

NO COST TOO GREAT

I walked today in a pasture green
And tripped over the corner of an
object unseen.

I quickly unearthed the buried
chest

And discovered a treasure I deemed very best.

“What now” thought I looking all around
And quickly I re-buried the treasure in ground.
“What I wouldn’t give to have this prize;
I’ll give all I have for a treasure this size!”

Then ran and sold all I had
Forked out the cash and bought the land,
And all my best friends thought I’d lost my head,
But I gained it all when I gave up all I had.

—Rusty Thomas
(Matthew 13:44)



Painting with a Purpose

The ART of loving God

Special Presentation with the Children's Choir

Sunday Morning, September 19



Art Connection

S.O.S. Night

September 24

6:30 PM

If you have participated in Art Connection before and need to finish one of your projects, this is for you!! No charge to help complete any of the past Art Connection Projects. Sign up in the fellowship Hall to reserve your space.

SAVE THE DATES



Kid's Carnival

October 30

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School has begun, summer is winding down, and September brings the beginning of the seasonal change. We are living in a time of disturbing changes: political turmoil, economic turmoil, the rise of terroristic threats coming from the Taliban in Afghanistan, an increase of Covid, earthquake in Haiti. You almost dread to look at the news when you wake up, wondering what unforeseen change will be thrown at you that day. But God has been speaking to us throughout the ages, that He is in charge and what is unforeseen to us is not unforeseen to Him.

We have been studying and praying on Wednesday nights with a better understanding of the names of God. His name is Yaweh, the self-existing, eternal God. His name is El Roi, the God who sees our hurts, our hearts, and the hereafter! He is El Elyon, the Most High, Sovereign, ruling and reigning God who is in control of all things and is working all things in accordance with His perfect will. He is El Shaddai, the Mighty God, the All-Sufficient Savior who will always be enough for us. When we are at our weakest, He is at His strongest in us. We know that times, people, culture, politics, circumstances, and seasons of life are going to change. Our God is perfect in His Being, and He does not change. Let this thought anchor your soul, bring peace to you and comfort you.

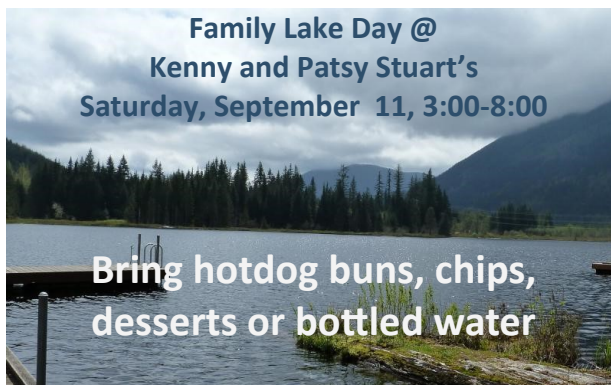
May we continue to thank God and bless His name as He is constantly pouring out His blessings upon us here at FBC Blue Ridge. May God give us a wonderful September as we seek to minister in His name to Blue Ridge and out to the world!

It is an honor to serve you as your pastor, as I begin year number 9 with you! Wow, how time flies!




Love,
Pastor Bob

LABOR DAY COMMUNITY WORSHIP SERVICE IN THE PARK— SUNDAY— SEPTEMBER 5—6:00 PM

Heart to Hands members are excited to invite and encourage all FBC ladies and guests to attend a “Get Together/Get Acquainted” event to be held September 14, 11 am in the church fellowship hall. Included: food, fun and fellowship.



SEPTEMBER 2021

Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
	<p align="center">"To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven..." Ecclesiastes 3:1</p>		<p>1 Homeschool 8:30-3:30</p> <p align="center">FALL Weekly Schedule</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Aerobics 5:30 pm</p>	3	4
<p>5 Sunday School 9:30 Morning Worship 10:45</p> <p align="center">LABOR DAY COMMUNITY WORSHIP SERVICE IN THE PARK 6:00 PM</p>	<p>6</p>  <p align="center">Church Office Closed</p>	7	<p>8 Homeschool 8:30-3:30</p> <p align="center">FALL Weekly Schedule</p>	<p>9 Precept Bible Study "Revelation" 9 am—A/Y Center</p> <p>Aerobics 5:30 pm</p>	10	<p>11 Family Lake Day at Kenny & Patsy Stuart's 3:00—8:00 pm Bring hotdog buns, chips, desserts or bottled water</p>
<p>12 Sunday School 9:30 Morning Worship 10:45 Handbell Choir 4:15 Evening Worship 6:00</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Aerobics 5:30 pm</p> <p>Deacons' Meeting 6 pm</p>	<p>14 WMU Heart to Hands "Get Together/Get Acquainted" Event Fellowship Hall 11 am</p> <p>College Bible Study 7 pm</p>	<p>15 Homeschool 8:30-3:30</p> <p align="center">FALL Weekly Schedule</p>	<p>16 Precept Bible Study 9 am—A/Y Center</p> <p>Aerobics 5:30 pm</p>	17	18
<p>19 Sunday School 9:30 Morning Worship 10:45 Handbell Choir 4:15 Evening Worship 6:00</p>	<p>20 Long Range Planning Committee Meeting 9:30 am</p> <p>Aerobics 5:30 pm</p>	<p>21 Men's Prayer Time 6:30 am</p> <p>College Bible Study 7 pm</p>	<p>22 Homeschool 8:30-3:30</p> <p align="center">FALL Weekly Schedule</p>	<p>23 Precept Bible Study 9 am—A/Y Center</p> <p>Aerobics 5:30 pm</p>	<p>24 Art Connection 6:30-9:00 pm</p>	<p>25 S.A.L.T.</p>
<p>26 Sunday School 9:30 Morning Worship 10:45 Communion Handbell Choir 4:15 Evening Worship 6:00</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Aerobics 5:30 pm</p>	<p>28</p> <p>College Bible Study 7 pm</p>	<p>29 Homeschool 8:30-3:30</p> <p align="center">FALL Weekly Schedule</p>	<p>30 Precept Bible Study 9 am—A/Y Center Aerobics 5:30 pm</p>	<p>01</p> 	<p>02</p>

=====FANNIN COUNTY SCHOOLS FALL BREAK=====

FALL WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sun. 9:30 am	Sunday School
10:45 am	Morning Worship
6:00 pm	Evening Worship
Mon. 5:30 pm	Aerobics
6:30 pm	Prophecy Class
Tues. 7:00 pm	College Bible Study
Wed. 3:30 pm	Painting with a Purpose—1 st grade & up
5:00 pm	Family Fellowship Meal—beginning Sept. 1 st
5:45 pm	Short Stories/Tall Truths—Age 3-K
	The Way of the Wise—Grade 1- 6
5:45-pm	ESL Class
6:00 pm	Youth Bible Study—A/Y Center
	Prayer Meeting/Adult Bible Study-Sanctuary
7:15 pm	Worship Choir Practice

DEACON OF THE WEEK

05	HOLLIS HOPE	706.374.3733
12	TONY NELSON	229.402.5543
19	WILLIAM STONE	706.897.5314
26	LARRY WIETHOP	706.726.1082

September Birthdays & Anniversaries

2	Mike George
3	Howard & Karen Tilley (A) Annette Goebel
6	Loucretia Morgan Levi Franklin Sam Staples Nathan Hughes
7	Malinda Wright
8	Ronnie Howard
10	Dorothy Spencer
11	Laura Haight
13	Pat Hinman
15	Carmi Wood
16	Gayle West Mark Cole Bonita Harden
17	John Cochran Anne Fleeman Winston Panter
20	Elaine Nelson
21	Marthann Staples
22	Sha Morgan
23	Shannon Fleeman Cara Shields Sandra Hardeman Natasha Eshleman Jimmy Musgrave
25	Kateline Patterson
30	Kristin Franklin

*Blessings
on Your
Special Day!*