#### Children's Church (Ages 4 thru 3rd Grade)

- August 1 Scott & Georgianna McGuinty Puppet Ministry
- August 8 Wayne & Robin McGuinty The Greatest is the Least #19
- August 15 Robert & Haley Rodgers Noah's Zoo #41
- August 22 Jeff & Joy Owens The Kingdom of Heaven #26
- August 29 Jon & Rebecca Garrett The Righteous Judge #38



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#### **Deacon's Meeting**

Tuesday, August 3rd 7:00 p.m All Active and Inactive Deacons

#### Sunday, August 8th

Church Council 5:00 p.m. Church Conference after the 6:00 p.m. Service

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But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; And you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.

Acts 1:8

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## **AUGUST 2021**



Another summer has come and gone. It's back to school for the kids and the teachers and staff and getting in that routine the school year brings. Please pray for our students, teachers and school staff as they prepare for another year. Pray that God will place a hedge of protection around our school and keep all kinds of evils away from our children as they try to learn. Pray for our school teachers as they teach our kids...that God will grant them the wisdom and patience that they need. Pray for the school administration as they do the

necessary things to maintain a smooth and stress-free working environment. COVID-19 is still a part of our culture...pray for those still affected...pray for the rise of COVID in certain areas...pray that COVID will not become an issue within our schools as they return.

Our church year begins on the 1st Sunday in September, September 5th, and I want to thank everyone who stepped up to be a part of our ministry teams, committees or be a Sunday School teacher for this next church year!! You are needed to make sure the ministries happen here at First Baptist Church of Rochelle. On Sunday, August 22nd at 9am in the fellowship hall, Bro. Nelson and I will host an appreciation breakfast for all of this year's Sunday School teachers.

Sunday, August 29, will be our Team Jesus Sunday!! Each year, we highlight our sports teams within our service as they begin another year, whether it's our local Patriots, favorite college team or professional team. We do this by recognizing any of our Patriot teams in attendance or by wearing a jersey or color of one of our favorite teams. We will have a "tailgate party" from 9:30-10 in the fellowship hall. Come out, support your favorite sports team; but remember, as God's family, we are all apart of TEAM JESUS!!

God Bless,
Pastor Richard

TEAM JESUS



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

August 1 Haley Rodgers August 4 Ginny Clack August 6 Raymond Cason August 7 Luann Willard August 7 Ashlyn Gaines August 9 Lacey Gaines August 10 Sue Lee August 12 Amanda Brown August 12 Marilyn Morrison August 27 Joey Dennard August 14 Luke Brown August 14 Berry Collier

August 14 Wesley White

August 17 Jane Lamb

August 18 Pam Sutton

August 19 Jaydon Coleman August 21 Suzanne Tripp

August 21 Marsha Cook

August 22 Cynthia Holt

August 23 Regina Lovett

August 24 Robert Rodgers

August 26 Robin McGuinty

August 27 Julian Pittman

August 29 Bethany Garrett August 30 Christy Compton

August 31 Jack Laster

August 6 James & Wanda Rhodes August 8 Randall & Susan Stubbs August 18 Don & Toni Woods August 25 Chad & Aimee Hughes

August 29 Bobby & Myra McGuinty

### **Flowers**

Betty Brown August 1

August 8 Norma Jean & Wendell Howell

August 15 Jackie McWhorter

Cynthia & Chester Holt

August 29 Joy & Jeff Owens

# **Associational Brotherhood**

Monday, **August 2nd** 7:00 pm Here at **FBC of Rochelle** 

**Sunday School** Teacher **Appreciation Breakfast** 

August 22nd

9:00am

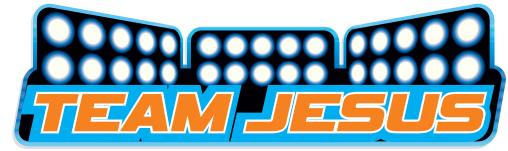
# **Family Night** Supper

August 11th 7:00 p.m. Theme: Back to School & Christian Learning Ctr Potluck -

**Bring Your Favorite Dish** 



**Hazel Chapman Group** August 17th 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall



Come dressed in your favorite team jersey or apparel

Tailgate Party 9:30-10:00 in the Fellowship Hall



One missionary writes of a question from her child: "Mom, can we put more Bible verses on the walls?"

She further states this was a most unusual request, especially since it came from her teenage son. So, she dug a little deeper to find out where this sudden interest was coming from. He said he liked seeing Bible verses on the walls of other people's homes, plus several Bible verses were becoming special to him. She said they started by simply posting more handwritten verses on the refrigerator, then shopped for wooden signs with verses painted on them. Rather than simply hanging random verses around the house, they chose verses that were truly meaningful to him and to their family. Deuteronomy 11:18-21, "Fix these words of mine in your hearts and minds, tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads. Teach them to your children, talking about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. Write them on the door frames of your houses and on your gates, so that your days and the days of your children may be many .... " This passage tells how God wanted His people to keep His Word always before themselves and their children. Instruction in righteousness is easier when children are familiar with the Word of God. Pray the children in your life, as well as the children of missionaries would joyfully accept the words of the Lord. These verses tell us, too, how important our Lord knows it is for us to ever have His words before us in order that we can be strong in our faith and spiritually fit to "contend for the faith" (Jude 3) in these days and the spiritual state of our nation. Pray, too, that missionaries would be enlightened with the creative opportunities God wants them to use to share His Word with the world.

NAMB Prayer Focus- Fraser, Col.-Lacey Gaines; Oklahoma: Michael and Laura Wilson are together planting Oikos Church in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. "Please pray for us as we seek a gathering place. Our vision is to see the gospel back in the home, so our emphasis is not in a large, flashy building but in a gathering place in the middle of a community that needs a lot of work. Meeting in a central gathering place would help raise awareness in the community that we are here to help people grow and understand.

IMB Prayer Focus-Sub-Saharan Africa: COVID 19 has affected the whole world, and Africa is no exception. Several IMB missionaries serving in sub-Saharan Africa have contracted the disease, and some have even been hospitalized for many weeks. Pray these missionaries would fully recover and not have any lasting effects from this virus.

In Christ's Service, Sibbie

#### **Men's Ministry**

We had 17 present for our July meeting. We will be hosting the Associational meeting on August 2nd. All men are invited to attend. We will not have our regular meeting in August.

#### A Prayer Of Direction

Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and my hope is in you. Psalm 25:5.

The Father has given you the powerful gift of choice--the ability to select the direction of your life. In fact, every day you'll face a continuous series of options--some that honor the Lord and others that don't. Some that lead to His abundant Life and others that divert you away from it to destruction.

One of the most powerful, life-changing decisions you can make is to invite God to guide you - trusting that everything He allows in your life is for the purpose of building your character and bringing you into His freedom.

Friend, God's plan for you is unquestionably the best. The question is: Will you allow Him to direct you? If so, pray: "Lord change me and work through me in any way you please. I believe that you will form you character in me, shape me into Your likeness through my circumstances, and lead me to life at its best. Thank you, dear Jesus, amen."

In His presence...trust Him with your life.

Donnie Clack



# **Food Ministry**

Food Packing **August 19th** Food Distribution August 23rd

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