

# KIDDING AROUND



Triad Baptist Church ❖ Children's Ministries ❖ Kernersville, North Carolina

## What's Up AUGUST

Sunday, August 6th  
PROMOTION SUNDAY

This is the Sunday where everyone goes to their new classes, based on either their age (as of September 1st) or the grade they are entering this fall. Stay tuned as we email you promotion information the week before, and get the jump on promotion before school starts!

Sunday, August 6th  
Children's Baptismal Service  
Kids Street Worship Center

9:00-9:30 AM - Each quarter we provide a baptismal service for children who have accepted Christ as their Savior, been able to share their testimony, and now want to follow the Lord in believer's baptism. Join us this Sunday morning to celebrate with five of our children who are taking this next important step in their lives!

**O**h no! There's only enough food for one more meal. The drought and famine have wiped out all the extra food. One last meal and then you and your mother will die. This is exactly what happened to a widow and her son in the book of I Kings chapter 17. Little did they know God wanted to show them why people called Him Jehovah Jireh. The Hebrews had many titles describing God. Each title started with "Jehovah" which was the name used for God. The word Jireh means "our provider." The title Jehovah Jireh means "God is our provider." You can trust God to take care of all your needs. The key is to trust Him. The widow is a great example!

## JEHOVAH JIREH

The prophet Elijah asked the widow to fix a meal for him. She told him she and her son only had enough food for one meal. Elijah asked her to trust God and give him what little they had. The woman trusted God and obeyed. Then came the miracle. Jehovah Jireh, the provider, made sure that every time she opened her canister of flour and jar of oil, there was always enough for one more meal. She never had to worry about food again.



The Bible says, "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever." (Hebrews 13:8 NIV) Jehovah Jireh still provides for those who trust Him. It's great knowing that God is watching out for your family. Trust God, and He will keep food on your table, clothes on your back, and a roof over your head. Did you notice how God used the widow to provide for Elijah? Maybe God wants you to help someone. Ask your parents to help you provide food or clothes for someone in your town who needs a little help from Jehovah Jireh.

Wow! Our 2023 Operation Arctic VBS was certainly an incredible experience! We have so many great memories of VBS this year. It was a blast learning about the coolest book in the world, the Bible, in fun and "winter" ways. And best of all ... There were at least three professions of faith made during the week! Praise the Lord for working in the hearts of these children, and for the countless number of "gospel seeds" that were planted for His glory! All in all, we praise the Lord for all of His blessings this year, and for all who helped make **OPERATION ARCTIC** a VBS we will always remember!



# AUGUST BIRTHDAYS



If you made a decision at VBS this year, please contact me, and then mark your calendar. Our next "BAPTISM FOR KIDS" class is scheduled for Sunday, September 17th at 4:00 PM. This class will last about 45 minutes, and you will learn about what to do now that you're a member of God's family! We'll give you some important information, for sure! Again, if you plan to attend, please email me at [tim.gerber@tbcnow.org](mailto:tim.gerber@tbcnow.org). (Of course, parents are more than welcome to attend with their child!)

"It's the most wonderful time of the year" ... well, not quite, but let's get ready ... Kids Street Christmas choir is back in action beginning Wednesday, August 16th, and meets on Wednesday nights until Christmas Program night, scheduled for Wednesday, December 6th. If you have a child age four through rising fifth grader that is interested in participating, go to [tbcnow.org](http://tbcnow.org) and sign your child up. Then join us on the first night. There you will receive a schedule for the remaining practices and other important information. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Mrs. Audra at [kssmusic@tbcnow.org](mailto:kssmusic@tbcnow.org).



Finally, our seventeenth season of AWANA is just around the corner!!! Of course, don't get too excited, unless you like games, studying God's Word in exciting ways, cool uniforms, awesome theme nights, and stuff like that. Stay tuned over the next few weeks. We are making plans for a super AWANA kickoff, so mark your calendars for Sunday night, September 10th! Like I've heard my mom say hundreds of times, "It will be here before you know it!!"

Because of Him,

*Mr. Tim*

**JUMP FOR JOY!  
IT'S A MESSAGE  
FROM OUR LEADER!**

## CHILDREN

- 3 Grady Park (3)
- 4 Layla Elmahy (8)
- 4 Jaxon Woods (10)
- 4 Addilyn Baity (10)
- 4 Cameron Gall (1)
- 5 Rachel So (9)
- 5 Elodie Thompson (8)
- 6 Logan Ellis (8)
- 6 Jackson Freeman (2)
- 6 Lily Phelps (1)
- 8 Joshua Reynolds (5)
- 8 Woods Pryor (1)
- 9 Caroline Inthisane (7)
- 9 Laken Marion (10)
- 10 Gibson Nichols (2)
- 12 Emory Nifong (7)
- 12 Brave Buie (8)
- 12 Jonah Heldt (1)
- 13 Scarlett McDonald (4)
- 15 Emerson Painting (5)
- 15 Jaxon Statham (5)
- 16 Chloe Mackie (8)
- 19 Jayla Eller (8)
- 21 Isabelle Urbanik (5)
- 21 Cash Porterfield (4)
- 22 Beau Cole (3)
- 23 Eli Tilley (10)
- 23 Oliver Sauls (2)
- 23 Kinley Beck (1)
- 24 Jackson Hittell (11)
- 24 Naomi Petty (3)
- 25 Paul Hazy (8)
- 25 Jack Joyce (3)
- 27 Sophie Thompson (11)
- 27 Joel Crawford (9)
- 27 Makenzie Lloyd (10)
- 28 Aspen Warren (6)
- 29 Aspen McDonald (6)

## KIDS STREET LEADER BIRTHDAYS IN AUGUST

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|--|---|
| 1 Natalie Thompson (Checkpoint Hostess)        | 17 Colin Ward (Kids Street Connect)         |
| 5 Erica Peel (Preschool Dept.)                 | 18 Carol Myers (Nursery Dept.)              |
| 5 Ashleigh Smith (Nursery Coordinator)         | 20 Kate Vernon (Preschool Dept.)            |
| 7 Kim Petty (Nursery Dept.)                    | 21 Maddox Nifong (Kids Street Connect)      |
| 9 Cyndi Johnson (Preschool Buddy)              | 26 Blake Applegate (Kids Street Connect)    |
| 10 Stacy Lewis (Preschool Dept.)               | 28 Amanda Flanagan (Kids Street Connect)    |
| 12 Ethan Bowers (Kids Street Connect)          | 28 Michael Bowers (Kids Street Connect)     |
| 12 Atlas Brooks (Nursery Dept.)                | 29 Tara Hedrick (Kids Street / Awana Buddy) |
| 12 Gary Locklear (KS Worship, Christmas Choir) | 29 Selina Thomas (Preschool Dept.)          |
| 13 Pam Angel (Nursery Dept.)                   | 31 Dana DeHart (Preschool Dept.)            |
| 14 Lisa Thompson (Pre-K Teacher)               | 31 Sherri Swaim (Nursery Dept.)             |
| 15 Kim Maready (KS Connect Teacher)            | 31 Gracie Freemon (Kids Street Worship)     |

# THE NAME STARTS WITH J

The Bible is full of characters whose names start with the letter "J." Of course, some of these characters are more famous than others. See how many of them you can find in the puzzle below. If you get stuck, there are some scripture clues below to help you out. Have fun!!!

T H A S A D U J A M E  
 J B B N J O S J O S O  
 M O J E R E M I A H H  
 J C N O M J Z J O C N  
 E A B A N B O E D U J  
 Z J J E T A J S B R O  
 E U A U L H J U E E H  
 D J O S H U A S H P L  
 H R P S O J A N U N H

Matthew 14:31-33	Genesis 25:26	I Samuel 18:3
Joshua 10:12	A book of the Bible	Matthew 4:21
II Kings 9:30	Jeremiah 9:1	Matthew 27:3
Job 1:7	Matthew 3:13	Genesis 37:28

# JUST 4 FUN

This month's fun centers around the letter "J." Gather up some friends and have a jolly good time!

## Jello Jiggle

Have mom help fix 2 large boxes of jello in separate bowls. Before the jello sets, drop in 5 marbles (or other small objects). Put bowls in refrigerator and allow to thicken. Take the bowls outside with a friend. Take off your shoes and using only your toes see who can be the first person to squish out all of the marbles.

## Jammin' Jokes

What kind of car does Mickey Mouse's wife drive?

*A minnie van.*

What happens when you throw a green stone in the red sea?

*It gets wet.*

Where do snowmen go to dance?

*A snowball.*

What is the most slippery country in the world?

*Greece.*

How do you make a milk shake?

*Give it a good scare.*

What do you get when you cross an elephant with a computer?

*A two-ton know-it-all.*



**It's getting closer ... Are you ready??  
 Our Awana Program Resumes in September!**



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<b>AUGUST</b>		1	2 6:30 pm FAMILY BIBLE STUDY	3	4	5	
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