

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

10/2/2022

Prelude of Praise

Baptism

Welcome/Greeting

Gideon Speaker/John Bandy

Worship

Message

God is _____

Matt. 6:25-34, Deut. 8:1-5, Joshua 1:3-6, 3:8

Wk3 Living without worry

Time of Decision

OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH

October is Pastor Appreciation month. We have some very deserving pastors who serve the McConnell family and this community. This is our opportunity to recognize them and show our appreciation for all that they do! Please take the time to send a card with your note of appreciation to them. There will be a basket for your cards at the Welcome Center each Sunday in October. How else can you honor your pastors? Prayer is huge. Pray for your pastors daily, in your own quiet time.

NOTES:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLEASE drop your connection cards in the buckets on your way out of the Sanctuary.

CANDY COLLECTION BEGINS TODAY

We are accepting donations of individually wrapped candy beginning today thru Oct 30th. Look for the bins located in the FLC, Drive-thru Portico Lobby and the Office Lobby. The Candy at the Fairgrounds community outreach is on Monday, 10/31 from 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm. Pastor Steve Awtrey and his Children's Team will be at booth #27. Stop by and say hello!

SUMMIT STUDENTS - PARENT/LEADER MEETING | 10/6

Summit Student PARENTS - our Small Group Leaders want to invite YOU to dinner with them on Thursday October 6th, at 6:00 pm, in The Lodge! This is a great opportunity to meet the ones engaging with your student every week, and to hear more about what is happening in our student ministry. Remember - this event is JUST FOR PARENTS! We can't wait to see you!

FIRST STEPS/NEW MEMBERS CLASS - 10/9

If you are new to the church or want information on joining the church, please join Pastor Steve & Pastor Danny as they share information about McConnell's vision. The class will be held on October 9th, at 11:45 a.m., in The Lodge immediately following the morning worship service. A light lunch will be served. **This class is a prerequisite for joining the church.** [Register online](#) or call the church office to register at 706-896-2281.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX KICKOFF | 10/9

Operation Christmas Child Shoebox will kickoff on Sunday, October 9th. Shoeboxes will be available in the Welcome Center area for you to take and fill for that very special child who will receive your gifts. Begin praying now for that child! Filled shoeboxes must be returned to the church by Sunday, November 13th so they can begin their journey! You can also Build a Shoebox online at <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/buildonline/>. This year to cover costs for collection, processing & shipping to over 100 countries, a \$10 donation per shoebox is requested. In addition, McConnell Church will also serve as a regional drop off center for Samaritan's Purse from November 14th through November 21st. Last year, we received and packed 1500 shoeboxes during this week! If you would like to serve in this ministry, contact Cheryl Peebles at mtns4me2@gmail.com or the church office at 706-896-2281.

MY ESTATE ROADMAP CLASS | 10/11 - 11/1

Would you like to make wise end-of-life healthcare decisions? Would you like to make life easier for your executor by better organizing your important information? If so, then please join us for four 90 minute sessions led by legal and medical professionals on Tuesday evenings, starting October 11 at 5:30 PM in the Family Life Center, Room 233. Signup at the Welcome Center or call the church office to register at 706-896-2281, or call Pat Turner at 770-617-9802.

New! PLACE: SPIRITUAL GIFTS INVENTORY CLASS | 10/29

There are a few more spots available for the PLACE - Spiritual Gifts Inventory Class. It will be held on Saturday, October 29th, 9 am - 4 pm in The Lodge. A signup sheet is at the Welcome desk or call the church office to register.

Weekly Activities 10/2 - 10/8

SUNDAY	8:15 a.m.	Band Rehearsal
	8:30 - 9:00 a.m.	Library Open (also before and after services)
	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School for ALL ages
	10:15 a.m.	Morning Worship Service/Baptism/Gideon Speaker
		Peak Kids Worship & Nursery Available
	5:00 p.m.	Pathfinders, YH College Students, The Lodge
	6:00 p.m.	Handwriting on the Wall Bible Study, FLC
MONDAY	10:00 a.m.	Prayer for the Country, #219-FLC
	11:00 a.m.	Prayer for Moral & Civic Concerns - #219-FLC
	3:00 p.m.	Awana Clubs/Awana Store, FLC
TUESDAY	7:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast, Mary's Southern Grill
	10:00 a.m.	Churchwide Prayer Group, #026-LL
	1:00 - 3:00 p.m.	Hope Room Clothes Closet, Open to public
	1:30 p.m.	Alzheimer's & Dementia Support Group, #219-FLC
WEDNESDAY	10:00 am - Noon	Library Open
	10:00 a.m.	Community Quilter's Group, #219-FLC
	3:00 - 7:30 p.m.	Summit Students - The Lodge
	5:15 - 5:45 p.m.	EDGE & Summit Family Meal, FLC
	5:30 - 6:00 p.m.	PEAK Kid's EDGE - Children's Dept.
	6:00 - 7:30 p.m.	Parents Small Group w/Pastor Danny, #234-FLC Nursery Available
	6:00 - 6:45 p.m.	Wednesday in the Word w/Pastor Steve, Worship Ctr.
	6:45 - 7:30 p.m.	Prayer Groups, TEL & Esther Classrooms
	6:45 - 8:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal, Choir Suite
THURSDAY	10:00 a.m.	GriefShare, FLC
	10:00 a.m.	WMU/Nannie Rose Tatham, #042-LL
	1:00 - 3:00 p.m.	Hope Room Clothes Closet, Open to Public
	6:00 p.m.	Summit Students Parent/Leader Dinner, The Lodge
	7:00 p.m.	ESL (English as 2nd Language), FLC

Pastoral Staff

Lead Pastor - Rev. Steven Taylor

Associate Pastor - Rev. Danny Byers

Associate Pastor/Children & Discipleship - Rev. Steve Awtrey

Associate Pastor of Students/Young Adults - Rev. Jeremy Pearson

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9/25/2022	Budget		Moving Mountains	
	Weekly	YTD	Weekly	Since last pmt.
Required	\$27,535.19	\$1,073,872.41	\$7,286.43	\$14,572.86
				To Date
Received	\$19,944.59	\$1,109,072.45	\$3,551.00	\$266,433.50
Mission GA Offering To Date: \$16,300.00				

