousness shines like a bright light and her salvation, like a flaming torch. Nations will see your righteousness and all kings, your glory. You will be given a new name that the Lord's mouth will announce. You will be a glorious crown in the Lord's hand, and a royal diadem in the palm of your God's hand. (Isaiah 62:1-3)*

SENIORS TAKING ACTION READY TO SERVE



**POTLUCK LUNCHEON**  
**SUNDAY, OCT 22**  
**FOLLOWING 11:00AM SERVICE**  
**IN MPR (GYM)**



*First Kids Fall Fling*

October 22 • 3 PM - 6 PM

K-6th grade

@ the home of Kim & Tim Hammonds



Hot Dogs



S'mores

Hayride



Pumpkin Decorating Contest



Leaving the church at 3 PM ↔ Returning to the church at 6 PM



# OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD 2023

2023 GOAL: 500 boxes or 2 boxes / family

Return Completed Boxes by October 22

Leave on table behind Worship Center (South side)



## Blood Drive!



**First Baptist Church  
Vanceleave**

**NOVEMBER 5  
9:00am - 1:30pm  
MPR (Gym)**

**Appointments recommended; walk-ins will be taken based on availability. Click [HERE](#) to schedule an appointment online.**

Ms. Beverly from The Blood Center will be here Wednesday night, October 25 at 6:00 PM to inform us of the new policies and regulations they have now. Some guidelines have relaxed and if you have not been able to donate before, you may now be able to donate. Hope to see you there!

When you are grieving a loved one's death, the holiday season can be especially painful. Our Surviving the Holidays seminar helps participants prepare for the holidays and even discover hope for the future.

# SURVIVING — THE — HOLIDAYS

**October 29, 2023**

**FBC Vancleave Room 248A**

**1:00PM-3:00PM**

**REGISTER @ [GRIEFSHARE.ORG/HOLIDAYS](https://griefshare.org/holidays)**

GRIEF SHARE



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH VANCLEAVE

# Trunks OF TRUTH

*popcorn, candy, and more*

**29** **OCTOBER**  
3:00 - 4:30 PM

Please click on the graphic to register your car to be on of our Trunks of Truth.  
Deadline to volunteer is Oct 25!

The poster features a dark blue background with a string of warm white lights and autumn leaves at the top. It includes two illustrations of cars: a red car on the left and a green car on the right, both with their trunks open and filled with Halloween-themed items like pumpkins and candy. The text is centered and uses a mix of white, yellow, and orange colors.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES**  
ALL activities now meet at 6:00 PM.

**Kids AWANA in the MPR (Check-in begins at 5:45)**

**Youth Worship in the Chapel (Coffee House opens at 5:00)**

**College & Career Bible Study in Rm 271**

**Bible Study and Prayer Meeting in the Worship Center**

**Choir Rehearsal in the Choir Suite.**

# Check out our Church App!

Access sermons, online giving, prayer requests, events, and more!



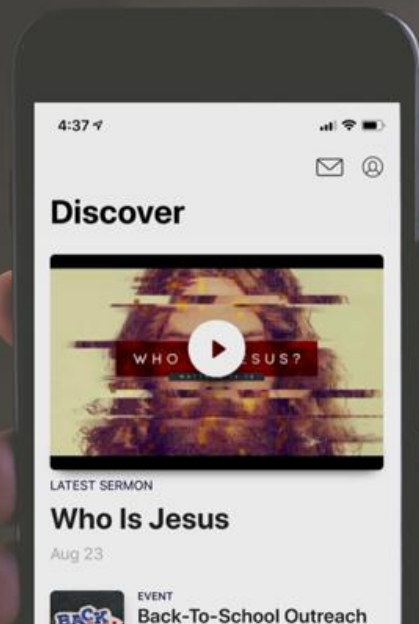
1. Download Church by MinistryOne in App store



2. Search for Our Church



3. Select & Explore!





# DAILY CONNECTION

## DAILY CONNECTION 2023

Our daily connection videos will journey through all of the New Testament in 2023, reading a chapter a day, 5 days a week, using a YouVersion Plan: NT260. Use the links below to access the plan and devotional videos

[Access Devotional Videos](#)

[Access YouVersion Plan](#)

**October 16-20**

**New Testament 260**  
**Week Forty-Two**  
NT 260 Part Four

Monday - Titus 1

Tuesday - Titus 2

Wednesday - Titus 3

Thursday - Philemon

Friday - John 1

### WEEKLY GIVING

Sunday, October 8, 2023

Budget Offering

\$27,266.61

Weekly Requirement

\$25,434.43

Second Mile Giving

\$693.18

Year to Date Needs

\$1,042,811.63

Year to Date Gifts

\$1,010,548.95

## PRAYER REQUESTS

- Alexis Lantz - Brenda Tootle
- Ron Brewer
- Dean Hubbard
- Terry Cooper - Melissa Cooper
- Jason Pohlman - Charlie Pohlman
- Glenn Speight - Jay Speight
- Rich Glisson
- Nick Brewer
- Helen Mathis - Ginger Winter
- Allyson Brewer - Jim and Carla Brewer
- Jane Hayes
- Jay Speight
- Dave Coakley - Howard Coakley
- Neveah Flaherty
- Britney Bucknee
- Pate Bates - Jason Ely
- Jo McNair
- Bill Nelson - David Hackler
- Mary Lou Miller
- Carolyn Layton
- Lamar Queen
- Jim Mays -Carolyn Layton
- Nicole Worzella
- Kim Ball - Tinker Sykes
- Kelli Ely
- Lynn Harmon
- Susan Andrews, Freddy Gull - Angela Sims
- Lisa Fletcher - Chuck Fletcher
- Jimmy Cook - Jessica Bush
- Joshua Powell, Robbin Fletcher - Chuck Fletcher
- Allen Bevier - Jim and Donna Bevier
- Liz McDonald - Gina Cox
- Daniel Clark - Jimmy Ellzey
- Dwayne Benson - Carolyn Smith
- Roxanne Cole - Cari Wilkerson
- Henry Turner, Jr.
- Timmy Barton - Janice Speight
- Wade Shoemake - Carolyn Layton
- Ryan Tillman - Marti Bruebaker
- Debbie Hackler
- Dee Parker

PRAYER REQUESTS Continued

- Tyler Twist - Virginia Washington
- Marcia Roberts - David Cole
- Merrill Kidwell - Jim Bloomfield
- Teresa Blackman
- Henry Bruebaker
- Christy Zettel - Ray and Terry Ramsay
- Linda Faughn, Dewilla Boone - Janice Speight
- Jane Fountain - Shirley Kendrick
- Jerry Craner - Connie Gosling
- Justin Dean - Virginia Washington
- Sabrina Marcello - Sara Maggard
- Laura Noble
- Mary Davis
- Bernice Vecinta, Angela Alley - Lisa Maultsby
- Diane Busby
- Jex Havard - Mickey Worzella
- Joe Tillson
- Natalie Holmes' family still in Ukraine
- Maxim Dzuhm in Ukraine
- Carroll and Linda Stewart
- Margery Sims - Christopher Shows
- Robert Verheeck
- Bobbie Thornton
- Joann Russell - Monique Rigdon
- Gary Harmon
- Steve Pemperton
- Wayne Roch - Rose Rodzos
- Greg Buchanan - David and Sharon Buchanan
- Jeff Minor - Peggy Church