

# First Baptist Church of Bethany

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**Widow/Widowers Banquet**  
**Saturday, October 6**  
**5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall**  
**Please RSVP (789-3312) by**  
**Monday, October 1**

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## Special points of interest:

- Edna McMillan State Mission Offering—Our Goal: \$5,000 Received: \$4,090.25
- Blood Drive
- Fall Festival
- Children's Dept. Open House

## Nursery Volunteers & Ushers

### Nursery Volunteers

#### October 7—Sunday Morning

Ora Lee Mell, Lydia Jackson, Tresa de la Cruz,  
Gloria Peck

#### October 14—Sunday Morning

Mattie Gordon, Carolyn Kennedy, Peggy Wheeler

### Ushers

#### October 7

Howard Hanes, Jim Holman, Terry McFarland,  
Steve Shed

#### October 14

Dean Kennedy, Terry McFarland, Steve Shed



Blood Drive

Monday, October 8

1:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Please call 1-877-340-8777

To make an appointment



We want to express our sympathy to the family of Lester LaRue.



Thank you Church Family for your prayers, visits, cards and the love you have shown us when John was in the hospital. Our church is special to us.

Thank you, Bro. Charlie, Josh, and others who visited John....too many to mention.

In Christian Love

John & Corene Sharp

Come Join Us  
for an  
**OPEN HOUSE**

Children's Department

OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, October 14th

9:00—9:30 a.m.



Fall Festival

Sunday, October 28

5:00 to 6:30 pm

Individually wrapped candy needed!

## »» FROM THE Youth Pastor »»

October is here and brought with it the cooler temperatures that some of us have been craving. With October comes Fall, and Fall means that our Student and Children's ministries are in full swing. With these happenings I would like to highlight a few opportunities we have for serving with our students.

In our Children's and Preschool areas we would love to have adult leaders spend time with our students on Wednesdays at TeamKids. There is a need for room teachers as well as room helpers. One of our biggest areas of need is for adult men to come and invest in our children. Most of our students come from a home where there is not a good fatherly example present in the home and this could be a great opportunity to display that for them.

A need has also arose in the area of our new and flourishing children's church time on Sunday mornings. The children have a time of worship, teaching, missions and games. As an added bonus, sometimes they even have a snack that you can have with them!

Sunday mornings we have a need in our preschool areas for Sunday school teachers and extended session workers.

One very exciting thing we can't wait to share with you is our Children's Ministry Open House! It will be on Sunday, October 14th in the children's Sunday school rooms. Come see the recently renovated classrooms, talk with the volunteers in that department and enjoy some delicious snacks they will have provided. We will start at 9am and go until 9:30.

In our Youth ministry we would love to have you come down on a Wednesday and help pour into the lives of students. We have students who crave attention and time from adults and those older than them. They don't care about age or hobbies or what you look like, the biggest thing you can give them is time.

We also have a great area of need on Sunday Mornings for a Sunday school teacher and small group leader.

These are just a few of the many areas we have in these departments in which you can serve. Above all of these, an area anyone can help with is prayer. You have heard me mention time and time again that our students are facing challenges today in areas you wouldn't believe. We have seen lives transformed and students changed, and I think we can attribute that to the prayers I know those in the church have lifted up.

If you have a desire to serve in one of these areas or would just like to visit more about our Children's and Student ministries, please just let me know!

Josh Veitch

# October 2018

	<b>1</b> <b>10 am Bag Ladies</b>  <b>6pm Side-walk Ministry</b>	<b>2</b> <b>10 am Women on Mission</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> <b>9 am Mobile Meals</b>  <b>10 am Neighborhood Clothing Room</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>   <b>5:30 p.m. Widow/Widower Banquet in Fellowship Hall</b>
<b>7</b> <b>4pm Shekinah's Rehearsal</b>  <b>6pm Orchestra Rehearsal</b>  <b>6pm Finance Committee</b>	<b>8</b> <b>10 am Bag Ladies</b>  <b>1:30—5pm Blood Drive</b> <b>6pm Side-walk Ministry</b>	<b>9</b> <b>6:30 pm Random Diners</b>  <b>CBA Annual Meeting at Brookwood Baptist Church (SW 89th &amp; Walker)</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>  <b>9 am Mobile Meals</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b> <b>9 am Children's Dept. Open House</b> <b>4pm Shekinah's Rehearsal</b> <b>6pm Finance Committee Mtg.</b> <b>6pm Youth Fellowship at the Graham's</b>	<b>15</b> <b>10 am Bag Ladies</b>  <b>6pm Side-walk Ministry</b>	<b>16</b> <b>10 am Women on Mission</b>  <b>10 am LOL</b>	<b>17</b> <b>No Team Kids—Fall Break</b>	<b>18</b> <b>9 am Mobile Meals</b>  <b>10 am Neighborhood Clothing Room</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b> <b>4pm Shekinah's Rehearsal</b>  <b>4pm Property &amp; Space</b>  <b>6pm Orchestra Rehearsal</b>	<b>22</b> <b>10 am Bag Ladies</b>  <b>6pm Side-walk Ministry</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> <b>9am Mobile Meals</b>	<b>26</b> <b>2pm LINC Birthday party at Grace Living Ctr.</b>  <b>7pm Hispanic Prayer time</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b> <b>5pm Fall Festival</b>	<b>29</b> <b>10 am Bag Ladies</b>  <b>6pm Side-walk Ministry</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> <b>No Team Kids</b>			