

# FBC



## GOOD NEWSLETTER

Go tell it ... EVERYWHERE!

OCTOBER 2021

in person

### ATTENDANCE

	<u>8:15</u>	<u>11:00</u>
Sept. 5	41	39
Sept. 12	34	31
Sept. 19	17	13
Sept. 26	18	20



#### REGULAR SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

8:15 AM—WORSHIP  
9:45 AM—KIDS' BIBLE  
ADVENTURE  
9:45 AM—SUNDAY BIBLE  
CLASSES (YOUTH &  
ADULT ELECTIVES)  
11:00 AM—WORSHIP & KIDS'  
KONNECTION



## OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH



MAKE SURE TO LET JESSE &  
KAMI KNOW HOW MUCH THEY ARE  
LOVED AND APPRECIATED!

## Love God, Love Louisburg, Serve the World

## Calendar for this month

Sunday, October 3

**REGULAR SUNDAY SCHEDULE**

**8:15 AM—WORSHIP**

**9:45 AM—KIDS' BIBLE ADVENTURE**

**9:45 AM—SUNDAY BIBLE CLASSES  
(YOUTH & ADULT ELECTIVES)**

**11:00 AM—WORSHIP & KIDS' KONNECTION**

Monday, October 4

7:00 PM—AA Meeting

Wednesday, October 6

7:50 AM-8:15 AM—Pastor Kami at LHS FCA

**6:00 PM-7:30 PM—MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY**

**6:00 PM-7:30 PM—YOUTH GROUP**

8:00 PM—1st Service Praise Team Practice

Thursday, October 7

9:00 AM—Staff Meeting (off Site)

**NO Kids' CLUB 4:12 (NO SCHOOL)**

Saturday, October 9

8:00 AM—Men's Breakfast—FLC & kitchen

Sunday, October 10

**REGULAR SUNDAY SCHEDULE (see October 3)**

Monday, October 11

12:00 PM—Ministerial Alliance

6:30 PM—Deacon Meeting

7:00 PM—AA Meeting

Tuesday, October 12

11:30 AM—Cluster Pastors' Prayer

7:00 PM—Christian Ed & Trustee Meetings

8:15 PM—Finance Committee

Wednesday, October 13

*QUARTERLY REPORTS DUE IN CHURCH OFFICE*

7:50 AM-8:15 AM—Pastor Kami at LHS FCA

**6:00 PM-7:30 PM—MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY**

**6:00 PM-7:30 PM—YOUTH GROUP**

8:00 PM—1st Service Praise Team Practice

Thursday, October 14

9:00 AM—Staff Meeting (off Site)

**3:30 PM-5:00 PM—Kids' CLUB 4:12**

Sunday, October 17

**REGULAR SUNDAY SCHEDULE (see October 3)**

5:45 PM—Safety & Security Team Meeting

7:00 PM- Quarterly Business Meeting

Monday, October 18

7:00 PM—AA Meeting

Tuesday, October 19

*DEADLINE FOR NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER*

Wednesday, October 20

7:50 AM-8:15 AM—Pastor Kami at LHS FCA

**6:00 PM-7:30 PM—MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY**

**6:00 PM-7:30 PM—YOUTH GROUP**

8:00 PM—1st Service Praise Team Practice

Thursday, October 21

9:00 AM—Staff Meeting (off Site)

**3:30 PM-5:00 PM—Kids' CLUB 4:12**

Saturday, October 23

8:00 AM—Men's Breakfast—FLC & kitchen

FBC participates in Halloween on Broadway

Sunday, October 24

**REGULAR SUNDAY SCHEDULE (see October 3)**

Monday, October 25

7:00 PM—AA Meeting

Tuesday, October 26

9:30 AM—Luther Rice ABW Fall Rally—Olathe FBC

Wednesday, October 27

7:50 AM-8:15 AM—Pastor Kami at LHS FCA

**6:00 PM-7:30 PM—MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY**

**6:00 PM-7:30 PM—YOUTH GROUP**

8:00 PM—1st Service Praise Team Practice

Thursday, October 28

9:00 AM—Staff Meeting (off Site)

**3:30 PM-5:00 PM—Kids' CLUB 4:12**

Friday, October 29—Saturday, October 30

**Kids' CLUB 4:12 OVERNIGHT RETREAT**

Sunday, October 31

**REGULAR SUNDAY SCHEDULE (see October 3)**



The temperatures are dropping, the leaves are showing signs of changing colors, and the Cider Mill has done their Ciderfest; all signs of the changing season. The funny thing about the changing seasons is that everyone is so glad when the current season begins to transition into the next one. The new season begins to bring a change in temperatures and ends the less appealing parts of the previous season. However, it's not too long and we are again looking forward to the next seasonal change as the current season begins to really settle in. Regardless of our feelings the seasons have always come and gone as they have been made to do.



Our lives and even the church goes through seasonal changes too (sometimes they coincide with actual seasonal changes). Recently we've gone through a season where things haven't been the greatest. Covid and its effects hit us throughout September, but this too will pass. The changing seasons outside reminds of the changing seasons of life and how they come, and we don't have much control over them. Then, suddenly they go and a new season begins. Some seasons are more enjoyable and others we can't wait for them to end. While most of this is out of our control, what we do have control over is what we do in these seasons. So, no matter what season we might be going through personally or collectively let us always remember the promise of God.

<sup>25</sup> "Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? <sup>26</sup> Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? <sup>27</sup> And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life? <sup>28</sup> And why are you anxious about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin, <sup>29</sup> yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. <sup>30</sup> But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you, O you of little faith? <sup>31</sup> Therefore do not be anxious, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' <sup>32</sup> For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all.

<sup>33</sup> But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you. <sup>34</sup> "Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble. Matthew 6:25-34

# Jesse

Happy Fall Y'all! I just LOVE this time of year! The weather is just how I like it – crisp and cool. There are gorgeous colors to enjoy from the rising of the sun to the falling of the leaves. And who doesn't enjoy the pumpkin spice that smells (and tastes) so nice!?



No matter how you feel about the fall, there is one unavoidable sign it has come: pumpkins! Especially here in Louisburg! The Pumpkin Patches are booming with visitors searching for the perfect pumpkin to celebrate the arrival of Fall!

With this in mind, I thought I would share a few life lessons we can learn from our friend the pumpkin!

- We all have been chosen by God - much like a pumpkin from the patch
- We come in all shapes and sizes... God planned for this amazing variety
- As the dirt is washed off, we can see God's fingerprints on our lives
- We may look great on the outside, but inside is still kind of yucky! (we are all sinners saved by grace!) so, like a pumpkin, we have to be cleaned out.
- Pumpkins are then carved with a smiling face. Jesus puts a smile on our face as well! We are a new creation!
- A light shines from inside a carved pumpkin – Jesus is our light! He shines in our lives as we share what He has done for us!
- Don't forget the seeds! There is sharing, planting, and nurturing to be done for future carved pumpkins!

So, as you enjoy pumpkins this season, may they encourage you and remind you how much you are loved by an awesome God!

Kami



## Mission Moment - Kihomi Ngwemi & Nzunga Mabudiga - ABC Global Servants in Haiti

Mission Letter – August 2021

Kihomi Ngwemi & Nzunga Mabudiga , Haiti

Dear Loved Ones, We continue our Congo visit. We have moved from the Methodist Guest House to join family members. There is no internet service here.

Our mothers are stable. Nzunga's mother is fine. She needs to eat even though small bites at a time. She has no more meat, just bones on bones and God's free breath. Her spirit is strong. From time to time, she cracks jokes. She does not see, but remembers everybody who visits. She spends more time in prayers and singing which she is well known for. She sang in choirs/solo all her entire life. She counsels all her visitors.



Kihomi's mom had pneumonia when we arrived and low intake of oxygen. We got her treated. She is fine, but still with a limited movement of her whole body after a stroke almost five years ago. She has missed five years of physical therapy. With a short-term memory loss, she is a delight when she is fully aware. She has been surrounded by a bunch of her nieces, nephews, grand and grand children who keep her on her toes and bring joy no one can buy from any store on earth.

Life is different over here. It was different and has become stranger since we left twenty-four years ago. Churches with loud speakers are everywhere. Some of them side by side. Young with no theological education are becoming evangelists, bishops, pastors. I have three in my extended family.

Roads are invaded by young people doing motorcycle taxis and small cars with a left steering wheel. Traffic jams all day long is another phenomenon current here. Streets are all becoming big open markets. Indians and Pakistanis have become big patrons ruling the commerce. We are fine.

(They will return September 11. Wanting to go to Haiti, but not likely under current situation there.)



## OUTREACH PROJECTS



### Because hunger doesn't take a break on the week-ends...

Blessings in a Backpack is a program whose mission is to keep students from going hungry on weekends and remove barriers to academic success. Each Friday during the school year, backpacks filled with non-perishable foods are sent home with qualifying children. Can you help feed them? There is a box in the church hallway. Items needed are cans of soup (chicken noodle, tomato, ABC), Spaghetti Os, cans of fruit & veggies, mac 'n cheese, large slim jims, applesauce, raisins, soft granola bars, fruit and grain bars, canned chicken. Or \$14 can feed one child for 1 month (just put BACKPACK on the memo line of your check). (Monetary donations are accepted year-round.)



Clean, small metal cans (tuna, cat food, etc.) and wax, crayons, used candles are needed for **UPLIFT**, a ministry of supplying candles to Kansas City's homeless. Cans can be dropped off in the church hallway. Thanks

for your help.

Best Choice



"From the Heart" will be collecting Best Choice UPC labels to benefit Louisburg Ministerial Alliance. Please clip your Best Choice UPC codes and drop them in the collection box at church. Thanks.

## WEEKLY EVENTS

**Kids' Connection** (SECOND SERVICE ONLY)  
**KIDS' KONNECTION**  
**KIDS K THRU 5TH GRADE**



**YOUTH GROUP (GRADES 6-12)**

**WEDNESDAYS**

**6:00 PM-7:30 PM**

Don't miss food, friends and fun as we explore what the Bible has to say to us today.



**KIDS' CLUB 4:12**  
**(formerly Kids' Monday Madness)**

**THURSDAYS**

**3:30 PM-5:00 PM**

**KIDS K THROUGH 5TH GRADE**

The name has changed, the day has changed, the games, snacks, surprises and fun Bible experiences are still the same! This year we are exploring the New Testament book by book.



**VOLUNTEERS ALWAYS WELCOME!!**

Our kids need you! If you love kids and/or teens and are available Sunday mornings (2nd service), Wednesday evenings or Thursday afternoons, check with Pastor Kami to see where you can help 816-916-KAMI (5264).

# OCTOBER

IS...

## PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH

IT'S A GREAT TIME TO DROP THEM A NOTE,  
GIVE THEM A HUG OR OFFER A WORD OF ENCOURAGEMENT  
**AND PRAY FOR THEM**

*And*

*I will give you  
shepherds  
after my own heart,  
who will feed you  
with  
knowledge  
and  
understanding.*

*Jeremiah 3:15*

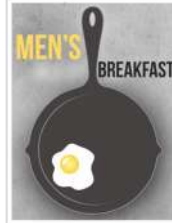
## BOARD MEETINGS



**MONDAY, OCTOBER 11**  
6:30 PM - Deacons

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12**  
7:00 PM - Christian Education  
& Trustee Boards  
8:15 PM - Finance Committee

## IMPORTANT DATES



**SATURDAY,  
OCTOBER 9 & 23  
8:00 AM**

**MEN'S BREAKFAST  
FAMILY LIFE CENTER**

Meets every other  
Saturday. All men are  
welcome and encouraged to attend.

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17  
5:45 PM  
SAFETY & SECURITY  
TEAM MEETING**



**SUNDAY,  
OCTOBER 17  
7:00 PM  
QUARTERLY  
BUSINESS  
MEETING**

Board and committee reports and financial reports detailing activity from July thru September will be reviewed. (Chair-persons, please have your quarterly reports turned into the church office no later than **Wednesday, October 13**. Thanks.)



## IMPORTANT DATES



**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23**  
**LOUISBURG FBC PARTICIPATES IN**  
**"HALLOWEEN ON BROADWAY"**

This year's event will be Saturday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> on Broadway. Pastors Jesse & Kami will be in costume and passing out treats to our community children.

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26**  
**9:30 AM**  
**LUTHER RICE ABW FALL RALLY AT**  
**OLATHE FBC**

Guest Speaker September Tribble—

**Stop Trafficking**  
**PROJECT®**



## PLAN AHEAD



**Collection Date—November 14**

**Shoeboxes and gift idea sheets available soon.**







October 2	Rachel Beaver
October 4	Nevaeh Garland
October 5	Vera McCormick Janet York
October 8	Nicole Kasych
October 13	Kristin Masten
October 15	Barbara Smith Tyler Lane
October 25	Brian Mack
October 30	Mary Herrstrom
October 31	Kami Minor Matt Golladay

We try to include those who are actively attending our church; please let us know if we have missed your special day.



*Janet & Jack York - October 1*  
*Judy & Fletch Kelly - October 2*  
*Jennifer & Mickey Goodman - October 6*  
*Melissa & Larry Vest - October 17*  
*Stacey & Matt Golladay - October 20*  
*Kami & Jay Minor - October 23*  
*Pam & Mike Waite - October 25*  
*Lidiia & Igor Kasych - October 26*  
*Margaret & Del Keeling - October 28*  
*Hope & Tommy Anderson - October 30*



*Grief is perhaps the most difficult of human emotions to face, though it has the potential for being the most therapeutic, as well ... grief is not a bad thing—for grief is the cost of having loved. If we had not cared, we would not grieve.*

We would like to extend sympathies and prayers to:

### **The Family of Lou Davis**

Louis Edward Davis was born on February 14, 1964. He and Vicky (Roberts) Davis were united in marriage in our church on July 28, 1990. Lou joined our church by baptism on March 28, 1993 and served on many church boards and committees. Lou passed in to the arms of Jesus on September 13, 2021. He was 57 years old.

M'CHEYNE READING PLAN takes readers through the New Testament and Psalms twice a year, and through the rest of the Bible once each year. There are approximately 4 chapters per day in this plan.

## OCTOBER

1	1 Kings 3	Ephesians 1	Ezekiel 34	Psalms 83-84
2	1 Kings 4-5	Ephesians 2	Ezekiel 35	Psalms 85
3	1 Kings 6	Ephesians 3	Ezekiel 36	Psalms 86
4	1 Kings 7	Ephesians 4	Ezekiel 37	Psalms 87-88
5	1 Kings 8	Ephesians 5	Ezekiel 38	Psalms 89
6	1 Kings 9	Ephesians 6	Ezekiel 39	Psalms 90
7	1 Kings 10	Philippians 1	Ezekiel 40	Psalms 91
8	1 Kings 11	Philippians 2	Ezekiel 41	Psalms 92-93
9	1 Kings 12	Philippians 3	Ezekiel 42	Psalms 94
10	1 Kings 13	Philippians 4	Ezekiel 43	Psalms 95-96
11	1 Kings 14	Colossians 1	Ezekiel 44	Psalms 97-98
12	1 Kings 15	Colossians 2	Ezekiel 45	Psalms 99-101
13	1 Kings 16	Colossians 3	Ezekiel 46	Psalms 102
14	1 Kings 17	Colossians 4	Ezekiel 47	Psalms 103
15	1 Kings 18	1 Thessalonians 1	Ezekiel 48	Psalms 104
16	1 Kings 19	1 Thessalonians 2	Daniel 1	Psalms 105
17	1 Kings 20	1 Thessalonians 3	Daniel 2	Psalms 106
18	1 Kings 21	1 Thessalonians 4	Daniel 3	Psalms 107
19	1 Kings 22	1 Thessalonians 5	Daniel 4	Psalms 108-109
20	2 Kings 1	2 Thessalonians 1	Daniel 5	Psalms 110-111
21	2 Kings 2	2 Thessalonians 2	Daniel 6	Psalms 112-113
22	2 Kings 3	2 Thessalonians 3	Daniel 7	Psalms 114-115
23	2 Kings 4	1 Timothy 1	Daniel 8	Psalms 116
24	2 Kings 5	1 Timothy 2	Daniel 9	Psalms 117-118
25	2 Kings 6	1 Timothy 3	Daniel 10	Psalms 119:1-24
26	2 Kings 7	1 Timothy 4	Daniel 11	Psalms 119:25-48
27	2 Kings 8	1 Timothy 5	Daniel 12	Psalms 119:49-72
28	2 Kings 9	1 Timothy 6	Hosea 1	Psalms 119:73-96
29	2 Kings 10	2 Timothy 1	Hosea 2	Psalms 119:97-120
30	2 Kings 11-12	2 Timothy 2	Hosea 3-4	Psalms 119:121-144
31	2 Kings 13	2 Timothy 3	Hosea 5-6	Psalms 119:145-176

## ABW Bible Book of the Month—Joshua

*Purpose: To guide later generations of Israelites to listen to God's instructions and live victoriously in the Promised Land*

### OUTLINE:

**JOSHUA 1-12**—Conquest of the land

**JOSHUA 13-21**—Distribution of the land

**JOSHUA 22-24**—Covenant fidelity in the land

-Discover God Study Bible - NLT



### FIRST BAPTIST BAKERY & BUFFET

More recipes are needed. If you have one you would like to share, please turn it in to Joann Hook, recipe coordinator.

### HEAVENLY CHICKEN

from the kitchen of Joann Hook

#### Ingredients:

- 4 skinless chicken breasts, cut into strips
- 2 Tbsp olive oil
- 1½ cups light sour cream
- 1 tsp salt
- 1 tsp onion powder
- ½ tsp paprika
- 1½ cups panko bread crumbs
- 2 Tbsp butter, melted

- 1) 375°oven; line cookie sheet with foil & spread olive oil over.
- 2) In a ziplock bag, mix sour cream, salt, onion powder, & paprika; add chicken to bag and turn chicken until all sides are coated.
- 3) Place bread crumbs in a large bowl; dredge each piece of chicken to coat all sides.
- 4) In a small bowl, melt butter.
- 5) Place chicken pieces on prepared pan and drizzle with melted butter.
- 6) Bake 45 min or until chicken reaches 165° internal temperature.



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**SUNDAY WORSHIP**

**8:15 AM & 11:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE**

**9:45 AM BIBLE CLASSES**

Oct. 19—Deadline for Nov. Newsletter

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