

Upcoming Events —

Tuesday | 09.10.24 | 2:00 PM

Prayer Group @ the Jensen's—

Small group at the Jensen house (115 Circle Dr. in Bath). Contact Dan or Myra with questions.

Wednesday | 09.11.24

Awana—5:45 PM (Fast Track) Please see Pastor Brandon or Kevin Devine for more info.

Prayer Groups—6:30 PM

- 1-) Ladies Greenwood prayer group on ZOOM. Contact Robin Cox or Verna Mullen
- 2-) Prayer meeting at church. Stop by to pray together. See Mark Eckler.
- 3-) Bath small group—A group that gathers for encouragement from God's word and to pray together at the Kepich home. See Dan or Maria Kepich.

Guest Missionary Presentation 09.15.24

The Missions Committee has invited Luke and Kelsey McAlack with Africa Inland Mission to present their ministry to immigrants from unreached people groups in the southern Atlanta area. They will share during Sunday school, and Luke will preach in the morning services. Contact Dan Meade for more info.

Youth Group Minnehan's Trip | 09.15.24 | Sunday

We will meet at the church at 1 p.m. \$20 a student includes unlimited mini golf, go-karts, batting cages, a bounce house, and pizza by the lake after we play! The arcade and snacks will be an additional cost. We will be back for youth group at 6 p.m. Sign up / see the Devines with questions.

Awana Carnival | 09.18.24 | Wednesday

We need your help! We need people willing to serve in the Awana carnival who ARE NOT currently helping in Awana. Please consider if this is something you would help with for the evening of the 18th! Q's? See Autumn Sullivan or Tara Devine.

Encouragers Meetup | 09.19.24 | Thursday

Encouragers will meet at 11:30 Please bring your own lunch. Diane Wakeman-Hostess, Darlene Brewer our Co-Hostess, Dottie Davis will bring our devotions. Please bring your own lunch. Romeo's meet at Wendy's.

Upcoming Events Continued—

Homeschool Co-Op | 09.20.24

First Homeschool Co-Op of the year! See Tara Devine with Q's.

Directory Photos! | 09.27 & 09.28 & 10.05

Directory time is approaching fast! **Please sign up for a time slot today.** The background will be a burgundy/wine color. We will use the photos to create a new directory and provide each family with a free printable family photo. Q's?

See Matt Morales

Community Supper | 09.28.24 | Saturday

Free to all, please invite your neighbors! Join us for community supper the 4th Saturday every month.

Youth Group Flag Football | 09.29.24 | Sunday

YG Flag Football - @ church @ 3-5pm - all are welcome to play some friendly flag football, enjoy some yummy snacks or cheer on your friends - EARLY Youth Group to follow (YG - 5-7pm that night) *TIME CHANGE due to event before hand*

Deacon Resignation

Mark Eckler has stepped down as deacon, feeling the need to take some time off. He will continue to pray for and minister to those in his care group, and he desires to serve anyone in the church who has a need he can help with. In his words "My pea sized brain is trying to retain a watermelon's amount of information and I just can't do it." Please thank Mark for his many years of service as a deacon and feel free to ask him directly if you have any questions about his decision.

After-School Program

The program is up and running. See bulletin board in foyer for donation needs.

Q's? See Kevin Devine. Thank You!

Designated funds for this ministry—For anyone wishing to help support the After-School Program, please write After School Program on the envelope if you are giving cash. Please write After School Program on the memo line if giving by check.

OCC Update

It would be great if every shoebox had a flashlight that does not need batteries. Thanks to some generous donations we have reached our goal to purchase 200. See the OCC bulletin board WISH LIST for other bulk or individual items that are great additions to shoeboxes. Any further donations can be made through the church with OCC in the memo line to be used for purchasing some of these items. 10 weeks and counting!

Michelle Ames Ride Needs Change

Michelle will need rides on a couple of Mondays, starting on September 16th, Please get in touch with Joanne Drake for an appointment time and further details at 607-776-7263 if you can help.

ATTENTION MINISTRY LEADERS

Now is your opportunity to help plan for the costs of your ministry in 2025. Scan the following QR code or go to <https://forms.office.com/r/KPfA03DiFr> and enter the expected ministry costs for 2025. If you prefer paper, there are copies under the mailboxes. The Trustees will review and consider your input when they prepare the budget proposal.



Giving Information 09.01.24

First Baptist Church of Avoca

September 8, 2024

Sunday Services — 9 & 11:10 AM

Sunday School — Sunday School Promotion

Evening Service & Youth Group — 6 PM

Thank you for joining us at church today. If you have any questions about our services or events, please don't hesitate to contact us by phone (607-566-2077) or email (firstbaptistavoca@firstbaptistavoca.org).

Pastor — Brandon McAfee

Song List (9 AM)

Open Up the Heavens — We Believe — At Calvary —

Who is Like Our God — Awesome In This Place

Song List (11:15 AM)

I'll tell the World that I'm a Christian (Not in LH) — Redeemed LH 348 —

In Christ Alone — My Faith Looks Up to Thee LH 425 —

I'll Fly Away (Not in LH)

Summer Adult Sunday School Classes

Living Together as a Church – Aaron Mullen – Fellowship Hall

Experiencing God for Women – Karen Payne – Map Room

Junior Church

Jr. & Jr. Jr. Church (2's & 3's) available at the 9 AM service only

Attendance Numbers for Last Week