



The Messenger

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY, SEPT. 21	MONDAY, SEPT. 22	TUESDAY, SEPT. 23	WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 24	THURSDAY, SEPT. 25	FRIDAY, SEPT. 26	SATURDAY, SEPT. 27
8:00 Worship 9:30 Sunday School 10:45 Worship 5:00 Fall Bible Studies 5:00 Choirs/Missions		10:00 Ladies Joy Class 6:00 King's Kids	5:00 Golden Notes 6:00 Prayer Meeting 6:00 Youth Kinect 6:45 Church Choir			
SUNDAY, SEPT. 28	MONDAY, SEPT. 29	TUESDAY, SEPT. 30	WEDNESDAY, OCT. 1	THURSDAY, OCT. 2	FRIDAY, OCT. 3	SATURDAY, OCT. 4
8:00 Worship 9:30 Sunday School 10:45 Worship 5:00 Fall Bible Studies 5:00 Choirs/Missions	Senior Adult Branson Trip Sept 29-Oct 3	10:00 Ladies Joy Class 6:00 King's Kids	5:00 Golden Notes 6:00 Prayer Meeting 6:00 Youth Kinect 6:45 Church Choir			4:00-6:00 Fall Festival

SCRIPTURE FOR SEPTEMBER

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths. Proverbs 3:5-6 (NKJV)

SCRIPTURE FOR OCTOBER

And above all things have fervent love for one another, for "love will cover a multitude of sins." 1 Peter 4:8 (NKJV)

GIVING THEIR TIME AND TALENT

Deacons On Call

Sept 21: Scott Webster, Neil Buschman
Sept 28: Mike Brown, Michael Guy

Sunday Morning Nursery

Sept 21: Reagan Thornton, Morgan Brown
Sept 28: Hannah May, Pam Heartsill

Nursery Volunteers Needed!

FACTS & FIGURES

Budget Needs Weekly 23,995.27
8/31/2025
Budget Giving 17,747.03
Designated Giving..... 3,595.00
Budget Giving YTD 457,135.86
Building Debt 875.00
Sunday School..... 157
8:00 AM Worship..... 107
10:45 AM Worship..... 193

9/07/2025

Budget Giving 32,888.88
Designated Giving 3,101.50
Budget Giving YTD 490,024.74
Building Debt 2,145.00
Sunday School 204
8:00 AM Worship..... 125
10:45 AM Worship..... 275



Pastor's Thoughts Dr. Rusty J. Sowell

This past Sunday, we talked about going through different Seasons. Like a calm moment to a very rough moment. A Season that can last from a few weeks to a few years. This old world, as we know it, is definitely going through a Season of the manifestation of evil and darkness, even for our community, from Auburn to Beauregard, having experienced the horrific taking of innocent lives. And to be more than somewhat transparent, for our church family, the level of sickness, as in those who are fighting a life-threatening disease. Our Lord has been and will continue to be faithful, as He is a "Very present help in our time of trouble." And to make my point clear, we need each other as a church family, we are a family, one that pulls together, and lifts each other up through the seasons of trouble. We pray for each other, and we seek to be there for each other. That's who we are and will continue to be. I trust to see you in church this Sunday.

Assoc. Pastor-Student/Media Ministry

Rev. Chuck Adams chuck9587@yahoo.com

Spiritual transformation is God's work of changing a believer into the likeness of Jesus by creating in them a new identity in Christ and by empowering them through a lifelong relationship of love, trust, and obedience to the glory God. Spiritual transformation can happen through many different venues like church worship attendance, discipleship classes, Sunday School, personal devotion times that include scripture reading, etc. but notice that all of these are active events...meaning that it requires that you act on your own behalf. The believer must work their faith, not unlike a gardener works his soil to prepare it for the seeds, with hard work, a little sweat, and a heart full of love for the coming harvest. Here at PBC we have many opportunities for you to cultivate transformation in your life of faith so grab a hold of one and grow toward the harvest to the glory of God!!

Wednesday Night Youth Kinect is back in full swing.

Annual Fall Festival

Saturday, October 4

4:00-6:00 pm

Activities for all ages

Games! Prizes!

Entertainment for Everyone!

Free Hotdogs, Chili,
and More!



Starting

September 28

Collecting gift-filled
shoeboxes

So, if you are the parent, grandparent, or even great grand parent of a 7th -12th grader get them here however you must!! Our main focus for the year will be discipleship and the result of a transformed life. So, get your favorite teen to church on Wednesday night at 6:00 - 8:00.

There are several opportunities for discipleship on Sunday nights here at PBC. There are classes for children and adults. One of these classes my wife Karesa and I along with Nick and Ali Ray will be teaching is titled "The Art of Parenting, Aiming Your Child's Heart Toward God" We will begin at 4:30 p.m. and end at 6:30 p.m. every Sunday night beginning Sept. 21st. So, if you are a parent, are planning on becoming a parent, or are just interested in parenting please come and join us. There will be childcare available.

If you have any questions please contact me: 334-745-4608 or email me at chuck9587@yahoo.com