

Marbleton Community Free Will Baptist Church

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WELCOME

Week of May 1, 2022 Schedule of Services:

Sunday School	10:00 A.M.
Sunday Morning Worship Service	10:45 A.M.
There will be a VBS Scheduling Meeting in the Adult SS Class following the service this morning.	
Board Meeting	5:00 P.M.
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 P.M.
Tuesday, Meet for Prayer	6:00 P.M.
Wednesday – Business Meeting & Worship Service	7:00 P.M.
Thursday – National Day of Prayer	

Happy Anniversary: Tim & Rhonda Broyles

CHURCH NOTES:

Next Sunday is Mother's Day and we will be recognizing all of our mothers as well as some very special mothers. The offering next Sunday will be applied to our Helping Hand Fund. There will be no Sunday evening service next Sunday night also.

Our church will be opening the door for **church membership** soon. If you are not a member, we would like for you to prayerfully consider joining Marbleton FWB. Please review the Church Covenant opposite of page 1 in our church hymnal. Of course, you do not have to be a member to worship here but we would like for you to prayerfully consider this option as we already claim you as ours anyway. Please see Pastor Tim regarding any questions or if you are interested in joining.

The May calendar is on the table in the vestibule if you would like one.

The National Day of Prayer is an annual day of observance held on the first Thursday of May, designated by the United States Congress, when people are asked "to turn to God in prayer and meditation". The president is required by law to sign a proclamation each year, encouraging all Americans to pray on this day.

The modern law formalizing its annual observance was enacted in 1952, although earlier days of fasting and prayer had been established by the Second Continental Congress from 1775 until 1783, and by President John Adams in 1798 and 1799. Thomas Jefferson established a day of prayer and thanksgiving, but this occurred while he served as governor of Virginia.

The constitutionality of the National Day of Prayer was unsuccessfully challenged in court by the Freedom From Religion Foundation after their attempt was unanimously dismissed by a panel of a federal appellate court in April 2011.

A Prayer for America



America, my native land,
My home by natural birth
Is, of all the countries of the world,
The grandest one on earth.

Not many people in the world
Are fortunate like me,
To live 'midst so much bounty
And partake of liberty.

In spite of many weaknesses,
And problems that she shares,
Though I should look throughout
The world no other land compares.

Lord, let me never be ashamed
To stand up in a crowd,
And say, "I'm an American,
And for this fact, I'm proud!"

May all our people ever seek
To join and not to sever,
Holding high our nation's flag
With stars and stripes forever.

And for the ones in office may I,
To Thy Word, pay heed;
And meet responsibility
To pray for those who lead.

May they, in turn, seek guidance
Whether home or while abroad,
And may they seek the old paths
Which our founding Fathers trod.