

## Friendship Baptist Youth: June Update

June is shaping up to be an exciting and meaningful month for the Friendship Baptist Youth! As summer begins, our students are preparing for a season filled with fellowship, discipleship, and opportunities to grow deeper in their walk with Christ.

During the first week of June, our youth will be heading to **FUGE Camp**. This will be a wonderful time for our students to step away from their normal routines, spend time together, worship, study God's Word, and be challenged to live boldly for Christ. Camps like this can become important spiritual mile markers in the lives of students, and we are praying that God will use this week to strengthen friendships, deepen faith, and encourage each student in a lasting way.

The youth team would also like to give a special word of thanks to **Kelly and Robbie, "The Twins,"** for volunteering to go as chaperones. Their willingness to serve, invest in our students, and help make this trip possible is a true blessing. We are grateful for their time, energy, and heart for the youth ministry.

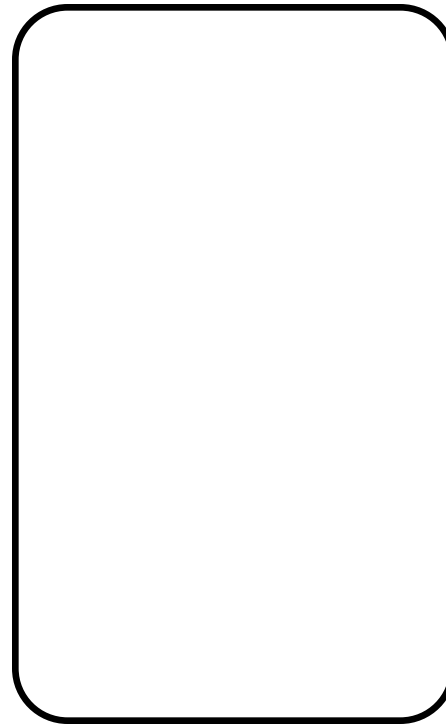
Recently, our youth group finished a systematic study on the **classical arguments for the existence of God** during our Sunday night gatherings. This study helped students think carefully about important questions of faith, truth, creation, purpose, and the reasonableness of believing in God. It has been encouraging to see our students engage with these topics and learn how to better understand and defend their faith.

For the month of June, we will take a short break from our systematic study and instead watch through the **First American Gospel** documentary. This is a must-watch documentary that warns against the false teaching of the health and wealth gospel that is being preached in many churches across the United States. Our hope is that this study will help students recognize the difference between a man-centered message and the true Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Most importantly, we want our students to understand that our relationship with God is not dependent on our works, performance, success, or ability to earn His favor. Our hope rests fully on the finished work of **Christ**. The Gospel is not good news because we are strong enough, faithful enough, or successful enough. It is good news because Jesus has accomplished what we never could.

Please continue to pray for our youth throughout the month of June, especially as they attend FUGE Camp and continue learning how to discern truth, reject false teaching, and rest in the grace of God through Jesus Christ.

Alex



### Weekly Activities

#### SUNDAY

Sunday School - 9:30 am  
Worship - 8:15 am & 10:45 am  
Evening Worship - 6:00 pm  
Children's Bible Study - 6:00 pm  
Youth Bible Study - 6:00 pm

#### WEDNESDAY

Prayer Service - 6:30 pm  
Youth Bible Study - 6:30 pm  
Children's Bible Study - 6:30 pm



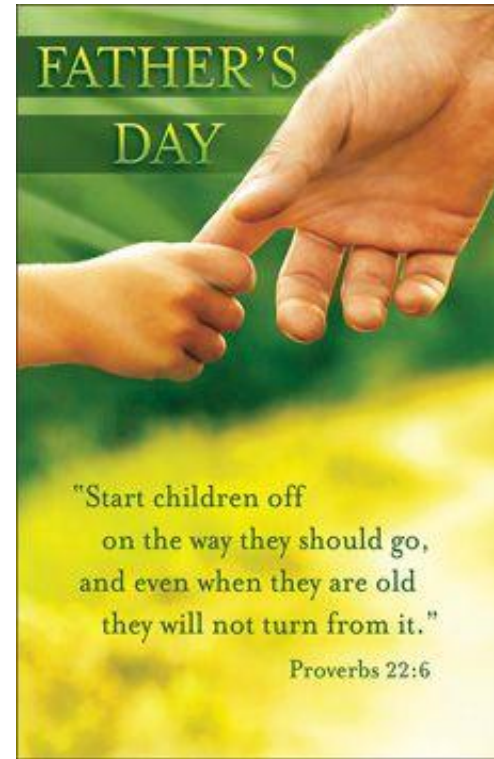
#### COOKIE BRIGADE

**June 14**  
Pam Hawkins

**June 28**  
Debbie Sisco



Help us spread the Good News to children around the world by participating in Operation Christmas Child year-round. Item for JUNE is: TOOTHBRUSHES. There is a box in the KidZone for your donations.



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### Budget Receipts

Required to Date: \$ 245,942  
Received to Date: \$ 213,226

### Nursery Volunteers

#### June 7

8:15 a.m. — Grace Payne  
10:45 a.m. — Kara Allard & Cathy Barks (BB)  
Christi Hughes & Miranda Scott (T)

#### June 14

8:15 a.m. — Tori Ramsdell  
10:45 a.m. — Vicky Fox & Carrie Childers (BB)  
Madeline Browning (T)

#### June 21

8:15 a.m. — Amanda Triplett  
10:45 a.m. — Gene & Deborah Reaney (BB)  
JP & Leah Tilley (T)

#### June 28

8:15 a.m. — Masami Smith  
10:45 a.m. — Pam Samuels & Vickie Turley (BB)  
Laura Hughes & Lynette Nelson (T)

BB - Bed Babies  
T - Toddlers

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# FRIENDSHIP NEWSLETTER

Friendship Baptist Church  
146 S. Friendship Rd.  
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Friendship will provide the hamburgers, hot dogs and drinks. Please bring side dishes, desserts, and lawn chairs. Feel free to bring outdoor games as we enjoy an evening of fun and fellowship together.



**“But as for me and my house,  
we will serve the Lord.”  
(Joshua 24:15)**

Throughout the Bible, we see many examples of men who led with courage and faithfulness. Though imperfect, they sought to follow the Lord and leave a legacy that honored Him. Joshua was an effective leader. His bold declaration concerning the priority of serving the Lord is a much-needed commitment in our world today. Strong families are built not merely on good intentions, but on a firm spiritual foundation. When fathers seek the Lord, pray for their families, and lead with humility, they create an environment where faith can flourish.

One of the greatest responsibilities given to fathers is found in Deuteronomy 6:6-7 – which says, **“And these words which I command you today shall be in your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children.”** Long before schools or technology, God established the home as the primary place where faith is nurtured and passed down. Fathers are called to model a life that points their children toward Christ - not only through words, but through daily example. A father’s greatest legacy is not wealth, or accomplishment, but a life lived faithfully before God. Children may not remember every word spoken, but they will remember consistency, compassion, prayer, and character. Children learn much by observation. They notice how fathers treat others, respond to difficulties, handle disappointment, and prioritize their time. A father who prays, worships, serves, and loves faithfully teaches lessons far beyond what can be spoken.

The good news of the Gospel is that God does not require fathers to be flawless. He calls them to be faithful. King David made serious mistakes, yet he was known as a man after God’s own heart because he continually turned back to the Lord in repentance and trust. Fathers can take comfort in knowing that God’s grace is sufficient in every weakness.

This Father’s Day, let us honor the men who have encouraged us in faith and life. A kind word, a visit, or a simple expression of gratitude can be a tremendous blessing. Let us also encourage the fathers in our church to remain steadfast in their calling, knowing that their labor in the Lord is never in vain. I pray our homes will be places where Christ is honored, grace is practiced, and faith is passed from one generation to the next. I thank God for fathers who point others toward Christ.


**God Is Good! All The Time!**

**Jason**




- 1-5 Mission Fuge
- 2 11:30 a.m. — JOY Club  
6:00 p.m. — Operation Andrew, Team 5
- 3 5:00 p.m. — Facility Options Assessment Team Mtg.
- 7 5:00 p.m. — Church Picnic
- 8 11:30 a.m. — Red Cross Blood Drive
- 9 6:00 p.m. — Operation Andrew, Team 1
- 14 7:00 p.m. — Deacons
- 16 10:00 a.m. — Women on Mission  
6:00 p.m. — Operation Andrew, Team 2
- 17 5:30 p.m. — Finance Team  
6:30 p.m. — Business Mtg.
- 21 Father’s Day  
No Evening Activities
- 22-26 Centri-Kid Camp
- 23 6:00 p.m. — Operation Andrew, Team 3
- 30 6:00 p.m. — Operation Andrew, Team 4

*Tuesdays @ 6:30 a.m. — Men’s Prayer Group*



**Red Cross Blood Drive** — June 8, 12:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m., in the Kidzone. You can sign up by going to [RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org), then enter the church zip code (42003), or use the QR Code provided.






Thank you to those who helped in the process of packing and delivering books from the church library. Books were donated to: Community Christian Academy, Ladies Living Free, Men’s Jail Ministry, Friendship Homebound, Pages Turned, and the Paducah Public Library.



**Hope Unlimited Baby Bottle Campaign** — Pick up a bottle in the Worship Center, fill it with change, cash, or check (made payable to Hope Unlimited) and return the bottle by Father’s Day. All donations are used to provide free services to our community.



**JOY Club** — Will meet at Go Café, 6000 Old US Hwy 45 South on Tuesday, June 2 at 11:30 a.m. Come join us!




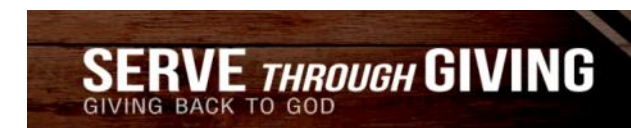
# ILLUMINATION STATION

## VBS 2026

July 12 - 16  
6-8:30 pm  
4 years - 12th grade

Registration forms are  
available in the KidZone,  
or use QR code





Summer ministry is here and your giving makes it possible. From VBS and student

camps to local outreach and ministry opportunities, every gift helps us share the hope of Jesus and serve people well. One of the easiest and most impactful ways to give at Friendship is by visiting our website and selecting recurring giving. Recurring gifts help us plan, prepare, and continue to reach people consistently all year long. Thank you for being part of the mission and helping us make an impact in our church, our community, and beyond.