

## SERMON NOTES

Fall Small Groups~ Sundays @ 5:30 pm Oct. 1st-Nov. 5th

FBC Fellowship Hall

Facilitator-Steve & Amanda Livingston 417-225-2821

Host Family: David & Pam Caruthers 417-214-9080 (P)

1302 College St, Lamar 417-262-0325 (D)

Facilitator: Bryan & Penny Robertson

Host Family: Bert & Shawna Phipps 417-214-9580 (S)

388 W. Hwy. 160, Lamar 417-214-2900 (B)

Facilitator: Tom & Gale Main

### Safety Tips

#### Flu Season Tips-Vinegar Kills Flu Viruses

1. Flu viruses circulate less freely in humid environments and often an epidemic will follow a drop in humidity. Consider using a humidifier in your home.
2. Cover your food and drinks when dining in public places.
3. When disinfecting surfaces use a spray disinfectant in place of disinfectant wipes which are prone to relocating bacteria from one spot to another.
4. Open your windows for 20-30 minutes daily to remove stale air from your home and bring in fresh outside air.
5. Flu viruses cannot live in high temperatures. Use your dishwasher's highest heat cycle along with some vinegar to disinfect children's toys and pacifiers.

**To Know Christ and To Make Him Known**

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## MINISTRY OF PRAYER CHURCH FAMILY

Joel Cofield Chris Sheat Jill Willoughby Beverly Ramseyer  
Melanie Bruffett Lorraine Vice Christine Byram

### EXTENDED CHURCH FAMILY

Ryozen James, grandson of James & Rosmarie McMullen  
Brett Campbell, friend of Belinda & Dayne Shoff Travis Gire, friend of Tom & Gale Main  
Steve Rawlings, nephew of Lynn Divine Jim & Glenda Thomas, father of Mike Thomas  
Norman Garwood, father of Gina Reed Donna Faglie, friend of Jerry & Jane Houghton  
Helen Gardner, mother of Diane Moore John Orahod, friend of Leon Bishop  
Diane Dighero, sister of Pam Kelley Joel Miller, friend of Mae Cooper  
Tim Gifford, friend of David Banwart Jeannie Koehn, mother of Mike Koehn  
Tom Buchanan, friend of LeeRoy & Anna Voorhees  
Tina Walker, sister of Cindi Sprouls Travis Stroud, son of Carol Stroud  
Jeanie & Bill Burkhardt, sister and brother in law of David Thrasher  
Billy Schnauffer, brother in law of Gary & Nina White  
Scott Gordon, friend of Bruffet's & Sandberg's Rod Jurgens, friend of Sheila Stevens  
Nancy Kirby, Kay McKee's sister in law Becky Howell, friend of Teresa Roberts  
Tyler Worthington, grandson of Shirley Hildebrand  
Jessica Query, sister-in-law of Kerri Beshore

### MILITARY/1st RESPONDER PERSONNEL

Taylor Sheat, National Guard, nephew of Chris Sheat  
Rene Gamache-Army, husband of Jerica (Stahl) Gamache  
Brian Jenkins- Grandson of Maxine Francis  
Caleb Stevens- USAF Las Vegas, NV, son of Gary & Shelia Stevens  
Richard Jones - Army-Washington, son of Linda Jones  
Joey Rossiter - North Carolina, grandson of Sue Hobson  
Merissa Schmidt - Guam, granddaughter of Wanda Reno  
Mark Jones -Navy- Illinois, son of Linda Jones  
Nathan Davis-National Guard, husband of Sarah Davis

### MISSION OUTREACH

Bldg. Committee/Project Pastoral Staff Lamar's Unchurched  
Issues in Haiti /Ukraine

Dr. Robert Hodson, Senior Pastor  
Steve Livingston, Worship Leader & Family Ministries  
Chris Roth, Youth & Outreach Director  
P.O. Box 426, 1301 E 6th Street - Lamar, MO 64759  
fbclamar.org 417-682-3538



**First  
Baptist  
Church**

*Connect, Grow  
Serve, Go*

October 1, 2023

Prelude		O.C.C Video
Welcome/Announcements		Pastor Robb
	"This Little Light of Mine"	
Call To Worship	Isaiah 9:2	Alan Ray
Invocation Prayer		Alan Ray
	"A Thousand Hallelujahs"	
Children's Feature		Pastor Robb
	(Children ages 2-8 are dismissed to Children's Church)	
	"10,000 Reasons"	
	"We Fall Down"	
Offertory Prayer		Youth
	Worship Through Giving	
Offertory/Message In Song	Adoration & Praise Handbells	
	"Amazing Grace"	
Message	"This Little Light" Matthew 5:14-16 (page 958 in your Pew Bible)	Pastor Robb
Response to Message	Send The Light"	
Closing Prayer		Bert Phipps

### “With Us in the Wilderness”

A study of the Book of Numbers By Lauren Chandler

During this 7-session study, we will learn that God never wastes wilderness seasons, how Old Testament stories give a deeper understanding of God’s purpose and love and rekindles our trust in God.

There are two opportunities to participate in this study:  
**Wednesday evenings @ 6:30 pm beginning October 4 or**  
**Thursday afternoons beginning October 5 at 1:30 pm.**  
**Book cost \$10. Sign-up through the church office by**  
**Monday, October 2.**

### Barton County Right To Life

Life Chain

Today~ October 1st @ 3:00 pm

First Christian Church-Lamar



A “THANK YOU” note is on the bulletin board from the family of Louise Caruthers

### Important Upcoming OCC News

- October 1**— Boxes will be available for YOU to both pick up and fill!
  - October 8**- O.C.C. Guest Speaker: Elizabeth Costner from Latvia
  - October 9** 6:00 pm Sorting Night
  - October 17** 2:00 pm Set up in Fellowship Hall
  - October 18**—Team Kids Packing Party
  - October 24** 6:00 pm Set Up in Gathering Area
  - October 25**—Youth Packing Party
- Our goal is for the kids and youth to pack a total of 150 boxes .You can help by providing the items listed below for our kids & youth!

**September items: gloves, box of bandages, hairbrushes, small toys and colored pencils**

It is our prayer that more children will have the joy of receiving a gift and an opportunity to hear the Gospel.

Serving God together,

Operation Christmas Child at First Baptist Church Lamar

### Fall Small Groups

### Start Today

**Sunday, Oct. 1st - Nov. 5th @ 5:30 pm**

See host home locations & phone #'s  
On backside of worship guide.

Community Youth Night

Wed. Oct. 11th

@ Sheldon FBC

Bus Leaves 6:00 pm

### Men’s Ministry Breakfast

Saturday, Oct. 7th

@ 8:00 am



Speaker: Jerry Stansberry

From: Ozark Christian College

### Ladies Car Care Day

10:00 am -12:00 pm

(winterizing vehicles)



### PRAYER WARRIOR MINISTRY!

We are still in need of 13 more Prayer Warriors.

Sign up sheets are in the Gathering area or call church office.



RHEUBIN L. SOUTH

**MISSOURI MISSIONS OFFERING**

Thank you to all that gave!

Our Goal: \$9,000

Total Received: \$9,418.00

### Volunteers for Next Week-Oct 8

### Kingdom Kids-Nursery

**Coordinator:** Lynn Ann Sandberg

**Workers:** Sandra Moore / Belinda Shoff

### Greeters

**NE Door :** Gary Melton

**NW Door:** Carol Hartline

**SW Door:** Abby / John Gilkey

**SE Door :** Valerie/ Bernie Waggoner

### Connection Center

Rosmarie McMullen

### Audio/Visual

**Sound:** Chris Roth

**Lights/Video:** Valerie Waggoner

### Children’s Church / Littles Church

Julie Means

Beth Aborn

### Deacon of the Month

Donald Noll & Bryan Robertson



*Welcome~ Jaylen Jean Winter*

*Born: Sept. 23rd 7# 15.9 oz*

*Parents: Jenna & Justin Winter*

*Grandparents: Valerie & Bernie Waggoner*

*Great Grandparents: Suzanne & Jerry Cloyd*

### Upcoming Meetings

Monday, Oct. 2nd @ 10:30 am

YAH Council Meeting

Tuesday, Oct. 3 @ 7:00 pm

Church Council Meeting

### THIS WEEK AT FBC

### SUNDAY, OCT. 1

- 8:00 am Instrumental & Audio-Visual Rehearsal
- 9:00 am Sunday School
- 10:15 am Worship Service /O.C.C. shoebox P/u
- 5:30 pm Fall Small Groups Kick off

### MONDAY, OCT. 2

10:30 am YAH Council Meeting

### TUESDAY, OCT. 3

7:00 pm Church Council Meeting

### WEDNESDAY, OCT. 4

- 5:30 pm Praise Team
- 6:00 pm TEAM KIDS
- 6:30 pm Fall Women’s Bible Study begins
- 6:30 pm Sanctuary Choir
- 6:30 pm Hebrews Prayer/ Bible Study
- 6:30 pm Men’s Ministry Bible Study
- 7:00 pm Collision Youth
- 7:15 pm Adoration & Praise Hand Bells

### THURSDAY, OCT. 5

- 1:30 pm Fall Women’s Bible Study begins
- 4:30 pm Team Meal

### SATURDAY, OCT. 7

- 8:00 am Men’s Ministry Breakfast
- 10:00 am -12:00 pm Ladies Car Care Day

### SUNDAY, OCT. 8

- 8:00 am Instrumental & Audio-Visual Rehearsal
- 9:00 am Sunday School
- 10:15 am Worship Service
- O.C.C. Guest Speaker/ Elizabeth Costner
- 5:30 pm Fall Small Groups

### KID’S DAY OUT

OL’Yale Farms Pumpkin Patch

Sat, Oct. 14th 3:00-5:00 pm

306 S. 250th St. Pittsburg, Ks. \$12.00 /person

