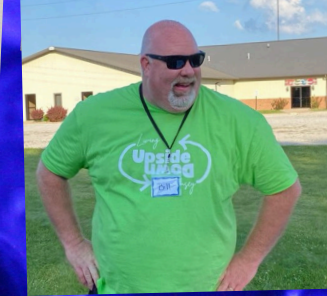


VBS 2024 (June)

Learning to live Upside Down together in Ramsey was Good!!



We welcome you!!
Sunday School: 9-10am
Morning Worship: 10am
Evening Worship: 6pm
Wednesdays: 6pm



JULY 2024

FROM PASTOR JEFF

“seek to lead a quiet life, to mind your own business,[a] and to work with your own hands, as we commanded you, 12 so that you may behave properly in the presence of outsiders and not be dependent on anyone.” 1 Thess. 4:11-12

Out of all the principles we seek to live by here at FBC Ramsey, this one is sometimes the hardest to live by. Sometimes when we get excited about the possibilities of what we can create or the impression we can make on others, we spend our time and energy in laboring over details, decoration, and or aesthetic additions which, might be really cool, takes us away from what really matters.

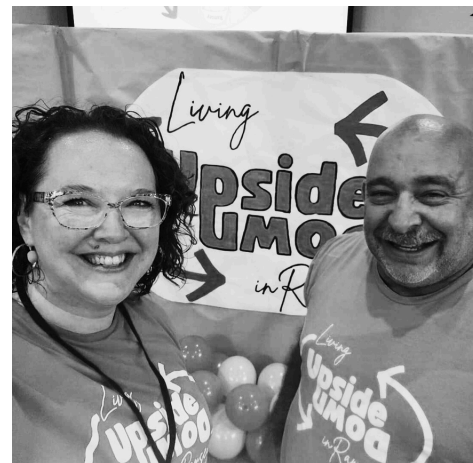
The more time we spend on outward looks, the less time we have praying, centering the Gospel or thinking about the people who will be effected by the message. Simplicity helps us to zero in on what is most important and then lets everything else go.

Now, that doesn't mean we never decorate or try to make things look nice. In fact, there are a few times when the message is greatly enhance by atmosphere and surrounding we create. It is about intentional purpose in all we do.

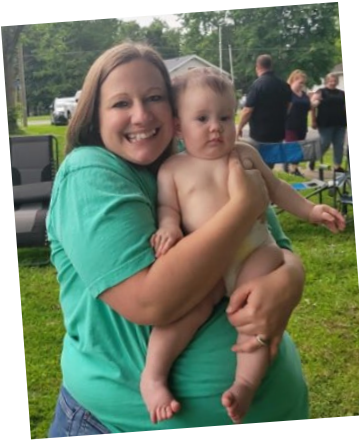
These next 2 months we are going to be looking at very practical ways in which enables us to Keep it Simple. These Biblically based actions and attitudes will help us to to more excellently reach other for Christ in a way that points everything to Him.

Following Him,

Jeff



Memorial Day Cookout



Make every effort to keep yourselves united in the Spirit, binding yourselves together with peace. Ephesians 4:3



YOUTH on MISSION



Senior Adults at Fujiyama in Effingham



FROM PASTOR MATT

“Let us not lose heart in doing good, for in due time we will reap if we do not grow weary. So then, while we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, and especially to those who are of the household of the faith”

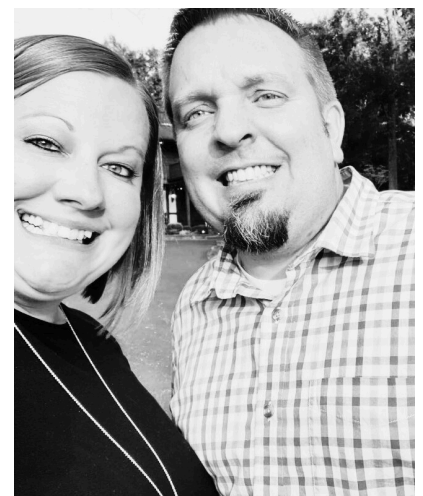
(Galatians 6:9-10).

I can say that our students are learning how to do good through service for others. It is amazing to see God work through acts of service and how well He gives strength to press on. June has been a busy month that has been full of activities. First, VBS was a successful week. We sang, played, made crafts, heard God’s Word, and learned how to live Upside Down. Second, the Youth Mission Trip was a great time of bonding, serving, and growth for our students. We spent time together talking, playing, and hearing from the Lord. We were able to serve Main Street Baptist Church in Braidwood and the people in Elmwood Park at Elmwood Park Community Church. Lastly, some of our students were able to attend a couple of different camps the last two weeks of June where they learned how to praise the Lord and sojourner for Christ.

As we come to July, we come to Rehoboth Camp season. I personally will be involved with two weeks of camp, but our students and various volunteers will be actively attending and serving at every week of camp. Please be in prayer for all the students who will be attending as well as all the adult workers who make camp happen. Camp is a time of discovery, transformation, and renewal for all involved.

I would finally like to give praise to the Lord for keeping us safe on our mission trip. He showed up and prevented what could have been a major issue. He blessed us and for that I want to give Him praise for His goodness.

Pastor Matt



Wednesday 6PM
July 17, 24, & 31

**July Food Pantry
Highlights**

Kool-Aid
Jello Mixes
Pudding Packs
Jello Packs
Cake Mixes
Icing
Canned Milk
Canned tomatoes
Canned tomato sauces

Prayer @
Campground

Summer
Lunch
Program

Collecting
for
OCC

Sign-up
for Camp
meals

SNF
Red,
White,
Blue

July Birthdays & Anniversaries

3 Johnnie & Karen Warner
7 Clint Benhoff
7 Don & Diane Price
7 Matt Oller
8 Kora Cook
10 Delaney Lockart
12 Kennady Cook
13 Kris & Mistie Adermann
23 Christian Hadley
23 Jeremy Seaton
24 Cheryl Staff
24 Mike & Robin Hayes
24 Rose Wilson
25 Cassandra Cook
28 Isaiah Miller
29 Bill & Becky Eddy

***Many Blessings
and
Best Wishes***

**7/7
Deacon's Mtg
@5PM**

**Camp Prayer
@Rehoboth
@6PM**

**7/10
Business Mtg
@7PM**

**7/14
SNF
@6PM**

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JULY 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30 Bible Study 6pm	1 Mondays 7:15AM Men's Bible Study	2 Tuesdays 6-8PM TOPS	3 Bible Study 6pm	4 Independence Day Office Closed	5 Office Closed Summer Lunches 10:20AM Church/Gym in use	6 Church/Gym in use
7 5PM Deacons' Mtg. 6PM Camp Prayer	8 Rehoboth Big Boys	9	10 B: 5:30AM L: 10:45AM; S: 5PM Rehoboth Meals Bible Study 6pm	11 Thursdays 7PM Adult Volleyball	12 5:45AM Rehoboth Breakfast 10:20-11:30AM Summer Lunches	13
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