

A YEAR OF ADVANCE, 1979-80

March: DOCTRINE MONTH



The First Baptist Builder

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Brian's Lines

We welcome the Santos. It was great to have them with us Sunday and to get the staff picture one step closer to being complete. They should be moving into their new home later this week. I want you to help them in getting adjusted, as you did the rest of us, by reminding them of your name each time you see them and by giving Bill any information you think he needs concerning the ministry that he will perform among us. Their presence Sunday added to an already special day.



OUR YOUTH . . . I am thankful for the influence that our church continues to have upon our young people, and for the ministry that they are doing in our church and beyond. I received a note from Gavin Thorsen this week. He will be serving as a summer missionary this year. It reminded me of how important our training of young people is. One of the most important training experiences for our young people that Franz is planning now is the Mission Trip this summer to Pennsylvania. It could be a life changing experience for some of our young people. I am praying that a large number of our young people will make this the top priority item for your summer schedule. Helping others in Jesus' name — that is what being a Christian is all about.

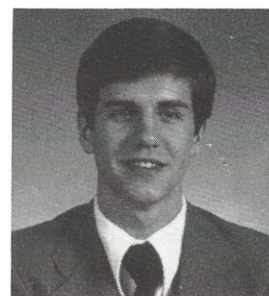
REVIVAL SPIRIT . . . Bill Santo and I met with the revival committees last night, about 60 of our people who will be preparing and praying for our revival. These four nights could be the highlight of our spring program. I hope that you will mark the dates now, April 13-16, and that you will begin in earnest to pray for our revival. The key is going to be our willingness to reach out and bring people to the revival services. Start now to get ready for an old-fashioned revival.

LOOKING TO OUR PAST . . . Elmer Deering and his wife are headed for Waco, Texas, this week where they will celebrate the anniversary of his graduation from Baylor. Sixty years ago (that was in 1920) he graduated from Baylor. Of the

OUR MISSIONARIES TO KOREA



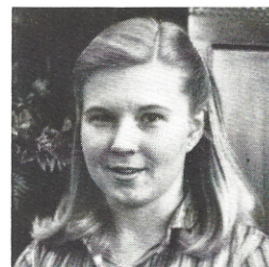
PAT FORD



DICK BELL



LORI CLEVENGER



SUZANNE GRIFFIN

These four will be joining with hundreds of other Baptists from Florida in May to share the Gospel of Christ with the people in Korea. It will cost approx. \$2,500 to send each person. Two of the individuals' expenses are already covered. The church will pay for the other two. Our goal for this special mission venture is \$5,000. Will you help? Just designate your over and above the tithe offering for "Korean Mission Venture."

174 graduates, 79 are still alive and most are octogenarians. It will be a nostalgic journey down memory lane for them. In the same spirit, we are going to be focusing on all of our people who have been members of First Baptist Church for at least fifty years. We will recognize all of these special people at our Founder's Day service on May 4. We'll try to have this list in the Builder next week. If you have been left off, be sure to let us know.

ANOTHER LOOK . . . at our basic doctrines is my preaching material for the month of March. We started Sunday with the Bible and with God. I will be preaching six more during the month. This would be a great time to get in on the tape ministry. You can have the entire

series on doctrine on four cassette tapes. If you are interested in these week by week, call Letcher Lamkin or the church office.

WEEKDAY LUNCHEONS . . . Between our ladies' luncheon and men's luncheon this week we had over 300 that came together for the study of God's Word. The groups are growing. Help us get the word out. The men meet every Thursday at noon for a study in Ephesians. The ladies meet every fourth Tuesday at noon for a study in James.

THIS SUNDAY . . . I'll continue on the foundations of our faith. Sunday morning, "Another Look at Christ," and Sunday night, "Another Look at the Holy Spirit." I'll see you here for another exciting day.

MINISTRY OF ADULTS

By JERRY SPIVEY

RIDGECREST SUNDAY SCHOOL WEEK

Many of our members have shared with me a desire to attend Sunday School Week at Ridgecrest, North Carolina, this summer. I would love to make block reservations for the week of July 19-25 for those interested. Please call the church office and let me know.

OUTREACH VISITATION CONFERENCE

All Sunday School leaders and teachers can benefit from the excellent conference scheduled for March 21-22 at the First Baptist Church of Fort Walton. Many quality leaders will be coming from the Sunday School Board and the Florida Baptist Convention for the conference. Let me know if we can make reservations for you.

SPRING LIFE

As you may know, our Spring emphasis this year is "Spring Life" and includes seven Sundays of special events. Our Sunday School divisions are playing a very important role in these emphases as indicated in the following schedule:

- March 23 - Preschool/Children's Day
- 30 - Single Adult Day
- April 6 - Easter Sunday
- 13 - Adult Day (Adult Department 1-5)
- 20 - Youth Day (All Youth Departments)
- 27 - Senior Adult Day (Adult Departments 6 and 7)
- May 4 - Founders Day (High Attendance Church-wide)

The Sunday designated for your specific Sunday School Division is to be a high attendance effort. We will then combine all of our efforts for the Church-wide high attendance day on May 4. Each Sunday School department is asked to please determine their respective goals for their day and call them in to the church office.

LEISURE TIMERS (Senior Adult Fellowship)

Our next regularly scheduled meeting is Tuesday, March 18, 10:00 A.M. Our special guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Dixie Beggs, who will present a slide presentation of their tour of New England and Canada. Naturally, lunch will follow at 11:30. We always have a grand time! Speaking of Canada and New England, our planned trip to the Baptist World Alliance in Toronto in July is completely booked. Those who have signed up to go will be getting detailed information very soon. If you have signed up, but haven't paid your deposit, please do.

WELCOME SANTOS

It is indeed a pleasure to welcome Bill, Louise, Terri and Richie to Pensacola and into the First Baptist Church fellowship. I'm looking forward to working with him on the staff and hope you will join me in praying their transition is smooth and enjoyable.

SACRED MUSIC CONCERT

The 65 voice Chapel Choir of the Dawson Memorial Baptist Church in Birmingham, Alabama, will be presenting a sacred music concert at the First Baptist Church on March 9 at 6:15 o'clock.

The Choir, under the direction of Bob Hatfield, is on a Southeastern United States tour including Florida, Alabama, and Georgia. The Chapel Choir has performed for numerous youth conventions and on the CBN television network. The program will include sacred anthems, handbell music, and contemporary Christian music. The public is cordially invited to attend.



OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist

Mrs. Clemmie Steele, Mr. Buddy Matthews, Mrs. Susie Shoemaker

Specialty Care

Mrs. Marie Warthen, Mr. E. H. McCrory

Sacred Heart

Mr. Carrol Hughes, Mr. Drexel Poynter, Mrs. Dorothy Smith, Mr. Mike Estes, Mr. Douglas Smith

West Florida

Mrs. Jane Trippe, Mr. John Ackerman, Mrs. Bessie Yates

HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:

Mr. Charles Miller, Mr. John Colson, Mrs. Genevieve Douglas, Mrs. Ernestine Mancil, Mrs. Kim Williamson, Mr. J. W. Creel Sr.

SYMPATHY TO:

Mrs. Rebecca Damon in the death of her sister.

Mr. Aubrey Gomillion in the death of his Father.

Mr. Marvin Lee in the death of his brother.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP



The response of our children's worship is going well as you have been a great help in helping staff this important ministry for our Kindergarten, First, and Second Graders. Our February teachers were Norma Driskell, Linda Griffin, Kris Smith, Charla Myatt, and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Shuman. Our current March leaders are Diane Norris, Amie Cox, Ebbie Roberts, Sue Jordan, Sue Flinders, and Cheryl Graves.

Thank you for your positive response as we work together in service for our Lord.

DEACONS FOR THE WEEK FOR NEXT WEEK

Billy Renfroe932-3626
T. A. Shell432-9533
Charles Overman, III433-2904

PAPER DRIVE

The Acteens are still continuing with their paper drive. Please bring all contributions to the big bin beside the Activities Center.

RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP
MARCH 2, 1980



Bill and Louise Santo,
Terrie and Richie Santo

BAPTIST WOMEN (DAY)

TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 1980

- 10:00 A.M.—RALPH BETHEA
with Mrs. Oleta McCarty
Apartment 146-0,
4311 Bayou Blvd.
—VIRGINIA COBB
with Mrs. E. A. Allen
100 West Brainerd
—STANLEY DAVIS
with Mrs. Henry Parramore
3810 Maule Road
—CHARLOTTE OWENS
with Mrs. John B. Cheshire
307 South Sunset Drive
—LAURA FRANCES SNOW
with Mrs. W. A. Webb
3820 Moloree Drive
co/hos. Mrs. W. H. Ackman
—DALE TERRY
with Mrs. P. A. Boghich
1101 East Jackson Street
co/hos. Mrs. Judy Parrish
—BETTY TOMLINSON
with Mrs. J. C. Eubanks
1412 West Brainerd Street
co/hos. Mrs. H. H. Higgins
2:00 P.M.—HARVEY HEADRICK
with Mrs. Myrlin Brooks
2006 North Barcelona Street
co/hos. Mrs. K. K. Knight

BAPTIST WOMEN (NIGHT)
GROUP MEETINGS

TUESDAY, MARCH 11

- 7:00 P.M.—Prayer and Bible Groups
with Mrs. Gloria Knowles,
5820 Sanders, Apt. T

ASSOCIATIONAL BIBLE DRILL
AND
SPEAKERS' TOURNAMENT

Place: Hillcrest Baptist Church
Date: March 10, 1980
Time: 7:00 P.M.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary this Sunday are in memory of Mr. J. M. Pickens and are given by Dr. and Mrs. Conlee Pickens.

JUST FOR YOUTH

By FRANZ CORNELIUS



YOUTH WEEK

Youth Week at First Baptist Church will be March 9-16. Dr. Harbour will present the key to the church to our Youth Council President, Joe Scarborough, next Sunday and the evening service on the 16th will be conducted by the youth.

YOUTH BANQUET

Get ready for an evening of great food, entertainment and fellowship with this year's Youth Banquet. The theme is "Follow The Yellow Brick Road," and there will be guest entertainers and our own talent performing. No one will want to miss this event.

BIG SUPER SUNDAY

During our Sunday School hour on March 16, we will have as our Super Sunday guest, Tim Foley, defensive captain of the Miami Dolphins. Tim is a fine Christian young man and during his off season from football speaks and entertains Christian groups. Report to your Sunday School class on time, turn in your records and then go directly to the gym to hear Tim speak.

All youth are invited to this Super Sunday, including Middle School through College and Singles I. What better way could we support our Youth Week than by attending both services on Sunday, March 16.

DATES AND DEADLINES

Ridgecrest — June 7-14 — Cost \$90.00 — Deposit \$22.00. Deposit due by March 31. Balance due by May 16.

Middle School Six Flag trip — June 20-21 — Cost \$25.00 — Due June 4th.

Middle School Camp — August 20-23 — Cost \$35.00 — Due August 4.

Operation "CARE" (Youth Missions) — July 18-27 — Cost \$50.00 — Deposit \$20.00 — Due June 30 — Balance due July 7.

LIBRARY NOTES

Recent additions to the Church Library include the following:

Children's Section					
			242.8	Pet	Golden Prayers
C 155.4	Wil	Surviving Fight With Your	248.4	Wes	Learning To Lean
		Brothers and Sisters	248.84	Bar	Prime Time
S 236.1	Whi	What's Happened	262.1	Dew	The Emerging Role
		To Auntie Jean?			Of Deacons
CE	Mon	About Me	301.427	Hol	Mother's Day Or The View
CE	Tob	Moving Day			From In Here
CE	Ipc	The Marvelous	301.43	Col	Singles: Wants Vs. Shoulds
		Merry-Go-Round	310	Dol	Information Please Almanac
CE	Hal	Ox-Cart Man	325.2	Shc	Next Year In Jerusalem
CE	Jor	Seeds By Wind and Water	362.1	Lee	Signs Of Spring
			423	Bar	The World Book Dictionary
			649	Gra	Growing Parents,
					Growing Children
155.2	Wil	Who Says I Have To?	634.9	Ket	The Secret Life Of The
155.2	Chi	How Much Freedom			Forest American Heritage
		Can You Handle?	746.4	deN	Needlepoint On Plastic
220.6	Rie	The Book Of The Bible			Canvas
220.8	Loc	All The Children	808.8	Pol	Why Weepst Thou?
		Of The Bible	811	Fae	This Is Christmas
223.2	Bro	Living With The Psalms	920	Wal	No Shadow Of Turning
226.5	Mur	Signs Of The Savior	933	Bri	A History Of Israel
227.5	Tol	Ephesians: God's New	973.91	Bod	Blue Sloop At Dawn
		People	F	Hen	Lydia: A Novel Christian
			F	Bre	The Capricorn Stone

Youth Week '80

March 9-16

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Mrs. Josephine Williams, Custodial Supervisor

All material to be included in the Builder
should be in the office, in writing, not
later than 10:00 a.m. Mondays.

LOOKING AT LAST WEEK

Sunday School1004
Married Adults509
Single Adults64
College12
Youth168
Children133
Preschool93
Crippled Children's Home.....25
Christian Training Hour.....193
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Baptized4

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER MENU

MARCH 12, 1980

Spaghetti
with Meat Sauce
Tossed Green Salad
Roll and Butter
Dessert
Coffee and Tea



DESIGNATED OFFERINGS

MARCH 2, 1980

Building Fund\$ 2,722.99
Specials10,411.18
Total\$13,134.17

COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP MARCH 2, 1980

BY LETTER:

75. Bill Santo, 4476 Whisper Dr.
From: Oak Park Baptist,
New Orleans, La.
76. Mrs. Bill Santo (Louise),
4476 Whisper Dr.
77. Terri Santo, 4476 Whisper Dr.
78. Richie Santo, 4476 Whisper Dr.

BAPTIZED:

Charles and Esther Gilbert
Mike and Judy Suldo

SERMON TOPICS

March 9, 1980

10:55 A.M.

"ANOTHER LOOK AT CHRIST"

6:15 P.M.

"ANOTHER LOOK AT THE
HOLY SPIRIT"

BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

March 2, 1980,

Receipts\$ 21,385.16
Weekly Budget Needs.....16,667.65
Budget Receipts
Year to Date.....143,170.27
Budget Needs
Year to Date.....150,008.85

Pastor's Sanctuary Class

March 9

SONG OF SOLOMON

BUSINESSMEN'S LUNCHEON AND BIBLE STUDY EVERY THURSDAY From 12:00 Noon Until 12:45

Cost \$2.00

Place: Church Dining Hall

No Reservations Required.

OPPORTUNITIES of the WEEK

SUNDAY, MARCH 9

- * 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School
- * 10:55 A.M.—Morning Worship
- 2:00 P.M.—Youth Music Festival —
Myrtle Grove Baptist Church
- 5:00 P.M.—Youth Choir Rehearsal
Adult Handbells
- * 5:00 P.M.—Christian Training Hour
- * 6:15 P.M.—Evening Worship
Youth Choir from Dawson
Memorial Baptist Church,
Birmingham, Alabama

MONDAY, MARCH 10

- * 9:00 A.M.—Needlepoint — CAC
- 10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
- 12:00 Noon—Men's Noon Exercise — CAC
- * 5:30 P.M.—Adult Vocal Ensemble
- 6:30 P.M.—Youth Handbells
- 7:00 P.M.—Needlepoint — CAC

TUESDAY, MARCH 11

Baptist Women Group Meetings
listed elsewhere in Builder

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12

- 12:00 Noon—Men's Noon Exercise — CAC
- * 4:45 P.M.—Children's Choirs
Middle School and High
School Acteens
- * 5:30 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
- * 6:15 P.M.—Bible Study for Adults
Mission Friends
G.A.'s and R.A.'s
Middle School Choir
Joy Group
- * 6:45 P.M.—Planning Meeting for Teachers
Committee Meetings
Life and Work Lesson Preview
for Adult Teachers,
Room S108
- 7:00 P.M.—Recreation Time for Children
- * 7:30 P.M.—Adult Choir
Boy Scouts (Cellar)

THURSDAY, MARCH 13

- 9:30 A.M.—Senior Adult Fellowship —
CAC
- * 9:00 A.M.—"Renewing Love" Seminar,
Room S314
- 12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon
and Bible Study

FRIDAY, MARCH 14

- * 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out
- * 6:30 P.M.—Family Night
- * Nursery Provided

PASTOR'S SERMONS AVAILABLE ON TAPE

COST IS ONLY \$2.00 which includes
the morning service on one side of the tape
and the evening service on the other side
of the tape. Contact the church office,
Library or Letcher Lamkin (432-2670) to
order a tape.