Dear Church Family,

Am I walking with God, spreading His gospel and planting the seed of redemption to those around me? Return to God; start listening to Him through His Word, talk to Him in prayer, and begin sharing the gospel with others!

**“Let us examine and probe our ways, and let us return to the Lord.” (Lamentations 3:40)**

**Church events are on the website, the announcement slides, or they are highlighted in the weekly Sunday announcement video.**

* Youth Ministries Parent Meeting, Sunday at noon in the gym. You will receive important information about upcoming events. Lunch is provided; please contact Kristal Turpin, kturpin@fbcdickson.org to RSVP that you and your family plan to attend.
* P.I.G.S. needed! Regular practices will resume Wednesday, August 17th beginning at 5:30 pm. Everyone that is 5th grade and above are welcome to join us in the puppet trailer.
* Invite your friends and family back to church: **Roundup Sunday**, **August 28th** – Donuts and coffee will be available to all. Return to Worship!

**Church Schedule:** Sunday Morning: *Sermon series:* ***Blessed Assurance: The self-deceived live in false assurance. 1 John 2:4*** The one who says, “I have come to know Him,” and does not keep His commandments, is a liar, and the truth is not in him.

**Regular Worship:** at 9 AM and 10:30 AM in the Sanctuary. The 10:30 AM service will be livestreamed via Facebook and YouTube.

Sunday School classes are available for all ages: at 8:00 AM (adults only), 9:00 AM (all ages), and 10:30 AM (for adults and Preschool). Find a place in small group and connect to great opportunities.

**Wednesday Evening Schedule: August 17, 2022**

* **Bible studies** for all ages
	+ Bible Study for all ages in the sanctuary at 6:30 pm – Series – The Blessing of Christian Character
	+ Disciplelife Classes- Hallway C begin at 6:30 pm
* **Children’s Activities**: **Children’s Activities**: 6:30 pm Mission Friends, RA’s & GA’s; childcare for birth through ages 3. Pastor Ken Metcalf, Children’s Minister.
* **Student Activities**: 6:30 pm Bible Study in the Conference Center. Pastor Tim Hopper, Student Minister
* **Choir Rehearsal –** 6:30 pm in the choir room

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| **Attendance for the week of August 7, 2022.*** **Sunday – 8.7.2022**
	+ **Worship- 536 in person**

45 households online * + **Sunday School – 531**

**Tuesday Bible Studies- 8.9.22*** **Attendance:** 45

**Wednesday – 8.10.2022*** **Attendance:** 324
* **Online households**: 15
* **Nursing Home Service**: 19, Speaker: Jimmy Drake

**Offerings: 8.7.2022** * Total offerings received - **$53,500.60**
* Sacred Trust**: $675.00**

***If you cannot attend worship in person, remember that on-line giving is available for your tithes and offerings.***  |

**Blessings to you and yours! Thank you for your faithfulness. First Baptist Staff, Deacons & Committees**