



31 — Gladys DeZalia, Rebecca Few, Michael Ellis, Aaron Montgomery

**September**

- 1 — Hudson & Kimber Bishop
- 2 — Cameron Saunders
- 3 — Cindy Williams
- 4 — Paul Bishop, David Lancaster, Ethan Carpenter
- 6 — Bill Norris
- 7 — Prentice Fox
- 8 — Jackie Davis, Jessica Bishop, Zach Lowder
- 9 — Kieth Marks, Bill Brock

**Church Greeters**

- Sept. 2 (8:30) Dot Moss/Fay Honeycutt
- Sept. 2 (11:00) Floyd & Kaye Fritz
- Sept. 9 (8:30) Shelvey Crump/Julia Lee
- Sept. 9 (11:00) Alease Fowler/Windy Reynolds

**Video operators**

- September 2 (8:30) David Forrest
- September 2 (11:00) Jeremy Lowder
- September 9 (8:30) Harry Lancaster
- September 9 (11:00) Paul Ott

**Multimedia operators**

- September 2 (8:30) Patrick Pusser
- September 2 (11:00) Tim McCluskey
- September 9 (8:30) Wayne Kearney
- September 9 (11:00) Matt Milligan

**Security Teams**

- Sept. 2 Josh Kirk, Steven Ayre
- Sept. 9 Jonathan Luck, Jon Black, Brian Bosworth

**Deacon Greeters for September**

- Brian Moss Frances Bosworth Floyd Fritz

**Ushers—September 2**

- Ray Bosworth (8:30) Kenneth Mays (8:30)
- Bob Frazier (8:30) Joe Smith (8:30)
- Randy Sayers (11:00) Pat Brown (11:00)
- George McNeill (11:00) Floyd Fritz (11:00)
- George Layton (11:00)

**Our Stewardship Sunday, August 26**

Sunday School attendance	276
Worship attendance	102/190
Weekly budget goal	\$14,932.17
Weekly budget received	\$12,298.33
Designated offerings received	\$855.00
Budget received to date	\$576,635.33
Budget required to date	\$507,693.78
Building Fund total received	\$1,607,420.67
Loan balance (as of 8/6/18)	\$416,763.10

**Sunday 8:30 a.m. Nursery Workers**

September 2	Michelle Milligan, Emily Kearney
September 9	Meghann Ayre, Pam Matthews
September 16	Fran Frazier, Jennifer Kearney
September 23	Shelia Marion, Reba Edwards

**Sunday/Wednesday, September 2/5**

Jon/Sandy Black	Skylar Reid
John/Jo Stone	Ashley Kirk
Adam/Jessica Bishop	

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**September Calendar of Events**

Monday, September 3

Church office closed for **Labor Day**

Tuesday, September 4

9:00 a.m. **Wee Learn** begins a new year!

7:00 p.m. **Joy Class** outreach at Magnolia Gardens

7:00 p.m. **Building & Grounds** Committee meets

Thursday, September 6

10:30 a.m. **Kingswood** Bible study

Sunday, September 9

11:00 a.m. **Commissioning service** for Jazz Jones

12:15 p.m. **Churchwide covered dish luncheon**

4:00 p.m. **Children's Council** meeting

Monday, September 10

7:00 p.m. **Prayer Group** meets

7:00 p.m. **Deacon** meeting

Thursday, September 13

10:00 a.m. **Missions Medley** meets (guest speaker, Lisa Perry)

Friday-Saturday, Sept. 14-15

Let the **(Upward)** games begin!!!

Saturday, September 22

1:00 p.m. **Operation Christmas Child** workshop

3:00 p.m. **Operation Christmas Child** youth rally

Sunday, September 23

**Children's Sunday** in worship

Thursday, September 27

10:30 a.m. **Kingswood** Bible study

## Vermont Mission Trip report is this Wednesday

The mission team that went to Barre, Vermont in August will be giving their report this Wednesday evening, September 5, at 6:30 p.m. in the worship center. Everyone is encouraged to come and see the slides and hear their testimonies of how God was at work during their time in Vermont.

**Are you handicapped?** If not, please do not park in the handicap parking spaces on Sundays and also on Wednesday evenings. We would like to reserve those ONLY for those who are handicapped. Thank you for your understanding!

## Covered dish luncheon scheduled for September 9



On Sunday morning, September 9, we will have a commissioning service for Jazz Jones (daughter of Ricky & Tammy Jones), who will be leaving the following week to serve a 2-year mission term in Brazil (in the Amazon) for the International Mission Board. Following the 11:00 service, we will have a churchwide covered dish luncheon. Make plans now to be a part of this special occasion as we commission one of our own members to the mission field!

## Vote to be taken on Sunday

The church family will be voting on a recommendation from the Finance Committee this Sunday, September 2, at the end of each worship service. The recommendation reads:

“The Finance Committee recommends funding a living nativity at an amount not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).”

The recommendation was discussed at the church family meeting on August 29; therefore, there will be no discussion this Sunday before the vote is taken.

## In sympathy

We extend our love and sympathy to Robin and Lindy Fann in the death of Robin's mother, Ava Nance of Rockingham, last week, August 22. Mrs. Nance's service was held Saturday, August 25 at First United Methodist Church in Rockingham.

## Hospital Update

### In the hospital:

Karen Friede

### Recuperating at home:

Gladys Johnson

Garrison McAndrew

### In Rehab:

Betty Wimberly

Frances McNeill



## Church Calendar



### Sunday, September 2

- 8:30 Worship service
- 9:45 Sunday School
- 11:00 Worship service
- 5:30 Busy Bees (Pre-K)  
Bible Buddies (1st-3rd graders)  
Children's Bible Drill (4th-6th graders)  
Youth Fellowship/Bible study  
The Apostles Creed DVD study
- 6:00 Children's Choir (1st-6th graders)
- 6:30 Rainbow Choir (Pre-K)

### Tuesday, September 4

- 8:30 Firm Believers (ladies' exercise group)
- 7:00 Joy Class goes to Magnolia Gardens  
Brookdale Bible study

### Wednesday, September 5

- 4:30 GriefShare class
- 6:00 Youth Fellowship/Bible study
- 6:30 Mission Friends (ages 4-5)  
RA's (1st-6th grade boys)  
GA's (1st-6th grade girls)  
Vermont mission trip report
- 7:30 Worship Choir rehearsal

### Thursday, September 6

- 10:30 Kingswood Bible study

## Children's CORNER



- ☺ The preschoolers and Kindergarten classes will meet in their new classrooms this Sunday, September 2nd!
- ☺ I would like to take this space to thank each and everyone of our children's leaders! You are a very special creation to do what you do.
- ☺ **Christmas Drama practice** is going on now. The only way for your child to be able to be a part of the drama is if they come to practices at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday evenings.
- ☺ **Children's Council Meeting:** Sunday, September 9th at 4:00pm in room 209.
- ☺ September 23 is **Children's Sunday!**