

First Baptist

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First Focus

*Touching Loretto, Lawrence County and
the World with the Gospel of Jesus Christ!*

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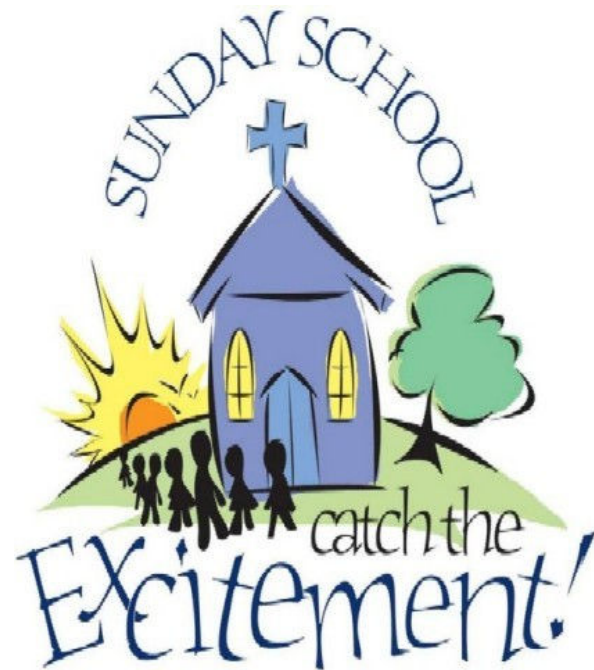
FIRST FOCUS



Sunday School

*Starts at 9:15 am
Come out and enjoy a time of Bible
study and great fellowship.
There is a study group for all ages.*

*Sunday School Promotion will be
August 5th*





"Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful; and let us consider how

to stimulate one another to love and good deeds, not forsaking our own assembling together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another; and all the more as you see the day drawing near."

Hebrews 10:23-25

During the summer months we often take time to vacation or visit family and we get out of our regular routines. And that's good to do. We often find when we return to our house that getting out of those routines leaves us with undone laundry, piles of papers and mail, weeds and garbage that needs tending to and long days of trying to get everything back into order.

It's like that at church too. We miss a Sunday or two on vacation and that leaves a gap in our serving and ministry. Without the help of the entire body of Christ we find ourselves falling behind. We have to get back into the routine of being together as a church body and functioning as one. We all need a break from time to time to reenergize and rest. God's Word tells us to rest from our labors.

We must remember, we are a crucial part to the functioning of our church family.

I hope you've had a refreshing summer and not one that's left you totally exhausted.

As we gear up for fall there will be many opportunities for you to serve and use your gifts for God's glory, so I look forward to seeing you and serving with you in the days ahead.

God Bless You!

Bro. Clayton



We will be having a hamburger steak, baked potato salad, dessert and drink, on August 26th right after the morning service. Will also have hotdog, chips and drink for kids. Cost is: adults: \$10 and kids hotdog meal: \$3. Be watching the bulletin for a sign up sheet to give us a idea of how much to buy.



We have ordered a 30 day devotional call "Unshakable Pursuit" Chasing the God Who Chases You by Grace Thorton. These devotionals are \$6. If you would like to purchase one, see DK Gordon or Wanda Ward or one of the WMU ladies, or you can pick up one in the church office.



Thank you has been received in the church office from:
Virginia Bedingfield

Judgement House Dates

October 20, 21
October 27, 28



Our deepest sympathies...
First Baptist Loretto and church family extends our deepest sympathy to the family of:
Dick Hunt

CREATE
in me a
CLEAN HEART,
O GOD, *and*
RENEW A
RIGHT SPIRIT
within me.
PSALMS 51:10♥

Tuesday Hang Out

In August every Tuesday night from 5-8 pm, the youth building will be open for youth to come and hang out. We have several game tables. Come out and enjoy fellowship with your friends. Bring your friends. Grades 6-12th.



Children's Activities

AWANA will meet at the pool on August 1st at 6 pm.
Starting August 15th
AWANA will be back at First Baptist Loretto fellowship hall.

August 14th at 6 pm



JUST A LITTLE Reminder

Just a reminder if you want to reserve the church building or the van or trailer, you need to call the church office to get it put on the calendar. Thanks so much.

Senior Adults

Senior Adults lunch will be August 7th. Pot luck eating at 11:30 am. Senior Adult Supper will be August 9th. Dining at Logan's. Leave Church at 6 pm.



By baptism: Teagan Boyd
Donna Gray



Please Pray For:

- Our Nation
- Government Leaders
- Schools
- Teachers
- Church Leaders
- Pastor Search Committee
- Our youth
- Judgement House



Strength to Stand Conference will be January 19-21, 2019. Grades 6-12th. Deposit: \$50. Sign up sheet is in the youth building. If you have any questions see Bob Vaughn or Eric Craig.