

Loving Family

Loving Jesus

Longing for all to know Him



The Advocate

White Springs Baptist Church

July & August 2026

Groups ROME Paul and the Underground Church

Vacation Bible School

An immersive adventure into ancient Rome following the apostle Paul.

White Springs Baptist Church
4411 Rainbow Drive
Rainbow City, AL 35906
256.442.2638

JULY 19-22, 2026

Sunday 9:15 am and 5:45 pm
Monday - Wednesday 5:45 pm

completed ages K5 thru 5th grade

Register by calling the church office or in the children's department

Check FACEBOOK page for updates!
<https://www.facebook.com/WhiteSpringsBC>

White Springs Staff

Senior Pastor - Dr. Chris Terrell
256.473.2132
chris@whitespringsbaptist.org

Minister of Students - Bro. Brian Hibbs
256.391.5881
brian@whitespringsbaptist.org

Minister of Worship - Bro. Ron Patterson
334.202.3757
ron@whitespringsbaptist.org

Ministry Assistant - Belinda Seahorn
256.328.1969
info@whitespringsbaptist.org

Financial Secretary - Cynthia Bradfield
256.442.2638
cynthia@whitespringsbaptist.org

Children's Director - Debbie Pullen
256.295.8593
jospehpullen226@gmail.com

July 2026

- 01 - Church Council Mtg (Tentative) -4pm
- 05 - Annual 4th of July Church Cookout-12noon
- 09 - ENCOURAGERS Mtg - 5:00pm
- 11 - Brotherhood Breakfast - 7:30am
- 19 - VBS Marketplace - 9:15 am & 5:45pm
- 20-22 - VBS Marketplace - 5:45pm
- 23-25 Helping Hands Food Ministry Weekend
- 24 - Children's Swim Party - 5:30 to 7:30pm
- 29 - SR Adult Summer Meeting - 11:30am
- 31 - Youth (Spring Valley Beach)

August 2026

- 02 - Quarterly Business Meeting after service
- 05 - Awesome August Wednesday-5:30 & 6:15pm
- 08 - Brotherhood Breakfast - 7:30am
- 12 - Awesome August Wednesday-5:30 & 6:15pm
- 13 - ENCOURAGERS - 5:00pm
- 16 - Meredith Mabrey Bridal Shower
- 19 - Awesome August Wednesday-5:30 & 6:15pm
- 20-22 - Helping Hands Food Ministry Weekend
- 26 - Awesome August Wednesday-5:30 & 6:15pm

Awesome August



WHITE SPRINGS
BAPTIST CHURCH

A LOVING FAMILY · LOVING JESUS · LONGING FOR ALL TO KNOW HIM

Make plans to join us this August for a special time of fellowship and teaching! We are excited to have a great lineup of Baptist leaders in our state partnering with us to make August awesome at White Springs.

Dinner will be served at 5:30pm, program will start at 6:15pm. Awesome August will take place in our Activity Center/Gym.

Elementary aged children will have their own "Awesome August" program in our Kids Dept.

Nursery care will be available

August
5



Dr. Jay Stewart
ALSBOM State Missionary & Director of Cooperative Program & Church Financial Resources

August
12



Dr. Larry Hyche
ALSBOM State Missionary is an associate in Global Missions focused on men's spiritual development.

August
19



Dr. Chris Crain
Executive Director of the Birmingham Metro Baptist Association

August
26



Dr. Robert Mullins
Executive Director of the Madison Baptist Association & the Passion Tree Network

August 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th

To the Congregation of White Springs Baptist Church and Dr. Chris Terrell and Staff

Dear Congregation and Brother Chris,

On behalf of the family of Annie Jo Cochran, we want to extend our heartfelt thanks to the entire White Springs Baptist Church family for the overwhelming love and support shown to us during the time of our mother's passing.

Thank you so much for all of the calls, visits, cards, and prayers. It was such an encouragement and strength to us, providing the comfort we needed to help get us through this difficult time.

As you all know, Mom loved her family, she loved her church, and she truly loved serving her church. She was a devoted member of White Springs for nearly 50 years. We were recently looking back at her legacy of ministry and came across a letter she had written to Dr. Bill King upon his retirement. In that letter, she reflected so beautifully on her 23 years as your church secretary, noting how much she treasured the true "pastor's heart" of the ministry and how the church always stood with the sick and the bereaved.

Experiencing that exact same love, care, and shepherd's heart from the congregation during our own time of grief has been a profound blessing.

A Special Thanks to Brother Chris

We want to extend a deep and personal note of gratitude to our pastor, Dr. Chris Terrell, who Mom affectionately knew as Brother Chris.

Thank you, Brother Chris, for:

- **Your Presence:** Your comforting calls and personal visits meant more to our family than words can say.
- **Your Leadership:** Thank you for facilitating the availability of the church and ensuring no detail was overlooked—the sound engineering, the order of service, beautifully coordinating and orchestrating both the celebration service and the graveside eulogy.
- **Your words:** Most of all, thank you for your encouraging words; they brought us immense peace. Instead of delivering cold words heard in many "funeral messages", you gave us a beautiful, intimate reflection on Mother's life, that could only come from someone who truly knew her well.

Thank you for ensuring her service was a **TRUE CELEBRATION OF LIFE**.

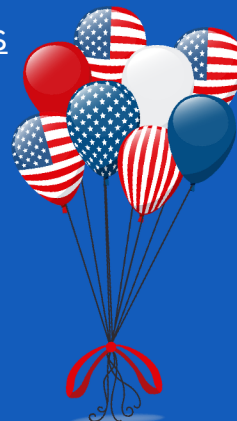
Thank you all, **EVERYONE**, for honoring her legacy, for hosting and officiating her services, and for surrounding our family with Christ's love when we needed it most.

In His grace, blessing to you all with prayers and gratitude, in Christian love.

Keith Cochran and DeAnna Jordan
The Family of Annie Jo Cochran

July Birthdays

- 03 Mike Roper
- 05 Nick Greenhaw
- 07 Debbie Adams
- 07 Deddra Stephens
- 08 Angie Turner
- 09 Cynthia Camp
- 10 Gina Chambers
- 12 Aiden Snyder
- 17 Diane Steward
- 21 Jesse Green
- 23 Glennell Ramsey
- 27 Noah Walker



August Birthdays

- 01 Ronald Johnson
- 01 Aria Vicars
- 05 Carl Cooper
- 05 Tim Sutherland
- 06 Genett Holmes
- 07 Bill Minton
- 08 Jeff Sizemore
- 11 Amber Williams
- 14 Janice Middleton
- 15 Retha Goode
- 17 Shane DeYoung
- 22 Bobby Cosby
- 24 Reggie Arledge
- 25 Lori Stone
- 28 Derek Hodges

