HOLIDAY HILL

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A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

For the last several months we have discussed and encouraged participation in the SEND Relief/LoveJax weekend, and the time for the event has arrived. I want to remind us of a few things as we take final preparation. SEND Relief is a ministry of the Southern Baptist Convention's North American Mission Board, which we support when we tithe, that seeks to show compassion to communities through acts of ministry. On September 16th and 17th churches from throughout our city, and followers of Christ from both our city and other areas, will come together to serve our city via forty-nine ministry projects.

We as a church are involved in two ways. First, we are a HUB church, meaning on Friday, September 16th, and Saturday, September 17th, teams working in the Southside/Arlington area will gather here for organizing before heading out to their projects. Those persons working projects in our area will gather between 7:30 – 8:30 a.m., with a time of devotion and preparation beginning at 8:30 a.m. Around 9:00 – 9:15 a.m. everyone will go their project sites. Lunch will be delivered to each site. On Friday, a special rally event will be held downtown @ First Baptist Jacksonville for everyone involved @ 5:15 p.m. The second way we are involved is that three projects are directly organized by us – A Holiday Hill Church/Grove Park Garden Club sponsored Community Prayer Garden (Friday & Saturday), a Food Packing project for One More Child (Saturday only), and a Playground Shade project @ Holiday Hill Elementary School (Saturday only).

How can you and I be involved? First, as a HUB church we will need people to help register people for ministry on both September 16th and 17th. If you are willing to do so, please contact me (albertbyrd@holidayhillbc.org) or the church office (office@holidayhillbc.org). Second, register to be part of a ministry project. Go to www.servetour.org, click on 'Jacksonville,' and follow the prompts. Let us know if you need assistance.

This is a spiritual endeavor, and so prayer must be @ its center. Please pray for the projects, that they meet needs, but ultimately lead to conversations which bring people to faith in Christ. Other prayer opportunities may avail themselves, so please stay connected to church information via text, e-mail, or through worship services.

I love you, am thankful to be your pastor, and look forward to serving alongside of you.

In Christ,

Pastor Albert



Sunday Services Worship Team Rehearsal 9:00 am

> Community Groups 9:45 am

Morning Worship 11:00 am

Embers Ministry 5:00 pm

Wednesday Services

All Regular Ministries Begin at 6:30 pm

Adult Bible Study Youth Bible Study - Grades 6-12 Children's Ministry - Grades 1-5 Preschool Ministry - Birth-K

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How are we in September? Remember New Years 2022? I do! It was yesterday! What's going on here? Regardless we have some awesome service opportunities coming up this month so let's get to it.

SERVE Tour. Holiday Hill Family, if you have not signed up for the SERVE Tour yet, please do so. This is a wonderful opportunity to serve our community in various ways. I myself will be putting canopies over the benches at Holiday Hill Elementary. I would love to see some of you with me – not just because I love your face but because there are still plenty of spots left open. I don't want to build canopies by myself. That wouldn't be a good idea. Those poor kids! So yeah, sign up and be there.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Take care and have wonderful September.

In Him, Josh Micah 6:8

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

No School / Church Office Closed	Monday, September 5
Deacons Meeting	Thursday, September 8, 6:30 pm
Neighborhood Meetings	Thursday, September 8, 7:00 pm
Prayer Walk	Saturday, September 10

Stewardship Meeting.

... Tuesday, September 20, 6:30 pm



This offering is dedicated to funding new initiatives in Florida (partnership between Florida Baptist Convention and the North American Mission Board). Together, let's help our Florida Church Planters!

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

By Baptism Aiden Alderman

By Statement Cindy Wolfson

, Jill Vaccaro

3 ways to give







Rockholt Community Group

Monday Evenings at 6:30 PM Fellowship Hall



SEND Relief



LOVE JAX

Join us to serve our city! September 16-17



PROJECTS

Community Prayer Garden, September 16/17 Playground Shade, September 17 One More Child Food Packing, Sptember17

Schedule

Friday & Saturday

Check in @ ministry hub, 7:30 – 8:30 a.m. If you are working an HHC sponsored project, check in @ the church

Work begins @ around 9:15 a.m. Lunch provided on site

Friday Only

Dinner & Serve Tour Rally @ First Baptist Church Jacksonville, 5:15 p.m.

Registration – <u>www.servetour.org</u>



WOW Memory Verse Tee Shirt Winner is: Lorelei!

SUNDAY Kidz Church - 11am

We are still in our 12-week series called "Bible Scavenger Hunt", Discovering God's Plan!

MEMORY VERSE:

"You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart." Jeremiah 29:13 (NIV)

Scavenger hunts are fun adventures where we search for different things in the hopes we can win the prize. In this series, we'll be searching for clues from the Bible that will help us find God's plan. Each week, the object lesson will be replaced with a Bible hunt. Kids will be given 3 clues to help them find that week's scripture. So, make sure you bring your Bibles with you each Sunday as we go on a new adventure!

- 9/4: "God Made a Plan to Save Me!"
- 9/11: "Jesus is God's Son!" **Meet Mrs. Maria in the sanctuary on the back row**
- 9/18: "Jesus Died for My Sins!"
- 9/25: No Kidz church on 4th Sundays Stay in the sanctuary with parents/grandparents.

W.O.W. (Worship on Wednesday) - 6:30pm



We are right in the middle of our series called "Way Out West"! Our Cowboys and Cowgirls are looking at the life of Moses and seeing that God loves us and has a purpose for each of our lives! Our WOW memory verse is: ROMANS 8:28 (CEV) "We know that God is always at work for the good of everyone who loves Him. They arc the ones God has chosen for His purpose."

Keep working on this verse and when you know it say it to Ms. Cindy to win a tee-shirt!

Parents: We are in the process of updating our records. Please make sure you get, fill out, and bring back the info cards! Thanks!