## SERMON NOTES

#### Safety Tips

1. If you can hear thunder, you are in danger, lightning can travel as far as 10 miles from the area with rain.

2. If you are in an open area such as a park, athletic fields, open water, pond or river, start praying and leave immediately to seek cover.

Avoid the Following:

A. Being the tallest object in the area where you are.

- B. Metal objects such as fencing, wires and utility poles.
- C. Sheltering in areas with concrete surfaces (the rebar within it can conduct electricity) such as a garage and patios.

Shelter preferably in a fully enclosed substantial building, a hard top fully enclosed vehicle with the windows closed or if caught outside an area of dense small trees surrounded by taller trees.

To Know Christ and To Make Him Known

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## **MINISTRY OF PRAYER CHURCH FAMILY**

Thelma Lehman Kay McKee Saundra Moore **Beverly Ramsever** Melanie Bruffett Lorraine Vice John Lawrence Christine Byram

#### EXTENDED CHURCH FAMILY

Jim Thomas, father of Mike Thomas Brian Munzlinger, brother of Jane Houghton J.D. Gepner, father of Taylor Means Donna Faglie, friend of Jerry & Jane Houghton John Orahood, friend of Leon Bishop Linda Welch Diane Dighero, sister of Pam Kelley Joel Miller, friend of Mae Cooper Jeannie Koehn, mother of Mike Koehn Rick VanGilder, son of Patsy VanGilder 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 Schnaufer, 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 Querry, 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



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|                                     | Prelude   | Denise Hodson/ O.C.C.                |
|                                     | Welcome/Announcements<br>"God So Loved"                               | Chris Roth                           |
|                                     | Call To Worship Galatians 2:20  | Bryan Robertson                      |
|                                     | Invocation Prayer   | Bryan Robertson                      |
| "Same God"                          |   |                                      |
|                                     | Children's Feature<br>(Children ages 3-6 are dismissed                | Pastor Robb<br>to Children's Church) |
| "Footsteps Of Jesus<br>"Same Power" |   |                                      |
|                                     | Offertory Prayer  | Dan Potter                           |
|                                     | Worship Through Gi<br>Offertory /Message in Song<br>"I Surrender All" | Wayne Dingman                        |

Message

"Leaving A Piece Of Yourself" Matthew 16:24~27 (page 973 in your Pew Bible)

Response to Message "Just A Closer Walk With Thee"

**Closing Prayer** 

Elijah Parker

Pastor Robb

Upcoming Meetings Tuesday, Sept. 5th 10:30 am YAH Council Meeting 6:00 pm Recreation Meeting 7:00 pm Church Council Meeting Sunday, Sept. 10th 5:30 pm Fellowship Supper

6:00 pm Business Meeting

Men's Ministry Breakfast

Saturday, Sept. 9th @ 8:00 am

Speaker: Jarel Burnside/ Pastor @ Swars Prairie Baptist Church

#### **Donations for Operation Christmas Child Packing Parties**

We continue to prepare for Operation Christmas Child Packing Parties for our children and youth that will be held in October. Your participation in this ministry is very important for it to be successful and will allow our children and youth an opportunity to serve through a "hands-on" activity.

A goal has been set for the children and youth to pack a total of 150 shoeboxes. We are still needing some items (see list below). Please bring the items to the church and put them in the tubs provided.

If you would prefer to make a donation, we will do the shopping for vou.

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

On Sunday, October 1 shoeboxes individuals and families will be available so you can have the opportunity to personally fill shoeboxes. It is our prayer that more children will have the joy of receiving a gift and an opportunity to hear the Gospel.

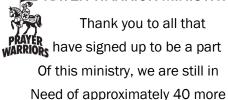
Serving God together.

**Operation Christmas Child at First Baptist Church Lamar** 



Children & Youth Activities Resumes this Wednesday, Sept. 6 TEAM KIDS K-5th grades 6:00-7:30 pm Supper, Bible teaching, activities COLLISION YOUTH 6th-12th grades 7:00-8:30 pm Join us a we begin a 8 week study "Living for Christ in a Culture that Doesn't" What is God's will for our lives, and why is It important to know? Pastor Ben Stuart shows us that Jesus calls Us to live our faith openly, letting the world see our Devotion to him. When we are being faithful, pressing Against culture, others can't help but notice.

# PRAYER WARRIOR MINISTRY! Warriors. Sign up sheets are in Gathering area or call church office.



Volunteers for Next Week-Sept. 10th

### Kingdom Kids-Nursery

**Coordinator**: Laura McDonald Workers: Chastity / Chris O'Neal

Greeters **NE Door :** David Roberts NW Door: Jerry / Suzanne Cloved SW Door: Todd / Staci King SE Door: Mae Cooper

> **Connection Center** Teresa Roberts

Audio/Visual Sound: Chris Roth Lights/Video: Valerie Waggoner

> **Children's Church** Julie Means

**Deacon of the Month** Bill Bowman / David Banwart

Host Families for Foreign Exchange Students For the 2023-2024 school year are needed. See flyer on bulletin board for more info.

# **OPBA** Annual Meeting Sunday, September 17th

3:00 pm FBC Lamar Meat & Drink provided, please bring a side dish

There is a "THANK YOU"

From the Family of Marno Patterson

Thank You

#### THIS WEEK AT FBC

SUNDAY, SEPT. 3 8:00 am Instrumental & Audio-Visual Rehearsal 9:00 am Sunday School 9:15 am Children's New Believer's Class 10:15 am Worship Service 5:30 pm Art of Parenting last small group

MONDAY, SEPT. 4 Labor Day -Office Closed

**TUESDAY, SEPT, 5** 10:30 am YAH Council Meeting 6:00 pm Recreation Meeting 7:00 pm Church Council Meeting

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 6 5:30 pm Praise Team 6:00 pm TEAM KIDS-Resumes 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-Resumes 7:15 pm Adoration & Praise Hand Bells

## THURSDAY, SEPT. 7

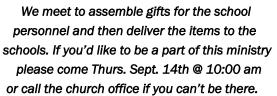
4:30 pm Team Meal

SATURDAY, SEPT. 9 8:00 am Men's Ministry Breakfast

#### SUNDAY, SEPT, 10

- 8:00 am Instrumental & Audio-Visual Rehearsal
- 9:00 am Sunday School
- 9:15 am Children's New Believer Class
- 10:15 am Worship Service
- 5:30 pm Fellowship Supper
- 6:00 pm Business Meeting

## **YAH CRAFTERS**



Note on the bulletin board