

APRIL 2025

THE MONROE MESSENGER

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF MONROE PH. 434-929-3764



Anniversaries for April:

Jean Adcock 4/21

Nicole & Robert Kirby 4/11

Meals on Wheels

TEAM 2: April 8-14 TEAM 1: May 8-14

Library News:

National Librarian Week is Sunday, April 7-12 This is a time to celebrate our nation's libraries, library workers' contributions and promote library use and support. First sponsored in 1958, National Library Week is sponsored by the American Library Association and observed in libraries across the country each April. **Our church Library is located at the end of the hall across from the office. We also have the "Library on Wheels" right outside the sanctuary for Adults & another cart for the Children. Come by and check out a book or DVD. We would love to help you out with a good book to read. If you need help with anything, please see Sylvia Bradley.**

Children's Easter Egg Party & Egg Hunt

We will be having the Easter Egg Party and Egg Hunt on Sunday, April 6th. It will start at 3:00 PM.

Easter Cantata

The Easter Cantata will be help on Palm Sunday, April 13th at 10:30 AM. The name of the cantata is "Near the Cross" this year. We hope you will come and bring someone with you.

Easter Sunday

Please come and celebrate the resurrection of Jesus from the dead and his victory over sin and death. It will be on Sunday, April 20th.

Sunrise Service 8:00 AM

Breakfast 9:00 AM

Sunday School 9:30 AM

Worship Service 10:30 AM

Senior Luncheon

The Senior Luncheon will be held on Tuesday, April 1st at 12:00. The speaker will be "The Little Mountain Boys" bringing music. Please bring a covered dish to share and invite someone to come with you

Mission News:

As of March 23rd, we have collected \$854.00 for the Annie Armstrong. We will be collecting money through April. You can mail this to the P.O. Box 247, drop it by the church or put it in the offering box in person on Sunday. Thank you all for your giving and prayers.

WMU

The “baby bottle” campaign for the Blue Ridge Pregnancy Center ended on March 23rd. As soon as the money is counted, I will let everyone know how much we collected.

We had the “Ladies Tea Party” on Sunday, March 23rd. We had a total of 54 attending this year. I would like to thank all the ladies that helped make it a success again this year. We had lots of food and lots of gifts to give out. If you missed it this year, we hope you can make it next year!

Our next WMU meeting will be on April 16th. We would like to invite any of the ladies in our church to join us if you are not already coming. We have prayer for our members and our missionaries first and then discuss all of the different ministries we can get involved with in our community. Twice a year we get together and go out to eat and just good ol’ fellowship together. We welcome any new ideas and projects that would help reach out to the community.

First Baptist Church of Monroe-Sunday Morning Nursery Schedule for April

- April 6-Rhonda Hillsman & heryl Casey
- 13-Sherry & Seaborne Patterson
- 20-Kristin Moorefield & Mia Scruggs
- 27-Allison Oswald, Kyleigh Butler, Emery Morris

*If you are unable to serve in the nursery on your schedule day, please trade with someone if possible. If you have any questions, call or text April Scruggs at 434-238-6773. Thank you for your willingness to serve in the Nursery.

Welcome New Member

Nancy Staton
222 Greenwood Drie
Madison Heights, Virginia 24572

Happy Easter Everyone!





April 1 - Ronnie Evans
Luciano Freitas
Jay Mayhew
Haley Watts

April 2 - Linda Coleman
Carolyn Smith

April 3 - Joshua Workman
Jordan Campbell

April 4 - James Dodd
Carlton Wilmer
Debbie Meeks

April 5 - Elva McMillan
Derhonda Graybill

April 6 - Glynn Coleman

April 7 - Caitlin Humphreys
Gracie Humphreys
Sarah Patterson
Nancy Staton
Sam Torode

April 8 - Margaret Smoot
Buddy Mayberry

April 9 - Josh Herb

April 10 - Marjorie Campbell

April 12 - Dwayne Woodson

April 13 - Melanie Waters

April 14 - April Scruggs

April 15 - Jaime Rodriguez

April 16 - John Norwood
Nellie Richards

April 17 - Bill Lunsford

April 18 - Sheila Wood

April 19- Steve Keith

April 21 -Kim Martin

April 24 -Mia Scruggs

April 25 - Jeremy Morris

April 26 - Willie Hayes
Holden Campbell

April 28 - Betty McCauley
Rhonda Hillsman

April 29- Deborah Bailey

April 30 - Thomas Neighbors
Daniel Raquel

