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# Sharon Baptist Church

## News & Notes

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**JANUARY 2025**



### **COMING UP.....**

**\*THURSDAY, JANUARY 9:** (7 p.m. in Fellowship Hall)  
- Men's Bible Study Begins!

**\*TUESDAY, JANUARY 14:** Director of Missions meeting. See Bro. Jeff for details.

**\*SATURDAY, JANUARY 25:** Freedom13 "A Queen's Celebration" event. Donations needed for Boutique as well as monetary donations to sponsor attendees; and Volunteers needed for the event. Donation tub in foyer and fellowship hall. Volunteer signup sheet in foyer. Let's support this ministry!



**CONGRATULATIONS** to Caroline Parker and Josh Blades on their engagement! Let's support this couple and their future together! We are praying for a faith-based marriage and much happiness!

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**Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.**

**Sunday Morning Service - 11:00 a.m.\***

**Sunday Evening Service - 6:00 p.m.\***

**Wednesday Bible Study/Prayer - 6:00 p.m.**

\*If you are unable to attend Sunday morning or Sunday evening services in person, Drive-Up Church is still available upon request. Contact Bro. Jeff and tune to radio station FM 87.9

### ***Sunday School Classes & Teachers:***

Kids/Tweens: Mazie Williams

Teens: Vicky Key

Adult I: Jason & Lisa Holmes

Adult II: Cindy Spears

Join us at 9:45 a.m. each Sunday!

### **Sharon Family**

#### **JANUARY**

#### **Birthdays & Anniversaries**

4 - Rose Hood

9 - Wyatt Greene

10 - Lydia Holmes

12 - Barbara Monk

15 - Kay Lueg

18 - Jeff Roberts

19 - Red & Vicky Key

20 - Lisa Fowler

23 - Eddy & Barbara Monk

24 - Donna Dean

26 - Sharon Taylor



# Freedom<sup>13</sup> Ministries

**OUR MISSION:** Freedom13, founded on February 2, 2015, is on a mission to rebuild dignity in the lives of those we serve. Our theme verse (and why the number 13) is Galatians 5:13, which says “For you were called to freedom brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love, serve one another.”

Freedom13 serves the community through Jail Ministry (“Hope Restored”) in Lincoln and Ouachita Parishes. They offer workshops for students and parents, emphasizing the reality of technology, social media, and the impact of smartphones have on mental health (“Hope Forward”). They also offer recovery resources and local connections for women who need a fresh start in life (“Hope Connection”). Regular outreach events include Prayer Walks, A Queen’s Celebration, and Called to Freedom.

## **CURRENT NEEDS:**

\*Financial support from churches and individuals for program needs.

\*Supplies: (donation tubs in foyer & fellowship hall)

-Hope Restored (jail): soft-cover Bibles and Journals

-Hope Forward (school): any color cardstock, pens/pencils, loose leaf paper

-Hope Connection (local outreach): gas cards, individually wrapped candy/snack cakes, Note Cards/Greeting Cards, Journals, Devotionals.

\*A Queen’s Celebration event: New body lotions, Body Spray, Soap/Body Wash; Like New jewelry, scarves, totes/purses.

-Volunteers for A Queen’s Celebration: setup/takedown, boutique workers, group leaders, etc.  
(see signup sheet in church foyer)

## **Salt & Light t-shirts \$20**

We had to order a few extra shirts on the re-order, so we have extras for sale. See Lisa Holmes for sizes available.



## **COMMUNICATION OPPORTUNITIES:**

**Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/Sharon-Baptist-Church-108140167471721>

**Webpage:** [www.sharonbaptistfamily.org](http://www.sharonbaptistfamily.org)

**Remind:** We use Remind to send out group messages and updates. If you’d like to join the Remind Group, text or call Lisa Holmes at (318) 243-7098 to request to be added.