

Fifty Days of Faithfulness



The First Baptist Builder

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Brian's Lines

A beautiful spirit prevailed in all of the services on Sunday. I'm thankful for the seven new members that God added to our church family and for the hundreds who were here studying God's word. I know



that the sermon Sunday morning was a little different from the usual Mother's Day fare. But I hope two results come from the sermon. I hope that it caused us to think a little more deeply about what the Bible actually says concerning the place and

purpose of women in the church. And secondly, I hope it will lead us to appreciate more fully the contribution of the outstanding women in our church to the work of God.

PRAYER . . . is the cutting edge of everything that the church accomplishes in today's world. I am thrilled to see the continued commitment to prayer among our people. Every week I receive notes from people saying that they are praying about certain needs for the church. Nearly 100 of our adults are involved in a Pastor's Prayer Partners program where they pray daily for special needs and requests that I share with them. I learned this week about a couple of more prayer circles or chains that are a part of a Sunday School department. The spirit of prayer is permeating our great church. And we will continue to give emphasis to that, for God's blessings on the church will be in direct proportion to the prayers of her people.

THANKS, YOUTH . . . for moving to the front of the auditorium on Sunday morning. I was pleased to see so many of you on the front pews when I came out Sunday morning. I hope that more of you will join them at the front as a sign of your eagerness to be a part of what God is doing in our church. Thanks.

SPEAKING OF YOUTH . . . we will have our annual senior recognition service on Sunday morning, May 30. The week prior to that we will publish pictures of these seniors in the *Builder*. I hope that all of our seniors will be in church that day, and that you will wear your cap and gowns if you have them at that time. That adds a special dimension to the service. As last year, many of our seniors

FIFTY DAYS OF FAITHFULNESS

May 16 - July 4

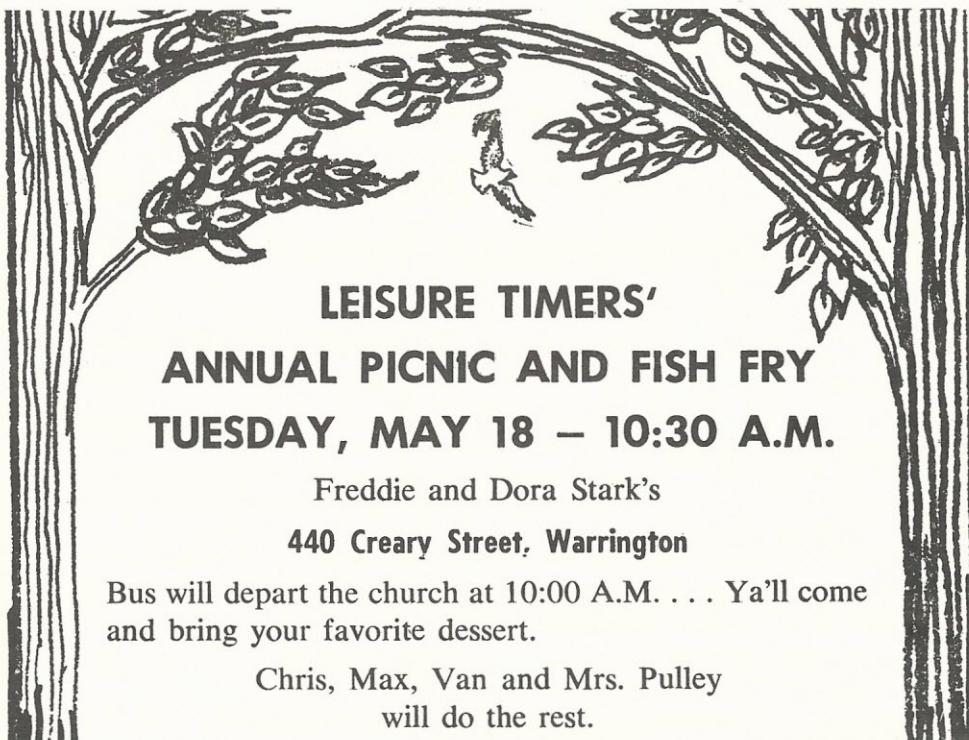
A call to personal commitment as we approach the celebration of our nation's birthday.

The Goals:

1. FIFTY additions to the church
2. FIFTY families beginning prayer and Bible study in their home
3. FIFTY individuals committing themselves to tithe

The Plan:

Dr. Harbour will outline the five points of the covenant in his sermon Sunday morning. Then, we as church members will be challenged to commit ourselves to Fifty Days of Faithfulness.



LEISURE TIMERS'
ANNUAL PICNIC AND FISH FRY
TUESDAY, MAY 18 – 10:30 A.M.

Freddie and Dora Stark's
440 Creary Street, Warrington

Bus will depart the church at 10:00 A.M. . . . Ya'll come and bring your favorite dessert.

Chris, Max, Van and Mrs. Pulley
will do the rest.

will be going to school in Pensacola and staying home. We are thankful that you will be a part of our growing college and young single ministry.

THE SUMMER IS UPON US . . . and the need for faithfulness has never been greater. That is why I am going to ask

you Sunday morning to make a covenant with God for "Fifty Days of Faithfulness." This fifty day period will go from May 16 to July 4. It is a time of commitment to God which will strengthen our church so that we might strengthen

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PARENTING AND CHRISTIAN DISCIPLINE SEMINAR

SESSION 1 Friday, May 14th — 6:00 P.M.
SESSION 2 Tuesday, May 18th — 6:00 P.M.

(See last week's *Builder* for details of Seminar)

ADULTS IN CHURCH TRAINING Sunday, May 16 — 5:00 P.M.

** Video Tape Series of — "The Church Militant and Triumphant"	Room S-112
Dr. W. A. Criswell	
** Bible Study Series — "Centuries of Decline"	Room S-108
Led by Mrs. Sidney Kennedy	
** Adult Studies — "The Life of Christ"	Room S-106
Led by Nix Daniel	
** Young Adult Studies — "The Secret of Staying In Love"	Room S-311
Led by Wesley Soper	

MIDDLE SCHOOLERS TO SIX FLAGS June 7th and 8th

\$25.00 (Includes ticket and transportation.)

Register at the CAC. Deadline for registration is Wednesday, June 2.

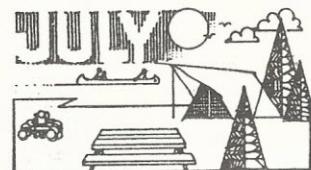
LOOKING AHEAD TO SUMMER

(First through Fifth Grades)

9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.



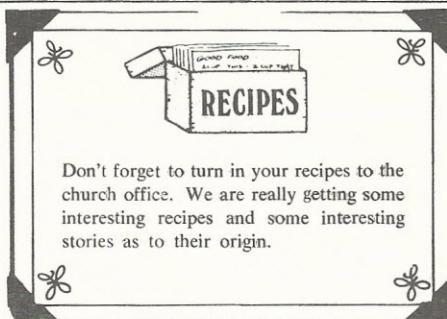
11 — Goofy Golf — Navy Boulevard (\$1.00 for 18 holes).
18 — Safety Day — Life Flight Helicopter and Police Department "Blinky".
25 — Vacation Bible School — Come and bring a friend.



2 — HOLIDAY — Have a wonderful 4th of July!
9 — Navy Base — Tour USS Lexington, Aviation Museum and Land Survival.
16 — Fishing and Swimming — Ike Terry's (50¢ — Bring fishing pole.)
23 — Bowling — (Shoes - 50¢ and 84¢ per game.)
30 — Missions Day Camp; International.



6 — Gulfarium at Ft. Walton and Eglin Air Force Base.
9 - 12 — Children's Camp (Completed 3rd, 4th and 5th grades.)



Don't forget to turn in your recipes to the church office. We are really getting some interesting recipes and some interesting stories as to their origin.

YOUTH CHOIR OUTFITS

Summer Tour outfits are available for fitting now. Please come by the music office *Monday*, May 17th, from 2:00 'til 4:00, or *Wednesday*, May 19th, from 2:00 'til 3:30. We will have a sample in every size, which will simplify the project. A price list will be available.

Brian's Lines

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our nation. We are hoping that out of this fifty days of faithfulness, these results will come:

1. Fifty additions to the church.
2. Fifty individuals committing themselves to tithe.
3. Fifty families beginning family devotions.

I will outline the stipulations of this covenant in my sermon Sunday morning. And then we will have a special time of commitment. Over 200 of you committed yourselves to the "10 x 10" emphasis ten weeks ago. This "Fifty Days of Faithfulness" builds on that initial commitment, but goes beyond it.

THIS SUNDAY . . . morning I will lead in this time of commitment with my sermon, "A Call to Faithfulness." Sunday night I will continue my series on 2 Corinthians with a sermon entitled, "When Criticism Comes." I'll see you here for another exciting day.

*Our joy will be more complete
if you can share in the marriage
of our daughter
Millie Elaine
to*

*William Richard Ellis
on Saturday, the twenty-second of May
nineteen hundred and eighty-two
First Baptist Church
Harbeson at First Street
Ft. Walton Beach, Florida
We invite you to worship with us
and witness their vows
If you are unable to attend
we ask your presence in thought and prayer
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Render Maddox
Reception immediately following*

Association-Wide Senior Adult Day

At Camp Ada Tuesday, May 25

10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

\$1.00 per person

Bring yourself, a friend, a picnic lunch, and a lawn chair. No pre-registration required . . . just come.

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for your prayers, concern and love shown before and during Clint's (Ann Smith's nephew) hospitalization. Praise the Lord and answered prayers. He didn't need the surgery now and is doing well. God bless you all.

Love,
The Gary Jernigan Family

LAURA STOESEN ROUND TABLE

The Laura Stoesen Round Table will meet on *Tuesday*, May 18, 11:00 a.m., at the home of Mrs. Robert Hinson, 191 Bay Meadows Drive.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist

Mr. Milton Richardson, Miss Lynne Grant, Mrs. Elizabeth Vallia, Dr. Samuel Gillespie, Mrs. Bernice Gillespie, Mrs. Mary Charles Renfroe, Mrs. Elizabeth Petkis, Mrs. Allie Mae Penton, Mrs. Sharon Johnson, Mrs. Genevieve Douglas, Mrs. Lamantine Holt

Children's Hospital

Christopher Roberts

West Florida

Mrs. Pearl Owens, Miss Terri Driskell, Miss Sarah Andress

HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:

Mr. Marvin Lee, Buddy Burks, Mrs. Mary Foster, Mrs. Helen Gardner, Michael Watson, Mrs. Lucille Johnson

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Mabel McGowin and Jeff Zibenski on their marriage May 8.

Craig Gomillion who graduated from the University of Florida May 1.

Mark Calder who graduated from Pensacola Junior College May 7.

Mark McWaters who graduated from the University of Florida May 1 with honors in Mechanical Engineering.

RACQUETBALL WINNERS

MEN'S DIVISION B

1st — Barry Royal

MEN'S DIVISION C

1st — Jimmy Magaha

LADIES' DIVISION

1st — Pam Parker

Thanks to all the participants in the 1982 Racquetball Tournament. Special thanks to Pensacourt Racquet Center for hosting the tournament.

Dear Church Family,

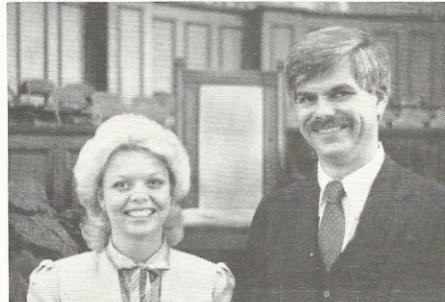
We want to thank you for the fellowship you gave honoring our family. We appreciate so much the warm thoughts expressed and the many words of encouragement. The gifts were so thoughtful and I will always cherish them as reminders of a very special time in my life.

FRANZ AND FAMILY

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary this Sunday are in memory of Mrs. Viola Rainer and are given by her children.

RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP — MAY 9, 1982



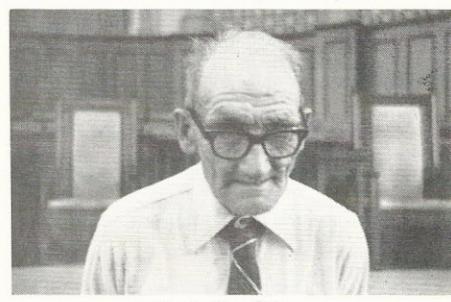
Jeff and Sheila Forshee



Howard and Nancy Rodriguez



Lowery and Jimmie Simmons



T. J. Burdett

MUSIC MINISTRY

Mike Simoneaux

SINGING SENIORS

Be sure to mark on your calendars the 24th of May, 11:00 a.m., for a special rehearsal of "He's My Father", in preparation for presenting it on May 25th at Camp Ada. I would like to see each of you there.

YOUTH CHOIR

Friday, May 14, 6:30 p.m., - 11:00 p.m., is our extra rehearsal for the summer tour. Please be here. If you cannot make it because you will be working or out of town, please call me at the church. Remember, eat before you come, but we will take a snack break during the evening.

Registration forms for the summer tour are available in the music office. A \$20.00 fee is due with the form and deadline for registration is June 16.

Youth Choir members will be given the opportunity during the week of TABS, June 21 - 25, to work on memorization, special problem areas, etc., of the summer tour music. Those who can are asked to meet in the Choir Room at 9:00 a.m. each day.

PLEASE, if you have been asked to work in VBS, or if you are asked, say "yes."

VBS or TABS takes priority over this time, but some of you can profit from it, I'm sure.

MUSIC MAKERS II SWIM PARTY (Second Grade Choir)

Sunday, May 16, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. Choir members of Linda White's choir and their families are invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Darriel White, 5475 Flax Road. Mark it on your calendar!! Don't forget your bathing suit and towel!!



Coming Events For Children!

Thursday, June 3 — Fifth Grade Memory Work Banquet

Friday, June 11 — Summer Activities Begin

Sunday, June 20 — Father's Day Baby Dedication

Monday, June 21 - 25 — VBS

Sunday, June 27 — Sunday School Promotion

Monday, August 9 - 12 — Children's Camp

(Get your reservation in!)

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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

MAY 3 - 10, 1982

TOTAL BIBLE STUDY.....	1,478
SUNDAY SCHOOL	1,313
Married Adults	708
Single Adults	124
Youth	180
Children	173
Preschool	128
WEEKDAY BIBLE STUDIES.....	165
CHURCH TRAINING	140
WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM.....	546
COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP.....	7



May 19, 1982

Baked Chicken
Mashed Potatoes and Gravy
Green Beans
Roll and Butter
Dessert
Tea and Coffee

OPPORTUNITIES of the WEEK

SUNDAY, MAY 16

- 9:00 A.M.—Homebound Class
- * 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School
- * 10:55 A.M.—Morning Worship
- 3:30 P.M.—Vietnamese Bible Class
- 4:00 P.M.—Middle School Handbells
Celebration Singers
- * 5:00 P.M.—Church Training Hour
Youth Choir
- Children's Bible Drill
- Adult Handbells
- Guitar Class — (S-313)
- * 6:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

MONDAY, MAY 17

- * 9:00 A.M.—“Needle” Workshop — CAC
Ladies' Intermediate Aerobics
- 10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
- 10:30 A.M.—Ladies' Skating
- 12:00 Noon—Men's Exercise — CAC
- 7:00 P.M.—Deacon's Meeting
“Needle” Workshop — CAC
- 7:15 P.M.—College / Single Bible Study

TUESDAY, MAY 18

- 9:00 A.M.—Baptist Young Women
- 10:30 A.M.—Leisure Timers
- 5:30 P.M.—Ladies' Beginner Aerobics
- 6:00 P.M.—Parenting Dinner & Seminar
- 6:30 P.M.—Youth Bible Study

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19

- 9:00 A.M.—Ladies' Intermediate Aerobics
- 10:30 A.M.—Ladies' Skating
- 12:00 Noon—Men's Exercise — CAC
- 4:45 P.M.—High School Acteens
Instrumental Ensemble
Middle School Choir
Graded Choirs
- * 5:30 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
Japan Project Comm.
- * 6:15 P.M.—Bible Study for Adults
“How to Guide Children”
High School JOY
College JOY — (S-311)
Mission Friends
Middle School Acteens
Royal Ambassadors
G.A.'s
Sunday School Workers
Weekly Meeting
- * 6:30 P.M.—Voice Class
- * 6:35 P.M.—Adult Lesson Preview
- * 7:00 P.M.—Sanctuary Choir
- 7:15 P.M.—Boy Scouts — Cellar

THURSDAY, MAY 20

- 9:30 A.M.—Senior Adults — CAC
- 12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon
- 5:30 P.M.—Ladies' Beginning Aerobics
- 7:00 P.M.—YSA / College Bible Study
- 7:30 P.M.—Square Dancing — CAC

COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP MAY 9, 1982

BY LETTER:

- 74. Howard Rodriguez, 3525 Marjean Dr.
From: Brentwood Baptist,
Brentwood, Tn.
- 75. Mrs. Howard Rodriguez (Nancy),
3525 Marjean Dr.
- 76. T. J. Burdett, 235 Intendencia
From: Cedar Lawn Baptist,
Pensacola, Fl.
- 77. Lowery Simmons,
2355 W. Michigan Ave.
From: Louin Baptist, Louin, Ms.
- 78. Mrs. Lowery Simmons (Jimmie),
2355 W. Michigan Ave.

BY STATEMENT:

- 9. Jeffery E. Forshee,
11564 Havenwood Rd.
- 10. Mrs. Jeffery E. Forshee,
11564 Havenwood Rd.

DEACONS OF THE WEEK Beginning May 16

David Andrews	476-3584
Rodney Taylor	477-6755
Jack Overman	433-2904
Andy Trammell	967-0031

BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

May 9, 1982

Receipts	\$ 20,412.26
Weekly Budget Needs.....	20,809.00
Budget Receipts Year To Date.....	399,971.86
Budget Needs Year To Date.....	395,371.00

SERMON TOPICS

May 16, 1982

10:55 A.M.

“A CALL TO FAITHFULNESS”

6:15 P.M.

“WHEN CRITICISM COMES”

DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND	\$482.25
SPECIALS	688.22

FRIDAY, MAY 21

- * 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out
Ladies' Intermediate Aerobics
- 12:00 Noon—Men's Exercise — CAC
- * Nursery Provided