Cordesville First Baptist Church

July Newsletter

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Important Dates

- July 11, 18, 25: Food Pantry
- July 6, 13, 20, 27: Men's Bible Study at the Barn
- July 7, 14, 21, & 28
 R.E.A.L. Meal Fridays
- July 10: Admin Mtg
- July 15: Community
 Meeting at CFBC
- July 17: WMU & Men's Brotherhood
- July 19: Security
 Team Meeting
- July 20: Community Meeting at Cordesville FBC
- July 23: Quarterly Business Meeting
- July 30: Community
 Singing

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8/9/2023 8/30/2023 9/13/2023 10/11/2023 11/8/2023 11/29/2023 12/13/2023

Sign Up

Missions Update

The Cordesville Baptist family has been busy on several fronts reaching out and doing missions within our community and around the world! This is awesome as we are committing ourselves to fulfilling the task that Jesus commissioned us to do before He ascended—reaching our community, our state/nation, and our world.

Mission trips

Romona Glover will be going to Honduras as a part of a medical missions team. The church has helped with various items (paper bags, lubricating eye drops and antibiotic ointment) that were requested, as well as committing to pray for her and those on the mission. She will be going the latter part of July.

We have a church member who will travel with the Screven Association trip to Jenkins, KY the last of July/first week of August.

Our church has already stepped up and generously provided 200+ pairs of tennis shoes to be given to the children so they will have new shoes with which to start school. Personally, as a kid, we didn't have much money but were able to have brand new shoes at the start of school each year, it encouraged and made us anticipate the start of school—or maybe, it was a bribe? We are asked as a church to provide

canned goods to assist the churches in Jenkins stock a food pantry. There is a box in the foyer for these canned goods. Thank you for your support—this is the same area where we will be sending Christmas backpacks. Pray for those involved and for those who will be reached—VBS, back to school bash/tennis shoes, teacher appreciation, and evangelistic meets.

- Submitted by Anne Turner

Editor Update: Screven Association met its goal of 1,000 pairs of Tennis Shoes for the Kentucky Mission. We appreciate all of the support that you gave.

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Student Ministry



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—Submitted by Melanie Lott

Children's Ministry

Our Summer Kickoff was on June 8th at 6 PM. We had lots of fun and fellowship. Children's Church is on Sundays at 10:30. Have a fun filled summer and he safe.



We will resume our regular schedule on Wednesday, July 12. Be ready for some sand bucket fun! Look forward to seeing everyone there. Have a fun filled summer and be safe.

—Submitted by Donna Garvin.

Educational Ministry



The adult education graduation was held at Cane Bay High School on June 22.

Two of ours worked tirelessly to earn their GED-

Michael Chapman and Holly Wood. I am so very proud of them both.

We are looking for 5 sponsors for the 2023-24 school year. If you are willing to donate the \$50.00, please mark it for educational

ministry. These donations can be made online through Tithely, in the collection plate, or the collection box in the front vestibule.

We will publish the digital literacy classes in August.

Please let Melanie Lott know what kind of training you are interested in so we can get that scheduled.

— Submitted by Melanie Lott

Men's Ministry

Our church has been applauded by the generous outpouring of support for the men's ministry challenge to provide items each

month for the Christmas backpacks. This past month, we collected Spaghetti-ohs and ravioli. For July, we are asked to donate Vienna sausage which will be delivered at the July 17 meeting in Jedburg.

— Submitted by Anne Turner

Women's Ministry

WMU did not meet during June as it would conflict with VBS. Our mission outreach/project was involvement in various areas of VBS. This is an important mission of the church in reaching the children of the community and their families, teaching them Scriptural truths, encouraging personal commitments/

relationships with the Lord, sharing opportunities for service to others (missions), FUN! Our July meeting will be at 6:30 pm on July 17 focusing on "Meetings and Action."

—Submitted by Anne Turner Editor's Update: 3 children made professions of faith during this event. Thank everyone for their participation and most of all thanks to the Lord for the salvations!

REAL MEAL Mission

God has been gracious in His Provision for this fledgling ministry. The first week 19 meals were delivered, the next 51. The third week, plans were made for 60. Mr. Melvin reported that the week of 6/19, we should be harvesting squash from the community garden. It is exciting that this produce will be shared with the client families. Pray that the Lord will provide the additional workers so team formation will enable people to serve one/two weeks/ month rather than the task falling on a few every week. Pray as to your involvement—financial giving, food prep/cooking,

serving/making plates, delivery driving teams. Each delivery team is comprised of 2 people (for personal safety/protection) who are developing relationships with the clients offering prayer, food, wellness check. We've already had positive comments from clients about the tasty food, but more importantly—the prayerful encouragement.

—Submitted by Anne Turner Editor's Update: Week 3 we fed 70 and the last week in June we fed 65. I was able to deliver food this past week. What a blessing it was to me! As Mrs. Anne asked, pray as to your involvement. Don't miss the opportunity to join in where the Lord is clearly leading the way.

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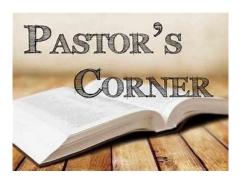
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Pastor Search Committee

We have met and discussed several of the resumes and are pursuing getting estimates for the work on the parsonage.

Please continue to pray for unity and wisdom for the search committee, admin committee, and the Pastor and his family that the Lord is calling.

—Submitted by Melanie Lott.



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Music Ministry

Thanks to those who sang at the former Wando Baptist Church on June 10th at 2 PM. It was a blessing to participate in this community event. —
Submitted by Melanie Lott