

HAND'S & FEET

Official Newsletter of Salisbury First Baptist Church



Shinning the Light of Jesus

'pray without ceasing,'
1 Thessalonians 5:17

When an 11-year-old girl in the western African country of Ghana learned about Jesus through Samaritan's Purse programs Operation Christmas Child and The Greatest Journey, she decided to follow Him as Savior and boldly share her faith. The girl's name is Epiphani.

"Through the program, I now know who Jesus Christ is," said Epiphani about The Greatest Journey follow-up evangelism and discipleship program for shoebox recipients. "The classes changed my life. I put my trust in Jesus."

Shining the light of Jesus Christ in her community led Epiphani to notice a boy picking through trash for metal scraps to sell for food. She gave him the Operation Christmas Child shoebox gift she had received—filled with items such as pencils, books, and a pair of blue sandals.

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Special This Month

11/2 Daylight Savings Times Ends

11/2 Church Survey's Due

11/8 OCC Packing Party 2:00 pm

11/9 Deposit for WOJ Oct 2026 is
due see Tosha Cruse

11/17 - 11/24 OCC Collection Week
see how you can help on page 5

11/23 RSVP and Money due for
Ladies Christmas Party

11/27 Thanksgiving

Weekly Schedule

Sunday:

Sunday School 9:30 am

Worship 10:30 am

Men's Prayer Time 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Wednesday:

Prayer Time 5:30 pm

Club 2:52 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Youth Group 7:00 pm

Prayer Bible Study 7:30 pm

Thursday:

Women's Bible Study 9:30 am

Shinning the Light of Jesus (continued)

She had loved the gift but decided that the boy named Daniel needed the treasures more. He wears the sandals nearly every day.

Daniel was so intrigued by Epiphani's thoughtfulness, as well as her excitement and love for Jesus, that he accepted her invitation to attend church and began studying the Bible. Before long, Daniel gave his life to Christ. He plays drums during the church's worship services.

After Daniel told his mother about Jesus, she also accepted Jesus as Savior and became part of the church. Praise God for how He is shining His light into families, beginning with boys and girls who are making disciples by sharing the gift of Jesus Christ.

'I will praise the
name of God with
a song; I will
magnify him with
thanksgiving'
Psalm 69:30

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD PACKING PARTY

WHEN
November 8
2pm – completed

WHERE
SALISBURY FBC
JOSHUA HOUSE

Operation Christmas Child blesses children around the world with gift-filled shoeboxes that become opportunities to share the Good News of Jesus Christ.

www.samaritanaspurse.org/occ



**GOOD NEWS,
GREAT JOY.**

**YOU'RE INVITED
DEMONSTRATE GOD'S
LOVE IN A TANGIBLE WAY
TO CHILDREN IN NEED
AROUND THE WORLD
THROUGH OPERATION
CHRISTMAS CHILD**

**ALL AGES
WELCOME**

HAVE SUPPLIES?
If you have shoebox
supplies and would
like to bring them, it
would be a blessing

DONATIONS
If you would like to
help offset project
expenses, such as
shipping the boxes, we
will be taking
donations at the event.

If you would like to help
set up or contribute
snacks contact Sara
Ponder at 660-414-7751

WHAT WILL I PACK?



Gift-filled Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes are delivered together with **the Good News of Jesus Christ** as expressions of God's immense love for a child. **So, be sure to make them ...**

FUN: Include a quality "wow" item to delight the child, such as ...

- Soccer ball with pump
- Doll
- Stuffed animal

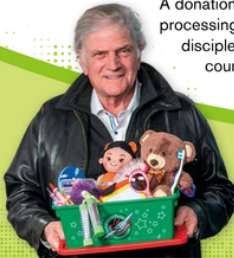
FULL: To fill empty spaces, add school supplies and personal care items, such as ...

- Pens, pencils, crayons, and notebooks
- Sunglasses
- Flashlights

PERSONALIZED: Make sure every shoebox is unique and covered in prayer.

Include a note of encouragement and photo of you, your family, church, or group to further personalize the gift. These personal letters often are children's favorite shoebox items!

WHERE WILL IT GO?
A donation of \$10 per shoebox is critical to help cover collecting, processing, and shipping gifts to equip local churches for evangelism and discipleship. Give online through Follow Your Box and discover the country destination of your gift through our Look-up Tool.



"Shoebox gifts are like snowflakes—no two are alike!"
—Franklin Graham, President, Samaritan's Purse

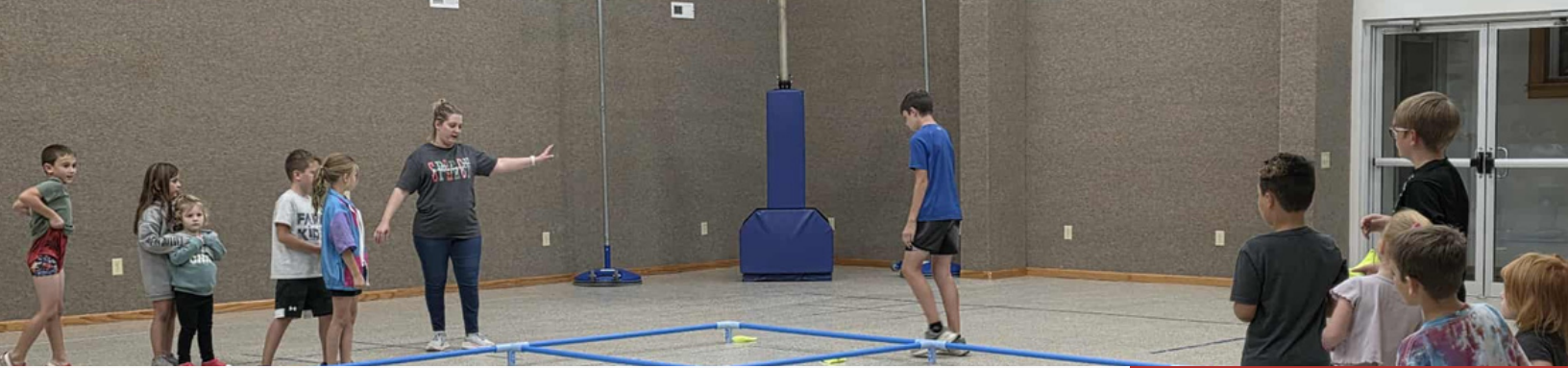
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Wondering if certain items are OK to pack? See our gift suggestions and search tool:





THE GOSPEL IS GOOD NEWS!

Club 2:52



Club 2:52 is in full swing. Our numbers keep increasing every week! Moving to our new time we have had new leaders, helpers and children. This year the kids have been learning Who God is and about His promises. Right now they are studying Abraham. They learned that God kept His promise and did the impossible in Abraham's life. It is the great to see our kids learn that God can do the same in their lives!



The Branch: Trunk or Street
The Youth did a fantastic job on the trunk for the trunk or street. They based their trunk on Forrest Frank song Lemonade. The songs talks about how the world gives us lemons but Jesus gives us Lemonade. He makes all things good! It was a great reminder for us all! Thank you to everyone that helped!



FCA has been well attended and had guest speakers for the youth to learn from.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD Love in a shoe box

Operation Christmas Child Collection Week

Salisbury First Baptist Church/ Fellowship Hall

118 E 3rd Street, Salisbury MO

Monday, November 17 4pm – 7pm

Tuesday, November 18 4pm – 7pm

Wednesday, November 19 4pm – 7pm

Thursday, November 20 3pm – 6pm

Friday, November 21 4pm – 7pm

Saturday, November 22 2pm – 5pm

Sunday, November 23 4pm – 6pm

Monday, November 24 7am – 9am

Followed by loading cartons and taking them to Central drop off location.

Volunteers needed to assist! Fun and fellowship, all for a great mission to reach children around the world.

Women of Joy 2025



Gretchen Atkinson followed the Lord is BAPTISM on October 12th. She was BAPTIZED by Jeff Gebhardt, chairman of Deacons. Standing with her were her husband John sons Beau and Bryce.





RSVP **WOMEN OF JOY™**
October 2nd - 4th, 2026
Branson Mo

Deposit of \$25 for Fall WOJ 2026 are due November 9, 2025 so we can order tickets, see Tosha for more details

Men's Prayer Time
Sunday Nights
in the
Sanctuary
7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Ladies Christmas
Painting Party
December 10th 6:00 pm
at FBC Salisbury
RSVP & Pay By November 23rd
to Tosha Cruse
\$35.00 per person

JOIN US FOR
BIBLE STUDY
ON PRAYER
7:30 PM
WEDNESDAY'S IN
THE PRAYER ROOM

There is power in prayer! If you are interested in praying for our church

Join Us for a Time of Prayer
Wednesday at 5:30 pm

We will be meeting in the prayer room (off of the sanctuary) to pray for our Wednesday ministries and Church.

THE GOSPEL IS GOOD NEWS!

Club 2:52 Register Here

Dinner served every week

WEDNESDAY'S 6:00 - 7:30 PM
PRE-K - K TO 6TH GRADE
(MUST BE POTTY TRAINED)
AT FBC SALISBURY
REGISTER ONLINE AT
WWW.FBCSALISBURY.COM

NEW TIME

HELP SUPPORT THE WAGNER FAMILY

megaphone icon **SA** **TE** **URDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH**
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - SALISBURY, MO
SERVING STARTS @ 10:30 A.M.
To help with travel, hotel, food, and other expenses, we're hosting a Soup Dinner & Silent Auction.

SOUP DINNER SILENT AUCTION

Adaylee (Addy) Wagner

Addy is the daughter of Cassidy Wagner and an 8th grade student at Salisbury High School. She was recently diagnosed with Ewing's Sarcoma, a rare type of bone cancer that mostly affects children and teens. Addy has already begun her fight, and we want to come together to support her and her family during this time. Addy also has a younger sister, and with the holidays right around the corner, we hope to help ease some of the family's worries and show them how much love this community has to give.

All proceeds will go directly to Addy and her family. Let's come together and help the Wagners through this battle with love and support.

any questions text 660-414-7917



PRAYER NEEDS >>>

Pray for our Wednesday Night Ministries that God would be glorified. That the families that are involved would be blessed. And that others would join us.

Pray for our Pastor Search Committee. Pray for protection from the spiritual warfare they may occur. Pray for them to be guided by the Holy Spirit in all of their decisions.

Pray to God and thank him for the many blessings that he has provided you and your family this year.

DON'T MISS A THING

SIGN UP FOR OUR MID-WEEK UPDATE



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