



The First Baptist Builder

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Brian's Lines

I'm glad we did it! The pulpit exchange was an enjoyable experience for me and the choir. Spring Hill Baptist Church is a



strong, dynamic, growing church under the leadership of Dr. Gunnells. Those of you who listened to him Sunday morning know that he is also an outstanding preacher. You would have been very proud of your adult choir because they did a sensational job in the service in Mobile. Sunday morning was just another indication that exciting things are happening in our church.

AND SPEAKING OF OUTSTANDING . . . that is just how I would describe the service Sunday night. To see the children and young people receive their awards for advancement and service in our mission programs was a real inspiration. I was especially moved by the Acteen awards and by the comments and testimonies by the girls. Sunday night was another reminder that the R.A., G.A., and Acteen programs at First Baptist Church are strong and growing stronger.

THE DEACON ELECTION . . . is upon us. We will be selecting thirteen men to fill the positions on the deacon council. We will do two things to help you get to know these deacon candidates better so you can make a wise choice. First, we will print their picture in the *Builder* before the election and give some information about them. Then, on Sunday morning, September 5, we will introduce each of these deacon candidates to the congregation. The election will be on Sunday, September 12. If you are not going to be here on that day, we have absentee ballots available. You can pick up an absentee ballot from my secretary, Mrs. Camp. This is an important matter for our church, and we want all of you to be involved in it.

BACK TO SCHOOL . . . That phrase strikes terror in the hearts of some of our children, and relief in the hearts of some of our parents! Summer is over, and it is time to get geared up again for our fall program. Sunday will be back-to-school day. We will have a special presentation to give to all our children who are in attendance on Sunday. Then, on Wednesday, September 1, we will have the Launch Day for all of our children's activities. We are anticipating our greatest fall ever. And we want all of you to be a part of it.

BACK-TO-SCHOOL DAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday, August 29



Jay Johnston and Dot Walker inspect the bookcovers.

Colorful

First Baptist Church

Bookcovers

Given to All Students

CATHY IRBY IN CONCERT

Sunday, August 29 – 6:15 P.M.

Cathy Irby, a native of Jackson, Mississippi, is a rising new personality in contemporary Christian music. Possessing a beautiful voice as she accompanies herself, Cathy will bless your heart.



Cathy Irby

LAUNCH DAY

Wednesday, September 1

Enrollment Time for Preschoolers, Children, Middle Schoolers
(6:15 P.M. at the C.A.C.)

Music — Missions — Sunday School — Church Training
Coming for Supper? Make Reservations.

TIME CHANGE FOR SUNDAY EVENINGS BEGINS THIS WEEK

CHURCH TRAINING — 5:00 P.M.

EVENING WORSHIP — 6:15 P.M.

THIS SUNDAY . . . I will conclude my series on the family Sunday morning with a sermon entitled "Communication: The Essence of The Family." Sunday night we will conclude our *Abundant August*

emphasis with a special musical presentation by Cathy Irby, a rising young Christian musician. I'll see you here for another exciting day.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Mike Simoneaux

CALENDAR OF MUSICAL EVENTS

AUGUST 29 — Cathy Irby Concert — 6:15 P.M.
SEPTEMBER 1 — Graded Choir "Launch Day" — 6:15 P.M. — Room A-108 CAC
SEPTEMBER 5 — Youth Handbell Auditions — 4:00 P.M.
SEPTEMBER 7 — Voice Class — 1:00 P.M.
SEPTEMBER 8 — Middle School Choir — 4:45 P.M.
Children's Choir — 4:45 P.M.
Boys Choir — 4:00 P.M.
SEPTEMBER 12 — Middle School Handbells — 4:00 P.M.
Adult Handbells — 5:00 P.M.

Youth Choir has gotten off to a roaring start. The in-house retreat this past weekend was great, and Sunday night at Youth Choir rehearsal there were 67 in attendance. Let's shoot for 80! Some of you new ninth graders have still not enrolled. Don't delay — now is the time to get in on the action. It's going to be a fantastic year in Youth Choir!!

One of the dear ladies of our church came to the Music Office last week and told us she would like to volunteer to keep the children of a couple in the Sanctuary Choir who will be going to Japan next summer. "I can't sing and I can't go to Japan, but I can make it easier for a couple to go by keeping their children," she told us. Perhaps there are others in our church family who have wished there was something they could do to help in this "Bold Mission Thrust." There is definitely a need for volunteers such as the one mentioned above. Please call the Music Office if you feel you could help in this area.

ADULTS IN CHURCH TRAINING

* * 5:00 P.M. * *

THE LIFE AND MINISTRY OF CHRIST — (Bible Survey Series)

Led by the Reverend Bob Cassibry Room S-108

WHAT BAPTISTS BELIEVE

Led by the Reverend Bill Hogan Room S-112

JAPANESE MISSION CLASS

Led by Mrs. Bonnie Simoneaux Room S-311

I KNOW A PROSPECT

Please complete the "I Know a Prospect" form below and put it in the offering plate on Sunday, or turn it in to the office. Each prospect will be contacted and lifted up in prayer in our outreach program.

I KNOW A PROSPECT —

Here is information on a prospect(s) for our church:

NAME APPROXIMATE AGE

STREET

CITY ZIP CODE

SIGNED PHONE

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist

Mrs. Mary Charles Renfroe, Mr. Luther Ingram, Mrs. Florence Reed, Mr. Dewitt Robinson, Mrs. Callie Mae Fleming

Sacred Heart

Mr. Bert Berrisford, Mrs. Edna Abney, Mr. H. W. Emmons, Mrs. Helen Cary

West Florida

Mr. A. S. Waters, Mrs. Grace Burris

HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:

Mrs. Hess Stephens, Mrs. Gladys Knight, Mrs. Nita Mobley, Mr. Quinton Shafer

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Dixie Garrett and Tony Cartmell on their marriage August 21.



CAKES TOO PRETTY TO EAT!

Following the R.A., G.A., and Acteen Recognition Service last Sunday evening, a churchwide reception was held to honor the participants.



- The teachers in the Preschool Division are grateful to Kent Phillips for the beautiful picture boards and rails he remade, painted and installed in each room. Thank you, Kent, for the many things you do for us.
- We need some volunteers to make some simple doll clothes for our preschool rooms. The dolls, children and teachers would be so happy.
- We still need teachers in both Sunday School and Church Training. Children need our best — your best. If you aren't sure and would like to observe one Sunday, contact me.

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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**AUGUST 17 - 23, 1982**

TOTAL BIBLE STUDY.....	1,563
SUNDAY SCHOOL	1,368
Married Adults	786
Single Adults	137
Youth	190
Children	141
Preschool	114
WEEKDAY BIBLE STUDIES.....	195
CHURCH TRAINING	257
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**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1**

Pork Chops
Rice and Gravy
Tossed Green Salad
Roll and Butter
Dessert
Tea and Coffee
(Hamburger dinner available for
children by reservation only.)

**COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP
AUGUST 22, 1982****BY LETTER:**

132. Robert Galloway,
3525 Chastain Way (03) — 433-6902
From: East Brent Baptist,
Pensacola, Fl.

133. Mrs. Robert Galloway (Vickie),
3525 Chastain Way

ON PROFESSION OF FAITH:

54. Rachel Armstrong,
9530 Scenic Hwy. (04) — 477-1460
55. Lisa Eubanks,
3935 Lynn Ora Dr. (04) — 477-7681
56. Alan Eubanks,
3935 Lynn Ora Dr. (04)
57. Christina Howard,
4690 Voyager Dr. (04) — 476-7635

**DEACONS OF THE WEEK
Beginning August 29**

Roger Yonker	432-4517
Bob Trotter	478-9105
Hiram Smith, Jr.	432-4697
Frank Gibbs	433-4865

SERMON TOPICS

August 29, 1982

10:55 A.M.

“COMMUNICATION:**THE ESSENCE OF THE FAMILY”**

7:15 P.M.

Musical Presentation by

CATHY IRBY

**BUDGET OFFERING
REPORT**

August 22, 1982
Receipts \$ 15,793.10
Weekly Budget Needs..... 20,809.00
Budget Receipts
Year To Date..... 711,749.79
Budget Needs
Year To Date..... 707,506.00

DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND	\$276.50
SPECIALS	79.75

OPPORTUNITIES of the WEEK**SUNDAY, AUGUST 29**

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.—Youth Ensemble
° 5:00 P.M.—Church Training Hour
Youth Choir
Children's Bible Drill

MONDAY, AUGUST 30

° 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.—“Needle” Workshop — CAC
New Life Singers
Growth Group

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31

5:30 P.M.—Ladies' Beginner Aerobics
6:30 P.M.—Youth Bible Study

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

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
° 5:30 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
Sanctuary Choir Officers
° 6:15 P.M.—Bible Study for Adults
High School JOY
College JOY — (S-311)
Graded Choirs
Mission Friends
Middle School Acteens
Royal Ambassadors
G.A.'s
Sunday School Workers
Weekly Meeting
° 6:35 P.M.—Adult Lesson Preview
° 7:00 P.M.—Sanctuary Choir
7:15 P.M.—Boy Scouts — Cellar

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

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

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

° 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out
Ladies' Intermediate Aerobics
12:00 Noon—Men's Exercise — CAC
7:00 P.M.—Sanctuary Choir
° Nursery Provided