

# Marbleton Community Free Will Baptist Church

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## WELCOME

### Week of September 15, 2024 Schedule of Services:

Sunday School	10:00 A.M.
Sunday Morning Worship Service	10:45 A.M.
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 P.M.
Tuesday, Meet for Prayer	6:00 P.M.
* Special Prayer Request: Pulpit Committee and God's direction for a new pastor	
Wednesday, Bible Study & Prayer Meeting	7:00 P.M.

**Church Note:** Homecoming will be here soon (Sept. 29<sup>th</sup>) but before that can happen our Fellowship Hall needs some TLC! We are going to have a men's & ladies **clean up night next Tuesday evening the 24<sup>th</sup> at 6 P.M.** There is a lot of wiping & sweeping that needs to happen so if you can help, it will be greatly appreciated! We will have the regular Tuesday night **Prayer** before work begins. **If you cannot make it on that particular evening, we could use some volunteers to clean up after the Homecoming meal.**

## GOD SAYS I AM

Treasured	Deuteronomy 14:2
Strong	Isaiah 40:31
Precious	Isaiah 43:4
Unique	Psalms 139:13
Loved	Jerimiah 31:3
Protected	Psalms 121:3
Empowered	Philemon 4:12
Brave	Deuteronomy 31:6
Important	1 Peter 2:9

## SEPTEMBER

September tip-toed in last night  
Summer soon will end,  
The children are back in school,  
Joking with their friends.

Vacation time is over,  
Work is the name of the game,  
But what wonderful memories,  
We will later proclaim.

September is a lovely time of year  
And in her pastel shaded dress,  
She dances on cooler breezes,  
Each hill and valley to caress.

It's the beginning of the harvest,  
Where the corn and taters grow,  
Fields of grain and apple trees  
And the cawing of the crow.

Sumac and goldenrod a'blooming  
In meadow lands everywhere,  
With purple asters, and buttercups  
A meld of rich colors rare.

And occasional foggy morning,  
Or a misty afternoon,  
With it's mild breezes,  
Dancing to September's tune.

O Lord, of the universe,  
I thank you for this time of year,  
As we work our way toward Winter  
With friends and family dear.

September is delightfully different  
She leaves us with a smile,  
To await her return next year,  
To visit us again for awhile.

*Eva May Young*

## Welcome

September is here  
And so is fall.  
So welcome children  
Welcome all.  
I hope vacation  
Was real fun.  
And that you're glad  
School has begun.

## A Parent's Prayer

Now I lay me down to sleep,  
I pray my sanity to keep.  
For if some peace I do not find,  
I'm pretty sure I'll lose my mind.

I pray I find a little quiet,  
Far from the daily family riot.  
May I lie back and not have to think  
About what they're stuffing down the sink.

Or who they're with, or where they're at  
And what they're doing to the cat.  
I pray for time all to myself  
(did something just fall off a shelf?)

To cuddle in my nice, soft bed  
(Oh no, another goldfish – dead!)  
Some silent moments for goodness sake  
(Did I just hear a window break?)

And that I need not cook or clean  
(well, I've got the right to dream)  
Yes now I lay me down to sleep,  
I pray my wits about me keep,  
But as I look around I know,  
I must have lost them long ago!

## The Future

The future walks in children's shoes,  
For better or for worse;  
For some will learn to love God's Word,  
While others learn to curse.  
But while their hearts are young and bright,  
And thoughts so easily led,  
Is when we should prepare them for  
Whatever lies ahead.  
For Satan is so very real,  
And in this world today  
These priceless little children's minds  
Can be such easy prey.  
But if their hearts are won for Christ,  
(Each one's a precious jewel)  
The Master's hand can make each one  
A dedicated tool.

*R.J. Blair*