

## ***Bulletin Announcements – Sunday, July 8, 2018***

### ***Following Morning Worship***

*Back to School Fair Donations and Information*

*CD and DVD Orders*

*Habitat for Humanity Square Footage Purchases*

*Habitat for Humanity “Sweaty Equity” Registration*

*MIEYES Eye Glass Donations*

### ***Sunday, July 8, 2018***

*Normal Schedule Resumes*

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*HELP Food Collection*

### ***Thursday, July 12, 2018 at 11:00 a.m.***

*History and Archives Ministry Meeting*

### ***Friday, July 13, 2018***

*FBCH Closed*

### ***Saturday, July 14, 2018 at 11:00 a.m.***

*J.C. Patterson Missionary Society Meeting*

### ***Tuesday, July 17, 2018 at 11:30 a.m.***

*Soup Kitchen*

### ***Thursday, July 19, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.***

*AARP Meeting*

### ***Friday, July 20, 2018***

*FBCH Closed*

### ***Saturday, July 21, 2018 at 7:00 a.m.***

*SHARE Food Distribution*

### ***Saturday, July 21, 2018 at 9:30 a.m.***

*Exhorters Monthly Meeting*

### ***Tuesday, July 24, 2018 at 11:30 a.m.***

*Soup Kitchen*

### ***Friday, July 27, 2018***

*FBCH Closed*

### ***Monday, July 30, 2018 6:00 p.m.***

*J.C. Patterson and Area H Meeting*

### ***Tuesday, July 31, 2018 at 11:30 a.m.***

*Soup Kitchen*

## **CHURCH MEETING & EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

Please be advised, the Executive Council and Church Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, have been postponed. We apologize in advance for any inconvenience these postponements may have caused.

## **JULY SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSONS**

Unit II - Jesus Calls for Justice and Mercy. July 8<sup>th</sup>: Hypocrites! - Matthew 23:1-8, 23-26; July 15<sup>th</sup>: Persistence Pays Off - Luke 18:1-8; July 22<sup>nd</sup>: Come In - Luke 13:22-30, and July 29<sup>th</sup>: Join the Party – Luke 14:15-24. There is no Open Sunday School for the month of July.

## **EYEGLOSS COLLECTION**

Do you have glasses laying around that you haven't worn in years? Have you traded up to a new style of glasses? The Recreation Ministry will sponsor the MIEYES Collection of eye glasses. This effort will be held today – Sunday, August 5<sup>th</sup>. Your donations will be given to the Lions Club to be distributed to children and adults in the cities of Hampton and Newport News. Please bring your old glasses and place them in the bins located near the church entrances. Thank you in advance for your donations!

## **SOUP KITCHEN**

The FBCH Soup Kitchen will not take place on Tuesday, July 10<sup>th</sup>. However, the FBCH Soup Kitchen will resume on Tuesday, July 17<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 a.m.

## **SOUP KITCHEN/CLOTHING TREE**

The FBCH Soup Kitchen will continue throughout the spring and summer months. As a result, the J.C. Patterson Missionary Society is seeking donations of men's and women's spring and summer clothing. All donations may be dropped off on Tuesdays at 11:00 a.m. in the Activity Center. Donations may also be dropped off in the Administrative Office during normal business hours.

## **YOUTH ACHIEVEMENTS**

First Baptist Church of Hampton is proud of our youth! Parents, do you have an amazing youth? We want to hear about them. Please send us an email along with a photograph, telling us just how amazing your child is. Their achievement can be academic, athletic, spiritual, or personal. First Baptist wants to celebrate and acknowledge their accomplishments. Your child's achievements, along with a photograph, will run on the church monitors for one month. To have your child featured for the month of August, please submit your email, with photograph, by 5:00 p.m. Sunday, July 15<sup>th</sup>. All information received after Sunday, July 15<sup>th</sup>, will be displayed during the month of September. As this is an ongoing celebration of our youth, submissions should be submitted by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month to be displayed the following month. Please send all emails to [youthachievements@thefbch.org](mailto:youthachievements@thefbch.org) to participate.

## **HABITAT FOR HUMANITY – TIME TO ROLL UP YOUR SLEEVES**

It's Time for the First Family to Share God's Love Through our Habitat Faith Build Mission Project. The next First Baptist Church of Hampton Faith Build Day is scheduled for:

**213 Union Street in Hampton  
Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup> – 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

We are recruiting volunteers to come out and help build. Volunteers don't need prior construction experience. Instruction is provided and volunteers are never required to do any work they're uncomfortable doing. Just come out with a positive attitude and a willingness to learn. Please stop by the Activity Center after our Morning Worship Service each Sunday to receive information

and to sign up. You may also sign up to volunteer by emailing your name and telephone number to [habitat@thefbch.org](mailto:habitat@thefbch.org).

### **HABITAT FOR HUMANITY – FAITH BUILD**

If you have not already purchased square footage in the Habitat for Humanity Faith Build, there is still time! Square footage may be purchased “In Honor Of” or “In Memory Of” a loved one. Each square foot is \$62.50, and there are 1,500 square feet available for purchase. Footage may be purchased each Sunday in the Activity Center following the Morning Worship Service each Sunday through Sunday, July 29<sup>th</sup>. Orders may also be placed via the church website. When purchasing square footage, please ensure you include your envelope number, and write “Habitat for Humanity” on the memo line of the check. For additional information, please refer to the church website, or pick up the Habitat for Humanity information located at the Welcome Desk.

### **BACK TO SCHOOL FAIR**

First Baptist Church of Hampton is once again participating as one of the sites for the S.E.E.D.S. for Hampton’s Back to School Fair. The 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Back to School Family & Community Resource Fair will take place on Saturday, August 11, 2018 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Activity Center for youth in grades Kindergarten through High School. Doors open & check-in will begin at 10:00 a.m. Information sessions will start at 11:00 a.m. Students must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. However, parents may attend without their children. *Parents must attend at least TWO information sessions to receive lunch & school supplies.* Distribution is on a first-come, first-served basis.

School supply items, book bags, and monetary donations will be accepted today through Sunday, July 29<sup>th</sup> in the Activity Center following the Morning Worship Service. Donations may also be dropped in the Church Office. If you have questions, please contact Superintendent Vera Powell. Thank you in advance for your continued support.

### **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

We are still seeking members to join our Board of Trustees. Applications, including qualification and duties of Trustees, are available in the Administrative Office. Please submit completed applications to the Administrative Office. Should you have any questions, please contact Trustee Mary Quarles at (757) 851-6879.

### **CHURCH PHOTOGRAPHS**

Do you or your ministries have exciting and current photographs from church events? If so, we would like to hear from you. We are requesting that you contribute pictures from your mobile phone, iPad, tablets and cameras that we can place on the website showing the vibrant activities here at our church. Please contact our Audio Visual Director, Brother John Brooks at [jbrooks@thefbch.org](mailto:jbrooks@thefbch.org) or 757-723-0988, extension 20.

### **TEXT MESSAGE ALERTS**

If you would like to receive alerts via text message regarding emergencies, church closures, or schedule changes, please submit your cell phone number to the Administrative Office. Thank you in advance for your participation.

### **DRIVERS NEEDED**

The Transportation Ministry is seeking qualified drivers. Bus drivers must possess a CDL Permit and van drivers must have a valid Driver’s License. For additional, information contact Deacon William Hooper at (757) 717-8517.

## **BACKGROUND CHECKS**

Please be aware, any member who wishes to serve in any capacity with our youth *must* have an up-to-date background check on file here at the church. There are no exceptions. For additional information, please contact the Administrative Office.

## **EMAIL ADDRESSES**

If you do not receive the “What’s Going on at FBCH?” email on Thursday evenings, we do not have a current email address on file for you. Please contact the Administrative Office to have your email address added to the church database. In addition, if you are a Verizon customer who has recently switched their email address to an AOL email address, please contact the office with your updated information.

## **BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY GROUP SESSIONS**

The FBCH Bereavement Ministry is in session. The ministry meets every Thursday, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. This ministry is designed to minister to those who are grieving the passing of a loved one. We provide compassionate support to enhance your journey towards healing and wholeness. If you are experiencing grief, or know of someone who can benefit from this ministry, please contact Reverend Delrose Reynolds-Porter at (757) 848-3212. “I will turn their mourning into joy, and will comfort them, and make them rejoice from their sorrow” (Jeremiah 31:13, KJV).

## **YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL**

“Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth” (2 Timothy 2:15). In case you haven’t heard, Ministry in Motion, the Young Adult Sunday School class, is in session! We are inviting all young adults to join us as we seek, study, and share God’s word. Class meets every Sunday in Room 307 at 9:15 a.m. We look forward to exploring God’s word with you!

## **PARKING**

Please do not park in the fire lane, or any areas around the church that are designated as “No Parking.” The Hampton City Police Department will issue citations accordingly. First Baptist Church of Hampton *will not* reimburse members for any parking citations. Thank you in advance for your compliance.