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February 2020





Wednesdays in February 6:30 p Bible Study & JAM & Youth Bible Study

Sundays in February 9:30 a Sunday School 10:45 a Worship Service 2:30 - 4:30 p Healing Hearts 5:00 - 7:00 p Youth Group (6th-12th)

<u>Sunday, February 2</u> 12:00 p Chili Cook Off & Cookie Taste Test

Wednesday, February 5 7:30 p Board Meetings

<u>Sunday, February 9</u> 2:00 p Children Ministry Training

Monday, February 10 9:00 a - 2:00 p Cookie baking

<u>Tuesday, February 11</u> 9:00 a - 2:00 p Cookie baking

Wednesday, February 12 9:00 a - 4:00 p Cookie icing & packing

Thursday, February 13 9:00 a - 2:00 p Cookie baking 3:00 p - 7:00 p Cookie pick up

<u>Friday, February 14</u> 9:00 a - 2:00 p Cookie pick up

Sunday, February 16 12:00 p Choir lunch & 1st rehearsal

Monday, February 17 Youth Snow Tubing Trip

**Friday, February 21** 5:00 p Men's Fellowship Bowling

Sunday, February 23 TBA Choir practice

## A note from the Pastor

Does God exist? And if He does what kind of God is He? It seems like questions like these have been asked of me a lot lately by several different sources. How do I believe the Bible when science proves it false? (It doesn't). If God is so loving, why does He punish good people? (He doesn't). How can I believe in a God that I can't see? (I can see).

Those are not simple questions, nor do they have shallow answers. However, they should not stump the believer. 1 Peter 3:15 says that as we honor Christ as Lord, we are "always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you." Are you prepared to give a defense? Most of us don't feel prepared!

There are two reactions to 1 Peter 3:15. The first is defeat. Many Christians retreat from intellectual conversations out of fear of being humiliated. They don't have answers so they don't like questions. The second reaction is investigation. Questions are not our enemy! Questions lead us to seek out answers. Read the Bible. Talk to Godly friends. Study what faithful theologians are saying. Learn answers so that you are better prepared!

The second reaction is the only appropriate reaction for the believer. Instead of cowering at the question, "is Christ Lord?", it places in our hearts, "Christ as Lord." So get in your Word. Talk to unbelievers and let them ask questions. And use those questions as motivation to study for yourself and grow in your faith.



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Sunday 9:30 am Sunday School 10:45 am Worship Service 2:30 pm Healing Hearts Grief Group 5:00 - 7:00 pm Youth Group (6\* - 12\*)

Wednesday 6:30 pm Bible Study, lam (K – 5<sup>th</sup>)

## Youth Bible Study (6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>)

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# Valentine Cookies

**Fundraiser for Youth Missions** It's the sweetest time of the year to surprise a special someone with a sweet treat!!

First Baptist Church (301 S Jefferson, Robinson) will be selling large heart shaped iced sugar cookies

# \$1 per cookie

Packaged individually or <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> dozen boxes



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We have Gluten Free Cookies

### Preorder cookies by Feb 9 order online at fbcrobinson.com/cookies



or call 544-3214 pick up dates Feb 13 3 p - 7 p or Feb 14 9 a - 2 p



ALL HANDS ON DECK!!!!

Valentine Cookie Work Days Come help us make, bake, frost, and package cookies!!!

<u>Bake</u>	Frost & Package
Feb 10 9 a - 2 p	Feb 12 9a-4p
Feb 11 9 a - 2 p	Feb 13 9a - 4p
Sign up on bulletin board	

Contact Donna Thomas for information

### Valentine Cookies

You can order your valentine cookies from the following youth.

Dylan Batten Landyn Bonnell Lotty Bonnell Nikkalus Bonnell Mia Brown Kaylee Chapman Faith Hall Eli Newlin Emma Newlin Ethan Newlin Callie Reid Austin Wesley

If you have an event or announcement please fill out the Event Request form and turn into the office.

You can pick one up from the magazine rack or fill it out online at www.fbcrobinson.com/eventrequest



**ONLINE** 



Online giving is available at шшш.fbcrobinson.com/give





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Our missionary family of the month is our friends in Central Asia. Our friends have been in Central Asia for a year. Prayer request include continued diligence in language learning, opportunities to share their faith and their talents, the local fellowship as they try to start a new location, boldness in their relationships with friends, and for the kids to continue to make friends, enjoy school, and learn the language.



Spotlight

FBC does not support our friends financially because they are supported by the Southern Baptist Cooperative Program. However, we have pledged our prayer support to them and the Mission Board asks that you remember this family as they minister to Central Asia.

MFuge on Mission

If you are interested please see Donna Thomas

(completed 6<sup>th</sup> grade and up)

We will be going to Louisville, KY

on July 6-10



#### Small groups on Sunday mornings at 9:30 am.

We have classes for toddlers, children, teenagers, college & careers and adults.



# SUNDAY EVENING

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Any questions contact Donna at 630-217-5358 or Christina Hall 812-243-4295



#### Healing Hearts Grief Group



Offering support as you find physical, emotional, and spiritual healing and hope. The book is available at The Bible Book Store (106 Main St, Vincennes) or when you attend

Sundays from 2:30 – 4:30 pm at

#### First Baptist Church 301 S Jefferson, Robinson

Contact Sherri Bailey at 618-554-2411 or church at 618-544-3214

The Trustees have placed a list of cleaning suggestions on the bulletin board.

If you have some time and are willing to help, please look the list over. In order to reduce the duplication of service, we are asking you to put the date beside any item you complete. In addition, if you see something else that you feel needs attention feel free to clean it and put a note on the list.

We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.