

NEWS & VIEWS OF WILLIAMS

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"Let us remember that, as much has been given us, much will be expected from us, and that true homage comes from the heart as well as from the lips, and shows itself in deeds."

– Theodore Roosevelt

By the time November arrives it feels as if the pace of the year has quickened. The final heat of the summer seems a distant memory. The trees have turned their brilliant colors. The days are short. The nights are cool. More than anything else, though, with the end of the Halloween sugar rush comes the holiday rush to the New Year. For us here at Williams, Homecoming marks the beginning of that holiday rush. Before we get swept up, however, there's still a lot going on in the life of our congregation this month.

For starters, on **Saturday, November 9th** a group of us will be heading down to Perry County to help with several projects for our mission partner through Alabama CBF, Sowing Seeds of Hope. Frances Ford, the director of Sowing Seeds of Hope, is thankful for our partnership and hands-on approach to helping with her work there. If you're interested in going with us let me know ASAP. We'll leave early that morning (around 6:00 AM), and be back that night.

The next morning, **Sunday, November 10th**, we will gather for worship and celebrate the baptism of Samuel Duncan. It is always a joyous time when we can gather by the waters of baptism, and we will rejoice with Samuel and his family. We will also celebrate communion in worship that morning, and I invite you to reflect on your own baptism and your thankfulness to God as we gather around the table of Christ.

On **Wednesday, November 20th**, we will have our annual Thanksgiving meal. This will certainly be a great time of fellowship. There will be no dinner or mid-week activities the next Wednesday night, but we will begin decorating the church for Advent/Christmas that week, so be looking for announcements and information about times and opportunities to help us get ready for Advent.

These are just a few of the great things we have going on here at Williams this month. I pray you will find ways to be involved in all we have going on, and that we will find our way into Advent and a new liturgical year with energy and our hope in Christ.

Grace and Peace,
Chris

Ministry & Missions Budget

Needs	Receipts
Monthly \$ 26,006.68	\$ 20,075.00
Year to Date \$ 253,565.13	\$ 227,912.03

TOTALS ARE THROUGH 10/27/2019

"A special thank you to each and every one of you for your monetary support and hard work that enables First Baptist Church of Williams to touch lives by sharing the love of Jesus". ~Finance Committee

COUNTING COMMITTEE FOR NOVEMBER

Matt McFall & Wendy Ponder

GREETERS & USHERS FOR NOVEMBER

Lamar & Diane Freeman Samuel & Levi Duncan

JACKSONVILLE CHRISTIAN OUTREACH CENTER

Our church is scheduled to provide the following items to the J.C.O.C. for the month of **NOVEMBER**: Jiffy Mixes, Spaghetti Sauce, Pasta and Sugar. Please take your donated items DIRECTLY TO the JCOC located just behind McDonalds.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday

Sunday School	9:00 am
Morning Worship	10:00 am
Choir Practice	4:00 pm

Tuesday

Bible Study	10:00 am
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Wednesday

Supper	5:30 pm
Devotion	6:00 pm

ADULT GET-TOGETHER

The Thursday night Adult Get-togethers this month will be held on Nov 7th and Nov 21st at 6pm. Bring your favorite finger foods and join them for an evening of food, fun and fellowship.

FOOD PANTRY

Our food pantry distribution will be held on Friday, November 22nd at 3:00pm.



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE

NURSERY HELPERS

- Nov 3 Kari Haynes
- Nov 10 Sharon Williams
- Nov 17 Jamie Davis
- Nov 24 Bonnie Johnson

Nursery helpers will assist one of our regular nursery workers each Sunday morning for Sunday School and Worship. Our regular nursery workers are: Terri Harris and Sharon Williams. Nursery Helpers if you need to reschedule your day to work, please contact Nikki Haynes.

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3 & 4-YEAR OLD HELPERS

- Nov 3 Gracie Davis
- Nov 10 Samantha Preston & Abi Brock
- Nov 17 Candace Burns & Haley Stephens
- Nov 24 Katrina & Wrynne Lipscomb

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CHILDREN'S CHURCH

- Nov 3 IN CHURCH
- Nov 10 Kate Hamby & Lauren Whitaker
- Nov 17 Nikki Haynes
- Nov 24 Nikki Haynes

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CHILDREN'S STORY

- Nov 3 Marleah Blades
- Nov 10 Chris Thomas
- Nov 17 Nikki Haynes
- Nov 24 Lynnelle Barker

WEDNESDAY SUPPER

- Nov 6 Hamburgers, Hotdogs, Chips & Dessert
- Nov 13 Lasagna, Salad, Bread & Dessert
- Nov 20 Thanksgiving Meal
- Nov 27 NO SUPPER - Thanksgiving



NOVEMBER 2019

FBC WILLIAMS CALENDAR

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