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IN CONCERT
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
500 N. PALAFOX ST.
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 7:15 P.M.
INVITE A FRIEND TO THE CONCERT

CHRISTIAN ACTIVITIES CENTER SCHEDULE

Monday, February 27

12 noon—Men's Exercise
6:00-10:00 P.M.—P.C.R.A. Basketball Leagues

Tuesday, February 28

5:00-6:00 P.M.—11 & Under Boys
Practice—Bill Thompson
6:00-7:00 P.M.—13 & Under Boys
Practice—Joel Enderson
7:00-8:00 P.M.—15 & Under Boys
Practice—Bob Crumpton
8:00-9:00 P.M.—Men's Team I Practice—
Nix Daniel
7:00-9:00 P.M.—Puppet Practice

Wednesday, March 1

12 noon—Men's Exercise
7:30-9:30 P.M.—Open Activities in game rooms
7:30-8:30 P.M.—High School Girls
Practice—Bob Harrison
8:30-9:30 P.M.—17 & Under Boys
Practice—Barry Royal

Thursday, March 2

6:00-7:00 P.M.—Middle School Girls
Practice—Linda Holt
7:00-8:00 P.M.—Men's Team II Practice—
Greg Mabry
8:00-9:00 P.M.—Men's Team III Practice—
Bill Merritt

Friday, March 3

12 noon—Men's Exercise

Saturday, March 4

8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.—P.C.R.A. Basketball Leagues

ANITA BRYANT IN CONCERT

A group of interested citizens is bringing Anita Bryant to Pensacola on March 10th. The program to be conducted at University of West Florida Field House, will also include a message by Congressman Larry McDonald. Tickets (general admission \$7.00, reserved seating \$10.00) are available from the Gospel Lighthouse Book Store.

DEACONS OF THE WEEK FOR NEXT WEEK

John Edwards — 433-2356
Ed Bell — 476-5990
Jack Overman — 433-2904

The deacons of the week will participate in the worship services on Sunday and then will be assisting in various ministries such as hospital visitation during the week.



BUS OUTREACH REPORT

February 12

| Bus No. | Captain | Enr. | Riders | Workers | Total |
|---------|-----------------|------|--------|---------|-------|
| 1 | Driskell | 51 | 18 | 4 | 22 |
| 2 | Pope | 57 | 23 | 2 | 25 |
| 3 | Ackerman | 72 | 28 | 3 | 31 |
| 4 | Lutrick | 60 | 26 | 3 | 29 |
| 5 | Magaha | 72 | 21 | 3 | 24 |
| *6 | Watson | 40 | 32 | 6 | 38 |
| 7 | Holt | 19 | 6 | 3 | 9 |
| Van 1 | Thompson-Hutton | 4 | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| Van 2 | Royal | 3 | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| | | 388 | 160 | 28 | 188 |

OTHER BUS SERVICES 105
TOTAL BUS MINISTRY 293

*High Attendance: John Watson, Captain; Keith & Susan Spangenberg; Robert & Rachel Watford, Lee Ann Coker

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist

Mrs. Virginia Miles, Mrs. Ralph (Carolyn) Van Matre, Mrs. J. O. (Viola) Rainer, Mrs. Anna Wilson, Mr. James E. Davis, Mrs. Montie (Frances) Mann, Mr. Buddy W. Matthews, Mr. J. A. Riddle

Sacred Heart

Mrs. Peggy Pardee

Specialty Care

Mr. Mose Penton

SYMPATHY TO:

Mr. Tom Bales, Jr. in the death of his wife.

Mrs. J. H. Parker in the death of her sister.

HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:

Mr. Lawrence A. Foxworth, Miss Mildred L. Wilson, Mrs. Dan (Rue) Camp, Mrs. David (Jean) Johnson, Mr. J. Claude Adkison, Mrs. Mamie Graham, Mr. D. L. McDavid, Mrs. Ben (Annie Laura) Riddles, Mayla Welford, Mrs. Thomas J. (Mary) Smith

ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD

The quarterly meeting of the Associational Brotherhood will be held Monday, February 27, at Woodlawn Baptist Church, 5900 North Davis Highway at 6:30 P.M.

The speaker will be Gus Johnson, Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the Florida Baptist Convention.

Reservations must be in by Sunday.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

REC. NOTES

Monday, February 27

7:00 P.M.—FBC Men's I vs. First
Presbyterian — CAC

9:00 P.M.—First Christian vs. FBC Men's
II — CAC

10:00 P.M.—FBC Men's III vs. Brownsville
Baptist — CAC

Thursday, March 2

6:00 P.M.—Cokesbury Methodist vs. FBC
Boys 15 & Under — Ellyson
Field Gym

Saturday, March 4

3:00 P.M.—FBC Middle School Girls vs.
First Methodist — CAC

7:00 P.M.—Lakeview Baptist vs. FBC
Boys 17 & Under — Salvation
Army Gym

REACH OUT

ZONE VISITATION

Tuesday, February 28, 7:00 P.M. members of First Baptist will have an excellent opportunity to visit prospects within their own communities (zones). Zone chairmen will be organizing and planning for members to pick up names of prospects at the zone hosts in order to expedite Reach Out Visitation more effectively. Plan to drop by the zone host who lives nearest you and make your visits in the same community.

A. Chairman: Frances Aliberti
Host: Mr. and Mrs. Mertz Hanberry,
109 Mandalay (Warrington)

B. Chairman: Jill Berry
Host: Mr. and Mrs. Roger Yonker, 2121
N. 12th Ave. (Pensacola/East Hill)

C. Chairman: Barbara Hickman
Host: Mr. and Mrs. Al Ford, 202 Hamp-
ton St. (Gulf Breeze)

D Chairman: Bob Buckalew
Host: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Archer, 4608
Marseille Dr. (Montclair)

E. Chairman: Billy Merritt
Host: Mr. and Mrs. Dave Andrews, 4000
Collingswood (Olive Road)

F. Chairman: Gene Langston
Host: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bell, 5585 Lees-
way Blvd. (Scenic Heights)

Softball season is almost on us, and coaches, teams and practice times are in the process of being set up. We still need a few more coaches and players, so if you're interested in a lot of fun, fellowship and good exercise, call today and sign up. Teams, times and who to contact are:
Ponytail League — Girls, 9-12, Coach: Pat Pickens

Practice Thursday 4:30 till dark & Saturday 9:00-11:00 at Dunwoody Park in Cordova Park (at Hallmark, Baisden and McClellan). Call Pat Pickens to sign up, 476-4431. First practice day: February 23.
Filly League — Girls, 13-15.

Practice Thursday, 4:30 till dark and Saturday, 10:00-12:00, Catalina Park, 12th Avenue & Bohe Street, East Hill. Call Pat Pickens to sign up, 476-4431.

First practice day: February 23.
Firecracker League — Girls, 16-18
Call Activities Center to sign up, 433-6700.

Ladies Team — Practice 1:00 Saturday, East Pensacola Heights Lions Park, Perry St. & Gonzalez, E.P.H. First practice day: March 4. Call Scott Bell to sign up, 432-2458.

Men's Team — Coach: Randy Markham. Practice Sunday afternoon at 3:30, starting March 5, at Exchange Park, Lakeview & Watson, E.P.H. Call Scott Bell to sign up, 432-2458.

COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP

February 19, 1978

BY LETTER:

43. John Copeland, 1600 Via de Luna,
Apt. A-305

From: Pleasant Grove Bapt., Texarkana,
Tx.

44. John Westberry, 3610 Bonner Rd.

From: Dawson Memorial Bapt.,
B'ham, Al.

45. Mrs. John (Cindy) Westberry

FOR BAPTISM FROM OTHER

DENOMINATION:

26. Vince L. Huston, BOQ 216-B, NAS
ON PROFESSION OF FAITH

27. Holly Starr, 2015 Curry Cr.

SERMON TOPICS

11:00 A.M.

"OUR DUTY OF PRAISE"
(Clyde K. Bizzell)

7:15 P.M.

ANNE CRISWELL JACKSON

DRAMATIC-COLORATURA

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Mrs. Marsha Cetti, Receptionist
Mrs. Lorraine Pulley, Dietician

All material to be included in the Builder should be in the office, preferably in writing, not later than 9.00 a.m. Mondays.

LOOKING AT LAST WEEK

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| The church in study | 1,263 |
| Main Sunday School | 12 |
| Crippled children's home | 1,251 |
| The Church in Training | 359 |
| Christian Training Hour | 163 |
| Other Training Activities | 196 |
| Coming for Membership | 5 |
| Tithes and Offerings: | |
| Budget | \$12,999.61 |
| Building Fund | 10,637.43 |
| Specials | 1,348.87 |
| Total Offering | \$24,985.91 |

OPPORTUNITIES of the WEEK

Sunday, February 26

- 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School
- 11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship
- 4:45 P.M.—Youth Choir Rehearsal
- 5:00 P.M.—Children's Work Committee
—room behind library
- 6:00 P.M.—Christian Training Hour
- 7:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

Monday, February 27

- 10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
- 6:30 P.M.—Associational Brotherhood Rally—Woodlawn Baptist Church

Tuesday, February 28

- 6:45 A.M.—Prayer Breakfast—dining room
- 7:00 P.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group—library
- 7:30 P.M.—Boy Scouts—Cellar

Wednesday, March 1

- 4:45 P.M.—Children's Choirs
Middle School Choir
High School Acteens
- 5:45 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
- 6:25 P.M.—Mission Friends, RA's, GA's,
Middle School Acteens, Joy Group
Prayer Service in Sanctuary
- 7:15 P.M.—Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 2

- 10:00 A.M.—Senior Adult Fellowship

Saturday, March 4

- 8:30 A.M.—Bus Visitation Breakfast Meeting—Cellar

MENU

March 1, 1978
 Salisbury Steak
 Brown Gravy
 Steamed Rice
 Green Beans
 Roll & Butter
 Dessert
 Tea Coffee



HANDBELL CHOIRS

Our music-ministry is now forming handbell choirs for middle school and high school youths. Prerequisites for participation in these groups are a dedication to high standards, a commitment to work, and an interest in music. If you have these qualities and are willing to submit to the discipline of handbell ringing, contact Joe Scott at the church office.