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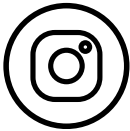
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WORSHIP & PRAY WITH US

Our Sunday morning worship has resumed in-person
at 10 am with no reservation required!

You can also join us every Sunday at 10 am on YouTube,
Facebook, or the VHBC.com Live Stream!

If you'd like to see the prayer list, please visit

www.vhbc.com/prayer-list to view and contact us for updates.



WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNERS

AT VHBC

Register online weekly at
vhbc.com!



**FELLOWSHIP
HALL**

WEDNESDAYS

**4:45-5:45
PM**

Menu for Sept 15: Cornbread Enchilada Casserole, Mexican Street Corn Casserole, Chips & Salsa, and Mexican Wedding Cookies.

Kids menu: Beef tacos, Cheese Dip, Chips & Salsa

Menu for Sept 22: Sweet and Sour Meatballs, Rice, Steamed Broccoli, and Dessert

Kids menu: Pizza rolls, broccoli, fries, dessert

Wednesdays in September

September 8th:

- Called Business Meeting
- Yoga: Breathe, Stretch, Meditation with Dr. Beth McGinnis
- An OT Look at Moses in Exodus with Dr. Jeff Leonard

September 15th:

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September 22nd:

- Bridging the Gap: A Conversation with Tyler Johnson and the VHBC Youth

September 29th:

- Ministry Minute with Scott McGinnis and Anne Wright Rygiel about the good work being done at Firehouse Ministries.
- Faith after Doubt Book Study with Mindy and Dick Bodenhamer



Women's Bible Study

Returns September 14th!

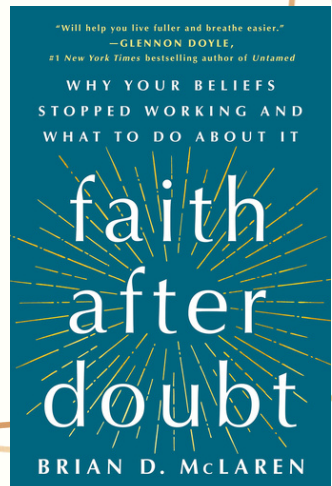
We are excited to have a chance to be together again and study the Word! Our first study this fall will be Beth Moore's book, Now That Faith Has Come: A Study of Galatians.

Due to lack of sign-ups for certain times, we have changed the times available to Tuesdays at 9:30 am and 6:30 pm. If you have already signed up for a different day, please let Brittnei know which day you'd like to change to! Click [HERE](#) to register or email brittnei@vhbc.com to change your time.

Wednesday Night Book Study

Starting September 29th

Join Mindy & Dick Bodenhamer for a 4-week book discussion of Brian McLaren's Faith After Doubt. Bring your copy and your thoughts to share!



vhbc kids

FALL 2021



2ND SUNDAY PANCAKES

SEPTEMBER 12TH
8:30 AM IN THE
CHILDREN'S BUILDING -



DON'T FORGET TO MASK UP!



WORSHIP SKILLS FOR 1ST GRADERS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2021
11:30 - 12:30



Welcome Wagon



NEW MEMBER HIGHLIGHT WELCOME, BEAU BARNETT!



Beau is eleven years old and was born in Birmingham, AL. His parents are VHBC members Brad and Bridget Barnett, and he has an older sister, Leah. Their family includes five cats and two dogs.

Beau is a 6th-grade student at Pizitz Middle School. His favorite subject is science, and he hopes to be a software engineer. He enjoys camping and camps frequently with his family.

He also enjoys playing basketball, golf, and video games. In addition to his other talents, he plays trombone. During COVID, Beau and his dad began building with LEGOs. They built a 3' x 3' replica of Rickwood Field which is now on display at the historic Rickwood Field museum.

Beau is beginning his 7th year of participation with Trail Life, a Christian outdoor adventure organization. As a service project for Trail Life, he conducted a canned food drive and collected 85 bags of pet food, toys, and supplies which were donated to the Shelby Humane Society!

TIMELY HELP FOR THE VHBC STAFF

Laura Tadlock has joined our church staff as a part-time Ministry Assistant. Much like, Elise Pittman, before her, Laura will be managing our mission partnerships and assisting with our discipleship ministry. We have already benefited from her efforts in organizing our involvement in Seed Camp this summer and the Fall Wednesday Sessions. Laura will also be coordinating our upcoming Winter Retreat at Shocco Springs. Her gifts will be a great addition to our church staff.





VHBC YOUTH FALL 2021

WNL

9/8 @ 6 pm

10th-12th Graders will have an opportunity to serve dinner at 5:30 on 9/8 with Scott McGinnis at the Firehouse Shelter.



YOSE

9/12 @ 5 pm

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9/13 @ 4 pm

WNL



9/15 @ 6 pm

YOSE

9/19 @ 5 pm

Breathe

A Retreat for Women



You are invited to attend **Breathe: A Retreat for Women** on November 4-6, 2021 at The Lodge at Gulf Shores State Park. Get away for a couple of days by yourself or with a friend to feel the sand beneath your feet and the gulf breeze on your face. **Breathe** is designed to nurture your soul, encourage renewal for your body and spirit, and spend time with God who knows you and loves you.



For more information on Breathe, contact Laura Tadlock at laura@vhbc.com & visit vhbc.com.



MEMBERS IN THE HOSPITAL

Don Baker - Surgery 9/8

LaRue Speights - Heart Procedure 9/9

MEMBERS AT HOME

Maxine Ammons

Charlotte Kyser

Libby Brown

Al Lowery

Zelle Buckner

Samson Mathangani

Carolyn Cain

Leon Nix

Jason Cooper

June Ousley

Carolyn Dutton

Gaynell Pinson

Esther Evans

Judy Schlegel

Milton Fullman

Emma Jean Sleeman

Jim & Natalie Garland

Ron Smith

Mary Ann Goodson

Alicia Stigler

Cordy Grigsby

Marlene Taylor

Bob & Mavis Hardy

Hazel Turner

Ruford Hodges

Bobbye Weaver

Peggy Jones

Doris Wilson

Linda Whitt

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY TO

Mary Nelson & family in the death of her brother, Larry Gore.



Prayer list

STAY UPDATED

INTERESTED IN SERVING?

Contact Scott McGinnis about our partnership with Firehouse Ministries. 205-422-9777

Contact Dale Tadlock if you're able to serve on Wednesday nights during Fellowship Supper.

KEEP US UPDATED!

We need to update our college student address list. Do you or your student have a new address? Email Tyler [HERE](#) and send it his way. Thanks!

SAVE THE DATE

We're planning a churchwide retreat at Shocco Springs for our VHBC family on January 8th and 9th, 2022. Put it on your calendars!



Mom's
NIGHT
OUT

TUESDAY, SEPT 14TH

Meet at 6:30 pm for appetizers
on the porch at Mugshots!



VHBC ministry team

NANCY AKINS, MINISTER TO PRESCHOOL & CHILDREN

TYLER JOHNSON, MINISTER TO STUDENTS

MIKE MCBRAYER, ADMINISTRATIVE PASTOR

BILL OWEN, TRANSITIONAL PASTOR

MARTY WATTS, MINISTER OF MUSIC & WORSHIP

VHBC GIVING

YTD Budget Needs:

\$1,212,876.00

YTD Budget Giving:

\$1,110,008.00