



Florence Baptist Church News



Dates to Remember
February
February 5 Sunday School Breakfast 9:30 a.m.
February 6 Policy/Procedures Meeting Time TBA
February 11 Men's Ministry—Road Cleanup-up 8 a.m.
February 12 Sweetheart Meal following Morning Worship - Youth Fundraiser
February 13 Deacons' Meeting 6:30 pm
February 15 Ladies' Outreach 10 a.m. Family Night Supper 6 p.m. followed by Bible Study and Business Meeting
February 20 Policy/Procedures Meeting Time TBA



March
March 5 Lord's Supper AM Service Men's Ministry 6:30 p.m.
March 6 Policy/Procedures Meeting Time TBA
March 8 Church Council meets after Bible Study 7:45 p.m.
March 12 Daylight Savings Time begins "Spring ahead one hour!"
March 13 Deacons' Meeting 6:30 p.m.
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Sweetheart Dinner

Youth Fundraiser Meal

The Youth will be serving a meal after the Morning Worship Service on Sunday, February 12th to help with the cost of summer camp. We would like the entire church to attend the meal and pray about what God would have you give to help with this expense. Feel free to invite family members and friends. Thank you for helping send your students to this life-changing event!

Menu:

- Lasagna (meat or veggie)**
- Salad**
- Garlic Texas Toast**
- Dessert**
- Tea, Water, or Coffee**

Contact Amanda Bannister if you would like to attend or make a donation.

Ladies' Outreach

The Ladies' Outreach met in January and had 6 ladies present. Other ladies are welcome to join this group. The meetings are held at 10 a.m. once per month on a Wednesday. The specific dates may vary, but the following meetings are already scheduled: February 15 at 10 a.m. and March 15 at 10 a.m.

The ladies have been discussing another Mother/Daughter banquet this year. This event is typically held on a Saturday near Mother's Day. The service begins at noon, and a meal is included. Specific details are not yet available but will be included in the weekly bulletin and future newsletters.

Missions News

The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for North American Missions is an annual offering that is received during the week prior to Easter. All money received is sent directly to the missionaries that serve in Mexico, Canada, and the United States. This offering is the primary way Southern Baptists fund missions in North America.

Our church will receive donations from March 5 through Easter Sunday, April 9. Please make checks payable to Florence Baptist Church and designate it as Annie Armstrong Offering on the memo line or mark it as a mission offering on the regular offering envelope.



Annie Armstrong

Men's Ministry

The men still plan to meet once each month. Most meetings will usually occur on the first Sunday of the month. However, times may change when specific projects are planned. The February meeting will be a road clean-up for Windy Wood Road. The men will meet at the church at 8:00 a.m. on February 11th for this event.

The March meeting will be held on March 5 at 6:30 p.m. in the Family Life Center. More details will be shared over the next few weeks.

Family Night Suppers

The February supper will begin at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, February 15. The menu will be soup and sandwiches. Please plan what type of soup and/or sandwiches you want to share. Drinks and desserts will also be needed.

The March supper will begin at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, March 15. Fried chicken will be provided by the church, but everyone should plan to bring some side dishes, desserts, and/or drinks.

The monthly business meetings are held after Bible Study and Prayer Meeting on the same dates as the Family Night suppers.

Policies & Procedures Updates

The Policies & Procedures Committee plans to meet regularly from February into May. There are still many committees that need documentation, as well as some of the officer/leader positions. Please begin thinking about your or your committee's primary duties and be prepared to meet with the P&P Committee when you are contacted about the meetings.

Chili & Dessert Cook-off

Our annual Chili & Dessert Cook-off was held on January 29.

Special thanks to all who participated and those who attended.



Winners

Chili: 1st place: Ceci Bannister
2nd place: Kaitlyn Jackson

Dessert: 1st place: Tim Jackson
2nd place: Nathan Renew

Looking Ahead!

Spring is coming!

Palm Sunday is April 2nd.

Easter Sunday is April 9th. The SonRise service generally begins at 7 a.m. followed by a full breakfast served by the Men’s Ministry. Sunday School and Morning Worship are the same as usual at 10 and 11 a.m. Watch future bulletins and newsletters for more details.

Spring Fling!

Spring Fling is planned for Sunday, April 23 following the Morning Worship Service. This event is for all ages with food and fun. There will be fun activities for the children. Mark this date on your calendar and watch for more details in the future.

Don't forget!

It's that time again! Daylight savings time will begin on Sunday, March 12. Be sure to move your clock ahead one hour before you go to bed on Saturday.



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