





Church ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **ATTENDANCE** - Last Sunday, there were **231** in Worship and **176** in Bible Study.
- **S.H.O.W.** - As we ramp up for S.H.O.W. (Stop Hunger on Weekends) this fall, I would like to start collecting food now to get a head start. Please remember, everything needs to be single serving and microwavable. Pay close attention to expiration dates. If it's expired we can't use it. There is a list of acceptable item in the hallway by the restrooms. **There is a new drop spot for SHOW this year. The bin will be in the nook between the stairs** where the FISH bins are (FISH will remain there as well). Both will be labeled appropriately. We are also looking for more help with deliveries. If you are interested in helping, please contact Faye Hailey.
- **WEDNESDAY DINNERS** - We need several (4-6) more helpers with Wednesday night dinners, working one Wednesday a month. We also need volunteer dishwashers/cleanup crew. Ideally we'd like to have 8 members on the cleanup crew. If you are able to help out please contact Audrey Frey at (804)836-0225.
- **SERVICE OPPORTUNITY** - The Brotherhood is feeding the homeless at **Pine Street Baptist Church on Thursday August 14th**. We will be leaving the Pickett Ave parking lot promptly at 8am. All are welcome to serve!! Please come and join us. Reach out to Mike Edwards with questions.
- **CHURCH LOGO PROJECT** - Sandston Baptist Church is getting a logo! This will help us visually communicate who we are, and we need your help. Submit your logo design idea. Your idea may be hand drawn or digitally made. All or part of your design idea may be used in the final version. Church staff will review all submissions and select the top choices to the Church Council to decide on. **Please submit your logo design idea by emailing it to Heather Meador (office@sandstonbaptist.org) by September 7.**
- **AWANA** - Awana is looking for volunteers to help this year. If you have a heart for leading children to read, understand, memorize, and apply scripture we would love to have you become part of the Awana ministry. We have leadership roles as well as listener roles. As a listener there is no prep work. All you do is show up on Wednesday nights. **An Awana interest and training meeting will be held on August 17 after church (approximately 11:15 am) in the sanctuary.** If you would like to learn more about helping with this ministry, please join us. You do not have to commit to attend the meeting. If you have any questions or know you would like to volunteer to help with this ministry please contact Lynda Holloway (804-304-3241) or Lindsay Horne (804-239-5010).
- **CALLED BUSINESS MEETING** - A called business meeting will be held on **Wednesday, August 27th at 6:30pm**, to vote on the list, Sunday School Nominating Committee nominees, for the upcoming Sunday School program year.

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SANDSTON

Rev. Kevin Freeman, *Senior Pastor*

BAPTIST CHURCH



THE WORSHIP

OF

GOD

August 10th, 2025

9:00 AM

We are to be a body of Christians who glorify God through Worship, teaching, ministering, and sharing the Good News of Jesus to all.

Thomas C. Blunt

Minister of Music

Justin T. Blunt

Minister of Youth & Families

Lindsay Horne

Minister of Children & Families

His Last Command, Our First Concern.

Matthew 28:18-20

Announcements

Opening Prayer.....Lindsay Horne

Opening Scripture.....Justin Blunt

“But if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.”

1 John 1:7

“Are you washed in the blood?”.....Lee Nelson Group

“Victory in Jesus”

Welcome.....Justin Blunt

Video

“He turned the water into wine”.....Lee Nelson Group

Offertory Prayer.....Jim Stewart

“His name is Jesus”.....Lee Nelson Group

Written by Lee Nelson

Message.....Rev. Kevin Freeman

The Great Advance: Advancing with Awareness

Acts 23:12-24:27

Invitation – “Just as I am”.....Lee Nelson Group

Benediction

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
August 10th	August 11th	August 12th	August 13th
9:00 am Worship	10:00am Jubilee Ringers		6:30 pm Adult Choir, S.W.A.G. & HIS Group
10:15 am Bible Study	6:30pm Men’s Basketball		
5 pm Portuguese Ministry	7:00pm Personnel Meeting in Seedplanters room		
	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	August 14th	August 15th	August 16th
	11:30am Friendly/Singles Club meeting at Roberto’s restaurant		Private Event in the BG
	7pm Deacons		

SUNDAY

Safety

Today Sunday, August 10th

Buddy Wallace

Darren Hayes

Wayne Smith

Offertory Prayer

Jim Stewart

Next Sunday, August 17th

James Stevens

Craig Crider

Jeff Carter

Offertory Prayer

Troy Westerman

WEDNESDAY

Safety

Wednesday, August 13th

Buddy Wallace

Wednesday, August 20th

James Stevens

USHERS/GREETERS

Schedule

Today Sunday, August 10th

Dwayne Tyler

Brenda Crostic

Pat Hawes

Dennis Hawes

Wally Carter

Next Sunday, August 17th

Dwayne Tyler

Jared Klunk

Bonnie Abernathy

Denise Harcum

Kim Wheelhouse

Keenan Eberhard

Advancing with Awareness

Kevin Freeman / The Great Advance / Acts 23:12 – 24:27

Our Great Advance series highlights the continued spread of the gospel in the book of Acts as hearts are drawn to salvation in Jesus Christ. Today's message highlights the need to advance with awareness, using life's situations to engage people with the gospel.

Maintain s _____ awareness

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Signs of diminished spiritual awareness

1. _____ less often
2. Non-_____ prayers
3. Focus on the _____ and _____
4. Low _____ for _____ matters
5. Lack of _____
6. _____ mirror syndrome

Go Deeper

Read Acts 23:12 – 24:27. Then talk with a friend this week and discuss the following questions:

1. Have you ever ignored a situation where you felt God was prompting you to act?
2. How can your personal experiences with struggles become opportunities to share about Jesus?
3. What are some practical ways we can maintain situational awareness in our daily lives to ensure we focus on what's most important?
4. Where in your life do you need to develop increased spiritual awareness?
5. Who has God laid on your heart to share the gospel with?

For next Sunday, August 17, read Acts 25:1–27.