

## WELCOME

We are so glad you chose to worship with us today! Our hope is that your experience this morning helps you feel connected to the Lord Jesus Christ and to His church here at Petal First Baptist.

## CONNECTING

Please help us by filling out the Connection Card in this folder and holding on to it until the end of the service. Drop it in the offering basket or give it to one of our staff in the foyer.

## TRANSFORMATION

By the end of the message, you may realize your need to Connect with Jesus Christ or Connect with this church family. It is the first step of Transformation in your life! We invite you to come to the Pastor at the front during the invitation hymn and discuss your decision.

## OFFERING

As the offering baskets are passed, our members and regular attendees are given the opportunity to honor the Lord with their finances. As our guest, you are not expected to contribute, though you are welcome to participate if you choose to do so.

## PRESCHOOLERS

We believe children are precious so we have a special place designed just for them, while you worship so you can enjoy the Service.

## A LOOK AHEAD

- July 28 Guide and Uniform Distribution Training
- July 29 Petal Family & Resource Fair
- July 31 Feed New Teachers / Backyard Kids Club Ends  
Community PrayerWalk at Petal Schools
- August 4 PrayerWalk @ Petal Primary
- August 11 Back to School Sunday
- August 14 Family Friendly Wednesday Resumes
- August 18 Toni Marino Blood Drive



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TO SEE LIVES TRANSFORMED

# ELEPHANTS



## BIG TOPICS WE TEND TO AVOID

### SUMMER MESSAGE SERIES

We are continuing to explore different challenging cultural issues and how the Bible informs and answers these issues. Today's sermon carries a **PG-13 rating** so kids from K-5th grade will have the option of going to the children's area after the worship portion for a kid-friendly message.



Volunteers are needed to prepare food for the Feed New Teachers' breakfast Wed., July 31. Dishes need to be here by 7:45 a.m. Contact Karen Fordham to sign up.

**Family Prayer Time**  
**Thursday, July 25**  
6 pm Meal  
7 pm Service  
**Petal Civic Center**



Call 601-270-0861 to reserve a meal. Donations requested. The event is hosted by Mississippi Family Prayer Force.

### Summer Activities

- July 21 Mystery Event
  - July 24 Wendy Wednesday @11:30
  - July 24 Summer ReFuge @6:15
  - July 25-27 H.S. Guys Alabama Hike
  - July 30 Taco Tuesday @ 11:30
  - July 31 Summer Refuge @6:15 p.m.
- Contact Chris for more information.



### Post-Abortion Bible Study

The Bible study begins Monday, August 26. Email, call or text for confidential location and other details. Contact Dee McDermitt at d.mcdermitt210@gmail.com, 601-582-7738; or Karen Sims at Karen.hopeclinic@gmail.com, 601-325-3971.



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## VOLUNTEER SIGNUP!

**Monday, July 29 -- 10 am to 3 pm**

This year's Petal Family Health & Resource Fair is only a **week away** and **we need your help!** We still need volunteers to help with **uniform distribution** and to serve as **guides**. Go to [petalfbc.com/fair](http://petalfbc.com/fair) to sign up as a volunteer. **TRAINING SESSIONS** for guides and uniform workers are planned for **today** and **Sunday, July 28, @4 p.m.**; and **Tuesday, July 23, and Thursday, July 25, @6 pm.**

Our semi-annual Feed the Teachers Luncheon for teachers and staff at Petal Primary School is Friday, August 2 at 11:30 a.m. Contact Kim Morgan if you are available to help with the event.



Sign up for Mother/Daughter (1st-6th grades) weekend by Sept. 1. The cost is \$55 per person. The group will leave after school on Friday, Nov. 1, and return Saturday, Nov. 2 around 6 p.m. Contact Denise with questions.



Join us this Wednesday @6:30 p.m. for an evening of fun and learning!

## THIS WEEK @ PETALFBC

### SUNDAY, JULY 21

- 9:00 a.m. LifeGroups
- 10:30 a.m. Worship
- 4:00 p.m. Guide & Uniform Distribution Training

### TUESDAY, JULY 23

- 6:00 p.m. Guide & Uniform Distribution Training

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 24

- 11:30 a.m. Wendy Wednesday (Students)
- 6:15 p.m. ReFuge Worship (Students)
- 6:30 p.m. BYKC at Forrest Garden Mobile Home Park

### THURSDAY, JULY 25 to SATURDAY, JULY 27

High School Guys Alabama Hiking Trip

### THURSDAY, JULY 25

- 6:00 p.m. Guide & Uniform Distribution Training

### FRIDAY, JULY 26

- 7:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Meeting

## ONLINE GIVING



**IT JUST GOT EASIER TO GIVE!** Scan this QR code with your smart phone or visit our website at [www.petalfbc.com](http://www.petalfbc.com) on your computer to quickly and easily give your tithe or offering, or make trip deposits and payments!

## BIBLE APP

**STEP 1:** Open up your YouVersion Bible App. Return to the Main Menu



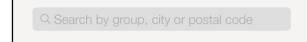
**STEP 2:** Tap the "Live" option.



**STEP 3:** Tap the "Search for a Live Event" option.



**STEP 4:** Find Today's sermon.



**STEP 5:** Follow along and take some notes.



**STEP 6:** Email your notes to yourself.

