From My Heart to Yours

Dear Church Family,

What a Sunday we had last week! Some reflections: We welcomed Kevin and Annah Dunaway into our church membership. We witnessed their daughter, Isabellah's profession of faith. We also witnessed Natalie Freeny's profession of faith. We look forward to their baptismal service. Coach O'Hara's moving testimony had a great start when Jeff Henning shared his testimony and challenge as an introduction for Coach. Wow! I rarely look at previous services, but I will look at that one and remember how God put that day all together. Glory to God!

Our *Casa de Fe* Lunch fundraiser was remarkable. Three years ago, this began to help offset the extra salary payment Ecuador requires all employers to pay workers in August. (*'Tis The Season* was started many years ago to help with the extra payment they require in December.) Bro. Joe Davis and Connie Hodges led this effort. Since their retirement and move to other cities, someone had to step up. Thank the Lord, Doc and Claris Westbrook did! And they led a great group of workers well. Thank you for your generous donations. \$7,734.22 was raised. This is the second highest amount for this fundraiser.

In our *Put To The Test* Rally last Sunday night, all seven area football teams and cheerleading squads came, led by their coaches and Fellowship of Christian Athletes sponsors. It was an incredible night. I was proud of our area football coaches! Attendance exceeded our expectation and 7 students made first time commitments to Jesus Christ as Lord. We had 69 students recommit their lives to Jesus Christ as Lord. Afterward, we fed them a great meal. There were plenty of teams in the church house that night, but I could not have been prouder of Team FBC Brookhaven: Coach Bud O'Hara, Jeff Henning, Kathy Walker, Chris Layton and the Band, Nick Wolfe, Nathan Wells and the Media Ministry, Jeff Doremus, Danny Chatman, Desmond Henderson, our Church Staff, Farm Bureau Insurance Agents led by Chuck Owens and the host of volunteers serving meals and setting up chairs. When you see them, thank them; they are making a real difference for Christ!

Now we turn to a new sermon series – *Fullness*. I am asking every member, every boy and girl, to join me in memorizing a favorite psalm. Which one? Now open you Bibles to...

People of the Word...People of Prayer

I love you in the Lord, Bro. Greg

Dear Church Family,

In my 20+ year calling of being a worship leader, I can't recall a more worshipful summer than we have had at FBC Brookhaven in 2018. I have been so encouraged and I am so thankful to be a part of a church who is committed to worship. Throughout the past 6-8 weeks we have had so many opportunities to come together as a church family to bring praise to God. Thank you for your faithfulness to the Kingdom. Keep it going!

Some thoughts on worship:

Worship is about God. When we convene to sing together about God it is in our best interest to be fully informed and as precise as possible about what we sing about Him. He demands and deserves truth.

Worship is for God. God uses the worship of His people to draw others to Himself. The easiest way to evangelize is to set your affections on Christ during worship and give Him all. Unbelievers are watching you.

Worship is to God. There is nothing more worthwhile in worship than for the individual and the church to address their praise and offering to God. There are times to sit and listen. But our time is better spent participating in the active praise of God almighty.

These are the priorities that guide me as a worshipper and as your worship pastor.

I love you all more than you know! Pastor Nick

ROCK SOLID

Wednesdays at 6:15 p.m. In the Student Worship Center The doors and Grill will open at 4:45 p.m.

D-GROUPS

Sunday, August 26th at 5:00 p.m. In the Family Life Center

*D-groups will not meet Sunday, September 2nd.

Text **FBCBROOK**

to 95577

to receive important reminders and information from our Student Ministry.





Kids Choir Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m.

Registration for Kids Choir is open for children grades 1-6.
Cost is \$10 per child and includes a T-shirt.

Register at **fbcbrookhaven.org** under events.

FALL CLASSES BEGINNING SOON

Mom Time "Lord, Heal My Hurts"

Beginning Wednesday, September 5th, 5:30 p.m. Led by Gearlene Chandler



<u>Ladies Thursday Morning Bible Study</u> Begins Thursday, September 6th 9:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall

Precept Study: *The Gospel of John Part III*The True Vine... One with Him

Cost: \$20 for book

Nursery will be provided. Do not miss this rich study!



<u>Sundays@5</u> - Begins Sunday, September 9th Classes for all ages!

- Preschool and Children classes
- Student D-Groups
- Worship 101 led by Bro. Nick Wolfe
- Growing Your Faith in the Inspired Word of God led by Dr. Bill Sones
- Idol Addiction by Julie Sparkman led by Theresa Sones
- Legacy Worship with Rev. Greg Warnock

Dear Church Family,

We have received the resignation letter from Missy Kilpatrick as our Children's Ministry director. We deeply appreciate Missy's service to our church. Her resignation will be effective on September 1, 2018. We are grateful that Missy and her family are remaining in our church and she will be working in our children's ministry as a volunteer. The Personnel committee will be exploring the direction for this position.

Dr. Bill Sones, Jr. Chairman – Personnel Committee

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Kevin DunawayBy Letter
Annah DunawayBy Letter
Isabellah Dunaway By Baptism
Natalie Freeny By Baptism
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We would like to extend our sympathies to the following:

- Pat Allen & family in the death of her mother, Rosalind Black.
- Sandra Gerald & family in the death of her sister, Judy Terry.

We have received the following and placed it on the bulletin board in the hallway by the church office:

- A thank you from the Ralph Allgood family.
- A thank you from Stanton Baptist Church.

WEEKLY STATS FOR 8/19/2018

Sunday School Attendance: 559
On Campus: 451
Off Campus: 108

Wkly Budget Required: \$34,614.00 Wkly Budget Received: \$22,190.50

HOW CAN I BECOME A MEMBER OF FBC?

- 1. Believer's Baptism: Trusting Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior and following Him in believer's baptism by immersion.
- 2. Transfer of Letter: Moving your membership from another Baptist church.
- 3. Statement of Faith: Affirming your commitment to Christ and participation in believer's baptism by immersion.

If you have any questions or if you would like more information on joining the FBC Brookhaven family, just call the church office at 601.833.5118.

FBC Activities

Sunday, August 26

8:30 a.m. Praise Team Rehearsal 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship 5:00 p.m. Legacy Worship 5:00 p.m. D-Groups

Monday, August 27

1:30 p.m. Cords of Love

Wednesday, August 29

4:45 p.m. Supper is Served 5:30 p.m. Kids Choir 5:45 p.m. Prayer Meeting 6:15 p.m. Rock Solid 6:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

DEACONS ON CALL

August 26-Septemb	er 1, 2018
Sam Sones	833-357
Jeff Richardson	835-790
Ryan Holmes	823-921

JOB OPENING

The Personnel Committee is now receiving resumes from church members for the job of Church Administrator.

This will be opened to the public on August 27th. If you are interested and would like to receive a job description, please contact Ann Dunbar at (601) 833-5118.

Attn: Ann Dunbar FBC Brookhaven PO Box 589 Brookhaven, MS 39602-0589 Or Email: ann@fbcbrookhaven.org

Resumes can be sent to:

EXTENDED SESSION

August 26, 2018

Bed Babies - Room 102

Renee Hutson, Becky Jackson

Creepers - Room 104

Terry Fisher, Erin Culpepper

Toddlers - Room 105

Sonya Moore, Gearlene Chandler

Two Year Olds

Scotty & Lindsey Smith

Three Year Olds

Jay & Missy Kilpatrick

Four Year Olds

Stan & Sarah Foster

Morning Worship Sermon Notes

First Baptist Church Brookhaven, Mississippi

Morning Worship August 26, 2018, 10:45 a.m.

Broadcast over WMJU 104.3 FM at 10:45 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
Telecast over Cable Ch. 72 at 10:45 a.m.
Website: www.fbcbrookhaven.org / Email: info@fbcbrookhaven.org

Opportunities for Service Dr. Jeff Doremus Prelude "I Know Whom Have Believed" Dr. Roy Daughdrill **Baptism** Candidates Call to Worship "Come Thou Fount Come Thou King" Congregation Welcome and Prayer Rev. Greg Warnock Meet and Greet Congregation "Yes and Amen" Worship Offering First Worship Choir "No Other Fount" Mr. Jeff Richardson Worship in Giving Tithes and Offerings Offertory Prayer Offertory The Message Rev. Greg Warnock **Invitation Hymn** "Nothing but the Blood" Congregation The Benediction Prayer Postlude "Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation" Dr. Roy Daughdrill

Please join us at 5:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall for Legacy Worship and hear a message from Rev. Greg Warnock.

Hymns: "Nothing but the Blood", "Heaven Came Down", "Lead Me to Calvary", "Softly and Tenderly"

