



# First Baptist Surfside

## October 24, 2024 Newsletter

### Are You Ready For The Fall Festival?

The purpose of the Fall Festival is to love on our community in such a way to open doors to explicitly and unapologetically share the gospel of Jesus Christ with them.



### FALL FESTIVAL

October 31 from 6PM - 8PM

Admission is FREE!

GAMES | PRIZES | CANDY

Click [here](#) to register!

**Volunteers and Candy Needed!**

**Sunday, October 27 at 11:45 AM (in the Sanctuary)  
Training for All Fall Festival Volunteers**

#### Day of the Festival

- 9:00 AM—Set up for parking
- 2:30 PM—Set up for games
- 4:00 PM—Registration and trunks
- 5:45 PM—Welcoming begins

*Come Support Our Fall Festival!*

#### Sunday's Worship Guide

**"Genesis: Foundation For Life"  
Obscure Glory; Genesis 36 and 37**

- I. Glory To Obscurity (Genesis 36)
- II. Glory In Obscurity (Genesis 37)

#### Weekly Schedule

##### Sundays

- 9:00 AM: Worship Service & Small Groups
- 10:30 AM: Worship Service & Small Groups
- 4:00 PM: Choir Practice
- 5:00 PM: Students
- 5:00 PM: Surfside Kids
- 5:30 PM: Adults

##### Tuesdays

- 7:00 AM: Men's Bible Study/Breakfast at Bob Evans
- 6:00 PM: Celebrate Recovery

##### Wednesdays

- 10:00 AM: Prayer Meeting

**Small Groups Meet Throughout the Week  
at Various Locations**

#### Upcoming Schedule

##### Friday, October 25

- 1:00 PM: Food Pantry

##### Sunday, October 27

- 11:45 AM: Training for all Fall Festival Volunteers

##### Thursday, October 31

- 6:00 PM: Fall Festival

##### Sunday, November 3

- 2:00 AM: Daylight Time Ends (set clocks back an hour)

##### Wednesday, November 6

- 6:00 PM: Church Conference

##### Saturday, November 9

- 8:00 AM: Men's Breakfast
- 10:30 AM: wMu

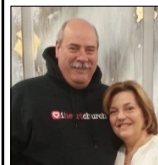
##### Saturday, November 16

- 4:00 PM: Surfside Seniors Event

##### Sunday, November 17

- Vote on 2025 Proposed Budget and Deacons

#### Welcome New Members



Please join us in welcoming Mickey and Kathy Sizemore to our First Baptist Surfside family.

#### New Member Commissioning

We believe that the Bible emphasizes the importance of church membership. On Sunday November 3, we would like to present all of our new members to the church. If you have begun the membership process but have not been presented to the church, please contact the church office or Pastor Nathan.



### Abigail's Closet Wish and Supply Needs

In support of the Coastline Women's Center Abigail's Place, we will be collecting the following items over the next few weeks. Bring donated items and place them in the pack and plays in the church.

**We will be collecting items until Sunday, November 3.**

#### Wish List and Supply Needs

- Boys and girls clothes (size 12 month to 4T)
- Diapers - size 4, 5 & 6 (Pampers, please)
- Baby soap, shampoo & lotion
- Diaper rash cream
- Bottles (must be new)
- Bottle brushes
- Sippy cups (must be new)
- Thermometers
- Nasal items
- Baby wipes
- Boo-Boo Ice Packs
- Car Seats (must be new)
- Baby toys
- Baby Bathtub
- Baby Bouncer Chair
- Booster Seat
- Tummy Time Play Mat
- Pack-n-Play
- Stroller
- Children's Books - English & Spanish



**Remember to set Your clocks back on Sunday, November 3 at 2:00 AM!**



**Wednesday, November 6  
6:00 PM  
Church Conference**



**Surfside Seniors Event  
The Gathering  
Saturday, November 16  
4-6 PM in the Fellowship Hall**

Call the office or see Sandra Hartley to sign-up by November 10  
**Cost:** To enter please bring an advertised food item for the food bank!

### Lottie Moon Christmas Offering



In an effort to increase our giving to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for international missions the wMu is organizing a "make and take" the first two Sundays in December. **Men and Women** are encouraged to use their "giftedness" in creating homemade articles for others to take, giving their offering to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering in return for the articles they choose. We're giving you a heads up now so you can have time to create homemade items. More information will come as we get closer to December. Questions see Jeanne Eckert

### Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes Due November 17



It is simple, get a shoebox from the lobby, fill it and return it by Sunday, Nov. 17. Operation Christmas Child delivers great joy and the Good News of Jesus Christ to children in need around the world through gift-filled shoeboxes. Each box packed full of quality toys, school supplies, and personal care items becomes a tangible expression of God's immense love for the child. For many, it is their first gift ever!



**Sunday, November 17  
Vote on 2025 Budget  
and Deacons**

### Surfside Community Ministry Food Bank

**2nd and 4th Fridays at 1:00 PM**

**Pantry Needs (Non Perishable Items)  
Please do NOT bring outdated items!**



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| Jelly           | Canned veggies (no corn/green beans) |
| Spaghetti sauce | Canned meat (SPAM, chicken, etc)     |
| Boxed rice      | Boxed or canned milk                 |
| Bottled juice   | Instant mashed potatoes              |
| Canned fruit    | Crackers                             |
| Soup            | Noodles                              |