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NEWSLETTER

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Do You Want to Receive Weekly Email Reminders?

If you're like many of us, sometimes you forget about a service or event that you really wanted to attend. We want to help you remember by sending weekly emails about our upcoming services and events. Please provide us with your email address and we will make sure you're added to our weekly email list. Send it to Tracy at temory@bereafbc.org. or sign up in the Welcome Center.

Deacons Meeting

Monday, August 1, 7:00 pm
In the Chapel

We need volunteers to bring a churn of homemade ice cream to our **Back 2 School Splash Bash** on Wednesday, August 17. Sign up in the Welcome Center or call the church office.

A Great Opportunity For Children, Students & Adults Prayer Walking Our Schools

Saturday, August 6, 9:00 am

Meet in the BFBC Chapel for a brief orientation and then we will depart to "pray on site" for students, faculty and staff and the upcoming school year.

FOR ALL AGES

ACTIVITIES

- Dunk Tank
- Inflatable Water Slides
- Slip-n-slides Game
- Water Games
- Corn Hole
- Music

FREE FOOD

- BBQ or Chicken Tenders, Baked Beans, Chips
- Popcorn
- Homemade Ice Cream

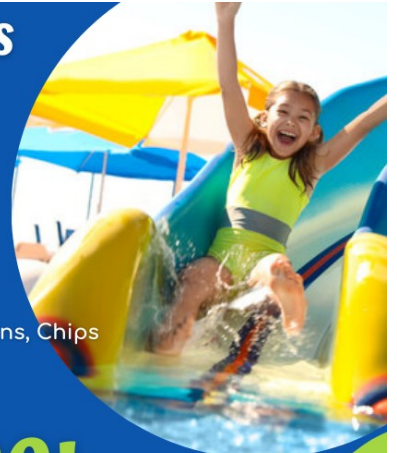
BACK 2 SCHOOL SPLASH BASH

WEDNESDAY, 8.17.22 | 5:30-7:30 | BALLFIELD

REGULAR WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES BEGIN AUGUST 24

Supper * KidzLife * Children's Choir * Student Worship * Adult Bible Study

A FREE SUPPER will be provided but we want to make sure we prepare enough food. If you're planning to attend, please give us a head count. Sign up in the church office or in the Welcome Center on Sunday.



PROMOTION SUNDAY

August 21, 9:00 am

Preschoolers, Children & Students will all move up a grade level in Sunday School.

If you need help finding a class room, please come to the Welcome Center and we will be glad to help you.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR REACHING CENTER

Monday, August 1, 10:00 am: We will prepare the backpacks to be given out by filling them with donated school supplies. Anyone can help!

Tuesday, August 2, 9:30 am-12:00 pm: Extra hands are always needed on this day as we give out backpacks and school supplies to families in our community.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES DUE BY THIS SUNDAY: Book Bags, 1" or 2" Binders, Spiral Notebooks (wide or college ruled), Notebook Paper (wide or college ruled), Pocket Folders, Erasers (pearl or cap), No. 2 Pencils, Pencil Sharpeners, Pencil Holders, Black or Blue Pens, Markers, Glue Sticks, Fiskars Scissors, Crayons, Colored Pencils.

Wednesday Nights in the Student Ministry this Summer

August 3rd: Worship Night In the Crosswalk! 5:00–8:30 pm. Dinner, indoor worship, outdoor worship, bonfire, s'mores.

August 10th: Movie Marathon in the Crosswalk! 3:00–8:30 pm. Dinner, popcorn, snow cones, games, and movies.

August 17th: Church-wide Back to School Splash Bash! 5:30–7:30 pm. Inflatable water slides, slip-n-slide games, corn hole, music, free food, desert, and more.

August 24th: Wednesday Night Services resume! 5:45 doors open, 6:30 service starts, 7:45 open gym, 8:30 pick up. Dinner, worship, games, and small groups.

Sunday August 21st: Parent Meeting! 5:00-6:00 in the Crosswalk.

Armstrong Elementary Partnership

The staff at Armstrong is very thankful for our past involvement in their school and we want to continue that again this year. Will you help us with these projects listed below? Sign up in the Welcome Center.

BACKPACK BUDDIES

**Food Bags for Kid's in Need
\$40 per month or \$360 a year**

Our backpack food program provides a bag of nonperishable food to children in need that they can take home and eat on weekends when school meals are not available. Your gifts allow us to buy and pack food bags for those in need. You can also sign up to pack or deliver bags.

GOOD NEWS CLUB

Mondays, 2:00-4:00

Beginning mid-September

You won't be required to teach a lesson—only spend time with the kids chatting about their day, helping them learn a Bible verse, helping with snacks, and just loving them.

The Very Newest

Congratulations to Michelle and Zach Michael on the birth of a baby boy, John Wells, born July 19. He is the grandson of Mike and Jackie Parker.

Financial Report

Sunday, July 24

Total Annual Budget.....\$1,463,071.48
Budgeted Gifts\$14,280.00
Legacy Gifts.....\$110.00
Designated/Reimbursement.....\$990.00
Total Deposit.....\$15,380.00

**Does not include online giving*

Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to the family of Paul Dacus.

Memorial Gifts

Given in memory of:

Paul Dacus by:

Jean Davis

Bykota/Eppes/Jones Class

Martha Evans by:

Ernest and Betty Reece

Reaching Center

For the month of August
we are collecting:
**Spaghetti Noodles
Spaghetti Sauce**

Opportunities

SUNDAY

9:00 am

Bible Study/Sunday School

10:15 am

Morning Worship Service

WEDNESDAY

6:30-7:30 pm

Adult Bible Study

7:35 pm

Adult Choir

THURSDAY

7:00 am

Men's Prayer Time

Grandmothers in Prayer

Sunday, August 7, 4:30 pm

Meet in the Senior Adult Building

Adult Choir Rehearsals

Wednesdays at 7:35 pm

In the Choir Room

Lifeline Screening

Tuesday, September 20

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Life Line Screening goes beyond regular checkups to provide a more thorough look at your health by using advanced ultrasound technology to look inside your arteries for signs of plaque buildup.

To register for your appointment and to receive the special discount, call 1-800-324-1852 or visit LLSA.SOCIAL/HS.

Wednesday Nights

BEGINNING AUGUST 24, 2022

We have something for all ages at Berea First Baptist Church on Wednesday nights.



Supper

5:15–6:00

Senior Adult Building
Registration Required

Children's Choir

5:55–6:25 pm

Choir Room

Kidzlife, 6:30–7:30

3–5 years - In the Dock
Grades 1–5 - In the Gym

Student Worship

Doors open at 5:45
Worship at 6:30
Open Gym at 7:45
Pick up at 8:30

Adult Bible Study

6:30–7:30 pm

Sanctuary