



FIRST BAPTIST VANCLEAVE **WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**

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CHURCH COUNCIL AND DEACON NOMINATION GUIDE

Distribution begins Sunday, August 16, during services and in resource centers throughout the church. You may return your completed nomination form(s) to the church office or mail them to FBC Vancleave, 12513 Highway 57, Vancleave, MS 39565.

Nomination form(s) should be submitted between Sunday, September 6, and Wednesday, September 30.

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Last Chance! Order your official First Baptist Vancleave t-shirt before prices increase!



Last chance to order your official First Baptist Vancleave t-shirt before prices increase! Wear your shirt at church events, outreach opportunities, or anytime you'd like to represent our faith family. Place your order by Friday, September 4, at 12:00am.

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Nursery Volunteers Needed



We need nursery volunteers! One volunteer is needed for the 8:30 AM service, and five volunteers are needed for the 11:00 AM service. Volunteers serve during one service on a six-week rotation and must be a member of First Baptist Vancleave for at least six months. All MinistrySafe requirements and

guidelines must be met as well. If you're interested in serving, please contact
Kaity Goff!



WEDNESDAYS AT 5:45 PM!

**Pre-K children will check in at the
Nursery, and Kindergarten through 6th
grade will check in at the Game Room.**



Sunday mornings during the 8:30 AM service!

In the Game Room | Ages 4 years - 3rd grade

Please note that Kingdom Kids does not meet on the first Sunday of each month.



Next-Gen Pulled Pork Fundraiser

Support the next generation at FBC Vancleave by purchasing a \$10 pulled pork plate! All proceeds from this fundraiser will benefit our Kids and Student Ministries, helping provide opportunities for children and students to grow in their faith, build relationships, and participate in ministry throughout the year.

Orders may be placed through August 23, with meal pickup on Sunday, August 30, in the MPR.

[Click Here to Purchase Your Plate](#)

A poster for a potluck event. The background is a light green grid. Various food items are illustrated around the text: a bowl of salad with green beans and cheese at the top left, a whole orange at the middle left, a sandwich with tomato and onion at the bottom left, a slice of pizza at the bottom center, a fried egg on a bun at the top right, a dumpling at the middle right, and a bowl of dark meat with green onions at the bottom right. In the center, there is a circular logo with a cross and the text "FIRST BAPTIST VANCELEAVE" above the word "STARS". Below this, the word "POTLUCK" is written in large, bold, black, slanted letters. Underneath that, the date and time "SUNDAY, AUGUST 23 | 12:00 PM | MPR" are written in bold black letters. At the bottom, a paragraph of text reads: "Come have a time of fun, food, and fellowship. Bring your best side dish or dessert; the church will supply the meat!"

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STARS

POTLUCK

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23 | 12:00 PM | MPR

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OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Let's fill 1,000 boxes!

Pick up a shoebox from one of the stations around the church, follow the label instructions, and return it by Sunday, October 18. Drop off completed boxes at the collection table across from the first-floor conference room, or contact us at (228) 218-5834 or missions@fbcvancleave.org to arrange a Connect Group pickup.



[Order your Book Here](#)



the ARMOR *of* GOD

Ladies' Bible study beginning Tuesday, August 25, at 9:30am in room 202. The book, *The Armor of God* by Priscilla Shirer, can be ordered on Amazon.



FIRST BAPTIST VANCELEAVE MEN

4-MAN GOLF SCRAMBLE

The Men's Ministry of First Baptist Vancleave is hosting a 4-Man scramble at the Hickory Hills Golf Club in Gautier, MS, on Sunday, August 30, with a shotgun start at 2. The cost is \$30 per person, and this includes green fee, cart, and a meal after the scramble is finished. Payment will be made at the golf course. If you have any questions, please see a member of the men's ministry team (Nick Myrick, Logan Brown, Clay McArdle, and Jimmy Ellzey).

[Click Here to Register](#)



Join us on Saturday, September 12, as we travel to First Baptist Gulfport for a day of exciting activities, engaging lessons, and hands-on experiences centered around North American missions.

We will travel together on the church bus, which will depart from First Baptist Vancleave at 8:50 AM to arrive in time for the 9:30 AM check-in. We expect to return to the church by 2:15 PM, when children may be picked up.

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DAILY CONNECTION

Monday - Aug. 17 - Psalm 122

Tuesday - Aug. 18 - Psalm 123

Wednesday - Aug. 19 - Psalm 124

Thursday - Aug. 20 - Psalm 125

Friday - Aug. 21 - Psalm 126

Saturday - Aug. 22 - Psalm 127

Sunday - Aug. 23 - Psalm 128



SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Weekly Giving | Sunday, August 9, 2026

Weekly Needs

\$28,434.29

Year to Date Needs

\$909,897.28

Building Fund

\$380.00

Weekly Gifts

\$26,598.60

Year to Date Gifts

\$882,852.15

Thank you!



PRAYER REQUESTS



James & Candy Toombs - Harvey & Phyllis Bond
David Osborne - Randy McKee
Steve Maultsby - Lisa Maultsby
Deb Franklin - Kimberly Broughton
Jimmy Stewart - Ricky & Beverly Cox
Ava Chambers - Robin Holland
Dick and Joyce Smiley - Howard Coakley
Michael Witt and family - upon the passing of his mother
Virginia Washington - Laura Hubbard
Delinda Hayes - Debbie Smolcich
Tristan Rounds - Kimberly Broughton
Tom Carmack
Buzz Gallo - Amy Newton
Frazier family - Kimberly Broughton
Madonna Allgood - Daryl Rushing
Jennifer Perry - Brandon Ashcraft
Todd Cranford - Tommy Williams
Marvin Washington - Virginia Washington

Emma Hocin - Lynn Harmon
Everett Colson - Jenny Hudson
Roy "Hoss" Holliman - Alicia Wilson
Kathleen Nicholson - Randy McKee
Randy Christian - Chris Deal
Stacey Goff - Boyce Kendrick
Shanna Stewart
Craig Scott - Justin Wilson
Lottie Rose McMahan - Daryl Rushing
April Hodges - Lauren Davenport
Wake Inabinette - Virginia Washington
Eric Comeaux - Virginia Washington
Edna Parker
Linda Stewart
Robert Knott - Brent Parker
Casey Daigle - Scott Dehaan
Trevor Dorsey - Garon Tate
Wally Page - Thomas Page
Dale Shaw

Darren Ross - Mike Ross
Ryleigh Yates - Kimberly Broughton
Guy Robinson - Rita Robinson
Ricky Hagler - Jimmy Kihyet
Matt Mizelle - Joyce Spence
Howard Coakley
Jennifer Johnson - David and Cindy Jowers
Lewis Franklin - Debbie Smolcich
Debbie Hackler - David Hackler
Joe and Lindsay Morris - Kim Lisenby
Chuck Turner - Kristin Stork
Dale Neaves - Scott Dehaan
Joyce Bray - Jerry Bray
William Fairley - Terry Buckley
Rhett Sumrall - Lisa Sumrall
Keith Noble
Terry Cooper - Melissa Cooper
Dave Coakley - Howard Coakley
Bobbie Thornton



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