

Dear Church Family,

Fall is in the air! The cooler temperatures have been a nice surprise for this time of year. I'm sure we will still have some warmer weather, but we can enjoy these temperatures while they last. We are looking forward to family night to kick off KFC. We need lots of volunteers to help with this event. Linda has done a great job planning all kinds of different things to make this a fun filled evening. As I often say, there are so many opportunities to gather with your church family and to be involved. Just like our own family gatherings, it's always better when everyone is there. Remember what the apostle Paul wrote in 1 Corinthians 12:27, "Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it." We need all the parts of the body to work together to be "the body" that Christ would have us be, all for His glory! See you at church.

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Kids For Christ (KFC)

KFC will begin Sept 17th. We will meet Wednesday's from 6:00-7:30pm for kids Kindergarten-6th grade. Bus transportation is available in the city limits. If you signed your child up for both VBS & KFC, they are already registered. You can register your child at www.fbcalbany.org.

Keeping It Together (KIT)

KIT meets on Wednesday nights at 6:00pm beginning September 17th. Bring your Bible and join an incredible group of ladies to study God's word.

Men's Group

Men's Group meets on Wednesday nights beginning September 17th at 6:00pm.

Office Closed

The Church office will be closed Sept 1st for Labor Day.

Operation Christmas Child

It's almost SHOEBOX time! The Operation Christmas Child campaign will be here before we know it!

We are changing things up just a bit in an effort to make it simpler for some to participate! YES, you can still fill as many shoeboxes as you want, that will not change and we encourage you to do this!

The change is that we will be collecting items to assist with filling extra boxes. We will collect items through the month of October.

For now, as you are shopping and see something that really needs to go in a shoebox, pick it up and drop it off at the church or save it for your own box.

Approved items are listed below....

WOW items - soccer ball w/pump, dolls, stuffed animals

Toys - Toy cars, jump ropes, yo-yos, musical instruments, toys that light up and make noise w/extra batteries

Personal care items - Toothbrushes, washcloths, combs, hairbrushes

School supplies - Pens, pencils, sharpeners, crayons, markers, notebooks, paper, coloring and picture books, solar calculators

Accessories-Socks, sunglasses, jewelry, watches, flashlights (w/extra batteries)

As always, pray over your boxes and items and for the child who will receive them. The most important part of the Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes is to send the love of Jesus Christ all over the world with just a few simple items. Bless you for participating!

OCC Team - Dawn Paul, Kenda Staudenmaier, Karen Gillespie

Family Fun Night

Family Fun Night will be held September 10th from 6-7:30pm. There will be bounce houses, corn hole, 9 square and games for all ages. We will be serving hot dogs, chips, popcorn and snow cones. Bring a friend, Everyone is welcome!

Equip Conference

Equip Conference will be held Sept 18th at Grand Oaks in Chillicothe. Registration is \$20 and due by Sept 10th. A coat drive is being held to benefit Somalia refugees in Kansas City. We will have transportation available. For more information contact Karen Gillespie

Promotion Sunday

September 7th will be Promotion Sunday in our children's Sunday School classes! Kids will be moving up to their new classrooms, and we are excited to begin a fresh year of growing and learning together. We are also thrilled to introduce our new Sunday School teaching teams:

Pre-K & Kindergarten: Sonya Owens & Jocelyn Anthony

1st & 2nd Grade: Becky Koch & Rebecca McGinley

3rd & 4th Grade: Brittany & Brent Owens

5th & 6th Grade: Ashley McConkey & Sharon Allenbrand

Our teachers are excited to begin this new season and are looking forward to sharing God's Word with your children each week. We hope the kids are just as excited to move into their new classes and meet their teachers!

Let's be in prayer for both our students and teachers as they begin this new year of Sunday School together.

Giving

1. Give on our web site: www.fbcalbany.org "Online Giving"
2. Text: fbcalbany to 73256.
3. Use the code:



FBC Facebook Page

Please like and follow the church Facebook page to stay up to date on events and cancellations. You can find us at:

www.facebook.com/firstbaptistalbany/

September 2025

Mon 1 st	Office Closed	Labor Day Holiday
Thu 4 th	6:00pm	AHS Football Dinner
Fri 5 th	11:15am	Pineview Chapel
Sun 7 th	9:30am	Sunday School
	10:40am	Worship
	4:30pm	Praise & Prayer
	5:30pm	Choir Practice
	6:00pm	Youth Group
Tue 9 th	1:30pm	Lucy Wagner Group
	6:30pm	Personnel Meeting
Wed 10 th	6:00pm	Family Fun Night
Fri 12 th	11:15am	Pineview Chapel
Sun 14 th	9:30am	Sunday School
	10:40am	Worship
	4:30pm	Praise & Prayer
	5:30pm	Choir Practice
	6:00pm	Youth Group
Tue 16 th	6:30pm	Deacon Wives Meeting
Wed 17 th	6:00pm	KFC/KIT/Men's Group
Thu 18 th		Equip Conference @Grand Oaks
	6:30pm	Deacon Meeting
Fri 19 th	11:15am	Pineview Chapel
	4-6pm	AHS Cheerleaders
	After the Game	5 th Quarter
Sun 21 st	9:30am	Sunday School
	10:40am	Worship
	4:30pm	Praise & Prayer
	5:30pm	Choir Practice
	6:00pm	Youth Group
Tue 23 rd	6:30pm	Personnel Meeting
Wed 24 th	6:00pm	KFC/KIT/Men's Group
Thu 25 th	6:30pm	M&M Circle
Fri 26 th	11:15am	Pineview Chapel
	4-6pm	AHS Cheerleaders
	After the Game	5 th Quarter
Sun 28 th	9:30am	Sunday School
	10:40am	Worship
	4:30pm	Praise & Prayer
	5:30pm	Choir Practice
	6:00pm	Youth Group

First Baptist Church Of Albany

WHATEVER YOU DO,
DO FROM THE HEART,
AS FOR THE LORD AND
NOT FOR OTHERS.
COLOSSIANS 3:23

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REGULAR BUDGET OFFERING:

8-3	\$4,819.00
8-10	\$3,909.00
8-17	\$3,592.00
8-24	\$3,319.00
8-31	N/A at printing
Total: N/A at printing	

Weekly Average.....N/A at printing

Weekly Budget.....\$4,707.00

Women On Mission

September 9 th	Lucy Wagner Group
September 25 th	M&M Circle

Nursery-September

7 th	Alison & Jon Runnels
14 th	Dixie McGinley & Pam Reece
21 st	Linda Clifton & Marla Conkle
28 th	Quentin & Ashley McConkey

Deacon of the Week-September

7 th	Kyle Koch
14 th	Junior Hatheway
21 st	James Staudenmaier
28 th	Dean Gillespie

Offering Counters-September

7 th	Dixie McGinley & Jani York
14 th	James Staudenmaier & Allison Zumbahl
21 st	Barb Rainey & Brittany Owens
28 th	Derek Williams & Ashley Dunbar

FBC Office Hours: Mon-Thu: 8:00am-3:00pm. Closed 11am-12pm

Friday 8:00 am-12:00 pm

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Labor Day Office Closed	2	3	4 AHS Football Dinner 6:00pm	5 Chapel at Pineview 11:15am	6
7 Sunday School 9:30am Worship 10:40am Praise & Prayer 4:30pm Choir Practice 5:30pm Youth 6:00pm	8	9 Lucy Wagner Group 1:30pm Personnel Meeting 6:30pm	10 Family Fun Night 6:00pm	11	12 Chapel at Pineview 11:15am	13
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