

Weekly Summary	7-15-18	7-22-18
Sunday Bible Study Attendance	226	221
Small Group Attendance	10	10
Total Bible Study Attendance	236	231
Worship Attendance: 8:30 AM	180	200
11:00 AM	92	103
6:00 PM	159	146
Additions	0	2
Offering	\$13,412.00	\$8,347.50
E-Giving (6/26-7/13)	\$11,568.00	



Make-up Date
Friday, August 24
8 - 10 pm \$5/person \$20/family
Bridgeton Pool

Welcome, New Members

On Sunday, July 22—
Presenting themselves as candidates for baptism and church membership by their professions of faith:

- **Isaak Tolan**
- **Timothy Tolan**

On Sunday, July 29—
Presenting himself as a candidate for church membership by his statement of faith:

- **Ben Tyler**

On Sunday, July 29—
Presenting herself as a candidate for baptism and church membership by her profession of faith:

- **Marley Tyler**

Sympathy

Our love through Christian sympathy is extended to

...**Ben (Phyllis) Hackney** in the death of his brother-in-law, **Rev. James Johnston**, who passed away July 19.

...**Christina Portell** in the death of her father, **Michael Steele**, who passed away July 21. Mr. Steele was the grandfather of **Steven Portell**.

...**Gloria Fox** in the death of her mother-in-law, **Avis Fox**, on July 21.

Fee Fee Baptist Church Vision:
Intentionally reaching our community by living a lifestyle committed to Christ

Ministry Opportunities	Church Office Staff
<p>Sunday, August 5– Promotion Sunday for Preschoolers/Children/Youth</p> <p>8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship 9:45 a.m. Bible Study 10:45 a.m. KidsZone 11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship 12:30 p.m. Youth & Family BBQ 5:00 p.m. Deacons’ Meeting 6:00 p.m. Mission Trip Report Night</p> <p>Monday, August 6</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Gym Walking 9:30 a.m. Sewing Group 6:15 p.m. Properties Committee 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice 7:00 p.m. Pick-Up Basketball</p> <p>Tuesday, August 7</p> <p>7:00 a.m. Meals on Wheels 5:30 p.m. Fitness Walking Class 6:30 p.m. Pastor Search Committee</p> <p>Wednesday, August 8</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Gym Walking 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study Chi Alpha Summers</p> <p>7:30 p.m. Worship Team Rehearsal</p> <p>Thursday, August 9</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Fitness Walking Class</p> <p>Friday, August 10</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Gym Walking</p> <p>Saturday, August 11</p> <p>Sunday, August 12</p> <p>8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship 9:45 a.m. Bible Study 10:45 a.m. KidsZone 11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship</p> <p>Monday, August 13</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Gym Walking 9:15 a.m. Wagner/Sherer WOM 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice 7:00 p.m. Pick-Up Basketball</p> <p>Tuesday, August 14</p> <p>7:00 a.m. Meals on Wheels 10:00 a.m. Spirit Lifters NH Visits 5:30 p.m. Fitness Walking Class 6:30 p.m. Socials Committee Pastor Search Committee</p> <p>Wednesday, August 15</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Gym Walking 5:45 p.m. Missions Committee 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study Chi Alpha Summers</p> <p>7:30 p.m. Worship Team Rehearsal</p> <p>Thursday, August 16</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Fitness Walking Class</p> <p>Friday, August 17</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Gym Walking 1:00 p.m. Prime Time Game Time</p> <p>Saturday, August 18</p> <p>7:30 a.m. Men’s Prayer Breakfast 10:00 a.m. All-Church Bowling</p>	<p>INTERIM ASSOCIATE PASTORRev. Andrew Yakel</p> <p>DIRECTOR OF SENIOR ADULT & BIBLE STUDYMs. Gloria Fox</p> <p>DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRIESMrs. Kathy Scott</p> <p>DIRECTOR OF MUSIC.....Mrs. Ronna Paden</p> <p>PRAISE AND WORSHIP LEADER & INTERIM YOUTH DIRECTOR.....Ms. Sarah Turner</p> <p>PASTOR’S/MUSIC SECRETARYJanet Wiley</p> <p>FINANCIAL OFFICER.....Steve Middendorf</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST/EDUCATION SECRETARYRuth Thoma</p> <p>OFFICE ASSISTANT / IT ADMINISTRATORVance Stewart</p> <p>OFFICE ♦ (314) 739-1525 FAX ♦ (314) 739-1302 www.feefeebc.org</p> <p>THE FORERUNNER is published Bi-weekly, by FEE FEE BAPTIST CHURCH 11330 St. Charles Rock Road Bridgeton, MO 63044-2792</p> <p>Periodicals Postage rates paid at Hazelwood, MO 63042-9998</p> <p>USPS 016957</p> <p>POSTMASTER: Send address changes to: THE FORERUNNER Fee Fee Baptist Church 11330 St. Charles Rock Road Bridgeton, MO 63044-2792</p>

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A Word From Andrew

How have you seen God moving in your life? As we’ve been talking about in our Moving series on Sunday mornings, our God is always moving. He is always working in our world. We just don’t always recognize that. In the first week of the series we saw that the first step in seeing God move is to fear Him. Last week we saw some different ways that God may prepare us to move. I hope you’ll continue to join us each Sunday morning as we understand more and more of how God moves and hopefully this allows us to see Him moving in our lives. As a part of this series I am encouraging everyone to read through the book of Exodus together, by reading a chapter each day. The week of July 30-August 5 we are reading Exodus 8-14. Then on August 6-12 read Exodus 15-21. As you read each day examine how God was moving in and through the people of Israel.

Thanks to all that came to our Swim Night in July! It was a fun night for everyone. The swim night that was cancelled in June because of weather has been rescheduled for Friday, August 24, from 8:00-10:00 p.m. Cost is \$5 per person with a \$20 max per family. All guests are free to this event so invite your friends and neighbors to come and have fun swimming under the stars.

Thank you again Fee Fee for being obedient to Jesus’s call in Acts 1:8 to “Be my witnesses in Jerusalem,

in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth”. This summer you have sent our members to be His witnesses in Missouri, Kentucky, Mexico, and the Dominican Republic. God worked in wonderful ways on those trips to make His name known! We want to share that with you at our Mission Trip Report Night on Sunday, August 5, at 6:00 p.m. Come and hear about these great trips and how God moved.

August 5 is also Promotion Sunday! Students in Preschool through Youth Ministry will be moving up to new Bible Study classes on Sunday mornings. Parents, please bring your children to their new classes at 9:45 a.m. that day. I hope your student is excited about starting the new adventure of a new class. If you have any questions about Promotion Sunday you can contact our Director of Children, Kathy Scott, or our Interim Youth Director, Sarah Turner. We are praying for your kids that this will be a year of spiritual growth in their lives in their Bible Study classes! I would also encourage you to pray for all of our students, teachers, and parents who are preparing for a new school year this coming month. It is always an exciting and stressful time for them. Pray that God would use each of them in their school systems to be His witnesses!

Andrew Yakel
Interim Associate Pastor

Prime Time

Gloria Fox, Director of Senior Adults & Bible Study
Here is your last minute date change on the River City Rascals game. It has been rescheduled for Thursday, August 2. The original game I was taking you to was an away game! Whoops. The game starts at 6:35 p.m. and we will leave church at 5:45 p.m.

On Thursday, August 23, at 11:30 a.m., we will have sub sandwiches and the movie, *I Can Only Imagine*, in the rafters. A sign-up sheet is posted.

Upcoming events: September through November:

- ◆ Mastodon State Park and the Blue Owl
- ◆ WWI Exhibit at Jefferson Barracks Ordnance Room
- ◆ Golden Eagle Ferry and Pere Marquette chicken!
- ◆ Cemetery tour at either Calvary or Bellefontaine
- ◆ Branson Trip

Bible Study Corner

Bible Studies—Coming this fall!

- ⇒ The Daniel Plan
- ⇒ Women’s and Men’s Bible Studies on Wednesday (September 5)
- ⇒ Precepts on Sunday evening (September 9)

Family Front

Kathy Scott, Director of Children & Family Ministries
I will be offering the I’M A CHRISTIAN NOW class this summer for kids who have accepted Christ as Savior and are awaiting baptism. The class will be in August on Wednesday nights. If you and your child are interested in attending or have questions, please let me know and we will confirm dates and times.

Upcoming events:

Our last **Swimming Under The Stars** is August 24 from 8:00-10:00 p.m. at Bridgeton Pool. \$5 per person; \$20 max per family. Bring a friend or two or three—if they are new to our church, they are free!

Promotion Sunday for preschoolers and children will be August 5. We welcome people who love the Lord and love kids to teach our Kindergarten through 6th graders. A background check is required.

Wednesday night activities will resume September 5 with supper from 5:00-6:15 p.m. and Awana at 6:15 p.m. Women’s Bible studies will also begin that night. Registration forms are available on the parlor table for Awana.

See me if you are interested in serving in Bible study, kids’ worship (KIDZONE), or Awana Club (on Wednesday nights).

All-Church Bowling, Saturday, August 18, 10:00 a.m.-noon at Tropicana Bowl in Clayton. Sign-up sheets are posted. Please sign up so we will know how many lanes to reserve. Cost is only \$2 per person plus \$3.75 for shoes.

Jesus said, Let the little children come to me...People who are like these little children belong to the kingdom of God.

Music Musings

Ronna Paden, Director of Music

Concert Reflections

Our 2018 Summer Concerts have come and gone. Thanks for all your encouragement to help get through a season with just a few obstacles that got in the way, but didn’t stop us!

The renovations got finished just in time for our concert which required the use of the organ. That would have been another challenge! Dr. Harris and Dr. Harlan were brilliant in their concert presentation which recognized living composers, 4-hand piano, and a premiere performance of a Trumpet Sonata yet to be published! It was a unique concert with many variations!

Thanks also for your many kind words as you showed appreciation for each of five diverse concerts.

Often concert and theatre companies ask for feedback from attendees and also will ask for input on what artists or shows they would like to see in upcoming seasons. We would like to provide the same opportunity to our folk(s). Is there a concert from this year or previous years that you would like to see repeated? Or...is there a new idea you would like to submit for the future schedule? Please send ideas to Janet (Janet@feefeebc.org) or to me (Ronna@feefeebc.org).

All Voices Welcome in Our Choir

All voices welcome, whether you are seeking the support of others to stay in tune or are an experienced singer ready to lead others and do solo work.

We will always welcome new singers to our choir. As always, any age, level of experience or no experience - welcome. There is no audition process ...only the desire to sing praise to the Lord!

Instrumentalists, Heed the Call

For our 8:30 a.m. worship we would like from time to time to enhance our worship music with the use of instrumentation. We send out the scores for the hymns about 3-4 weeks in advance of the Sunday they will be played.

We have identified and involved some wonderful young players, but I am sure there are some instrumentalists out there that we do not even know about. If you are older and haven't played for a few years, this is a good way for you to jump in and get your chops back. If you don't have time to practice everything, just play on one or two hymns to add dimension and beauty to the music.

Let us know who you are and what instrument you play so that we can send you the music for your part. Send your information to Janet (janet@feefeebc.org) or Ronna (Ronna@feefeebc.org).



"He's here to hit the high notes."

Chi Alpha News

Sarah Turner, Praise & Worship Leader & Interim Youth Director

Sunday Morning Bible Study

Our Sunday morning study continues in a multi book series called the Discipleship Path. All 7th-12th graders are welcome to join us at 9:45 a.m. in the Rafters for Bible Study! Our current book is called “TRUTH, Engaging the Foundations of the Faith”

August 5 – Promotion Sunday and Youth & Family BBQ

Attention incoming 7th Graders this is for you! We would like to officially invite you to join us Sunday, August 5, in the Rafters on the 3rd floor at 9:45 a.m. for the youth Sunday school hour.

After the 11:00 a.m. Worship Service ALL youth, including incoming 7th graders, and their families are invited to stay for our Annual Youth & Family BBQ! We will start the BBQ at 12:30 in the courtyard in front of church. The youth ministry will provide the meat and drinks, but we’re asking every family that comes to bring a side dish and a dessert.

Please RSVP to let me know you are coming (sarah@feefeebc.org)!

Back to School Bash!

Chi Alpha Summer has been a blast! From house parties, to mission trips, to studying God’s word, we’re so glad you were able to join us! The fun isn’t over yet though! Our Wednesday night small groups will be coming back with a bash, a back to school bash that is!

Join us on **Wednesday, August 15**, for a night of games, food, and vision for this upcoming school year! We will be giving away our new Fee Fee Youth t-shirt for **FREE** to all those who attend *that night only*, so you won’t want to miss!

New Time!

The normal time for Youth Small Groups on Wednesday nights has previously been 6:15 -7:30 p.m. That will change effectively on August 22 for our first official night back for Small Groups to a new time of **6:00-7:30 p.m.**

Upcoming Events

- August 3 – First Friday @ Fee Fee 8:30 p.m.
- August 5 – Youth & Family BBQ 12:30pm-3:00 p.m.
- August 15 – Back to School Bash 6-7:00 p.m.
- August 22 – Regular Youth Small Groups Return 6-7:30 p.m.



**Every Third Saturday
7:30 am
Golden Corral on Zumbuhl Rd. in St. Charles**