

The Bethany Beacon

  **September** 2019

Birthdays

01 Todd Martin	15 Silas Nixon
07 Ruth Turner	18 Jayden Ferrell
08 Skylar Felts	18 Emily Simmons
08 Sheila Bowes	19 Jesse Thurston
08 Lindsey Martin	19 Traci Brickey
09 David Marden	21 Mike Whitley, Sr.
09 Steve Winfree	22 Allison Jordan
10 Brice Marden, V	29 Brenda Hall
10 Diane Ornduff	30 Bonni Grubbs
12 Judy Mills	30 Carmen Bertram
12 Brittany Ornduff	30 Jessica Payne

Anniversaries

3	Steve & Margie Nelson
4	Owen & Debbie Tate
10	Silas & Gisella Nixon
11	Kemper & Angel Wold
12	J.B. & Cindy Siewert
18	Al & Laurien Jeffers

Services

Sunday Worship Services

8:15 Traditional & 10:30 Contemporary

Sunday School

9:30 AM (classes for all ages)

*Wednesday Classes

7:00 pm

*First Wednesday of the month

6:30 PM (Fellowship Dinner)

Monthly Fellowship Dinner

Join us Wednesday, Sept 4 at 6:30 PM in the Multipurpose Building. Families with 3 or more are asked to bring two dishes and families fewer than 3 are asked to bring one dish. Everyone is asked to bring a beverage.

Staff

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Deacons

Andrew Brust * Brice Marden
Kyle McGinnis * Aaron Robinson

It is crazy to think we have three kids enrolled in school, leaving only Florence to be home. The kids have been excited this past summer as school was quickly approaching. It is always a little fun and chaotic taking them school shopping. Theron really wanted a unicorn book bag, unicorn water bottle, unicorn lunchbox...you get the point. I don't know why unicorns seem to suddenly be the "thing" now. We went in a store and walked down an aisle and every item on this aisle was unicorns! Thank goodness, Theron was able to (by herself) decide not to go with the unicorn overload. This is Theron's first year. She is in K3 and to say she was and still is excited is an understatement! She has been by our side since day one for Landry and Oakley to be dropped off and picked up from school. She has excitedly waited and now the time has come for her. A few nights ago as I tucked her in bed I asked her what she wanted to pray for as I do with all of our kids. She said, "Mrs. Fishwick. I want to pray for Mrs. Fishwick." And her prayer led with, "Dear God, thank you for Mrs. Fishwick, she's my best friend..." Again this has been a pairing/friendship/teacher to student relationship in the making for 4 years now. And now it is Florence flying solo at home for most of the days causing more terror than the other three that are in school. Not Kidding! It is hard to believe that Landry is already in 1st grade and I know it is only a matter of time before they are off to Prom. I share a tiny glimpse into the Hayden's lives over the past few weeks knowing you have experienced some of your own.

Starting today, right after you are done reading this newsletter, start praying for your child(ren)/grandchild(ren), your bus driver, teachers, other students and staff at the school your child(ren) attend and at other schools in our county. Pray for safety and boldness to share their faith. I pray for you and your family for this new school year and will continue to do so. Will you join me?

As a family, familiarize yourselves with these verses throughout the year:

2 Corinthians 5:20a

Proverbs 3:5-6

1 Timothy 4:12

Joshua 1:9

1 Corinthians 10:13

---Kyle Hayden

Homecoming

Sunday, October 6

Thomas Kim, Guest Speaker
(Christ Reaching Asia Mission)

Harvest Party

Sunday, October 20

3 - 6 PM

Invite your friends!



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>1</i> Discovery 301 (Sunday School Class begins)	<i>2</i> Labor Day Office closed	<i>3</i> Seniors Bible Study 10 AM	<i>4</i> Fellowship Dinner 6:30 PM Craig Turner		<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>
<i>8</i> Elders Mtg 3:30 PM Deacons & Ministry 5:30 PM	<i>9</i>	<i>10</i> Seniors Bible Study 10 AM	<i>11</i> Classes 7 PM	<i>12</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>14</i>
<i>15</i> Missions Team Meeting 5 PM	<i>16</i>	<i>17</i> Seniors Bible Study 10 AM	<i>18</i> Classes 7 PM	<i>19</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>21</i> Oak Hill Ladies Day at Compass Christian Church
<i>22</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>24</i> Seniors Bible Study 10 AM	<i>25</i> Classes 7 PM	<i>26</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>28</i> Ladies Mission Circle 9th Annual Firearm Safety 10:30 AM Dianna Yancey's home
<i>29</i> 5th Sunday Family Worship 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Combined Worship	<i>30</i>					



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Apple Butter is being made in September to benefit Central
 India Christian Mission in memory of Ray Murphy. If you
 would like to order apple butter please call the church office.