



The Baptist Builder

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Brian's Lines

I appreciate the response to the message Sunday morning on comfort in difficult times. Perhaps the reason so many responded so favorably to it is that all of us experience difficulties in life. It is true of our lives individually. It is true of our families. And it is true of our churches. To determine the cause of our difficulties is not as important as to realize that God's promise is to be with us through every experience. It is



His presence, His power, and His purpose that gives us hope. Philippians 4:19 is more than just a pious sounding phrase. It is the eternal promise of God.

WHAT CAN YOU DO TO GET READY . . . for our revival? Let me make some suggestions.

1. Begin to pray every day for Dr. Bill Self as he comes to preach and Chris Watson as she comes to sing.
2. Mark your calendars and make sure you will be able to attend the noon-day and evening services on March 13 - 16.
3. Begin to spread the word about the revival.
4. Make plans to bring individuals to the revival with you.
5. Parents, be sure to have your children at the Self-Starters each night forty-five minutes before the revival service begins.
6. Choir members, make plans to sing in the revival choir. We want these days to be more than services. We want them to be days of genuine revival.

FAMILY NIGHT . . . was a huge success last Friday night. Jay Johnston is doing a good job in planning an expanding recreation ministry. The next family night is planned for March 18. This is a tremendous time to get to know other church members better. The food is excellent. The children enjoy the skating and games. The movie is enjoyable. And some of us usually get a basketball game going. Family night means fun for the family. I hope you will take advantage of it.

PRAYER . . . is at the heart of the new spirit of excitement that has been growing in our church for these last several months. Many of you are faithfully carrying out your commitment to pray twenty minutes a day until Founder's Day which is May 1. If you have slipped away from the commitment, begin again this week. Set aside a time. Make a prayer list. And spend time with the Lord in prayer. Let

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR HOME MISSIONS AND REVIVAL - MARCH 6 - 13

"GOD'S CHALLENGE FOR OUR LAND"



Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

National Goal: \$25,000,000

Our Goal: \$13,500

"Let us not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased."

(Heb. 13:15-16 NIV)

WEEK OF PRAYER ACTIVITIES:

Sunday, March 6:

Week of Prayer for Home Missions Prayer Guide (intended for use in family devotionals) will be distributed in morning service.

Monday, March 7:

*Women of the Church will meet for prayer at 10:00 a.m. in Room S-310.

Tuesday, March 8:

Baptist Women Groups will meet — (See Page 2 for details.)

Wednesday, March 9:

Prayer Meeting (6:15 p.m.) — Acteens will lead the prayer for missionaries with a birthday on that day. (Each person will be given a prayer reminder at the 5:15 p.m. dinner.)

Thursday, March 10:

*Prayer Experience led by Pat Evans at 11:00 a.m. in Room S-112. Bring your favorite salad to share at noon (Room S-108).

Friday, March 11:

Churchwide Prayer Breakfast at 6:30 a.m.

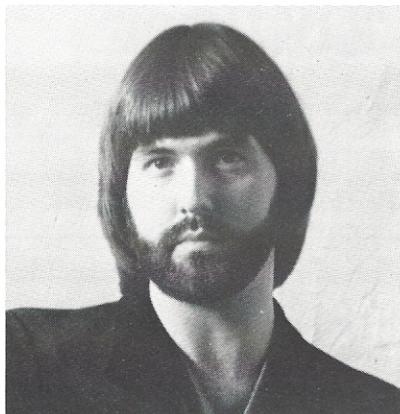
* Nursery provided at church by reservation. Call 433-5631.

me suggest several items to add to your prayer list.

1. The Revival, March 13-16
2. Our search for staff members
3. The Youth Ski Trip March 26 - April 3
4. Our first "Youth Alive!" service on March 13

THIS SUNDAY . . . will be another time

of great worship. I'll be preaching a sermon on Sunday morning that relates to our revival. On Sunday night I will preach a message on Home Missions: "Who Is Annie Armstrong and Why Do We Pay Her So Much Money?" We'll also have a baptism service on Sunday night. Come join us for another exciting day.



WAYNE WATSON

SUPER SUNDAY, MARCH 6

Wayne Watson, a contemporary Christian artist, will sing and speak to our youth during Sunday School. He will also sing in the morning and evening worship service.

THE First Place For Singles

A PRE-REVIVAL GET-TOGETHER

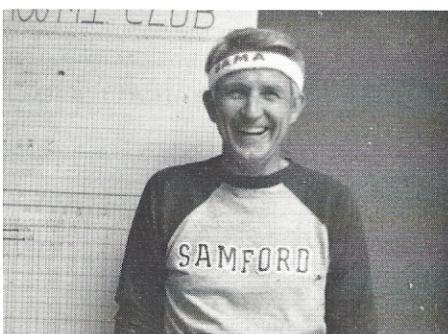
SATURDAY, MARCH 12 — 4:00 P.M.
at the home of Frank and Sandy Young,
2720 Wilde Lake Boulevard

All single adults are encouraged to bring their unchurched or unsaved friends and acquaintances for this time of sharing about our Revival on March 13 - 16. There will be food, fellowship and a great spirit of love. Invite someone today for this special time.

SUNDAY, MARCH 6TH —

9:00 A.M. — Coffee, juice and donuts will be served.

JAY JOHNSTON
Minister of Activities / Singles



RUN IT AGAIN, CHARLIE!

Congratulations to Charles Griffin for becoming our first runner to reach the prestigious 100-mile mark in our CAC 100-Mile Club. Charlie joined the club on January 28 and passed the 100-mile mark on February 28.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary this Sunday are in memory of Tate Bousman and are given by his family.

LADIES' LUNCHEON AND
BIBLE STUDY
TUESDAY, MARCH 8
12:00 Noon
\$2.00

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist

Mrs. Mary Charles Renfroe, Jerry Schroeder, Mrs. Minnie Drown, Mr. Dixie Beggs, Mr. Ben Aultman

Sacred Heart

Mrs. Kathy Merritt, Kimberly Colley, Mrs. Kelly Pope

HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:

Mr. Elbert Gentry, Jr.

SYMPATHY TO:

Mrs. Fay Ralowicz in the death of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper in the death of their daughter.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Cindy Wiginton and Charles Cloud on their marriage February 26.

BAPTIST WOMEN (DAY)

GROUP MEETINGS

Tuesday, March 8

9:30 A.M.—BETTIE TOMLINSON
with Mrs. Aubrey Gomillion
1020 E. Burgess Road

10:00 A.M.—ALTA ALLISON
with Mrs. Roy Ingram
4423 N. 12th Ave.
co/host. Mrs. Robert Jernigan

—RALPH BETHEA
with Mrs. Jack Page
4735 Howe St.
co/host. Mrs. Bill Tolbert

—VIRGINIA COBB
with Mrs. Paul Caro
2020 E. Maxwell St.

—STANLEY DAVIS
with Mrs. G. A. Hartline
at the C.A.C. (Covered Dish)

—LINDA LEECH
with Mrs. W. A. Webb
3820 Molaree Dr.

—DOROTHY MADDOX
with Mrs. Leon Flowers
1333 Cagle Dr. (Cantonment)

—CHARLOTTE OWENS
with Mrs. George Lewis
Hickory Shores

2:00 P.M.—ROSIE BEDSOLE
with Mrs. A. L. Stanton
1500 E. Bobe St.

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BAPTIST WOMEN (NIGHT)

7:00 P.M.—PRAYER

with Miss Sarah Andress
3007 Blackshear

—BIBLE STUDY
with Mrs. Mavis Garrett
1120 E. Brainerd

RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP — FEBRUARY 27, 1983



WESLEY and CINDY DIEHL



BENJI CALDWELL



FELICIA FORTUNE

STAFF ANNIVERSARIES
FOR MARCH

Evie Lee Ellis, Nursery	1963
Millie Tellis, Kitchen	1970
Bill Santo, Minister	1980
Dot Walker, Minister	1981

YOUNG ADULT I / II DEPARTMENT
SNACK BREAKFAST



Bible Study following at 9:45 A.M.

EXTENDED SESSION LEADERS
FOR SUNDAY, MARCH 6

BED BABIES . . .	Mary Wendling
CREEPERS . . .	Tina Trammell
TODDLERS . . .	Sarah Langston Lynne Hamrick
2's	Vickie Galloway Charlotte Edenfield Joy Waters
3's	Karen Good Dale Taylor
4's	Jean Tharp Martha Kent

IN MEMORIAM

CAROL COOPER
Route 8, Box 379

Joined our church by Letter:
June 11, 1972

Deceased: February 24, 1983

REVIVAL MUSIC

The revival music, always special here at First Baptist Church, will be even more special this year. Our own Chris Watson will be with us during the services, sharing her testimony in song. In addition to Chris, Dr. Hinds will be at the organ and Mel Lovette will be at the piano. Look forward to thrilling music each service of the revival, including trios, quartets and ensembles.

REVIVAL CHOIR

The revival choir will rehearse each evening 30 minutes prior to the services. This year we want to invite you to join the revival choir, even though you are not a regular member of the Sanctuary Choir. Let's fill the choir loft each service. If you are a regular member of the Sanctuary Choir, or if you want to join for the time of the revival, plan to attend rehearsal next Wednesday, March 9, at 7:00 in the choir room.

REVIVAL CHOIR MUSIC

MARCH 13 — SUNDAY MORNING — "He Loved Me" — Fettke

SUNDAY EVENING — "Redeemed" — McPheeters

MONDAY EVENING — "Sing Unto the Lord" — Fettke

TUESDAY EVENING — "We Shall Rise" — Fasig — (Sanctuary Choir)
Youth Choir and Youth Ensemble

WEDNESDAY EVENING — "Changed" — Fettke

YOUTH NIGHT

Tuesday night of the revival is Youth Night. In addition to the Sanctuary Choir, our Youth Choir will be singing, along with the High School Ensemble. MARK THIS ON YOUR CALENDAR. We will rehearse 30 minutes prior to the services.

RECREATION News



Softball sign-up time is here! Sign-up in the CAC for high school boys and girls, ladies and men's teams. On Sunday, March 13, following the morning worship service, there will be a meeting for all who wish to play on a team. This meeting is a must for all participants.

FAMILY NIGHT was super with a good attendance and plenty of fun and fellowship. Next Family Night is Friday, March 18th.

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CHURCH OFFICE 433-5631**OFFICE HOURS**

Monday - Friday, 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

CHURCH OFFICERSMr. Danny Kepner, Chairman of Deacons.....433-0956
Dr. Hiram Smith, Jr., S.S. Director.....432-4697
Mr. Frank Rabold, Church Training Director 478-7939
Mrs. Jenna Young, W.M.U. Director.....433-8498
Mrs. Earl Gentry, Director of Library Services 478-1367**SERMON TOPICS**

March 6, 1983

10:55 A.M.

"WHEN REVIVAL COMES"

6:15 P.M.

"WHO IS ANNIE ARMSTRONG
AND WHY DO WE PAY HER
SO MUCH MONEY?"**LAST WEEK****FEBRUARY 21 - 27, 1983**

TOTAL BIBLE STUDY.....1,733
 SUNDAY SCHOOL.....1,316
 Married Adults.....721
 Single Adults.....117
 Youth.....171
 Children.....176
 Preschool.....131
 WEEKDAY BIBLE STUDIES.....417
 CHURCH TRAINING.....210
 WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM.....503
 COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP.....4

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9**

Roast Beef
 Green Beans
 Mashed Potatoes
 Roll and Butter
 Dessert
 Tea and Coffee
 Milk - 25¢

(Hamburger dinner available for
children by reservation only.)**OPPORTUNITIES of the WEEK****SUNDAY, MARCH 6**

9:00 A.M.—Homebound Class
 ° 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School
 ° 10:55 A.M.—Morning Worship
 3:30 P.M.—Children's Bible Study
 4:00 P.M.—Youth Ensemble
 4:45 P.M.—Middle School Ensemble
 ° 5:00 P.M.—Church Training Hour
 Youth Choir
 Children's Bible Drill
 Adult Handbells
 Guitar Class
 Single Adult Choir
 5:15 P.M.—M.S. Church Training
 ° 6:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

MONDAY, MARCH 7

* 9:00 A.M.—"Needle" Workshop — CAC
 Ladies' Intermediate Aerobics
 9:15 A.M.—Prime Time Fitness
 10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
 10:15 A.M.—Ladies' Skating
 12:00 Noon—Men's Exercise
 7:00 P.M.—"Needle" Workshop — CAC
 Adult Ensemble
 Single Adult Bible Study

TUESDAY, MARCH 8

— Baptist Women Group Meetings —
 Listed elsewhere in BUILDER
 9:00 A.M.—Beginner Aerobics
 10:15 A.M.—Ladies' Skating
 12:00 Noon—Adult Piano Lessons
 Ladies' Luncheon
 1:00 P.M.—Voice Class
 3:30 P.M.—Children's Piano Lessons
 5:30 P.M.—Ladies' Beginner Aerobics
 6:30 P.M.—Youth Bible Study

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9

9:00 A.M.—Ladies' Intermediate Aerobics
 10:15 A.M.—Ladies' Skating
 12:00 Noon—Men's Exercise
 4:00 P.M.—Boys Choir
 4:45 P.M.—High School Actees
 Graded Choirs
 Middle School Choir
 ° 5:30 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
 College / YSA Council
 Deacon Selections Com.
 ° 6:15 P.M.—Home Mission Program
 S.S. Weekly Workers Mtg.
 High School JOY
 Growth Group
 Mission Friends
 Middle School Actees
 Royal Ambassadors
 G.A.'s
 ° 6:30 P.M.—Men's Voice Class
 ° 7:00 P.M.—Sanctuary Choir
 7:15 P.M.—Boy Scouts — Cellar
 7:30 P.M.—Single Adult Choir

THURSDAY, MARCH 10

9:00 A.M.—Beginner Aerobics
 9:15 A.M.—Prime Time Fitness

COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP**FEBRUARY 27, 1983****BY LETTER:**

61. Mrs. Wesley Diehl (Cindy),
 1380-A Pinnacle Dr. (04) — 477-7638
 From: Briarlake Baptist, Decatur, Ga.
 62. Felicia Fortune, 711 Underwood Rd.,
 #31-D (04) — 478-5085
 From: Olive Baptist, Pensacola, Fl.

FOR BAPTISM**FROM OTHER DENOMINATION:**

28. Wesley W. Diehl,
 1380-A Pinnacle Dr. (04) — 477-7638
 From: First Presbyterian, Nashville, Tn.

ON PROFESSION OF FAITH:

29. Benjy Caldwell, 2460 Bayou Blvd.

BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

February 27, 1983

Receipts	\$ 20,178.28
Weekly Budget Needs.....	25,840.00
Budget Receipts	
Year To Date.....	181,497.48
Budget Needs	
Year To Date.....	232,560.00

DESIGNATED GIFTS

Building Fund	\$ 215.50
Specials	1,094.00
Japan Mission Project	
Given to Date toward Church's Goal of \$112,000.....	11,594.68

9:30 A.M.—Senior Adults — CAC
 Senior Handbells

10:15 A.M.—Ladies' Skating

* 11:00 A.M.—Prayer Experience
 and Luncheon

12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon

5:30 P.M.—Ladies' Beginning Aerobics

7:30 P.M.—Singles Bible Study

FRIDAY, MARCH 11

6:30 A.M.—Churchwide Prayer Breakfast

* 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out
 Ladies' Intermediate Aerobics

12:00 Noon—Men's Exercise

7:00 P.M.—Mission Choir Rehearsal

SATURDAY, MARCH 12

6:00 P.M.—9th Grade S.S. Social

* Nursery Provided