

### **First Baptist Church**

Marion, IL

September - December 2015

# 2015 Fall Newsletter

# GLOBAL HUNGER SUNDAY FOOD DRIVE BOYS VS.GIRLS

When Southern Baptists observe their annual Global Hunger Sunday on October 11, 2015, they will be called to act out the powerful love of Jesus, who the Bible says was "moved with compassion" for the people in desperate need.

We will begin collecting non-perishable food items on Sunday, September 6, 2015. Containers will be available on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor. We are going to have a contest between the boys and the girls to see who collects the most food items. The winners will receive an awesome, specially designed event just for them.

START BRINGING YOUR FOOD ITEMS - LET'S FEED SOME HUNGRY PEOPLE!







We will be collecting items to put in shoe boxes for Operation Christmas Child this year.

Boys – bring items for a 10 – 14 year old boy Girls – bring items for a 10 – 14 year old girl

Containers will be available on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor for your donations. If you don't know what is appropriate, please ask before purchasing anything.

We will have a shoe box packing party on a future date.





#### GIRL'S NIGHT OUT

Dinner & Big Daddy Weave Friday, September 18, 2015 Meet at church at 5 pm



## Saturday, Sept. 12, 2015 FBC Marion BCH 5K Ice Cream Run

Make plans now to be a part of our Third annual 5K Ice Cream Run/Walk. It will be held on Saturday, September 12. Proceeds will go to the Carmi Baptist Children's Home.

Registration forms with more information are available in the foyer. Please pick up a form and return it to Jessica Evans or the church.

We will also need volunteers and sponsors for race day. See Jessica Evans for more information.

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S.A.F.E.

(Sunday Afternoon Fellowship & Entertainment)

September 20, 2015

We will be spending the day together... food, games, movies & fun.

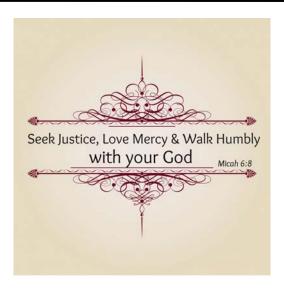
Come to the gym after morning worship is over. We will eat lunch & start the fun. We will be done at 7 pm.

Bring comfy clothes be ready to enjoy the company of your friends & church family.

Sunday, October 11, 2015 GLOBAL HUNGER SUNDAY

Who won? Boys or Girls??

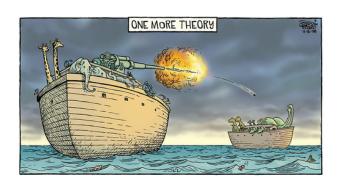






Make sure you know when & where you will be meeting your classmates for prayer at your school. It's important!





S.N.A.C.

Sunday, October 18, 2015
4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Costume Contest

Come dressed as your favorite superhero, cartoon character or totally original invention.... As always, be appropriate (no devils, witches or bloody, scary monsters) – above all, be CREATIVE!!

Prizes will be awarded in several categories

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## October 31, 2015 Bonfire, Cookout & Hayride

Will be held at Jo's house - 1420 State Route 166, Creal Springs. The bus will leave the church at 4:00 p.m. & return to the church at 10:00 p.m. Please bring a side dish or a dessert to share.







# **November 11, 2015**

No Wednesday night activities



ANOTHER ESKIMO BAPTISM GONE BAD

5.N.A.C

Sunday, November 8, 2015 5 pm - 7 pm



S.A.F.E.

Sunday, November 15, 2015

Another all day, fun-filled time! Right after morning worship, we will start with lunch in the gym.

During the afternoon will be going to see the movie "The 33" (cost will be \$5 + cost of snacks).

We will return to the church and hang out, play games, etc. The day will end at 7 pm.

Church-wide Thanksgiving Dinner Sunday, November, 22, 2015



Let them give thanks to Lord for His unfailing love and His wonderful deeds for menfor He satisfies the thirsty and fills the hungry with good things. Psalm 107: 8-9

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# Saturday, December 5, 2015 Lasertag @ The Edge Belleville, Illinois

We will leave the church at 10 am and return at approximately 4 - 4:30 pm.

Cost will be \$15 (includes 3 games of Lasertag, pizza & soda).

If you want to play the arcade games, you will have to bring your own money.

We may stop at Coldstone on the way home if you want to bring money for that.

# Christmas Musical December 17 - 20, 2015 Marion Civic Center



2015 Performance times:
Doors to Lobby open one hour before performance

Thursday, December 17 – 7:00
Friday, December 18 – 7:00
Saturday, December 19 – 2:00 matinee
Saturday, December 19 – 7:00
Sunday, December 20 – 2:00 matinee
Sunday, December 20 – 7:00

# Youth Christmas Party Friday December 11, 2015 6 pm - 9 pm



This year's party will be on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor from 6:00 p.m. - 9 p.m. Bring a finger-food or dessert to share and wear your ugliest Christmas sweater or shirt. Prizes will be awarded.

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eternal life, my favorite ... Thank's Jesus!

### December 31, 2015 New Year's Eve Lock-in



Lock-in will start at 7:00 pm and end at 6:00 am. We will be in the gym as usual. Bring a friend!

#### Youth Leader Contact Info:

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