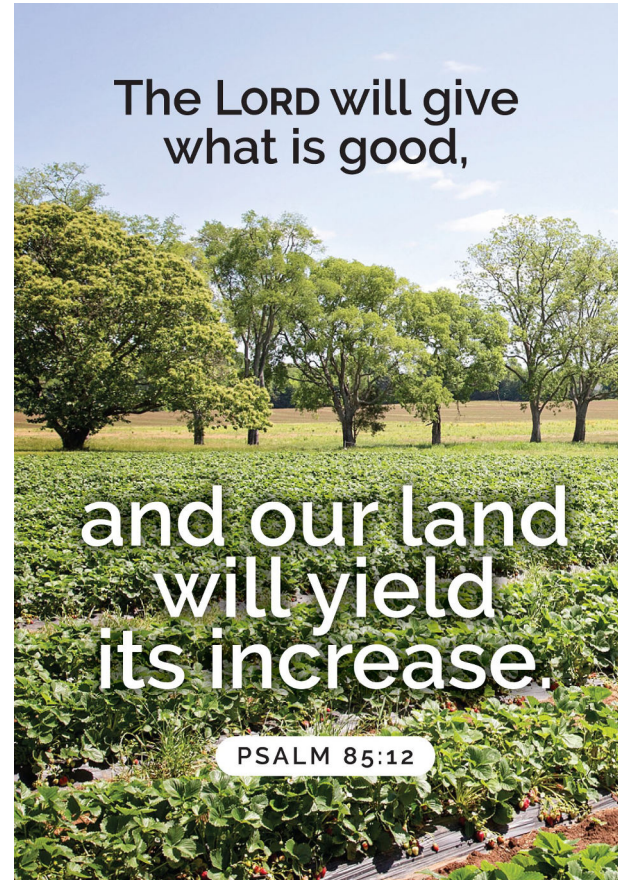


*In Our Thoughts and Prayers*

Carol Allsbrook	Nina Leggett
Dianne Allsbrook	Robert Leggett
Dianne Asby	Noah Loftin
Mary Ayers	David Mizelle
Asa Bailey	Leavy Moore
Betsy Baker	Sandra Moore
Jeff Barker	Myrtle Moore
Stephen Beatty	Roy Moore
Kim Bedwell	Mason Overton
Pam Black	Louvenia Peaks
Mary Anne Bland	Jimmy and Teresa Peaks
Howard Brown	Holly Taylor Pierce
Douglas Brown, Sr.	Emma Reddick
John Brown	Jessica Register
Dillon Butler	Ronnie Revels
Madison Carroll	Laura Roberson
Ja'Mes Cherry	Russell Roberson
Irish Clemmons (Weezle)	Earl Roebuck
Michael Coltrain	Beth Rogers
Ann Copeland	Jackie Rogerson
Lindsey Copeland	Louise Rogerson
Shirley Cratt	Nellie Rogerson
Eddie Davenport	Rev. Buddy Sasser
Justin Disney	Richard Sloan
Aubrey Gibbs	Ronnie Sloan
Jackie Haislip	Doug Smith
Luke Haithcock	Darrell Tyre
Donna Hardison	Phil Vaughan
James Hardison	Candace Wall
Donald Harrell	Norvin Ward
Barbara Harrison	Pamela Ward
Evelyn Harrison	Wendell Watson
Judy Hartman	Beverly Wexler
Bobbie Jean Hodges	Chris Wilkerson
Phil Hodges	Brenda Williams
Carole Holliday	Faye Williams
Phil Holliday	Ronald Wynne
Felicia Hollingsworth	Caley Yenke (Carey Toole)
Nancy Hunt	
Jackie Jenkins	Bryant Hines Family



From the world's perspective, there are many places you can go to find comfort. But there is only one place you will find a hand to catch your tears and a heart to listen to your every longing. True peace comes only from God.

- Charles Stanley

**Challenge for the Month ...**

**Pray for one family .**

What better way to love someone than to pray for them?

*Rose of Sharon Original Free Will Baptist Church*

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(Actual equipment shown)

***We're Almost There !!***

*We have ordered the new Playground Equipment so within the next 4 weeks it should arrive, however we will need manpower once it is here*

*...Stay Tuned ... We will be having another donation in September. Please stay tuned ... please donate generously ... this is a much needed playground renovation ... we're almost there!*

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## Summer in August

- Return to the School — Kids and Teachers return to School this month. Be mindful of school buses and kids.

- School and social events are always important, but always remember where your priority and eyes should remain.

- [Summer Devotions with Kids](#)

**Blow some bubbles.** Head out to the back yard with your Bible and a bottle of bubbles. Read John 3:5-8, emphasizing verse 8: *“The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.”* Try and have your children guess where the wind is going and where it is coming from. Talk about the fact that we can’t see wind, but we can see its effects. The same is true for the work of the Spirit in believers. We can’t see His work, but we can see the effects in the form of changed lives.

- Next month Sept 8th and 9th—Remember Back to School lock in at church, Grades 6 thru 12.

### *What Matters Most to you?*

*“When you are in the final days of your life, what will you want? Will you hug that college degree in the walnut frame? Will you ask to be carried to the garage so you can sit in your car? Will you find comfort in rereading your financial statement? Of course not. What will matter then will be people. If relationships will matter most then, shouldn’t they matter most now?”*

## Happenings This Month at Rose of Sharon August 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 VBS	2 VBS	3 VBS	4 VBS Cookout	5
6 4:30 pm Deacons Meet 5 pm Youth Committee	7 7 pm Sounds of Praise	8	9 5:30 pm WNS - T5 7 pm Bible Study / Youth	10 10 am Senior Fellowship	11	12
13	14	15 7pm Laymen’s League	16 5:30 pm WNS - T1 7 pm Bible Study / Youth	17 7pm Circle of J.O.Y.	18	19
20 11 am Holy Communion	21 7 pm Men’s Fellowship	22	23 5:30 pm WNS - T2 7 pm Bible Study / Youth	24	25	26
27 6pm Singspiration with Men of Faith	28	29	30 5:30 pm WNS - T3 7 pm Bible Study / Youth	31		

**Word Search Answers ...** ADVOCATING BAPTIZED BEATEN CHAINS COMMAND CUSTOMS DOORS  
EARTHQUAKE FOUNDATIONS FREEDOM GOD GUARD HOUSEHOLD JEWS MAGISTRATES MIDNIGHT  
PAUL PRAYER PRISON RELEASE RODS ROME SEIZED SERVANTS SILAS SINGING SWORD WORSHIP

### August Birthdays:

1 <sup>st</sup> Adam Cratt	1 <sup>st</sup> Cindy Murphy
3 <sup>rd</sup> Keagan Wilkerson	3 <sup>rd</sup> Donald Snyder
5 <sup>th</sup> Janell Bullock	5 <sup>th</sup> Kay Hardison
5 <sup>th</sup> Shawn Scott	6 <sup>th</sup> Jennifer Roberson
8 <sup>th</sup> Esther Ingalls	10 <sup>th</sup> Jimmy Holliday
12 <sup>th</sup> Mark Vaughan	14 <sup>th</sup> Franklin (Dinky) Paige
16 <sup>th</sup> Bobby Cherry, Jr.	17 <sup>th</sup> Clayton Cowin
17 <sup>th</sup> Benji Cowin	19 <sup>th</sup> Alfred Price
22 <sup>nd</sup> Lisa Snyder	23 <sup>rd</sup> Debra Howard
24 <sup>th</sup> Allison Peaks	26 <sup>th</sup> Paul Harrison
28 <sup>th</sup> Mike Bullock	29 <sup>th</sup> Tina Scott
29 <sup>th</sup> Mark Stallings	

### August Anniversaries:

4<sup>th</sup> Alfred and Barbara Price  
4<sup>th</sup> Cameron and Samantha Zitkus  
19<sup>th</sup> Toby & Betty Langley  
22<sup>nd</sup> Curtis and Carrie Bailey  
22<sup>nd</sup> Robert Lee & Evelyn Harrison  
23<sup>rd</sup> Jason and Megan Haislip  
24<sup>th</sup> Terry and Esther Ingalls  
30<sup>th</sup> Gregory & Linda Biggs  
31<sup>st</sup> Alan & Sandra Moore

## Lessons from Paul

R P F P D B M S R A S W S S D  
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I O A A D U L T O V N E N O Z  
T U R E Y E L A G O E I G T I  
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F A E I E I A S G T T D G C A  
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