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Phone

Name_____

I would like to help deliver Community Care meals on Wednesday nights.

WORSHIP SERVICE

Celebration Ricky Draper **Welcome**

Songs of Adoration

Message Taylor Rutland Ephesians 3:14-21 (ESV)

Song of Response

Giving

Ministry Opportunities

Fellowship Hall is designated as a cry room.

A room for nursing moms is located in the preschool area.

NOTES

MINISTRY OUTLOOK

Sunday, August 25

8:15 a Sunday Morning Small Groups 9:30 a Worship Service, Preschool Worship

11:00 a Ministry Fair

6:30 p Youth O.U.T.

Tuesday, August 27

6:00 p Women's Evening Bible Study

Wednesday, August 28

9:30 a Women's Morning Bible Study 5:00 p Fellowship Meal/**The Care Effect**

> **Meal**—Pork Stew & Rice, Sweet Potatoes, Collard Greens, Salad, Bread, Dessert (Servers-Geoghegan/ Zengel and Monsted classes)

5:30 p Band Rehearsal

6:00 p **Discipleship classes**, ESL, Kids in Action, Youth Care Effect

7:00 p Praise Choir Rehearsal

8:00 p Inward at FBNO

Go to www.fbno.org for specific information

Inspired to Grow (Given this week).......\$4,246.00
Inspired to Grow (Given to date)......\$1,503,264.92
Inspired to Grow (Pledged to date)....\$1,741,818.03

Week Ending August 18

Weekly Requirements	\$38,462
Weekly Receipts	
Year-to-Date Required	\$1,269,231
Year-to-Date Received	\$1,097,009
Annual Budget	\$2,000,000
Global Impact Offering (11/1/18-d	ate)\$49,648

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ARE YOU GETTING THE MOST OUT OF LIFE?

Spoiler Alert #1: During the sermon today, you're going to hear some testimonies from four amazing church members. We asked Sherona Alexis, Joyce Harrington, Carlo Pedalino, and Michael Pedalino to share with you why they "do" church. These folks aren't "super church members" or anything like that. They are just people who have learned that they are made for community. They are seeking to get the most out of the community that God has given them in the church. And they've been blessed in the seeking.

Spoiler Alert #2: When the videos are done, and the sermon is over—we're going to invite you to respond. We're praying that God will show you one area where you could experience community more abundantly, and that you'll share that area with your FBNO ministers, so we can pray for you and support you.

Spoiler Alert #3: After that, we will invite you to the ministry fair. We hope you will join us. We hope that when you do, you'll get a taste of more than red beans, jambalaya, gumbo, and cornbread. We hope you'll get a taste of what it looks like to do life in community. We hope you'll meet some new people and make note of some ministries you'd like to be a part of or support through prayer. We're hoping you'll make a connection or two that will bring you "life more abundant."

I'm hoping the same thing for myself. I always long for more. I'm looking for it in a regular time of going deeper with a couple of other disciples. It's something I've neglected in the last few years, and I'm missing it. So today, that's what I'll put on my response card, and it's what I'll kneel at the front of the church to ask of God. Then, at the Ministry Fair, I'll put my name in one of the bowls at tables D1-3. Those are the D-GROUP tables, and that ministry is all about helping FBNO people circle up around a table of fellow disciples to go deeper.

One Final Spoiler Alert: Here is what I've found to be true. If I will say "yes" to what God has provided through his church, I will be blessed beyond anything I could ever imagine. I'm convinced that the same is true for you.

Christi Gibson, Minister of Education

Are You Getting the Most Out of Life?: Ephesians 3:14-21 | August 25, 2019



As a church we are called to do life together. When we feel weak, abundant strength is available. When we feel isolated or angry, God offers abundant love. When we feel inadequate, we remember our worth comes from God. Are you getting the most out of life?



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Kids' Worship and 11:00 am Small Groups are CANCELED TODAY.

Kids in Action is for kids of all ages and meets on Wednesdays at 6:00 pm. Preschoolers (4 years-kindergarten) enjoy a night of recreation, music, and missions. 1st-6th grades will rotate between recreation, missions, Bible study, music, and Bible skills! Come join us!

New Believers Class | Beginning Sept. 8: This class is for children who have recently made a profession of faith. The 5-week class explores the fundamentals of our Christian faith. At least one parent/guardian must attend the class with the student. To sign up or get more info email faye.scott@fbno.org.

Membership Lunch | September 8 | Noon: Are you wondering what it looks like to be a church member? Maybe you've recently joined FBNO or you're thinking about joining and you want to know what's next? Join our ministers for lunch on September 8 and let's talk about it. Please reserve your spot by emailing christi.gibson@fbno.org. Childcare is available for 5-years-old and under with reservations only. Please contact shann@fbno.org to make your childcare reservation.

New Canal Lighthouse Museum Tour | September 13: We will tour the lighthouse and then have lunch at Deanie's in Bucktown. Cost of tour is \$5. Church vehicle will leave at 9:45 am. To reserve your spot, call Diane at 504.482.5775.

THE INWARD MINISTRY IS 10 YEARS

OLD! Please join us on Tuesday night, October 1 for a Birthday Party Celebration. We'll hear testimonies, and a word of encouragement from Brenda Bergeron, the missionary who inspired us ten years ago to reach out to our women in the sex industry in New Orleans. We're also going to decorate 200+ cupcakes for Inward's Birthday Blitz on Bourbon—and a few extra for us to enjoy at the party! Tickets are \$5 and are available at the Inward table at the ministry fair.

Men and Kids' Camping Trip | October 18 & 19 | Covington Lake House: Men, bring your kids for this tent and indoor camping trip. \$15 per adult; \$10 per child. Contact Che Troquille at 504.289.0304 for info or to sign up.

Come check out Praise Choir! Praise Choir welcomes any singer interested to join us on Wednesday nights at 7:00 in the choir room. Questions? Contact rick@fbno.org.

Grow Up Sermon Series: Join us next week as Pastor Taylor will be preaching from I Corinthians 12:14-27, "Live in Community."

GROUPS AND CLASSES:

Experience the transforming power of God's Word and community through these groups and classes:

SMALL GROUPS

Sunday | 8:15 and 11:00 am (weekly)

We have Bible study groups immediately after the worship service for all ages and life seasons. Adults may choose from verse-by-verse or topical studies, or even a *REMIX* discussion of the sermon text. Stop by the welcome desk for help finding a group waiting to welcome you!

Connect Classes Sunday | 11:00 am | W\$164

Discover the beliefs that unite us as a church in these classes. Attend all six, or pick the topics you're interested in:

September 1: How do I serve?
September 8: What are my gifts?
September 15: Who is God?
September 22: What is the church?
September 29: How do I grow?
October 6: How do I share?

Learning Stamina from Elijah: A Study from I & 2 Kings Wednesday | 6:00 pm (Aug. 14-Sept. 25)

Bearing the Fruit of the Spirit: A Study from Galatians 5 Wednesday | 6:00 pm (Oct. 2-Dec. 11)

Finding I AM
(by Lysa TerKeurst)
Women's Fall Bible Study
Tuesday | 6:00 pm (Aug. 27-Oct. 1)
Wednesday | 9:30 am (Aug. 28-Oct. 2)

PRAY-GIVE-GO

PRAY for our Care Effect ministries and volunteers. Pray that they would be filled so that they can be poured out. Pray that every word, smile, and action would communicate the love of God.

Give to the Global Impact Offering to help us share the love and hope of Jesus in our community and around the world.

Go serve with one of our CE teams on Wednesdays. If you can help deliver Community Care meals contact Diane at 504.482.5775 or sign up on the tab.

Habitat Unity Build: On Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays in October we will be joining with other churches from the city to build a house with Habitat for Humanity. Email andrew@fbno.org for more info.

Name:	
How can we contact you:	
□ Text: Cell	

□ Email

□ Letter: Address

I would like to connect:

I am a guest of: _

Date: August 25, 2019

☐ The Care Effect ☐ Small Group Bible study ☐ Missions ☐ Other

Comments, Requests or Prayer Needs

□ For Prayer Planner/Team □ Confidential

Save These Dates, too:

September 14	Foster Parent Info Meeting
Sept. 20-30	Ghana Mission Trip
September 27	Senior Adult Luncheon
September 28	Men's Prayer Breakfast
October 4-6	Youth Fall Retreat
October 11	Global Fest
October 27	Quarterly Business Meeting
October 30	Fall Fest
Nov. 6-11	Sr. Adult Trip to the Cove
November 10	Global Impact Sunday
November 24	Deck the Halls
December 7	Birthday Party for Jesus
December 15	Baby Dedication
December 15	Christmas Concert

Planning Ahead? Details on these and more available at www.fbno.org/events

December 24 Christmas Eve Service

