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August 14th 8a-noon

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Tupelo, MS

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College/Career Ministry

Awana Registration

August 13th @ 6p

Awana Resumes

August 20th @ 6-7:15p











August 3—Promotion Sunday

August 3—School Prayer Walk—3:30p

August 9—College/Career Hangout @ LeCompte Home @ 7p

August 10—Deacon Selection

August 13—Wednesday Night Meal Resumes @ 5p

August 13—Awana Registration @ 6p

August 17—Student Choir Resumes @ 4p

August 17—Celebrate Belden @ 5p

August 20—Kidz Choir Resumes @ 5:30p

August 20—Awana Resumes @ 6p

August 24—HOMECOMING SUNDAY @ 10a

August 31—Parent/Student Lunch (following worship)

For the Record:

June Budget Need: \$63,206.70 Budget Receipts: \$60,454.80

Weekly Opportunities

Sunday: Sunday School—9:00a

Worship—10:00a Student Choir—4p Student D-Groups—5p

Wednesday: Bible Study—10:00a & 6:00p

Wednesday Night Meal—5p

Kidz Choir—5:30p

Awana—6p

Upper Room (College/Career)—6p

Youth Bible Study—6:00p

Worship Choir Rehearsal—7:15p

Office Hours: Monday—Thursday 8:30 am—2:00 p.m. **CLOSED FRIDAY!**

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Mission Statement

To build relationships that lead people to become passionate followers of Christ.



From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Faith Family,

As the calendar turns to August, we find ourselves standing on the threshold of a new season. The slower rhythms of summer begin to give way to backpacks, lunchboxes, lesson plans, and school bells. For many families in our church and community, this month signals the start of a new school year. That reality brings with it both concern and opportunity—concern for safety and spiritual well-being, and opportunity to shine the light of Christ in one of our greatest mission fields: our schools.

Let me encourage you to join me in praying fervently for our students, faculty, and staff as they return to classrooms across our city and county. Pray for protection—physical, emotional, and spiritual. Pray for Christian teachers and students to be bold in their witness, kind in their words, and faithful in their character. Pray for our schools to be places where God's truth is not only protected in hearts but planted in the lives of others.

Parents and grandparents, your role is irreplaceable. As you send your children off each day, send them covered in prayer. Remind them of who they are in Christ and that they have been sent to be salt and light (Matthew 5:13–16). Encourage them to see their school not just as a place to learn but as a place to live on mission.

August also presents a natural moment for each of us to refocus—spiritually, emotionally, and relationally. Summer vacations and events may have pulled us in different directions, but now is the time to realign our lives with the calling God has placed on us: to be Kingdom Disciples and to build Kingdom Families.

As we continue our church emphasis on *Building Kingdom Families*, let me challenge you to examine your daily rhythms. Are you prioritizing God's Word in your home? Are you praying together as a family? Are you participating in the life of the church in a way that reflects your love for Christ and His mission?

Jesus said in Luke 9:23, "If anyone wants to follow after me, let him deny himself, take up his cross daily, and follow me." Being a Kingdom Disciple isn't a one-time decision—it's a daily commitment. And building a Kingdom Family doesn't happen by accident. It happens when we intentionally lead our homes in the ways of God.

This month, let's recommit ourselves to both. Let's pray boldly for our schools and live faithfully in our homes. Let's be the church—on campus, in the workplace, and around the dinner table. May God use Belden Baptist to make an eternal difference in the lives of the next generation.

With gratitude and hope,

Pastor Shane



PRESCHOOL & KIDZ CHOIRS

WEDNESDAYS @ 5:30P