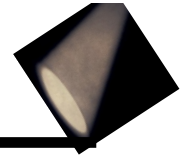


THE SBC SPOTLIGHT



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Wednesdays:

NO Chimes Rehearsal In June
5p-6p Adult Choir Rehearsal
6:30p-7:15p
Adult Bible Study

Sundays:

9:45am Sunday School
11am Worship
6pm Ladies Bible Study

DEACON OF THE WEEK:

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| June 4 | Andy Cook |
| June 11 | Vern Darley |
| June 18 | Frank DeLoach |
| June 25 | Doyle Matheny |

DEACON'S MEETING
Monday, June 19—6:00pm

**2Q CHURCH
CONFERENCE**
Sunday, June 25

PASTOR'S CORNER

DR. WALLACE MCABEE, SENIOR PASTOR

Good morning! Writing to you from home this morning as Nancy and I are off to our first pre-school performance and end of school year party. I am sure we will have great fun with all the parents and grandparents. Ours will be the most handsome and talented of the bunch, of course!

Speaking of fun, summer is here and I am ready for some. I had an idea that I think you will like—**Testimony Time!** It would encourage and bless the entire church family and guests to hear about your life in the Lord. Generally, a good testimony can be shared in 5 minutes or less in a worship service. Testimonies cover topics like when you first became a Christ-follower, what the Lord is doing in your life now, a miracle, biblical insight and such. There are many creative ways to share testimonies too. I am praying that the Lord will lead at least 6 of you to share with us this summer. Give me a call or come by and let's talk about it.

More fun, the Car Show! Yes, it is a lot of work and planning but the results are amazing. Seeing you all work together for the good of our fellowship, meeting the good folks in our community and sharing Christ with folks who just "happen" to join us is amazing. I know you will help with set-up, staffing and take down as this promises to be yet another great community outreach and fellowship building event. Thanks to the Bearden family for their leadership.

Believe it or not, there is more fun coming in June. VBS will be a blast and one of our best opportunities to reach families and nurture the faith of our own kids. Our vacation bible school is June 25-29 in the evenings. The online enrollment is available on the website. Pray this one up folks – we still need some volunteers as well.

Oh yeah, we declared a long time ago that fun is legal at church. When we exalt the Lord, welcome our guests, dig deep into the Bible, share with the lost and the hurting ... all that stuff we do when we gather – yes, it is fun! Join us every chance you can this summer for – Fun, together in Christ!

Peace and joy,
Pastor Wallace

Wednesday evening ministries this Summer

Absolutely, we will continue to gather for Bible Study and Prayer time this Summer. We may adjust the time we meet as the Adult Choir and Prayer time will be the only ministries happening until August. Vern will wrap up our incredible study in Daniel either on the 24th or the 31st. The following Wednesday, the plan is to share the slide show from my mission trip to Ecuador as we consider and pray about our future relationship with this ministry. Meals and all ministries return August 9.

Celebrate our new life in Christ with the Lord's Supper during worship on June 4!

Celebrate our Freedom as Americans with two worship events this Summer at SBC
July 2nd — Stars and Stripes will warm the heart of every Patriot as we share our Independence Day worship celebration

July 9th — Pray for Advance Gospel causes in Government Day
Mike Griffin (GA State Board of Missions) will be our featured speaker on July 9. Mike is our lobbyist and represents us as a state mission board in the state legislature and with the Governor's office. Mike will challenge us to exercise our rights as Americans to exert godly influence on matters in our state government.

Worship & Upcoming Events

Wednesday Schedule-

NO Chimes Rehearsal this month
5p-6p Adult Choir Rehearsal
6:30p-7:15p Adult Bible Study Classes

Thursday Schedule-

AoM Crafts—**each Thurs AM** 10am-12pm
 Olive Branch Meeting—**June 8 - 6pm**

Sunday Schedule-

9:45am Sunday School
11am Worship Service
6pm Ladies Bible Study

UPCOMING WORSHIP & Events

June 4 (Sunday)

Lord's Supper during worship
 12pm VBS Training following worship service
 (Lunch will be provided)

June 5 (Monday)

Benton House visit -- 11am
 (Be there by 10:45am to sign in)

June 10 (Saturday)

Car/Bike Show & BBQ—9am-2pm

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7TH ANNUAL

CAR & BIKE SHOW

BBQ & MORE

Homemade Pork Rinds



Free Hot Dogs for kids
Bounce House
Bake Sale
Face Painting
Missions Fundraiser

JUNE 10TH - 9AM-2PM

*** It is \$10 to enter and FREE to show ***
 (Rainout Date will be Saturday, June 17th same time)

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ALL PROCEEDS GO TO MISSIONS ↔

June 13 (Tuesday)

Birthday Ladies Lunch (June Bdays) - 11:30am

Upcoming Worship & Events (cont'd)

June 15 (Thursday)

Out to Lunch Bunch—10:15am (or 11:15am at restaurant)
 Ole Times Country Buffet,
 1900 Manchester Expy, Columbus, GA — RSVP please

June 17 (Saturday)

Men's Breakfast & Bible Study—9am

June 18 (Sunday)

FATHER'S DAY

12pm Stay for a short meeting regarding the KY Mission Trip

June 19 (Monday)

Deacon's Meeting—6pm

June 24 (Saturday)

Turin Chic-n-Que

June 25 (Sunday)

2Q Church Conference

June 25 (Sun) - June 29 (Thurs)

Vacation Bible School—6pm-9pm
 Registration link on website

Donations:

We have an ongoing donation drive for 1-58 Missions.

There needs change weekly. You can check their website for updated list of needs by checking here...

<https://thei58mission.org/current-needs-list/>

We are also taking donations for the Bread Coffee House.

This is a coffee house that Andy Cook's daughter runs at a college and they help with local needs.

See Andy Cook if you have any questions.

FINANCE NEWS

Scripture encourages us to "always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have." (1 Peter 3:15).

Through your prayers, cards and notes of care and well wishes for healing – yes, and even fresh eggs! – you have abundantly showered me with hope and perseverance as I have healed following knee replacement surgery. I thank you for loving and caring me to wholeness. Even more, I thank our Lord for creating in you and flowing from you the deep hope we share in serving a loving and healing God!

~ Lynn Glassbrook, SBC financial secretary

Music Notes

GREATFUL FOR FRIENDS AT SHARPSBURG

“As a father has compassion for his children, so the Lord has compassion for those who fear Him.”
–Psalms 103: 13

It so happens Father’s Day 2018 was my first Sunday at Sharpsburg Baptist, so June 2023 marks five full years here; they have been wonderful years for Jill and me. During this time, we’ve moved to video screens in the sanctuary; we started showing Live services on Facebook, which was so valuable during the pandemic. Our faithful choir took part in making 7 Virtual Choirs, during this difficult time where each member was recorded separately. We’re back now and so grateful! Also, we have a new place for the choir to meet and practice; and where Jill now leads the Praise Ringers handbells and chimes!

Jill and I love our new friends at SBC, and we enjoy all the activities, such as the Car Shows, the Yard Sales, and Trunk or Treat, just to name a few. Fellowship suppers give us a chance to get to know people better, and other events (like Valentine’s Day) let us really have some fun!

Let me say a **BIG THANK YOU** to all those who helped make the Luau fundraiser so successful: David Bearden and his crew for a great meal and amazing decorations; and to everyone who contributed to the fund for our **NEW SOUND SYSTEM**, which has been ordered and will be installed in just a few weeks. Love y’all.
God Is Good! Mike





***Olive Branch
JUNE News***

Happy June, SBC Family!

The SBC Car Show is coming up this month and The Olive Branch will be volunteering. We will also be hosting a bake sale during the Car Show. More information to follow.

We are in early discussions of designing new SBC and Olive Branch T-shirts for purchase. More details coming soon on this as well.

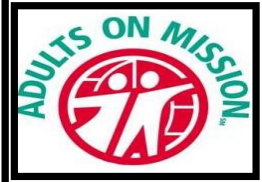
We know it's early but make sure to put October 21st on your calendar. That will be our annual Olive Branch Chic-N-Que. Please reach out to an Olive Branch member if you would like to help us this year.

We extend an invite to all SBC women to join us every 2nd Thursday. We not only fellowship and have fun, but we do internal and external outreach. Please reach out to one of us for more details. Our next meeting will be held on Thursday, June 8th at 6pm in the church Fellowship Hall. See you there!



~Ladies of The Olive Branch

***Adults on Mission
JUNE News***



Here we are... summertime is fast approaching!

The ladies of AOM are busy with many different projects. We are learning new ways to be creative and creating new things to send around the world!

We have started working on things for Operation Christmas Child and the Shoeboxes that go to children in need. We have plans for supplying Christmas gifts to the two Nursing Home facilities that we support. Adults on Mission ladies are always planning ahead.

We are planning to have a box ready to go to Coweta Pregnancy Services this month full of baby goodies.

We fellowship. We have fun. We pray for our missionaries near and far. We pray for each other. It is a wonderful time sharing our talents. Everyone has hidden talents that we can use. And, we would love to have YOU come join us. We meet every Thursday morning in the church fellowship hall from 10am-12pm.

God Bless You!

~The Ladies of AOM

**“For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them.”
Matthew 18:20 KJV**

“Outreach involves extending ourselves, our talents, and our resources, to help others.”

SBC Happenings & Upcoming Events

May was a busy month at Sharpsburg Baptist.... We enjoyed a Luau Themed Dinner. One group went to see the Museum of Biblical History; Another group went to see Chondra Pierce as a girls night out together. And, we spent Graduation Sunday celebrating our graduates! Thank you to everyone for making all great things happen here at SBC!!



SBC Happenings & Upcoming Events

Museum of Biblical History



Chondra Pierce
Girl's Night Out



Memorial Day Service Wall



Graduation
Sunday



SBC Happenings & Upcoming Events

The Ladies Birthday Lunch Group met at Kathy Rice's home. Everyone had a wonderful time!! Thank you, Kathy, for opening up your home to us!

DATE: Tuesday, June 13
TIME: 11:30am
WHERE: To Be Determined



The Out to Lunch Bunch meet-ups are the 3rd Thursday of each month. They go to area restaurants to enjoy great food & fellowship! ALL are encouraged to join this FUN group!

DATE: Thursday, June 15
TIME: 10:15 am (meet at church)
OR 11:15am (meet at the restaurant)
WHERE: Ole Times Country Buffet
1900 Manchester Expy.
Columbus, GA

| ◀ May 2023 | | <h1>June 2023</h1> | | | | | Jul 2023 ▶ |
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| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | |
| | | | | 1 AoM Crafts 10am | 2 | 3 | |
| 4 Lord's Supper during worship VBS Training Mtg 12pm | 5 Benton House Visit – 11am (be there by 10:45am to sign in) | 6 | 7 | 8 AoM Crafts 10am Olive Branch Meeting 6pm | 9 | 10 CAR/BIKE SHOW & BBQ 9am-2pm | |
| 11 | 12 | 13 Ladies Birthday Lunch 11:30am | 14 Flag Day | 15 AoM Crafts 10am Out to Lunch Bunch Senior Lunch 10:15am Ole Times Country Buffet, Columbus | 16 | 17 Men's Breakfast & Bible Study 9am | |
| 18 Father's Day KY Mission Trip Mtg 12pm | 19 Juneteenth Deacon's Meeting 6:00pm | 20 | 21 | 22 AoM Crafts 10am | 23 | 24 Turin Chicken-Q | |
| 25 2Q Church Conference VBS 6pm-9pm | 26 VBS 6pm-9pm | 27 VBS 6pm-9pm | 28 VBS 6pm-9pm | 29 AoM Crafts 10am VBS 6pm-9pm | 30 | | |

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

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| June 3- | Sicily Holmes | June 22- | Denise Jones |
| June 6- | Charles Mull | June 23- | Donna Young |
| June 8- | Doyle Matheny | June 26- | Linda Dunson |
| June 9- | Lyndsey Stevenson | June 29- | Annette Holland |
| June 12- | Lynette McCall | | Georgia Ann Tolleson |
| June 13- | Anne Ridenhour | | Kay Adams |
| June 16- | Sandy Townsend | | Lynn Horton |
| | Seth Waggoner | | Jackie Kent |
| June 20- | Fonda DeLoach | | Cheri O'Neal |
| | Thomas Jenkins | June 30- | Brandy Phelps |

*HAPPY
BIRTHDAY!
GOD BLESS
YOU!*





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We would love to have you as our guest. We have many upcoming events that we are sure will be great fun as well as be a blessing to you. We have classes and fun events for our children on Sunday mornings and Wednesday nights as well as Sunday School classes, Prayer Meeting and Worship time for our adults. If you have any questions, feel free to ask us, fill out a visitor's card in the pew when you visit or just speak to one of us to let us know how we can be of assistance to you. We are here to serve each other and those in our community.

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US

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JOIN US!

Sundays:
Sunday School: 9:45 am
Sunday Worship: 11:00 am
Ladies Bible Study: 6:00 pm

Wednesdays:
4:30pm-5:15pm
Bell Rehearsal
5:15pm-6pm
Adult Choir Rehearsal
5:45pm-6:30pm
Fellowship Meal
6:30pm-7:15pm
Children & Youth Ministries

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Check out our website for any events that may be going on and to see and learn about our church. We seek to share the love of Christ with those around us. And, we hope that you will come visit our church soon!

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