

Charlie's Corner

"Blessing of the Backpacks" – I want to thank **Maria** for getting the tags together for the Backpacks. If you weren't here this past Sunday, see **Maria** on Wednesday Nights or Sundays so you can have a tag for your Backpack. **Jacob** has tags for the older students as well.

Deacon Election – Mark your calendars for Sunday week, **August 22nd** as we select Deacons for the coming Church Year. Use the sample ballot to prayerfully consider who you will select. The folks highlighted on the sample ballot are either rotating off the Board this year or will be serving again for the coming year. If you will be out of town on **Sunday, August 22nd**, come by the Church to vote absentee.

"Back to School" – I shared this news a few Wednesday Nights ago and again with the Deacons this past week, but I wanted to let you know about another student that was heading back to school.

Starting in September, I will begin working on my Doctorate of Ministry from Birmingham Theological Seminary.

My degree emphasis will be in Biblical Counseling. Pray for me, it's been 28+ years since I was a seminary student, Amen?!

This adventure will take about 3-4 years, but I believe it will make me a better and more understanding pastor and counselor.

Speaking of **"counseling"**, here's a funny I saw recently in a friend's newsletter: ***"Experts believe that one out of every four people in our country is mentally unbalanced. Think about that ... one out of every four. You don't have to take my word for it; you can prove it yourself. Here's what I want you to do. Think of your three best friends. Do they seem all right to you? Because if they do ... you must be the one."***

I hope that you'll join us this Sunday for Sunday School Promotion Day and then for worship as we continue in **Ephesians 5** as Paul wants our **"walk"** to show wisdom in our choices and decisions.

Beloved, it's going to be a great Lord's Day, but I believe the highlight will be dedicating **Mary Elizabeth O'Neal** to the Lord.

Mary Liz is the daughter of **Preston and Courtney O'Neal**.

It's gonna be a great day for them, their family, and our Church family – so I hope to see all of you here.

Blessings,
Charlie



We're hoping to pack 500+ boxes again this year at our packing party. We are short of some of the staple items. (Covid has hindered everyone from shopping as much.) Again, this year, we are asking for monetary donations to ensure that we reach our goal of 500 boxes. We will order these items in bulk through wholesalers. Any donations are appreciated. You can write a check to the church and add "FOR OCC" at the bottom of check on the memo line.

AUGUST 18th

Chicken & Rice Casserole



Hostesses:

Lori Schoenrock & Ginger Lewis

Our Record



Sunday School: 75
Offering: \$2,505.00



August

- 1...Bryan Potts
- 6...Ella Craker & Kevin Potts
- 8...Abby Smart
- 9...Jean Spiller
- 13...Phil Fikes
- 17...Kathy Colvin
- 20...Cindy Lewis
Shan Schoenrock
- 22...Betty Cameron
- 22...Josh Lewis
- 23...Carleigh Cameron
- 27...Lori Fikes
- 27...Walt Russell
- 31...Libby Strawn

Calendar

Sunday, August 15

9:45... Sunday School
11:00... Worship Service

Wednesday August 18

6:00 Fellowship Meal

Hostesses:

Lori Schoenrock
Ginger Lewis

6:45...Youth
6:45...Bible Buddies
6:45...Prayer Meeting



Deacons of the Week

Phil Gentry
Billy McKinzey

Deacon for August

Chase Gentry

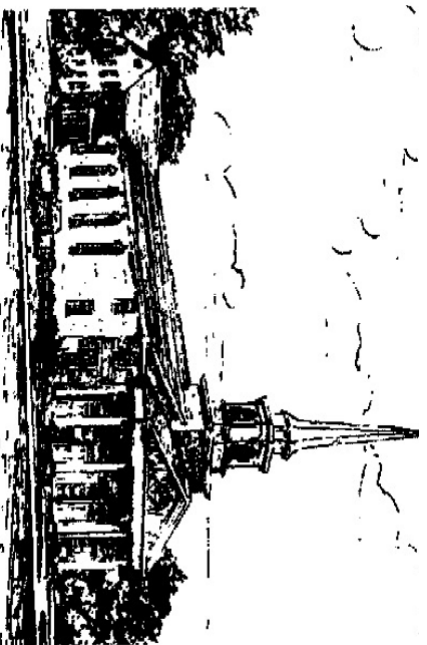
Aliceville First Baptist Church

323 Broad Street

Aliceville, AL 35442

U.S. Postage
Paid
Non-Profit Org.
Permit # 39
Aliceville, AL
35442

Pastor Rev. Charlie Wilson
Minister of Music Dr. Jed Smart
Minister of Youth Interim Jacob Acker
Minister of Children Interim Maria Colvin
Secretary Ann Harris
Church Phone: 373-8151 or 373-8126
Fax: 373-8622
E-Mail: office@alicevillefbc.org



The Broadcaster

Aliceville First Baptist Church
Aliceville, Alabama