

A Glance at First



A Word from Your Pastor

Josh Chambers- Senior Pastor

Thank you for reading this brief newsletter!
We're excited about what God continues to do in and through His church here at First!

Please read through the newsletter to see upcoming events and updates. I ask that you join me in praying for the Lord to continue to build His church here in Monroe City.

Equipping Class: Discipleship

MAY 31 | 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM

Join us on May 31 for a special time focused on *discipleship*. In this session, we'll explore what it truly means to be a disciple of Jesus & how we're called to disciple others.

Whether you're new to discipleship or looking to deepen your understanding and practice, this class will provide biblical foundations, practical guidance, and encouragement for living out Christ's Great Commission. A sign-up is posted on the church's bulletin board by the church offices.



EQUIPPING CLASS

DISCIPLESHIP

Happy Mother's Day!



Please join us for a Mother's Day breakfast, **Sunday, May 11 @ 8:00 am.**
Everyone is invited!

Deacons of the Month

- Richard Harrison
- Roger Pennewell



Meeting

MAY 19 | 6:00 PM

Place: FBC Monroe City

Hostess: Joan Stone

Program: Alice Porter



Wednesday Night Bible Study

EVERY WEDNESDAY | 6 PM

Adults, please join us on Wednesday nights at 6 pm as we open God's Word, study, and fellowship together. We hope you can join us! Our final study before summer will be May 14th!



College:

- Abbigail Smith, HLGU, Bachelor's in Early Childhood & Elementary Educaiton

Graduate Recognition

Please join us in congratulating this year's graduates! "Graduate Recognition" will be May 18th during the morning service.

8th Grade:

- Carter McNeil
- Christian Osborn
- Addiline Smith
- Ashley Studer
- Konnor Tabor
- Sydney Tabor

12th Grade:

- Cahlin Chapman
- Grady Cowan
- Avery Johnson
- Ryan Moss
- Olivia Shaw

We put together an Amazon Wish list again this year to try to make purchasing easier for those of you who like to shop Amazon.

These are suggested items that we hope to pack in our shoeboxes and are less expensive when purchased in bulk.

You will find this list on our Facebook page-Shoebox Ministry-FBC of Monroe City.

You will also find a list of printed needs on the shelf by the office. You may place donations in the red tub by the bulletin board.

Thanks for making a difference in the life of a child!



Hannibal ‘Options for Women’ Baby Bottle Campaign

You are invited to participate in a Bottle Campaign for The Options for Women Pregnancy Center during the month of May. Options for Women is located at 7A Northwest Plaza in Hannibal, MO.

Baby bottles will be in the church foyer Sunday, May 4th. Please take one per family. Fill the bottle with cash, coins, or check and return to the church Sunday, June 1st.

Make checks payable to Options for Women with a memo ‘Hannibal’. Please give the filled bottle to one of the church staff.

The mission of Options for Women is to confidentially help those facing abortion and parenting decisions in Northeastern Missouri through free clinical, material, educational, emotional, and spiritual support required to make Christ-centered lifestyle choices.

To learn more about Options for Women, go to supportlife573.com or call (573)- 213-5119. You may also contact Anita Groner at (573)- 231-6754.



May Birthdays

LET'S CELEBRATE OUR MEMBERS!

- May 1- Karen Pope
- May 4- Tyler Bennett
- May 5- Wayne Porter
- May 7- Patrick Johnson
- May 8- Cash Hawker
- May 9- Avery Johnson
- May 11- Kelley Cowan
- May 17- Ethan Moss
- May 20- Zach Franklin
- May 22- Alyssa Long
- May 29- Anita Groner
- May 30- Titus Chambers
- May 30- Cahlin Chapman



FBC Prayer Chain

HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?

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