



SUNDAY SCHOOL

WEEKLY VIRTUAL TEACHER'S MEETING

NOVEMBER 24, 2021

QUICK HIT ITEMS

- Sunday's Lesson: Hebrews 5 from Vines curriculum.
- Next week will be an extra lesson we have written that focuses on Hebrews 5:11-14. It will be posted at www.fbtsundayschool.org on Monday.
- We have invited 3 lost/unchurched people to SS so far this week!
- Next Teacher's Meeting is NEXT Wednesday at 6!

UPCOMING PROMOTIONS

- Food Drive from now through mid-December. Non-perishable food can be brought to the drop-off location any time during the week, or they can bring it with them on Sunday mornings.
 - Todd Stewart's Idea! Divide the class into two teams each led by one of the co-teachers. Each Sunday you can earn 1 point for being present and 1 point for every canned food item you bring (up to 3 a week max). Love this idea!
- A Baptist Temple Christmas: Saturday, December 4 at 3 PM & Sunday, December 5 at 6 PM. Encourage your folks to pick up some invites in the foyer (or you can pick some up for them before SS) and use them to invite people throughout the week. You might even want to set a goal for how many invites your class can distribute! (We have PPT slide if you want it.)
- CHRISTMAS OFFERING: This is an annual tradition at FBT! This offering is a tangible way to celebrate Jesus Christ as we remember His coming to earth. It will be used for these worthwhile projects:
 1. Assist with new church building for Tom Franklin (Dominican Republic).
 2. Assist with new church building for Eric Shadle (Ethiopia).
 3. Assist Dwayne Keefe (Australia) with an upcoming new church plant.
 4. Upgrade to FBT's HVAC system.
 5. Special support for the 9 missionary families who are from FBT.
 6. Special support for those struggling in our church family.
 7. Special support for local agencies who provide help to those in need.
- WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS BRUNCH & BAZAAR: Saturday, December 11th from 9-11 AM in the Dining Hall. We are seeking any church members who have a small business or those who have handmade items to sell which would be good for Christmas gifts (jewelry, accessories, home decor, ornaments, food items, etc.). There is no charge to participate or attend. If you are interested in participating, please contact Temple ASAP! (We also have a PPT slide for anyone who wants one.)
- THE BOOKMARK! Choose one of the 22 items and discuss every week!

CLIMBING THE MOUNTAIN

Goal: To build the Sunday School back to better than it was pre-covid.

- This past Sunday: 569 in the adults!
- Weekly goal: 600
- Challenge: What can you do this week to help us climb closer to 600?
 - Probably a few extra contacts – email, text, calls will help! It's an easy Sunday for people to skip out!

Our Process:

- ⇒ Work the active chronic absentees, each teacher works two each week
 - If you have any out, please return the paper work so we can close this part of our plan down!
 - Results: We have seen 31 return to Sunday School at this point! PTL!
- ⇒ Lead the way in personally inviting two lost/unchurched people a week to SS.
 - Last Week: 15
 - THIS WEEK: 3
 - Principle: God honors our faithfulness. *Do you believe this?*
- ⇒ Make each class the most loving place in eastern SC.
 - IDEA: Have a SNAC frequently on Sunday Nights After Church.
- ⇒ Work your class.

CHALLENGE

- Make a few extra contacts by phone/email before Sunday encouraging people not to miss just because it is a holiday weekend!