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Brian's Lines

What an outstanding day Sunday was.



The music all day was just beautiful. Ten new people came to be a part of our growing family. And the fellowship Sunday night was a fitting end to a super summer Sunday. I want to urge your continued faithfulness during these summer months.

THANKS . . . for the tremendous response to the sermon Sunday morning. For those of you who were not here, I outlined the prerequisites for powerful prayer from James 5:16. The three prerequisites James mentions are:

1. A Pious Life
2. A Passionate Concern
3. A Persistent Practice

Many who were gone Sunday morning but were back Sunday night said, "I wish I could have heard the sermon." You can, by cassette tape. Each Sunday, both sermons are put on a single cassette tape that you can obtain by calling the church office. You can listen to the sermons yourself, and then pass them on to someone else. Call the church office to place your order.

SANCTUARY SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

. . . I started Sunday on a new series in the Sanctuary Sunday School class that I teach. I will be teaching for the next few weeks on the book of Jude. Jude would surely be the winner for the least read and known book of the New Testament. If you are not in Sunday School, come join us in our class. We meet in the Sanctuary and I begin teaching at 9:45. I'll look for you Sunday.

CONGRATULATIONS . . .

are in order for Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peterson who have been married 59 years, and to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Deering who have been married 57. Both fine couples are a part of our Leisure Timers group, and are deserving of our congratulations at this time.

COMING UP . . .

will be some musical treats in the next few weeks. On Sunday morning, July 5, the Naval Air Command Choir will join us for worship. They will sing some numbers and then join with our adult choir to sing "Battle Hymn of The Republic." Then on that Sunday night, July 5, Chris Watson will present a concert in sacred music at our evening worship service. Joe Scott - you remember him - will be here to play for her. On Sunday night, July 26, Don Hamrick will be with us to present a concert which

PENNSYLVANIA MISSION PROJECT

YOUTH AND ADULT TEAM MEMBERS DEPART JULY 5

As our people go to Pennsylvania for this effort, our church is called to prayer.

Our great opportunity for:

MISSION ACTION

MISSION INVOLVEMENT

MISSION SUPPORT

Special Plans For Sunday, July 5

Morning Service

The Naval Air Training Command Choir will sing several numbers and will combine with our Adult Choir to present "*The Battle Hymn of the Republic*."

Evening Service

The evening service will be devoted to a vocal concert by Mrs. Chris Watson.

READGATTA

A SUMMER READING CLUB

Readgatta Sailing Rules

1. Readgatta, a summer reading club for students who were in grades 1-8 this past school year, began June 21 and will end August 2.
2. A Certificate of Recognition will be given to each person who completes the requirements for his/her grade level.

Special recognition will be given to the person in each group who reads the most books from the Church Library during the period June 22 - August 2.

3. Requirements for a certificate will be:

GRADES 1-3: Read six (6) books from the Children's Section in the Church Library.

GRADES 4-5: Read six (6) books from the older children's section of the Church Library in the following classifications: 3 fiction books; 2 non-fiction books; 1 biography.

GRADES 6, 7, 8: Read six (6) books from the Church Library in the following classifications: 2 non-fiction; 1 biography; 3 fiction (C and CE books not acceptable).

4. Cards will be filled out and turned in for each book read when the book is returned to the Library.

As each participant joins, a boat with his/her name will be launched in the Readgatta and his/her weekly progress will be recorded.

5. All books must be checked out from the Church Library, and must be returned to the Church Library no later than Sunday, August 2.

I know you will enjoy. And then - we are working on something very special for August. I'll be giving you more details on that as the plan develops.

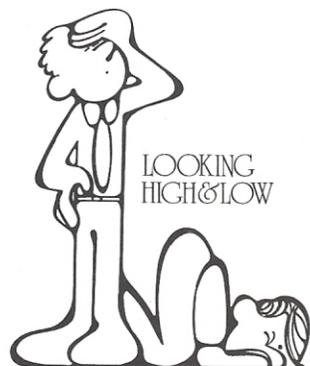
THIS SUNDAY . . . I'll continue my series on Colossians in the evening service. I'll see you here for another exciting Summer Sunday.

KEEPING UP WITH ADULTS

By JERRY SPIVEY

CHURCH TRAINING LEADERS TO MEET —

Mr. Ken Trinkle of the Church Training Department of the Florida Baptist Convention will be with us on June 30th at 12:00 Noon for a luncheon and planning meeting.



NOMINATING COMMITTEE BEGINS WORK —

The new Sunday School year will begin with Advancement Day October 4th. Mrs. Lawren Meacham, chairman, and the nominating committee will begin the annual search for new leaders and teachers to fill positions throughout our Sunday School at First Baptist Church. An interesting statistic: over 400 church elect leaders and teachers are required to staff our Sunday School. If you are interested in serving in any capacity, please contact a nominating committee member or a staff member. Your services are needed!



SINGLES 3 PLANS RETREAT — This weekend (June 26) the Single Adult 3 Sunday School Department will retreat to the Cheshire's beach cottage — 303 Maldonado. For more information contact Sybil Anthony at 477-7372.



KAY SASSE celebrates her first anniversary this week as Education Secretary for First Baptist Church. We are all grateful for her contribution to the educational ministries of our church.



FROM DR. MIKE SIMONEAUX

Interim Minister of Music

I want to sincerely thank all of you who have made me feel so much a part of First Baptist Church. The response of the choirs and the congregation has been very encouraging.

For those who may be interested in my schedule, on Wednesday I am at the church from 1:00 P.M. through Choir practice, and back again on Saturday afternoon when my wife comes with me. However, I will be gone this Sunday, June 28th, due to a prior commitment in New Orleans, where I will be in joint concert with Tedd Smith at Oak Park Baptist Church. Bob Parrish will be filling in during my absence.

The Navy Chorus will be singing here on July 5th and will be joined by our Adult Choir for "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." I personally am looking forward to this and hope it will bless your hearts as it has ours as we prepare for it.

If you have sung in the Choir and would like to come back, or would like to become a member, see any Choir member for times of rehearsal.

God bless you.

IN MEMORIAM

ALBERT H. KELLOGG

510 West Chase

Joined our church by Statement:

September 22, 1971

Deceased: June 18, 1981

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist

Mrs. Ella Howse, Mrs. Fannie Kent

Specialty Care

Mrs. Gladys Poynter, Mrs. Pauline Campbell

Sacred Heart

Mr. Ralph Gonzalez

HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:

Mrs. Myrtle Ackman, Mrs. Eva Parrish,

Mrs. Norma Hawsey, Dr. Monroe Lutrick

SYMPATHY TO:

Mrs. Jean Kellogg in the death of her husband.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Lee Ann Allen and Ronnie Pugh on their marriage June 20.

Lisa M. Barkee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fermon Minshew, who graduated Cum Laude and with a distinction in her major from San Diego State University. Lisa will attend the University of San Diego School of Law this fall.

YOUNG SINGLE ADULTS / COLLEGE CORNER



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, JUNE 28th

6:00 P.M., Room S-311 — CHOIR REHEARSAL for "Beginnings"

MONDAY, JUNE 29th

7:00 P.M. — GROWTH GROUP at Steve Findley's

TUESDAY, JUNE 30th

7:00 P.M. — ACT/OUT Beach Ministry

WEDNESDAY, JULY 1st

5:30 P.M., Rm. S-112 — YSA/COLLEGE

COUNCIL DINNER MEETING

6:15 P.M., Rm. S-311 — JOY

ADDITIONAL PROOFS READY

We are happy to let you know that the Olan Mills consultant will be able to show your family members the proofs for your pictorial directory on:

Monday, June 29, from 1 to 8 P.M.

Tuesday, June 30, from 1 to 8 P.M.

The above dates are for those families photographed on May 29 and 30.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary this Sunday are in memory of J. Nixon Daniel, Jr., and are given by his family.

RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP — JUNE 21, 1981



Jim and Alecia Graves
Also shown: Jimmy Graves



Ray and Kelly Pope



Bob and Damara Powers



Ray and Jean Strebeck,
Debra Strebeck

CHILDREN'S 5 DEPARTMENT
RECEIVES AWARD



JERRY SPIVEY and MRS. FLEMING

Mrs. Paul (Dorris) Fleming, director of the Children's 5 Sunday School Department, is pictured above with Jerry Spivey, Minister of Education, after receiving the Sunday School Standard Recognition for 1980 - 81 from the Sunday School Board.

Mrs. Fleming and her teachers met the criteria necessary for the award by contacting absentees and prospects, training workers and teachers and providing learning activities for the children. She has been directing the department for ten years and has worked in the children's division since she and Paul joined First Baptist Church in 1963.

The teachers and workers serving with Dorris in the Children's 5 Department include: Betty Andrews, Jack Archer, Mary Bruce, Pat Doggrell, Paul Fleming and David and Elizabeth Kilpatrick.

Congratulations to all of you for this achievement and thank you for your service.

The Sunday School Standard is the standard of excellence for all classes in the pre-school, children, youth and adult divisions. Hopefully, many of our classes and departments will follow the example set by the Children's 5 Department and seek to achieve the Sunday School Standard Recognition. For details, contact any staff member. Let's continue to make First Baptist Church the place for Bible study in Pensacola.

CHILDREN'S CORNER

DOROTHY WALKER

Elementary Activities and Mother's Day Out Programs will not be held this Friday, June 24, as children are involved in Vacation Bible School.

On Friday, July 3, these activities will not be held because of the holiday.

JUST FOR YOUTH

FRANZ CORNELIUS



RIDGECREST '81

Excellent study material, great classes, new friends, worship services with 3000 youth, swimming at Shining Rock, hikes up the mountain, fellowship at the Nibble Nook and devotion time with the group — these and many other experiences helped to make this year's Ridgecrest trip a most enjoyable experience.

Our youth did an excellent job behaving themselves and participating in all the programs. We were all proud of Candy Cornelius when she was asked to sing in the Celebration and Worship services. She sang in two different programs before more than 3000 people and we were all scared for her. Thank you, Candy, for being so brave and doing such a good job.

I would like to give special recognition and thanks to five very special people who helped me on this trip: LaDon Boyd, Ray Taylor, Joy Mullins, Susan Hughes and Franceen Cornelius. The youth would also like to say:

"TO: The counselors that went with us to Ridgecrest.

We the youth at First Baptist would like to express our appreciation for your support, patience and willingness to befriend us in service for our Lord."

Love in Christ,
David, Leigh, Karen, Candy, Paul, Larry, Susan, Julie, Jim, Karen, Jeff, Steve, Pam, Melissa, Jan, Kathy, April, Terry, Ashley, Marsha

MIDDLE SCHOOL CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to: Katrina and Leah Callaway, Rachel White and Holly Starr for being chosen to participate in State Student Day in Lakeland, Florida. These students were chosen by the Florida Music Teachers Association. Our Holly Starr was one of the 60 students selected for Honors Recital.

HIGH SCHOOL CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to: Sara Edmisten for being chosen for Who's Who Among American High School Students in academics and music, and to the Society of Distinguished High School Scholars.

God has surely blessed our youth.

PENNSYLVANIA MISSION TRIP

We are fast approaching our departure date for Pennsylvania — July 3. Our workshops are almost finished and many of you are committing to pray for this mission. Recently I received a letter from one of the mission churches and they expressed needs for specific materials this summer. These materials could be purchased by two or three Sunday School classes as a class project. If you are interested, see Franz or Jill.

MIDDLE SCHOOL CAMP

We are accepting camp registration for Camp Blue Lake until July 6th. The cost is \$55.00, with a \$15.00 deposit due upon registration. This year Mrs. Roberta Chapman will be our spiritual leader and we are in for a treat.

CHURCH TRAINING
THE SUNDAY NIGHT PLACE TO BE!



CHURCH TRAINING FOR JUNE — Frank Rabold will continue leading the very interesting study of the Holy Spirit. His study will lead up to the presentation of the Le Haye film series scheduled for JULY — "The Spirit Controlled Temperament." Join us Sunday at 6:00 P.M. in Room S-108.

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

LAST WEEK'S REPORT



TOTAL BIBLE STUDY.....	1,273
SUNDAY SCHOOL	1,135
Married Adults	541
Single Adults	62
College	38
Youth	154
Children	123
Preschool	128
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WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER MENU July 1, 1981

Baked Ham
Green Lima Beans
Potato Salad
Roll and Butter
Dessert
Coffee and Tea



COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP JUNE 21, 1981

BY LETTER:

107. Dr. Jim Graves, 994 Great Oak Dr.
From: Viers Mill Baptist,
Silver Spring, Md.
108. Mrs. Jim Graves (Alecia),
109. Ray Pope,
4344 Langley Ave., D-215
From: First Baptist, Gainesville, Fl.
110. Mrs. Ray Pope (Kelly),
433 Langley Ave., D-215
111. Bob Powers, 4051 Olive Rd., Apt. 229
From: First Baptist, Rochester, Pa.
112. Mrs. Bob Powers (Damara),
4051 Olive Rd., Apt. 229
From: Lakeshore Baptist,
Pasadena, Md.
113. Ray Strebeck, 6311 Keating Rd.
From: East Brent Baptist,
Pensacola, Fl.
114. Mrs. Ray Strebeck (Jean),
6311 Keating Rd.
115. Debra Strebeck
116. Mrs. Velma Landers, 6311 Keating Rd.
From: East Brent Baptist,
Pensacola, Fl.

SERMON TOPICS

June 28

10:55 A.M.

"A NEW YOU"

(Romans 8)

7:15 P.M.

"THE SUFFICIENT MINISTER"

(Col. 1:23 - 2:7)

BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

June 21, 1981	
Receipts	\$ 12,914.96
Weekly Budget Needs.....	18,911.00
Budget Receipts	
Year To Date.....	431,511.04
Budget Needs	
Year To Date.....	472,775.00

DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND	\$1,307.45
SPECIALS	\$ 113.00

OPPORTUNITIES of the WEEK SUNDAY, JUNE 28

- 9:00 A.M.—Homebound Class
* 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School
* 10:55 A.M.—Morning Worship
3:30 P.M.—Vietnamese Bible Study
6:00 P.M.—Christian Training Hour
Youth Choir Rehearsal
Adult Handbells
College/YSA Choir
Children's Bible Drill
* 7:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

MONDAY, JUNE 29

- * 9:00 A.M.—Needlepoint — CAC
10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
10:15 A.M.—Ladies Skating — CAC
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
7:30 P.M.—College Growth Group

TUESDAY, JUNE 30

- 12:00 Noon—Church Training Leaders' Luncheon
VBS Teachers' Luncheon

WEDNESDAY, JULY 1

- * 9:00 A.M.—Aerobics — CAC
10:15 A.M.—Ladies Skating — CAC
12:00 Noon—Men's Noon Exercise — CAC
4:45 P.M.—High School Acteens
Middle School Handbells
5:30 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
College/YSA Council Meeting/Dinner
* 6:15 P.M.—Bible Study for Adults
High School and College JOY
Middle School Acteens
G.A.'s, R.A.'s and Pioneers
* 6:45 P.M.—Life and Work Lesson Preview for Adult Teachers
Planning Meeting for Teachers
Committee Meetings
Adult Choir
7:00 P.M.—Recreation Time for Children
Puppet Practice
7:30 P.M.—Boy Scouts — Cellar

THURSDAY, JULY 2

- 9:30 A.M.—Senior Adults — CAC
12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon and Bible Study
7:00 P.M.—College/YSA Bible Study
7:30 P.M.—Square Dancing — CAC

FRIDAY, JULY 3

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED FOR HOLIDAY

* Nursery provided