



# Bold Living — Bold Giving

## The First Baptist Builder

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North Palafox at Jackson Street in Downtown Pensacola

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### Brian's Lines

I was glad to be back home Sunday. I appreciate Chuck Horn filling in for me on Wednesday night, and I am thankful for the fine work of the staff while I was gone. I preached in the First Baptist Church of Dalton, Georgia, where Billy Nimmons is doing an excellent job in leading the people. We had a very profitable week with noonday and evening services. The church is growing with a new emphasis on Sunday School and the extra impetus of a fabulous Family Life Center including a gym, weight rooms, ceramic rooms, and handball courts. Thank you for your prayers while I was gone.



SUNDAY . . . was a beautiful day inside despite the stormy weather outside. The American Wind Orchestra added a special touch to our morning worship service. Our Sunday School continues to grow, and God added another young family into our growing fellowship.

THE FOCUS OF OUR ATTENTION . . . is now directed toward our Stewardship effort as we adopt our budget for 1982. Bill Morrison and his committee did an excellent job in preparing this proposed budget of \$1,080,971. The budget will include \$200,000 to the Cooperative Program in 1982, expanded mission efforts on other fronts, another staff member, and some money for debt retirement on our North Wing. In addition, we have increased the program budget for each area of our church which means we will be able to develop some new and exciting programs during 1982. Our Together We Build Program with which we financed the North Wing Addition will officially end this year. We will have given \$120,000 to the Building Program this year, in addition to our budget giving, before the year is over. Let me make two challenges to you concerning our Building Program giving.

1. If you have made a pledge to our building fund, let me urge you to get that in before 1981 is over with.
2. If you have been giving to the Building Fund for these past four years, let me challenge you to continue giving the amount that you have been giving to the Building Fund but to transfer it to the regular budget. If a

## STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM UNDERWAY

### Theme for 1982: BOLD LIVING, BOLD GIVING

### My Response to God's Grace

Sunday, November 1 — PROVE - THE - TITHE DAY

Wednesday, November 4 (6:15 p.m.) — Budget Presentation & Discussion

Sunday, November 8 — Stewardship Emphasis Day in Sunday School  
(Goals Set for Pledging)

Sunday, November 15 — PLEDGE DAY!

Sunday, November 22 — VICTORY DAY!

### BUDGET PROMOTION COMMITTEE

Pictured at right is Bill Lee, Chairman of this year's Budget Promotion Committee, discussing the various activities involving the stewardship emphasis with two committee members: Martha Trotter (in charge of Publicity), and Lester Ennis (in charge of Pledging).

The entire committee:

General Chairman.....Bill Lee  
 Testimonies .....Lucy Gray  
 Publicity .....Martha Trotter  
 Tally .....Billy Renfroe  
 Pledging .....Lester Ennis



Bill Lee, Martha Trotter,  
Lester Ennis

large part of that \$120,000 that was given to the Building Fund during 1981 can be given to the budget for 1982, then we will take some giant strides forward in our giving at First Baptist Church. With added strength in our Sunday School, a deeper fellowship than we have known before, and open doors before us in the community, there is no limit on what we can accomplish as a church during 1982.

To those who have been giving to the Building Fund, dare to keep giving at

the same level to the budget this year and see what God can do with our great church.

THIS SUNDAY . . . I will begin focusing on our giving patterns in my message Sunday morning. It is *Prove - The - Tithe Day*. We are asking every member of the church to bring a tithe to see what amazing resources we have here within the membership of our church. Sunday evening Dr. Bob Trotter will be preaching. I'll see you here for another exciting day.

# JUST FOR YOUTH

FRANZ CORNELIUS



## ACTEENS IN THE NEWS

This past weekend over twenty of our Acteens attended a Come-together at Blue Springs Assembly. The program produced good speakers, (several were our own girls), and the opportunity to discover the works of other Acteen programs. I might say, at this point, that our Acteens looked great. We're proud of you, girls!

## SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINNINGS

Yesterday was our High Attendance Sunday. We didn't reach our goal, but something very important happened. The leaders and youth experienced new faces, good attendance, and they were rewarded for all the work and effort made toward high attendance. I'm excited because Youth Sunday School is an exciting place to be. One Director made this statement that underlines it all: "Well, we didn't quite make our goal, but we're only just beginning."

## DATES TO REMEMBER

- OCTOBER 30 — Middle School Hayride
- 31 — High School Hayride
- NOVEMBER 6 — G.A. Slumber Party
- 13 — 7th Grade Progressive Supper
- 14 — 10th Grade Hayride
- 19 — 8th Grade Cookout

# MUSIC MINISTRY

*Mike Simoneaux*

**THE NEW SINGLES ENSEMBLE** will meet this Sunday morning at 8:00 A.M. for our first rehearsal. Breakfast will be served at 8:00 and rehearsal will begin at 8:30.

**THE 1981 - 82 MUSIC BROCHURE** was given out in Sunday School this last week. Please check this brochure for information concerning the music ministry. If you need another one, or did not receive one, please contact the music office.

**VOICE CLASS WILL BEGIN** in the near future. If you are interested in being part of such a class, please fill out the form below and turn it in to the music office.

**SINGING MEN** will fill the choir loft on Sunday evening, November 8. This is open to all men of the church, not just those involved in choir. Let's meet in the choir room at 5:45 on the 8th and lift our voices to the Lord.

**SOLO TRYOUTS FOR "VIVALDI GLORIA"** will be held on November 8th at 4:00 P.M. All who may be interested in trying out for a part please meet in the Choir Room at that time.

I am interested in being part of a voice class.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

Please turn in to music office.

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS:

*Baptist*  
Mrs. Elva Rogers, Mr. John Brock

*West Florida*  
Mr. Stillman Waters

*Sacred Heart*  
Mrs. Janice Giles

HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:  
Mr. Johnnie Sewell, Mrs. Suellen Mc-Creary, Mrs. Rose Brock, Mrs. Martha Drake, Mr. Bennie L. Woolam

CONGRATULATIONS TO:  
Carol Scarborough and John Ward on their marriage October 24.

SYMPATHY TO:  
Mrs. T. D. Turman in the death of her brother.  
Capt. Drexel Poynter in the death of his wife.

*Join hearts around the world in prayer.*



**Baptist Women's  
World Day of Prayer  
November 2, 1981**

All women of First Baptist Church are invited to meet for prayer at 10:00 A.M. in Room S-310.

## HOUSING FOR SBC

Housing Request Forms are now available in the church office for anyone planning on attending the Southern Baptist Convention in New Orleans, June 15 - 17, 1982.

### IN MEMORIAM

GLADYS POYNTER  
4650 Regency Court

Joined our church by Statement:  
July 8, 1973

Deceased: October 23, 1981

## NEWS OF FIRST FOLKS

*Ferman Minshew* was recently elected 1982 President-Elect for the Florida Association of Realtors, a 65,000-member association.

### MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary this Sunday are in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roth and are given by Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Kohr and Mr. and Mrs. James Roth.

RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP  
OCTOBER 25, 1981



Steve and Gale Brassell

## "PROVE - THE - TITHE" DAY, NOVEMBER 1

All church members are asked to use special offering envelopes for our "Prove - The - Tithe" offering on November 1. These envelopes, along with a letter of explanation from Bill Lee, Budget Promotion Chairman, were mailed this week to every church family.

The Budget Promotion Committee is asking each person to give an offering which represents a tithe of one week's income. This offering will give us an opportunity to demonstrate what every - member tithing could mean to the resources we have available for God's work. It is a bold step in acknowledging our responsible stewardship of God's gracious gifts to us.

Remember to use the special envelope **in place of** your regular envelope. Additional envelopes will be available Sunday morning for any who need them.

### WMU NEWS

of

Tuesday, November 3

BAPTIST YOUNG WOMEN will meet at 9:00 A.M.

BAPTIST WOMEN will have their General Meeting at 10:00 A.M. The program will feature Rosie Bedsole, a missionary from Ethiopia.

BAPTIST WOMEN - NIGHT will meet at 6:00 P.M. in the Christian Activities Center.

## 1982 BUDGET DISCUSSION AND VOTE

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

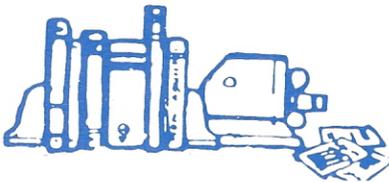
6:15 P.M.

Plans for the ministry and program of First Baptist Church will be reviewed as the 1982 Budget is presented for discussion and vote on Wednesday evening, November 4.

Bill Morrison, chairman of the Budget Planning Committee, will lead in the presentation to be made in the auditorium at 6:15 P.M.

Elsewhere in the **Builder** is a copy of the proposed 1982 Budget. Church members are encouraged to study this budget and come on Wednesday evening to participate in this important session.

### CHURCH LIBRARY



New Books recently added to the Library shelves:

- |        |      |                                   |
|--------|------|-----------------------------------|
| 171.4  | Bos  | Give Happiness a Chance           |
| 223.2  | Lew  | Reflections on the Psalms         |
| 248.8  | Lan  | Changepoints                      |
| 242.64 | Old  | Some Things Are Priceless         |
| 248.4  | Man  | The Greatest Success in the World |
| 248.4  | Dan  | Celebrate Joy!                    |
| 641.5  | Mar  | Cooking Across the South          |
| 646.79 | Dow  | The Best Years Book               |
| 796.5  | McM  | They Shoot Canoes, Don't They?    |
| 823    | Read | The White Robin                   |
| 980    | Hef  | Unstilled Voices                  |
| J398.6 | Gom  | Ways to Witches                   |
| JF     | Ban  | The Indian in the Cupboard        |
| C220.1 | Nys  | I Learn About the Bible           |
| C231   | Nys  | Who Is God                        |
| C231.3 | Nys  | The Holy Spirit in Me             |
| C232   | Nys  | Who Is Jesus                      |
| ~235.3 | Nys  | Angels and Me                     |
| 48.3   | Nys  | What Is Prayer                    |
| CE     | Cal  | Hot-air Henry                     |
| CE     | Haz  | I'm Glad to Be Me                 |
| CE     | Nix  | When God Listens                  |
| CE     | Ste  | The Night After Christmas         |

## BOLD GIVING . . . TO MISSIONS

The 1982 Proposed Budget calls for Cooperative Program gifts of \$200,000. This is a plateau of mission giving toward which First Baptist Church has been working for several years.

Financial support for specific mission work has been more than doubled to \$2700. This amount represents our involvement in the New Holland Baptist Church in Pennsylvania as well as support for a mission church sponsored by John Ladner's church in Tacoma, Washington. From one side of our nation to the other, we are reaching out to share God's grace with others.

Money designated for Associational Missions has also been increased. For the first time in several years, FBC is moving forward in support of the work of Pensacola Bay Baptist Association.

## BOLD GIVING . . . BOLD LIVING

Do you know the way to Timbuktu?

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 1982 PROPOSED BUDGET

ACCOUNT NAME	PROPOSED 1982 BUDGET
<b>I. MISSIONS AND BENEVOLENCES</b>	
Cooperative Program .....	\$200,000
Associational Missions .....	15,000
Baptist Hospital Charity .....	2,000
Benevolence (Transfer) .....	500
Radio .....	9,115
Van Ministries .....	7,800
Mission Support .....	2,700
Mission Home Operations .....	4,000
Local Mission Support .....	3,000
Sub-Total .....	\$244,115
*Goals-Designated Offerings .....	53,300
TOTAL .....	\$297,415
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<b>II. PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES</b>	
Salaries and Wages, Retirement, Health Benefits, Car Expense .....	\$432,219
Football Banquet .....	1,000
Special Events .....	1,000
Assistant to Pastor Convention Expense.....	1,200
Audit .....	1,000
Pulpit Supply .....	2,000
Postage .....	10,500
Builder and Bulletins .....	16,000
Office Equipment Maintenance .....	3,300
Social Security .....	21,858
Pastor's Convention Expense .....	3,700
Office Supplies .....	10,500
Florida Baptist Witness .....	1,900
Committee Support .....	1,000
Church History .....	500
Church Envelopes .....	3,750
Publicity .....	5,000
Revival Expense .....	2,400
Pastor's Personal Ministry .....	300
Computer Service .....	8,250
Contingency .....	6,000
TV Ministry .....	2,000
Sub-Total .....	\$103,154
TOTAL .....	\$535,373
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<b>III. ORGANIZATIONS AND SERVICES</b>	
Library .....	\$ 1,000
Tape Ministry .....	300
Boy Scouts .....	300
Audio-Visuals .....	700
Sub-Total .....	\$ 2,300
<b>A. ADULT MINISTRY</b>	
Married Adults .....	\$ 2,000
Single Adults .....	1,800
Senior Adults .....	1,800
Deaf Adults .....	1,200
Church Training .....	1,650
Outreach .....	750
Literature .....	12,500
Supplies .....	800
Convention Expense .....	800
Teacher / Leader Training .....	1,500
Contingency .....	500
College .....	700
Sub-Total .....	\$ 26,000
<b>B. YOUTH MINISTRY</b>	
Middle School .....	\$ 4,120
High School .....	7,790
Sunday School Materials .....	400
Sunday School Clinic .....	400
Literature .....	2,390
Conference Expense .....	600
Contingency .....	300
Sub-Total .....	\$ 16,000
<b>C. CHILDHOOD MINISTRY</b>	
Leader Training .....	\$ 1,500
Vacation Bible School .....	2,000
Children's Activities .....	4,000
Nursery Supplies and Refreshments.....	2,500
Convention Expense .....	600
R.A.'s .....	1,594
Literature .....	4,500
Contingency .....	600
Sub-Total .....	\$ 17,294

(Over)

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 1982 PROPOSED BUDGET

(Continued)

**PROPOSED  
1982 BUDGET**

ACCOUNT NAME	PROPOSED 1982 BUDGET
<b>D. MUSIC MINISTRY</b>	
Music and Supplies .....	\$ 6,761
Choir Activities .....	1,100
Promotion .....	1,000
Workshops and Retreat .....	800
New Equipment .....	1,400
Music Ministry Supply .....	400
Special Music Projects .....	2,950
Children's Music Activities .....	1,200
Music Ministry / Centurymen .....	700
Contingency .....	400
Organ and Piano Maintenance.....	2,270
Adult Ensemble .....	300
Conference Expense .....	700
Youth Choir Tour .....	3,000
College Summer Choir .....	300

Sub-Total .....\$ 23,281

**E. CHRISTIAN RECREATION & ACTIVITIES**

Arts and Supplies
Workshops and Seminars
League and Intramural
Family Night
New Equipment
Replacement and Maintenance
Publicity and Printing
Church Picnic
Contingency

Sub-Total .....\$ 10,750

**F W.M.U.:**

Mission Friends .....	\$ 446
G.A.'s .....	1,205
Acteens .....	2,117
Baptist Women / Baptist Young Women .....	2,750
W.M.U. General Expense .....	2,534

Sub-Total .....\$ 9,052

**TOTAL ORGANIZATIONS & SERVICES.....\$104,677**

**IV. OPERATIONS & BUILDING MAINTENANCE**

Utilities .....	\$ 90,000
Janitorial Supplies and Paper Goods.....	20,000
Insurance .....	18,000

Sub-Total .....\$128,000

Painting
Plumbing
Air-Conditioning and Heating
Carpentry
Electrical
Grounds
Floors
Equipment Repair

Sub-Total .....\$ 24,000

Flowers .....	940
New Equipment .....	12,000
Elevator Maintenance .....	1,800
Contingency .....	3,000

Sub-Total .....\$ 17,740

**TOTAL OPERATIONS AND BUILDING MAINTENANCE .....\$169,740**

**V. DEBT RETIREMENT .....\$ 27,066**

**SUMMARY:**

MISSIONS & BENEVOLENCES .....	\$ 297,415
PERSONNEL & ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES....	535,373
ORGANIZATIONS & SERVICES .....	104,677
OPERATIONS & BLDG. MAINTENANCE.....	169,740
DEBT RETIREMENT .....	27,066

Sub Total .....\$1,134,271

**LESS GOALS FOR DESIGNATED MISSION OFFERINGS:**

Foreign Missions - Lottie Moon.....	-40,000
Home Missions - Annie Armstrong.....	-11,500
State Missions .....	- 1,800

**GRAND TOTAL .....\$1,080,971**

**REQUIRED PER WEEK .....\$20,788**

Recommended disposition of surplus at end of year:

25% . . . . . Cooperative Program

75% . . . . . Building Debt

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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.

## COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP OCTOBER 25, 1981

BY LETTER:

16. Steve Brassell, 3095 Baronne St.

From: Shalimar Baptist, Shalimar, Fl.

17. Mrs. Steve Brassell, 3095 Baronne St.

## OPPORTUNITIES of the WEEK

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1

- 8:00 A.M.—Singles Ensemble Rehearsal
- 8:30 A.M.—Senior Adult Breakfast
- 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
- 4:00 P.M.—Middle School Handbells Instrumental Ensemble
- \* 5:00 P.M.—Church Training Hour Youth Choir Children's Bible Drill Adult Handbells
- \* 6:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2

- \* 9:00 A.M.—Needlepoint — CAC Aerobics — CAC
- 10:00 A.M.—Baptist Women "World Day of Prayer" Intercersory Prayer Group
- 10:30 A.M.—Ladies' Sr. Adult Aerobics
- 12:00 Noon—Men's Noon Exercise — CAC
- 7:00 P.M.—Needlepoint — CAC

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

- \* 9:00 A.M.—Baptist Young Women
- \* 10:00 A.M.—Baptist Women General Meeting
- 10:15 A.M.—Ladies' Skating — CAC
- 6:00 P.M.—Baptist Women - Night
- 6:30 P.M.—Youth Bible Study

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

- 9:00 A.M.—Aerobics — CAC
- 10:30 A.M.—Ladies' Sr. Adult Aerobics
- 12:00 Noon—Men's Noon Exercise — CAC
- 3:45 P.M.—Youth Handbells
- 4:45 P.M.—High School Acteens Middle School Choir Graded Choirs
- \* 5:30 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
- \* 6:15 P.M.—1982 Budget Presentation Mission Friends Middle School Acteens Royal Ambassadors
- \* 6:45 P.M.—Music Reading
- \* 7:00 P.M.—Adult Choir
- 7:15 P.M.—Boy Scouts — Cellar

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5

- 9:30 A.M.—Senior Adults — CAC
- 10:15 A.M.—Ladies' Skating — CAC
- 12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon
- 7:00 P.M.—YSA / College Bible Study
- 7:30 P.M.—Square Dancing — CAC

### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6

- \* 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out Aerobics — CAC
- 12:00 Noon—Men's Noon Exercise — CAC
- 4:30 P.M.—G.A. Slumber Party — CAC

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7

- 6:30 P.M.—Singles Supper Club

\* Nursery Provided



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## BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

October 25, 1981  
Report .....\$ 14,954.94  
Weekly Budget Needs..... 18,911.00  
Budget Receipts  
Year To Date..... 784,361.45  
Budget Needs  
Year To Date..... 813,173.00

## SERMON TOPICS

November 1, 1981

10:55 A.M.

"PRINCIPLES OF STEWARDSHIP"

6:15 P.M.

DR. BOB TROTTER

## DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND .....\$2,116.55  
SPECIALS .....\$ 411.00

## LAST WEEK'S REPORT



TOTAL BIBLE STUDY.....1,622  
SUNDAY SCHOOL .....1,400  
Married Adults ..... 730  
Single Adults ..... 125  
Youth ..... 216  
Children ..... 164  
Preschool ..... 133  
The Village Chapel ..... 13  
Pensacola Health Care Facility 19  
WEEKDAY BIBLE STUDIES..... 222  
CHURCH TRAINING ..... 110  
WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM... 500  
COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP..... 2

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER MENU

November 4, 1981

- Pork Chops
- Whipped Potatoes
- Tossed Green Salad
- Roll and Butter
- Dessert
- Tea and Coffee

