



LYNDALE BAPTIST CHURCH

AUGUST 2026 NEWSLETTER

LETTER FROM THE PASTOR

It's early on a Saturday morning. The sun hasn't come up to chase away the night. While I sit here drinking a cup of coffee, it's quiet and peaceful. I love these moments I spend with Jesus! The world we live in moves so fast that we can hardly find time to just stop, be still, and let Him fill our hearts with His Holy Spirit! Jesus Himself demonstrated the importance of stepping away from the crowd to spend time alone with God. In Luke 5:16, the Bible says, "But Jesus often withdrew to lonely places and prayed."

Quiet time with God should be something you desire every day, when you can focus on Him without distractions. The blessing will be that it helps calm our hearts and refreshes our souls. These moments strengthen your awareness that God is not distant but very close and actively involved in your life. Many people discover that their quiet time with God becomes the most peaceful and refreshing part of their day. In those moments, worries fade, priorities become clearer, and the presence of God feels more real. What begins as a simple habit can grow into a deeply meaningful part of daily life. There's something

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precious about sitting and communing with him alone. I can be honest and transparent with Him and give Him time to respond.

"But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father who is unseen. Then your Father who sees what is done in secret, will reward you." (Matthew 6:6)

As we go into a new month, would you set aside time each day for quiet time with Jesus, praying for your country, church, and all your fellow worshipers? I believe that if we do, revival will come to Lyndale! I want to be part of that, and I pray that you do too!

In His service,

Joe Abell



Joe Abell
Interim Pastor
Lyndale Baptist Church

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

10:30 AM (In-Person & Virtual Live Attendance)

Facebook: [Facebook.com/LyndaleOnHullST](https://www.facebook.com/LyndaleOnHullST)

YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/@lyndalebaptistchurch6109>

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

WEDNESDAY - FRIDAY

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

SECRETARY HOURS

WEDNESDAY - FRIDAY

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

CONTACT US

If anyone needs help with anything, please call your deacon or the church office.

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CHURCH MEETINGS & EVENTS

LyndaleBaptistChurch.org/events



AUG 1 - 8

MON	Aug 3	5:30 PM	Pastor Search Team
MON	Aug 3	7:00 PM	Deacon Meeting
TUE	Aug 4	10:00 AM	Coffee Meet Up
WED	Aug 5	5:30 PM	Choir Practice
WED	Aug 5	7:30 PM	Zoom Prayer & Devotional *
SAT	Aug 8	7:30 AM	Pennies for Heaven

AUG 9 - 15

SUN	Aug 9	11:30 AM	Called Business Meeting
MON	Aug 10	6:30 PM	Leadership Team
WED	Aug 12	5:30 PM	Choir Practice
WED	Aug 12	7:30 PM	Zoom Prayer & Devotional *
FRI	Aug 14	4:30 PM	Free Community Dinner

AUG 16 - 22

WED	Aug 19	5:30 PM	Choir Practice
WED	Aug 19	7:30 PM	Zoom Prayer & Devotional *

AUG 23 - 29

WED	Aug 26	5:30 PM	Choir Practice
WED	Aug 26	7:30 PM	Zoom Prayer & Devotional *

AUG 30 - 31

MON	Aug 31	7:00 PM	Deacon Meeting
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** Please contact LyndaleBaptistChurch@gmail.com for the ZOOM link to join Wednesday Night Prayer & Devotional*

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS



CALLED BUSINESS MEETING

SUN, AUG 9TH @ 11:30

There will be a special called business meeting on Sunday, August 9th directly following service to vote on the nominating committee that will be responsible for securing positions for 2027. Those names are: Susan Bullard, Denise Dodd and Jackie Jones. Please plan to attend.



SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE

DEADLINE: SUN, SEPT 6TH

Join us as we minister to children in our community! The Ruth Beale Circle is collecting school supplies to be given to a local elementary school in September. Donations may be left in the Community Resource Room in the East Wing. If you would prefer for us to do the shopping, please designate your monetary donation to the "School Supplies" campaign. Thank you!

Thank You

To our Lyndale Family,

Wilmah and I are greatly appreciative of the many prayers and thoughts in our behalf through the past few months. The meals supplied after her surgery were very much enjoyed and were indicative of our Lord's favor.

In Christian love and appreciation,
Hank & Wilmah Payne

RUTH BEALE CIRCLE

2026 School Supplies Drive



Thank You for Supporting Local Students!

Help us minister to children in our community! The Ruth Beale Circle is gathering school supplies for a local elementary school, with donations scheduled for delivery in September. You can place donated items in the Community Resource Room in the East Wing. If you would prefer for us to do the shopping, simply designate your monetary donation to the "School Supplies" campaign.

SUPPLIES FOR ALL GRADES

- Backpacks (without wheels)
- Composition Books (not spiral)
- #2 Pencils (sharpened preferred)
- 24-ct Crayons
- Thick Dry-Erase Markers (Black)
- Thin Dry Erase Markers (Black)
- Highlighters (Yellow & Multi-colored)
- Plastic 3-Prong Folders w/ 2 Pockets
- Pencil Boxes / Zippered Pouches
- Student Scissors
- Glue Sticks
- Hand Sanitizer
- Tissues
- Disinfecting Wipes
- Ziplock Bags (Quart or Gallon)
- Paper Towels

GRADE-SPECIFIC SUPPLIES

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|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| • Play-Doh | - Grades K, 1 | • 10-ct Wide Markers | - Grades 2, 4, 5 |
| • Bottle Glue (White) | - Grade 4 | • College-Ruled Paper | - Grade 3 |
| • Pink Wedge Erasers | - Grades 1, 3, 4, 5 | • 12-ct Colored Pencils | - Grades 4, 5 |

Donation Deadline: Sunday, September 6th



PENNIES FOR HEAVEN

Sat, Aug 8th @ 7:30 am

Come join our Ministry Team class on the **2nd Saturday** of each month (meeting at the church 7:30 - 7:45 am) as we deliver hygiene bags containing vital personal care items for those who are homeless and friends in need.

Donations of these much needed items are deeply appreciated:

- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste
- Deodorant
- Bath Soap
- Razors
- Socks
- Washcloths
- Shampoo



FREE COMMUNITY DINNER

Fri, Aug 14th @ 4:00 pm

Our free Community Dinners are the **2nd Friday** night of each month from 4:00 - 6:00 pm, and all are invited! Come for a good meal, great conversation and an opportunity to visit with those you may not know in our community. Looking forward to seeing you there!



LYNDALE'S BLESSING BOX FOOD PANTRY

Every day, our faithful volunteers stock and monitor our Blessing Box, helping our community in times of need. Through this daily ministry, we serve as a tangible reminder of His love for His people. Ways you can help: prayer, donations of *non-perishable* food items or volunteer for one day a week.



BLANKETS OF LOVE

There is always an urgent need to help our furry friends at local animal shelter! Lyndale is collecting donations of the following items; they can be left in the "Blankets of Love" bin in the Community Room:



- **Blankets** (used/good, new or like-new)
- **Towels** (used/good, new or like-new)
- **Pet Beds** (new or like-new)
- **Dog & Cat Toys** (new only)

LIONS RECYCLE FOR SIGHT

The [Chesterfield Prevent Blindness Morning Lions Club](#) is asking for your help and support in collecting glasses. By donating your old glasses, you can help others that are visually impaired. Lyndale's collection box has been placed in the vestibule of the church.





NO EVENTS SCHEDULED



SUN, AUG 23rd Global Hunger Sunday

Gifts to Global Hunger Relief bring help and hope to people all around the world. GHR funds are administered by [Send Relief](#) for gospel-centered hunger projects that share God's love in both word and deed.

GHR-funded projects meet crisis hunger needs in famine or natural disasters, but also focus on long-term, sustainable solutions to end chronic hunger, such as job skills training, livestock and seed distribution, clean water, home reconstruction and medical care.

Donate Online: globalhungerrelief.org/donate