

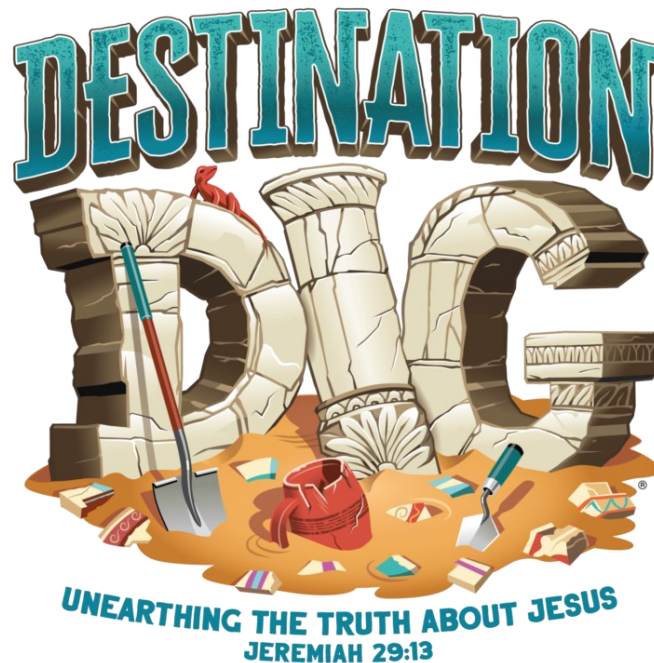
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# Pray for VBS

July 19-23



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**JULY 25**

**11:00am**

**In Person & Live Stream**

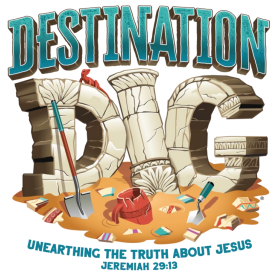
# So What About the Jews?

Romans 9:1-33

Listen to [sermon recordings](http://www.abingdonbaptist.org/sermon-recordings) at  
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## *From Our Pastor...*



**VBS – Destination Dig July 19-23** – VBS is happening this week as we dig into God's word to discover eternal truths. This year we are following an evening format beginning with a kid-friendly meal at 5:30pm each day in Fellowship Hall. VBS starts at 6:00pm with an opening assembly in the Chapel. **On Friday evening July 23**, parents, family, and anyone who would like to enjoy a fun evening are invited to a **hotdog supper at 5:30pm and closing program at 6:00pm**.

We are thankful for the leadership of Miss. Carrie Trivett, our Children's Ministry Assistant, and her team of VBS volunteers. They have worked hard to plan and prepare this special ministry event for our children. **Please be in prayer for our volunteers, our children, our families, and our church as you ask the Lord to work through this VBS to impact many lives for Christ.** We pray that as our children, parents, and volunteers work together to unearth important information about God and His love for us through His son Jesus that God will be glorified, disciples will be formed, and His kingdom will grow. Thank you for your prayers, participation, and volunteer support.



**Church-wide Picnic August 5 – Picnic Shelter #4 at Washington County Park** has been reserved for our church. Please bring a covered dish to share. We will gather **starting at 5pm**, and hamburgers and hot dogs will be ready by 6pm. Come have some fun at the lake, eat some summer picnic food, and enjoy fellowship in the beauty of God's creation. This picnic is sponsored by the Odds & Ends Sunday school class.

### **Open House and Vespers**

Deborah and I invite you to attend an open house at our new home on **Sunday, August 8 from 4pm to 7pm**. Our address is 22468 Azure Lane, Abingdon 24211. We enjoyed hosting the sunrise service on Easter Sunday and now would like to have the joy of sharing our new home with more of you. Come take a tour of our home and enjoy the grand view of God's handiwork. We will have a vespers service on the patio at 6pm. Please bring a lawn chair for the service. We hope to see you on August 8.



**Old Testament Survey** – Beginning **Tuesday, August 10 at 12:30pm**, Pastor Bill will lead an eight week study over several books of the Old Testament (i.e., Ruth, Samuel, Kings, Chronicles, Ezra-Nehemiah, Esther, Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, and Song of Songs). Each book will be introduced with emphasis on historical issues, theological interpretations, and contemporary applications. Anyone may attend at no charge, and copies of course notes will be provided to participants. The course will meet in the church Conference Room. To participate, please contact Pastor Bill.

*Bill*

# F.Y.I...

**Deacon of the Month - June**  
Dana Duncan 276-628-2777

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
Attendance for Sunday, July 18  
In-person/Zoom Study Groups - 85

**Extended Session Workers**  
**July 25, 2021**  
Carrie Trivett & Cathy Shelton

**Worship Technicians:**  
Bill Klose  
Angella Klose  
Tony Roberts  
Ray Minor  
Cathy Shelton  
Mel Shelton

**Car Ministry**  
**July 25** - Larry Payne - 698-9163

**Financial Update**  
July 18, 2021  
**Budget Funds**

Weekly Budget Needs	\$8,053.00
Received 7/11/2021	\$7,547.00
YTD Budget Needs	\$225,484.00
YTD Receipts	\$224,471.64
<b>Building Fund</b>	
To-date	\$100,860.99



## CHURCH CALENDAR

Click to view monthly calendar

**FRIDAY July 23**  
5:30pm VBS  
Hotdog Supper and Closing Program  
Fellowship Hall

**SUNDAY July 25**  
9:45am Odds & Ends In-Person/Zoom  
Fellowship Hall  
Denton Foil In-person/Zoom  
Chapel

Seekers In-person/Zoom  
Conference Room  
Friendship In-person/Zoom  
Room 112  
Crumpler In-person  
Children & Youth classes In-person  
10:45am Full In-person or  
Livestream Worship  
Facebook, YouTube, Vimeo  
Nursery & Extended Session

**WEDNESDAY July 28**  
6:00pm Online Bible Study  
"Jesus Feeds the 5000"  
Mark 6:30-44  
Facebook  
7:00pm Sanctuary Choir  
Sanctuary

### 2021 Abingdon Baptist Church Beach Trip

Single - \$643.00  
Double - \$419.00  
Triple - \$344.00  
Quad - \$307.00

September 20-24, 2021

Depart from ABC on Monday at 7:30 a.m.

**Final payment is due by due July 19**



OCC featured item for July  
will be **Pencils**



To call in by  
telephone to listen to  
our Sunday morning  
Worship each week:  
Call: (929) 205 6099  
ID: 857 6177 9822  
Passcode: 054503

July 29, 2021

**Billy Graham Library**

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and

**Daniel Boone Inn Restaurant**

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Depart ABC 7:00am and return 8:00pm

### GET CONNECTED



Text "CONNECT" to 276-212-1288

Be the first to know about church  
schedule changes.  
We will send you a text.

# ***Prayer Concerns***

## **Hospital:**

**Smyth County Community Hospital**  
Bert Parsons

## **Recuperating:**

Nadine Culberson  
Ann Johnson  
Trula Harris  
R.W. Hilt

## **Treatments Continuing/Pending:**

Nick Abel, Matthew Childers, Terry Christian, Matthew Childers, Becky Corvin, Nadine Culberson, Lendy Dunaway, Tristan Duncan, Elizabeth Eskew, Richard Foil, Carol Fuller, Lee Garrett, Denise Gobble, Renva Gunter, Trula Harris, Lucille Heath, Bill Hedrick, Connie Hicks, Winona Hilt, Harold Jackson, Anne Johnson, Karen Lane, Scyretia Mullins, Hannah Moore, Glenda Pollard, Rita Reynolds, Margaret Roe.

## **Long Term:**

Curtis Burkett, Gene Compton, Barbara Dunn, Billie Jordan, Wayne McCall, Karen McMurray, George Owens, Will Roberts, Rosa Lee Shaffer.

## **Independent Living/Retirement/Assisted Care & Rehab Facilities:**

Eva Hamlet, Christine Kohr, Janet Lambert, Genevive McCall, Bonnie McCracken, Virginia Moore, Joanna Owens, Howard Smith, Sally Stevens.

## **Homebound:**

Bea Jones, Jim Jones, Sue Munsey, Dale Orfield, Jake Turner, Shirley Turner, Jimmy Repass.

### **Homebound of the Week** **Shirley Turner**



This week we want to lift up  
**Mark Farris**  
Patrol Officer  
Abingdon Police Department  
**Robert Lord**  
**Terry Loyd**  
Washington County Sheriff's Dept.



Monday, July 26

- Jennifer Tignor

Tuesday, July 27

- Linda Flanagan
- Gabe Harless

Thursday, July 29

- Jackson Counts

Monday, August 2

- John Berry
- Lesa Brame

*Dear Abingdon Baptist Church,*

*Thank you so much for your prayers and many expressions of sympathy after my father's passing. We love and appreciate you all.*

*Tony, Renee, Thomas, Maggie and Florence Roberts*

*Dear Church Family,*

*Thank you for all the prayers and good things that everyone did for me during my surgery.*

*Trula Harris*

### Operation Christmas Shoebox

Dania Yadago Andraos - a recipient of a SHOEBOX as a child will be sharing how God used an Operation Christmas Child Shoebox in her life.



**August 5, 2021**

**Higher Learning Center at 6:00pm  
Everyone Welcome**

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### Watauga Chapel 6:00pm to 7:30pm



July 25	Chestnut Grove
Aug. 1	Eddie Shelton
Aug. 8	Duty Free
Aug. 15	Becon Call
Aug. 22	Joyful Noise
Aug. 29	Green Spring Men

### PENCIL PROJECT

We know school was just dismissed for the summer; however, school will re-start in Washington County on August 10<sup>th</sup>. As far as we know, school will be in-person. As in the past, the Friends of Audrey & Jill WMU Circle is working with other churches to provide school supply bags to Stone Soup Food Pantry (SSFP) to be given out to customers with children as they pick up their food. Following is a listing of items that we include in the bags:

- 2 paks of 70 wide ruled paper (or equivalent)
- 2 spiral bound paper
- 1 composition book
- 1 pencil sharpener
- 1 box of 24 crayons
- 2 erasers
- 1 pencil box
- 2 paks of 10 - #2 pencils (or equivalent)
- 1 pak of 10 pens (either black or blue ink)
- 1 pak colored pencils (usually come in paks of 10 or 12)
- 4 glue sticks
- 1 pair Fiskars scissors



We would appreciate your help by either providing some of the items listed or providing a cash (check) donation and we will do the shopping. We will then assemble the bags and get them delivered to SSFP so ours with other churches will be enough to hand out before the first week of school. We will need to have bags to SSFP by 7/23 so they can be handed out the last week of July and the first week of August.

Thank you for your past support and we look forward to your support again this year.

Friends of Audrey & Jill, WMU Mission Circle

### We start streaming at 10:45am

Tune in to check your connection  
and to prepare for Worship  
Service will begin at 11:00am



Full in-person or Livestream Worship.  
Doors open at 10:45am

Ministers			Entire Congregation
Pastor	bbryan@abingdonbaptist.org	ext. 32	Rev. Dr. Bill Bryan
Interim Music and Worship Leader	shawnh1990@gmail.com		Mr. Shawn Howell
Church Organist			Mrs. Carol Clifton
Church Pianist			Mrs. Rose Payne
Secretary	tvickers@abingdonbaptist.org	ext. 21	Mrs. Trina Vickers
Children's Ministry Assistant	ctrivett@abingdonbaptist.org		Miss Carrie Trivett
Youth Ministry Assistant			Mr. Jimmy McKemy

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Church office hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00am - 5:00pm, Friday 9:00-12:00pm

**Phone: 276/628-8126**

PRAYER LINE: extension 42, FAX: 276/628-5743

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