



The First Baptist Builder

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Brian's Lines

I know you were blessed by the Jeremiah People this last Wednesday night. I am sorry that I was not here to share in the special night. I was in Houston in a meeting with some other pastors discussing urban strategies for ministry. I learned some things that will be helpful for us as we continue to build our great church. It was a good feeling to be back home and in the pulpit Sunday morning. I am pleased with your response to



the sermons on John. All four of the messages, in addition to the introduction on John, are available on tape. You can get your copy through the library or by calling the church office.

SCHEDULING CONFLICTS There are some events that relate to only special age groups within the church, but there are other events which could be considered church-wide. On these church-wide events, we need to be careful not to plan anything else which will conflict with them. Let me be more specific. On the second and fourth Friday night of every month we have Family Night at our Christian Activities Center. This is a church-wide event which we want all people to participate in. In planning departmental and class events, please be careful not to plan them to conflict with Family Night. On the fourth Tuesday of every month, we have Reach-Out Night. This is a church event of top priority. Nothing else is to be planned to conflict with that. You will help the total impact of our church's ministry if you will cooperate on this very important matter.

CONGRATULATIONS to our own Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carr. Their son, Bill, has just been named the Athletic Director at the University of Florida. At 33, he is the youngest Athletic Director at a major university in America. Congratulations to him, and to his family.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to WCOA Radio Station for 53 years of broadcasting. Our own Gordon Towne is the Vice-President

WEDDING BELLS WILL RING AGAIN

Sunday night the wedding bells will ring again. The family will be in focus throughout the entire worship service. Appropriate wedding music will be played and sung. The pastor's sermon will focus on one of the couple's of the Bible as they relate to us today. At the end of the sermon, Dr. Harbour will lead in a renewal of the vows with all couples in attendance. The service will conclude with a prayer of commitment. This is another part of the First Baptist Focus on the Family.

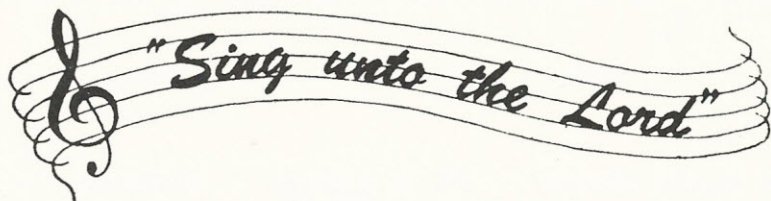
RECOGNITION OF NEW MEMBERS

Sunday evening after the service there will be a special reception for all new members who have joined the church since December 1. The staff will be present to share some of their plans for the future. The new members will have an opportunity to become more acquainted with the staff and with each other. The nursery will be kept open until the end of the fellowship.

and General Manager of that station. If you will tune to WCOA every morning at 7:23 you will hear the "Thought For The Day" by your pastor. Gordon has given his time to help with these each week and Wayne Hickman uses his deep voice to introduce the "Thought For The Day." If you tune in WCOA on Sunday morning at 7:30 you will hear a delayed broadcast of the sermon and anthem from the previous Sunday. These are ways in which we are trying to communicate with the entire city. And we appreciate the cooperation that WCOA gives us.

THIS SUNDAY I will take a break from the series on John. Sunday morning I will preach a sermon entitled "A Church That Gives" from Exodus 36. Sunday night the wedding bells will ring again as I preach a sermon on another famous couple of the Bible, Isaac and Rebekah, entitled "Don't Lose The Vision" from Genesis 24. I'll see you here for another exciting day. Let's make it to 1400 this week.

Coming March 2...



THE FURMAN SINGERS

THIS OUTSTANDING TOUR
CHOIR FROM FURMAN
UNIVERSITY WILL PRESENT
A CONCERT OF SACRED
AND SECULAR MUSIC
AT OUR CHURCH
FRIDAY, MARCH 2 AT 7 P.M.
PLAN NOW TO ATTEND!

BAPTIST WOMEN (DAY) GROUP MEETINGS

Tuesday, February 13, 1979

10:00 A.M.—RALPH BETHEA with
Mrs. E. L. Puckett,
117 Pintado Drive

—VIRGINIA COBB
with Mrs. T. B. Shell,
1216 East Avery Street
co/hos. Mrs. Paul Caro

—STANLEY DAVIS with
Mrs. Marlow Glenn,
5931 Leesway Blvd.
co/hos. Mrs. Leon Singletary

—CHARLOTTE OWENS
with Mrs. Henry Sellers,
506 Navy Cove Blvd.

—LAURA FRANCES SNOW
with Mrs. George Yarborough,
921 North Palafox Street

—DALE TERRY with
Mrs. M. H. Stultz,
1305 West Moreno
co/hos. Mrs. M. C. Eason

—BETTY TOMLINSON
with Mrs. John Ray,
5580 Homewood Road

2:00 P.M.—HARVEY HEADRICK
with Mrs. W. D. Gibson,
1200 West Mallory Street

THE VERY NEWEST

The rosebuds on the pulpit Sunday were
placed there in honor of

MASTER DAVID JOSEPH NAPIER, JR.
son of

Mr. and Mrs. David Napier
born January 27, 1979

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MISS HOLLY ANNE SCOTT

daughter of

Mr. & Mrs. Ron Scott
born January 29, 1979

CHRISTIAN ACTIVITIES CENTER SCHEDULE

Monday, Feb. 12

12:00 noon-1:30 P.M.—Men's Noon Exercise

Tuesday, Feb. 13

5:00-6:00 P.M.—Boys 11 and under
Basketball Practice

6:00-7:00 P.M.—Boys 13 and under
Basketball Practice

7:00-8:30 P.M.—Middle School Girls
Basketball Practice

8:30-10:00 P.M.—Boys 17 and under
Basketball Practice

7:00-9:00 P.M.—Puppet Practice

Wednesday, Feb. 14

12:00 noon-1:30 P.M.—Men's Noon Exercise

4:00-5:30 P.M.—CAC Open

5:30-7:30 P.M.—Closed for supper and
Mission Activities

6:30 P.M.—JOY Group

7:30-9:30 P.M.—CAC Open

7:30-8:30 P.M.—Senior High Girls
Basketball Practice

Thursday, Feb. 15

9:30 A.M.—Senior Adult Fellowship

6:00-8:00 P.M.—Boys 15 and under
Basketball Practice

8:00-10:00 P.M.—Men's Team II
Basketball Practice

Friday, Feb. 16

12:00 noon-1:30 P.M.—Men's Noon Exercise

BAPTIST WOMEN (NIGHT) GROUP MEETINGS

Tuesday, February 13, 1979

7:00 P.M.—DORA HARBIN with
Mrs. Geneva Holt,
2661 Scenic Highway

—JEWEL GARRETT and
MARTHA HAYLOCK in the
church library

—PAT ROBERTS with
Mrs. Barbara Carp,
4620 Christy Drive

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist

Mrs. Maggie Lee Kroll, Mrs. Josephine
Lenz Royals, Mrs. Jan Ainslie, Mrs. Sarah
Cooper, Mrs. Evelyn Parramore

Specialty Care

Mr. Neil Blue

Sacred Heart

Mr. William E. Nettles, Mr. W. L.
Mathews

West Florida

Mrs. James A. Johnston

Rehabilitation Center

Mrs. Imogene Stewart

Medical Center, Lackland AFB, Texas

Mr. Roy Caton

HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:

Mrs. Kittie Manning, Mrs. Margaret Bell,
Mrs. Kay Scott, Mrs. Jean Johnson, Mrs.
Wilma Fiveash, Miss Jayne Drexler, Mrs.
Margie Taylor, Mrs. Louise Pohlman,
Mrs. Ava Holley

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Jackie Archer and Larry Maddox on their
marriage February 4.

SYMPATHY TO:

William Geeslin in the death of his
brother.

DEACONS OF THE WEEK FOR NEXT WEEK

Danny Kepner — 433-0956

Jack Archer — 434-1503

Joe Brookins — 433-0425

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.

RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP

FEBRUARY 4, 1979



Susan James



Alfred White

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Adcox
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter

Susan Renée

to

Mr. Clifton Whitfield Nelson, Jr.

Friday, the sixteenth of February

Nineteen hundred and seventy-nine

at seven o'clock in the evening

First Baptist Church

of Pensacola

500 North Palafox

Pensacola, Florida

Reception

immediately following ceremony
Church Dining Hall

MINISTRY OF ADULTS — DATES TO CALENDAR

Friday, February 9

6:30 Family Night—Activities Center

6:30 Adult 6 Valentine Party
Dining Hall

Sunday, February 11

8:15 New Member Fellowship
Dining Hall

Monday, February 12

7:30 Singles II Planning Meeting
Jerry Spivey's, 330 Ft. Pickens
Rd. 9A

Friday, February 16

10:00 A.M. Senior Adult Fellowship
Meeting—Dining Hall

Tuesday, February 20

8:00 A.M. Senior Adults depart for
Birmingham and "The Sound
of Music"

Friday, February 23

6:30 P.M. Family Night Activities—CAC

Tuesday, February 27

6:15 P.M.—Reachout Visitation

FBC BASKETBALL GAME SCHEDULE — WEEK OF FEBRUARY 12-17

Monday, February 12

6:00 P.M.—FBC Men's Team I vs. FBC
Men's Team II—CAC

6:30 P.M.—Trinity Presbyterian vs. FBC
FBC Senior High Girls—
Ellyson Field

Tuesday, February 13

7:00 P.M.—Cokesbury Methodist vs. FBC
Boys 15 & Under—
Ellyson Field

Saturday, February 17

10:00 A.M.—Olive Baptist vs. FBC Boys
11 & Under Team II—CAC

11:00 A.M.—FBC Boys 11 & Under Team I
vs. Trinity Presbyterian—CAC

3:00 P.M.—FBC Boys 13 & Under vs.
Trinity Presbyterian—CAC

4:00 P.M.—St. Mark Methodist vs. FBC
Middle School Girls—CAC

8:00 P.M.—First Methodist vs. FBC Boys
17 & Under—Salvation Army

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH ACTIVITY

The Christian Activity Center will be open on Sunday, February 25th after the evening worship service for the Middle School Youth. The Game Rooms and gymnasium will be available for activities. Snacks will be provided at no cost. This is a good chance for youth to invite friends who do not attend a local church regularly.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary this Sunday are in memory of Mrs. Maggie F. Brown and are given by her children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reichman.

HOUSING NEEDED FOR TOUR CHOIR

The Tour Choir of Furman University will present a concert at our church Friday, March 2, 1979 at 7:00 P.M. We will be providing overnight housing for this group and need accommodations for 80 persons. If you can open your home that evening for several young people, please call the church office.

LIBRARY MEMORIALS

Gifts have been made to the library in memory of Jan Belinda Coleman by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Whiteside and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Coleman; Mr. David Lanier McDavid, Sr. by Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Williams and Miss Annie Mertins and Mrs. Julia Richardson; Mr. Herman Johnson by Miss Florence Scott, and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Feldman, Mrs. Lucie Wastler, Faithful Workers Sunday School Class, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bishop; Miss Betty Stark by Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Stark.

IN HONOR OF

Mrs. Eleanor Kennedy by Lydia Sunday
School Class

HOLY LAND TRIP

Don Rogers, one of our members who is attending New Orleans Theological Seminary is distributing information on a trip to the Holy Land. There is either a fifteen day or thirty day travel plan. College credit is available both at the graduate and undergraduate level. All interested persons are requested to contact either Don Rogers or Dr. Monroe Lutrick.

WMU FOCUS WEEK FEBRUARY 11-14

Monday: Intercessory Prayer Group

Tuesday: Group Meetings

Wednesday: Focus on Acteens

Friday: GA Mission Study and Sleep-over

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All material to be included in the Builder
should be in the office, preferably in writ-
ing, not later than 9:00 a.m. Mondays.

LOOKING AT LAST WEEK

Sunday School	1,221
Married Adults	560
Single Adults	42
College	15
Youth	230
Children	220
Preschool	127
Crippled Children's Home	27
Christian Training Hour	208
Coming for Membership	6
Tithes and Offerings:	
Weekly Budget	
Requirements	\$16,346.15
Budget	17,773.44
Building Fund	4,076.01
Specials	2,281.86
Total Offerings	\$24,131.31

FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER MENU

February 14, 1979

Baked Meat Loaf
Mashed Potatoes
and Gravy
Green Beans
Roll & Butter
Dessert
Coffee & Tea



COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP FEBRUARY 4, 1979

BY LETTER:

59. Floyd G. Dahlgren, 61 Adkinson Dr.
From: West Pensacola Baptist,
Pensacola, Fl.
60. Mrs. Floyd G. Dahlgren (Etta),
61 Adkinson Dr.
61. Ted McDaniel, 117 Palmetto
From: Pearl Harbor First Baptist,
Honolulu, Hawaii
62. Mrs. Ted McDaniel (Wyndy),
117 Palmetto
63. Xan McDaniel, 117 Palmetto
ON PROFESSION OF FAITH:
34. Susan James, 33 Highpoint Dr.
35. Alfred White, 16 W. Main St.

ROYAL AMBASSADORS PARENT/SON MEETING

The R.A. Counselors are planning a special feature on Wednesday, February 21. The chapter meetings for each of the age groups will provide special activities involving parents and sons who are in R.A.'s. These parent/son meetings will give parents a chance to know more about what is happening and what their boys are learning in missions education.

WOODHAM HIGH SCHOOL TEENS FOR CHRIST

are sponsoring a garage sale at Olive Baptist Church February 17. They would appreciate any donations of saleable articles that you might have. Just bring them to the Christian Activities Center here at First Baptist Church and they will pick them up there.

STUART CALVERT

IS COMING

FEBRUARY 27

OPPORTUNITIES of the WEEK

Sunday, February 11

- * 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School
- * 11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship
- 4:45 P.M.—Youth Choir Rehearsal
- * 6:00 P.M.—Christian Training Hour
- * 7:15 P.M.—Evening Worship
- * 8:15 P.M.—New Member Fellowship
- 8:30 P.M.—Parents Meeting for the Youth
Ski Trip—CAC in Youth 9
Room

Monday, February 12

- 10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
- 7:00 P.M.—Deacons Meeting

Wednesday, February 14

- * 10:00 A.M.—Womens Bible Study—Room
behind Library
- * 4:45 P.M.—High School Acteens
Children's Music Activity
Middle School Choir
- * 5:45 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
- * 6:25 P.M.—Mission Friends, GA's, RA's
Middle School Acteens
Joy Group
Bible Study—Prayer Service
in Sanctuary
- * 7:07 P.M.—Adult Choir Rehearsal
- 7:30 P.M.—Boy Scouts—Cellar

Thursday, February 15

- 12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon &
Bible Study

Friday, February 16

- * 9:00 A.M.—Mothers Day Out
- 5:00 P.M.—GA Slumber Party—CAC
- 6:30 P.M.—Youth 10 Dinner
- 6:30 P.M.—Adult 2 (Spares & Pairs)
Bible Study, Home of Roger
and Ellen Vinson,
4060 Ashmore Place

Saturday, February 17

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

*Nursery Provided

ADULT CHURCH TRAINING GROUPS

1. What Denominations Believe: A
Comparative Study
Leader: Jerry Spivey
Place: Adult 6 Department
2. God's Word Made Plain (A bird's eye
view of Biblical Doctrine
Leader: Chris Watson
Place: Adult 5 Department
3. Study of The Book of Hosea
Leaders: Members of the Group
Place: Adult 1 Department