



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.

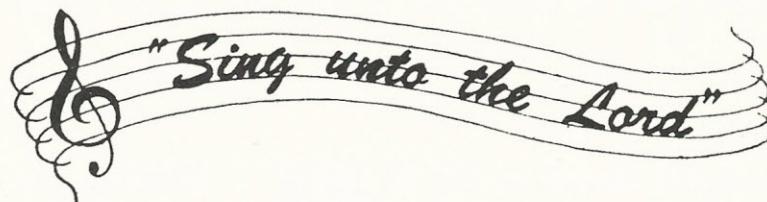
RECOGNITION OF NEW MEMBERS

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

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 pro-
viding overnight housing for this group and
need accommodations for 80 persons. If you
can open your home that evening for sev-
eral 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. Wil-
liams 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 Sem-
inary 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 under-
graduate level. All interested persons are
requested to contact either Don Rogers or
Dr. Monroe Lutrick.

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 gym-
nasium 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 Sun-
day are in memory of Mrs. Maggie F.
Brown and are given by her children,
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reichman.

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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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

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



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