

**Springvale First Baptist Church** 

A place to grow in your relationship with Jesus Christ.

Come and see what the Lord has in store for us.

Let us worship the Lord together!

### **The Messenger November 2025**





The Board of Fellowship invites you to a Thankful Dinner on Sunday, November 9th, following worship. They will be serving a complete Thanksgiving Dinner. What a wonderful time to share a thankful meal with your church family. Who better to share this meal with?





### **Thanksgiving Donation Boxes**

The Board of Mission and Outreach is giving you the opportunity to reach out to people in our community!

There will be boxes downstairs in the following hall. Please sign up and place your donation in the box corresponding to the one you selected. These will be distributed to families in the community who are in need.

The Baby bottle banks for Alpha are due back Sunday, November 2, 2025. The donations from the banks will be used by Alpha to fund its programming. Thank you to the Board of Mission & Outreach for this opportunity!

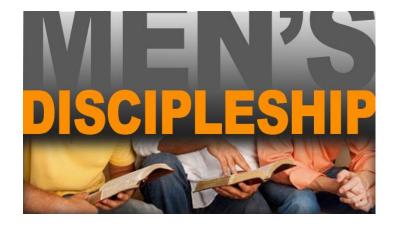




The wreaths are coming!!!

Decorating starts on the 16th
Bows and decorations, and advice provided
Just bring your imagination.

Call Maureen anytime you would like to come and need to get into the Church 206-5625



Body Builders is Saturday, November 1st, at 8:00 am. The First Baptist Church of Sanford invites all our men to fellowship, worship, and a time of reflection.

Here at the church on Sunday mornings at 9:00, all men are invited to a time of fellowship and study.

Our men really enjoy this time and would love to welcome any men who aren't attending, as there is a spot for you!



The Board of Mission & Outreach is giving you another opportunity to support Alpha Pregnancy Resource Center. They are hosting a baby shower for Alpha. There is a list on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall. I also provided one here that shows what they need.

### **Baby Shower Needs for Alpha**

Diapers Size 5 & 6 Goodnights diapers sizes S-XL Pull Ups All sizes boys and girls Diaper rash cream Parent's choice fragrance-free baby wipes Safety items door knob covers Baby proof cabinet door locks Sippy cups Baby/kids hangers **Baby Board Books Digital thermometers** Parent's choice fragrance-free baby wipes **Maternity Clothes All Sizes** Greatest needs are Large & XL Leggings and jeans **Short sleeve T-shirts (without words)** Long Sleeve T-shirts (without words)



## DOYLE DYKES IN CONCERT

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# Kathy's Corner In Memory of Kathy Fink Forever in our hearts







Beginning November 9th, the Board of Mission and Outreach will be offering plastic soldiers for you to take home. Place these in a prominent location in your home, and whenever you see them, pray for our military.



Please close all doors when leaving the church. We should always do this in case we have a fire. But it is especially important this time of year due to the radiant heat in the fellowship hall running.



### **Christmas Fair**

Our Christmas Fair is on Saturday, November 22nd, from 9:00 - 1:00. We now have posters that are ready to be hung in stores or community bulletin boards. Please take some to hang to let the public know.

We also have a small handout size for you to hand out to family and friends. Don't worry if you take the last one, we can print more.



Please save some time to bake for the bake table at the fair.
You can drop your baked goods off at the church on
Thursday night or Friday morning. They appreciate it if you
have your baked goods pre-packaged to sell.

### We are looking for a coordinator for our Bake Table this year!

Heather Draper submitted some kid church bloopers for you to enjoy!

A mother was preparing pancakes for her sons, Kevin, 5 and Ryan 3. The boys began to argue over who would get the first pancake. Their mother saw the opportunity for a moral lesson. "If Jesus were sitting here, He would say, 'Let my brother have the first pancake, I can wait." Kevin turned to his younger brother and said, "Ryan, you be Jesus!"

A father was at the beach with his children when the four-year-old son ran up to him, grabbed his hand, and led him to the shore, where a seagull lay dead in the sand. "Daddy, what happened to him?" the son asked. "He died and went to Heaven," the Dad replied. The boy thought a moment and then said, "Did God throw him back down?"



On Sunday, November 16th, the Board of Mission and Outreach has invited Celia from the Sanford Schools to come and speak to us. She will share some of the outreaches that she is a part of doing at the school.



Fall back this Saturday night/Sunday morning. You want to make it to church on time!



We will be having Advent Readings in our bulletins starting November 30th. If you miss a week, remember they will be on Facebook and the website @ Fbcspringvale.org. I don't update the website until Monday when I am in the office.

## The Board of Fellowship invites you to a fun evening of Carols, Cocoa, and Cookies! Save the date: Friday, December 19th!!



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