### **CHURCH WIDE EVENTS:**

- UPCOMING LEADERSHIP MEETINGS:
  - →Stewardship & Finance- Wednesday, October 9, at 6:00pm
  - →Mission Team— Wednesday, October 16, at 6:00pm
- 5TH SUNDAY OFFERING: Today the 5th Sunday offering will go towards OCC.
- THIS WEEK: On October 1st-3rd we will be partnering with several churches in Hephzibah to have a city-wide revival, Better Together, at the Hephzibah Agricultural Center (the Arena on Hwy 25). Beginning at 7:00pm each night, two churches will team up to lead the community in worship and preaching. HBC will be kicking off the revival on Tuesday, October 1st along with Historic First Ebenezer Baptist Church. Please make plans to join us for this exciting event AND invite others to come too! There will be plenty of opportunities to volunteer also. See Michael Wren or Amanda Brookins for more information.
- PUMPKIN PATCH: Pumpkin Patch is coming soon! The pumpkins will arrive on Friday, October 4th at 5:00pm, volunteers arrive at 4:45pm. We need lots of help to unload the truck. Please sign up at the bulletin board by the Fellowship Hall or call the church office. The Pumpkin Patch will be open daily 12pm-6pm beginning October 5th-31st. There is a calendar board to sign up for a 3-hour shift besides the Fellowship Hall. Please consider volunteering for this community outreach. Remember these proceeds go to help our children and youth attend summer camp. Thank you!
- \*\*TRUNK OR TREAT PLUS: HBC is again hosting the annual Trunk or Treat Plus community event on Thursday, October 31st, from 6:00pm 8:00pm. This is a major event that reaches hundreds of our friends and families, so we need candy and hot dogs. The more we collect the more people we can serve. We are collecting donations of wrapped candy in bins located at entrances to the church. Hot dog donations can be placed in the marked box in the kitchen refrigerator. We also need volunteers to sign up to bring your car and decorate it. Parking space is limited so you MUST sign up if you plan to give out candy. Spots will be designated and please arrive by 5:30pm. Please keep decorating fun and not scary for our children. Sign up on the bulletin board near the fellowship hall.

### **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:**

MPACT FOR OCTOBER 2ND: NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

### **MEN'S MINISTRY:**

• MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST: Join us Sunday, October 6th, at 7:30am in the Fellowship Hall.

MEN'S/BOY'S MINISTRY EVENT: Join us on Friday, October 18th, from 6-8pm at HBC Youth House. We will have a Fish Fry with all the fixing's, fellowship, devotional time, and testimony. It is a outside event so bring a lawn chair.

### **MISSIONS MINISTRY:**

 OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD: During the month of September, OCC is collecting coloring books, playdough, band-aids and also now is the time to look for clearance items like summer toys and back to school items.

## **MUSIC MINISTRY:**

• **HBC ADULT CHOIR:** The Adult Choir meets every Sunday morning in the Sanctuary at 9:15am.

### **SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY:**

- YOUNG AT HEART: Join us Monday, October 14th at Noon. Our guest speaker will be Brian Graham, the new executive director at the Bath Gardens.
- MARK YOUR CALENDAR: The Young at Heart fall trip is scheduled for Thursday, October 24th. More information coming soon!

### **STUDENT MINISTRY:**

- ENGAGE YOUTH FOR OCTOBER 2ND: NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES
- YOUTH RETREAT: Mark your calendar! The Youth Retreat will take place on November 1-3 at Pinnacle Retreat Center in Clayton, GA. The retreat must be paid in full by October 18th.

### **WOMEN'S MINISTRY:**

• WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Will meet on Thursday morning at 10am.

### **DECISION INFORMATION**

(Please complete name and address information on reverse side and check all that apply.)

	am making a first-time
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I	am interested in being baptized.
	am renewing my commitment
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I	am interested in enrolling in
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### Welcome

Date Circle: Mr. Mrs. Miss Name Spouse Address City State ZIP E-Mail
Telephone: Home Cell
Guest:First TimeRepeat VisitorRegular attendeeHBC Member
Are you a church member?ChurchCityState
Circle Age or Grade Group:  Preschool: Ages B-1 2 3 4-5 Children: Grades K 1 2 3 4 5 6 Youth: Grades 7 8 9 10 11 12 Adults:Ages18-19 20s 30s 40s 50s 60s 70s+
How did you learn about us? WebsiteFriendFacebookNew in the communityOther I am a guest of:
Names and ages of family members living at home:

# **Activities This Week**

### Sunday, September 29th:

9:45am-Sunday School 11:00am—Worship Service 4:00pm—Trail Life

## Tuesday October 1st:

7:00pm - Better Together City-wide Revival

### Wednesday, October 2nd:

### NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

7:00pm – Better Together City-wide Revival

### Thursday, October 3rd:

10:00am–Women's Bible Study 7:00pm-Better Together City-wide Revival

### Friday, October 4th:

5:00pm-Pumpkins will arrive

**HBC ONLINE GIVING:** If you would like to participate in online giving, to give by Debit, Credit, or E-check, find and download the Generosity by Lifeway app from your favorite app store. Once downloaded, locate Hephzibah Baptist Church and follow the prompts to make your contribution. You can also use the link on the HBC website.

# WEDNESDAY Wight MEALS

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL October 2nd

NO FELLOWSHIP MEAL

Assisting in Worship Care, Sunday, September 29th:
11:00am Nursery (through 2 years old)—CJ Troxel & Renae Driggers

11:00am Children's Church, Sunday, September 29th: Ages 2/3— Yellow Room-Carlie Harper & Cindy Lewis

11:00am Children's Church, Sunday, September 29th:
Ages 4/5/K- Green Room-Tabatha Helmly & Paul Gordon

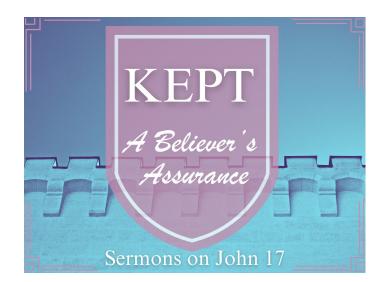
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11:00am-Nursery (through 2 years old)-CJ Troxel & Renae Driggers

<u>11:00am Children's Church, Sunday, October 6th:</u> Ages 2/3– Yellow Room-Carlie Harper & Memory Little

11:00am Children's Church, Sunday, October 6th: Ages 4/5/K- Green Room-Tabatha Helmly & Atticus Forbes

# September 29, 2024

# HEPHZIBAH BAPTIST CHURCH



# Today's Message:

"KEPT FOR THE GLORY OF JESUS"
JOHN 17:1-5

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