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First Baptist News

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Deacon Election



Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the membership is encouraged to vote for deacons by absentee ballot the week prior to October 4.

To Vote for Deacons:

- Call the church office to make arrangements to come to the 6th Street entrance between 9 a. m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday, September 28 through Friday, October 2, to receive and submit absentee ballots.
- At a called church conference to be held on Sunday, October 4, 2020, at 12 noon at the 6th Street entrance to the church (weather permitting), otherwise under the breezeway behind the Margie Cockrell Children's Building. Masks will be required and social distancing will be practiced.

The ballots submitted throughout the week and at the called church conference will be counted by the Deacon Election Committee. The results of the election will be reported first to the nominees and then will be posted online.

This Week. . .

Wednesday, September 30

6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting (Zoom) 7:00 p.m. Bridge Class (Zoom)

Thursday, October 1

1:00 p.m. Circle of Friends Class

(Zoom)

Sunday, October 4 10:00 a.m. Worship (Facebook

Live & YouTube)

11:00 a.m. Fellowship Class

(Zoom)

5:00 p.m. Youth Bells

6:00 p.m. Youth Bible Study

Monday, October 5

1:00-2:30 p.m. Tithing Time

1st Monday Food Drive

7:00 p.m. Monday School

(Bo's Facebook Page)

Tuesday, October 6

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Group

(Zoom)



Remember to have your communion elements where you can easily access them during the livestream this Sunday.

Give to First Baptist Church!

Here are some ways to donate to our ministry:

- Drop by during Tithing Time!— Mondays from 1:00-2:30 p.m.
- Scan our QR code with your cell phone to go to our giving page.



- Go to our website (www.fbclumbertonnc.org) to complete a draft form.
- Send us your contribution by mail— 606 N. Walnut St., Lumberton, NC 28358

For the Record

Budgeted 2020	\$700,000.00
Weekly Need (2020)	\$13,461.54
Received September 21, 2020	\$6,752.14
Need to date	\$496,923.08
Received to date	\$386,623.95
Over (Under) Budget	(\$110,299.13)



Each Wednesday night at 6pm we will have a time of sharing concerns and announcements and praying together. We will also have a time of devotion based on Bo's sermons.

Email Daphne in the church office to get the Zoom link for these meetings—daphnefletcher@fbclumbertonnc.org.

Doug Reedy Celebrates 15 Years of Service at FBC!

This week we celebrate Doug Reedy's 15th year of service with First Baptist Church. During that time Doug has guided many youth through their transition to adulthood, led church-wide missions, grown his own family and enriched our church community in many valuable ways.

Join us in wishing Doug "Happy Anniversary!"



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Person of the Week

Marguerite Branch Wesley Pines Room A-162 1000 Wesley Pines Rd. Lumberton, NC 28358

Send a card, letter, or other remembrance to our special person this week!