



# The First Baptist Builder

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*In the Heart of Pensacola . . . With Pensacola on Our Hearts*

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## Brian's Lines

I was overwhelmed by the tremendous crowd at the Bible Study Sunday night. This reveals a deep hunger for the study of God's Word.



We have set the stage with the introductory material. In the next two studies, we look at the book of Psalms itself. Remember that the next session will be January 27 at 5:00. By the way, we

are taping these studies so if you cannot come, or if you miss one of the sessions, you can still get in on it.

PARENT - BABY DEDICATION . . . will be this Sunday morning. We are fortunate to have so many fine young families that are a part of our ministry. Almost every week we celebrate the birth of a new child into our church family. Then, twice a year, we have a special service of dedication where the parents and the child are presented to the church and the parents commit themselves to providing a proper spiritual environment for their children. We provide a picture of the parents with their baby, plus an attractive certificate, as a memento from this day. It is one of my favorite times. We will have the baby dedication service in the 11:00 A.M. worship service.

SUPER SUNDAY . . . is January 20. We will celebrate Super Sunday by having a Super Attendance at Sunday School. Many of you are not at present attending Sunday School. Let me urge you to make a special effort this next Sunday. Your presence is important. And I believe that you will realize that you have really been missing something important. If you do not know where to go for your Sunday School class, just come to the breezeway between the sanctuary building and the children's building. People will be there to greet you and take you to your class.

THIS SUNDAY . . . I will preach a sermon in the morning worship services entitled, "Children Live What They Learn." The evening message will be from Psalm 8 and will be entitled, "A Portrait of Man." I'll see you here for another exciting day.

## THIS SUNDAY IS



- EXCITING FELLOWSHIP
- BIBLE STUDY
- WORSHIP

**Goal: 1,800 in Sunday School at 9:30 A.M.**

**Worship Services at 8:15 and 11:00 A.M.**

## PARENT/BABY DEDICATION

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 20**

**11:00 A.M. Service**



**January Bible Study Continues January 27**

**and February 3.**

## LADIES' LUNCHEON AND BIBLE STUDY

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 22**

**12:00 Noon**

**\$2.00**

# just for Youth

## JANUARY 19 —

“SUPER SATURDAY” for all High School Youth — 10:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.  
(Details in last week's BUILDER.)

## JANUARY 20 —

“SUPER SUNDAY” Youth Rally for all High School and Middle School Youth. Rally will begin at 9:30 A.M. in the gym with juice and donuts. Don't miss this exciting Super Sunday with the singing and comedy of Final Exam.

## FEBRUARY 10 —

Deadline for \$25.00 reservation and information form for the High School Ski Trip to Colorado. The dates are Friday, April 5 - Saturday, April 13. The total cost is \$200.00. Program Personality is John Croyle.

## FEBRUARY 28 - MARCH 3 —

“DISCIPLE NOW” Weekend for all High School and Middle School Youth. The most important youth event ever to take place in our church. Parents, please make sure your young person is a part of this event. More information will be given at a later date.

## MUSIC MINISTRY

*Mike Simoneaux*

LADIES CHORUS THIS SUNDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 20. Ladies of the church are invited to come to the Choir Room at 5:50 to rehearse for the evening worship service.

MEN'S CHORUS NEXT SUNDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 27. Men of the church are invited to come to the Choir Room at 5:50 to rehearse for the evening worship service.

## LEIGH ANN TAYLOR JOINS SOUND OF JOY

Congratulations to Leigh Ann on becoming a member of Sound of Joy, a full-time Christian music group that travels nationwide and to foreign countries singing and sharing their testimonies about our Lord. This will be Leigh Ann's last Sunday with us for quite a while and I have asked her to sing for both morning services. Let's lift her and the group in prayer for the success of their ministry.



## CHURCHWIDE RECREATION

### MONROEVILLE, ALABAMA SHOPPING SPREE

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25 — 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Stops made for Biscuit Breakfast in Atmore and lunch at the “Good - 'N - Plenty”.

Sign-up at the CAC. No charge for transportation.

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## BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

### MEN'S:

MONDAY, JANUARY 21 - 7:30 P.M. — F.B.C. “A” vs Cottage Hill  
8:30 P.M. — F.B.C. “B” vs First Methodist

THURSDAY, JANUARY 24 - 7:30 P.M. — Cottage Hill vs F.B.C. “B”  
8:30 P.M. — Myrtle Grove vs F.B.C. “A”

### 17 AND UNDER:

TUESDAY, JANUARY 22 - 8:00 P.M. — F.B.C. vs Myrtle Grove

### 15 AND UNDER:

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25 - 7:00 P.M. — Heights vs F.B.C.

### 13 AND UNDER:

SATURDAY, JANUARY 26 - 11:30 A.M. — F.B.C. “B” vs Spoken Word  
12:30 P.M. — First United Methodist vs F.B.C. “A”

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

### IN THE HOSPITALS:

#### Baptist

Mrs. Vonceil Cushing, Mr. Clarence Dannelly, Mrs. Barbara Roberts, Mrs. Lola Steele, Miss Elizabeth Niles, Mrs. Edna Mills

#### Specialty Care

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Mrs. Lynn Alford, Mrs. Helen Cary, Gerald Schroeder, Jr., Dr. Monroe Lutrick, Mrs. Coral Halladay, Mrs. Rue Camp, Miss Jackie Badessa, Mrs. Wanda Kilpatrick, Mr. Clarence Whitehurst

#### SYMPATHY TO:

Mrs. Linda White in the death of her Mother.

Mrs. A. E. Taylor in the death of her brother.

#### CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Jeanette Register who received her Bachelor of Music Therapy degree from Florida State University December 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ansley on the birth of a baby boy, David Armstrong, December 19 in Columbus, Mississippi. Proud paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ansley.

## NEEDS OF OUR CHURCH:

- R.A. Leader for seventh grade boys. Call Rob Newbold (438-5161).
- Used eyeglasses to be used on the mission field. Turn them in at the Library.
- Ladies' cotton gloves (any color) and children's clothing, size 2, to be used for costuming for the puppet ministry. Turn them in at the Office.

## EXTENDED SESSION

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 20

8:15 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Carla McClain	Monique McBrayer
Bettie Puckett	Avis Copeland
Mira Siegel	Tammy Williams
Ken Counselman	Judy Leatherwood
Jackie Counselman	Amy Lynn Fryar
Elizabeth Six	Dale Taylor

*Thank you for  
Your Thoughtfulness*

*Words of appreciation have been  
received from:*

Evelyn Cranmer .....Bereavement

## BOOKS! BOOKS! BOOKS!

Search your house for books stamped, “Library — First Baptist Church.” Return all books. NO FINES in January!

## MEMORIAL FLOWERS

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

## BAPTIST WOMEN (NIGHT)

Monday, January 21 — 5:45 P.M.

This is a new night and a new time! Ladies will have their dinner and program in Room S-113. Dinner is \$1.50 and the program will be on "Multi-Family Housing—Apartment Ministries."

## THE VERY NEWEST

The rosebud on the pulpit Sunday was placed there in honor of

MASTER

MICHAEL HOUSTON SPRATLEY  
son of

Mr. and Mrs. Al Spratley  
born November 10, 1984

## MEMORIAL GIFTS

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## SINGLES WINTER RETREAT FOR SINGLES OF ALL AGES

BECKWITH LODGE, FAIRHOPE, ALABAMA

Beginning Friday, February 15 — 9:00 P.M.

Until Sunday, February 17 — 1:00 P.M.

COST: \$42.00 per person, which includes 3 meals on Saturday and 2 meals on Sunday. Deposit of \$20.00 due on registration with Sunday School teacher before February 3.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS: Roseann Coleman and her group "Chosen" will give mini-concerts and lead the devotional on Saturday and Sunday. Melissa Chism will lead the Bible Study on Friday night.

BRING: Bed linens, towels and snack foods.

## FBC PRAYER MINISTRY

*"The Lord will perfect that which concerneth me: thy mercy, O Lord, endureth forever: forsake not the works of thine own hands."* Psalm 138:8

Much is spoken and written about stress and anxiety in our modern culture. We experience times when frustration and negative circumstances seem to abound. What does God promise us about people, things, and situations that concern us? David shares a beautiful promise in Psalm 138.

He begins the song with emphasis on praise to and worship of God. In the third verse he testifies that God has strengthened him when he "cried" for help. In the sixth verse he implies that God blesses us when we are humble (lowly) but is "afar off" when we are filled with pride and arrogance. David has experienced God's reviving power and stretched forth hand before enemies (v. 7).

Finally, in the eighth verse we have the ultimate promise about God's power to enable us to deal with all our concerns. We should commit to memory this verse and claim it when we are tempted to think that we, under our own power, can work out all the details of our lives. David said, "The Lord will perfect that which concerneth me. . . ." Robert Burns, famous Scottish poet, wrote, "The best made plans of mice and men often go awry," but he was not speaking of God's perfect plans.



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Discipleship Training for Leaders

Coming Soon!

A discipleship program which will help you to follow Jesus, to learn to do all the things He has instructed His followers to do and to help others become disciples. Discover the joy of serving Christ as His disciple.

There will be an informational supper meeting in Room S-108 on Wednesday, January 30, at 5:15. If you have any questions, please contact Eddie Benton.

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should be in the office, in writing, not  
later than 10:00 a.m. Mondays.

## Last Week

JANUARY 7 - 13, 1985

SUNDAY SCHOOL	1,454
Married Adults	752
Single Adults	167
Youth	193
Children	183
Preschool	159
CHURCH TRAINING	150
(January Bible Study)	
WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM	618
COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP	-

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23

Please come to  
DINNER

Baked Meatloaf  
Tomato  
or Brown Gravy  
Mashed Potatoes  
Steamed Cabbage or Slaw  
Cornbread or Dinner Roll  
Dessert  
Coffee or Tea  
Milk - 25¢



## OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, JANUARY 20

- \* 8:15 A.M.—Morning Worship
- 8:30 - 11:00 A.M.—Library Open
- 9:00 A.M.—Telephone Class
- \* 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School
- \* 11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship
- 3:00 P.M.—Children's Bible Study
- 3:30 P.M.—Puppet Practice
- 4:00 P.M.—Prayer Meeting
- High School Ensemble
- 4:30 - 6:00 P.M.—Library Open
- \* 5:00 P.M.—Church Training
- High School Choir
- Children's Bible Drill
- Adult Handbells
- \* 6:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

MONDAY, JANUARY 21

- \* 9:00 A.M.—“Needle” Workshop
- Ladies' Aerobics
- 10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
- 12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
- 5:00 P.M.—Finance Meeting
- 5:45 P.M.—Baptist Women (Night)
- 6:00 P.M.—Deacon Dinner / Meeting
- 7:00 P.M.—“Needle” Workshop

TUESDAY, JANUARY 22

- \* 9:00 A.M.—Young Baptist Women
- Jazzercise
- 9:00 - 12:00 A.M.—Library Open
- 12:00 Noon—Ladies' Luncheon
- 12:30 P.M.—Leisure Timers Choir
- 6:30 P.M.—H.S. Discipleship Class
- 7:00 P.M.—Baptist Young Women

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23

- 9:00 A.M.—Ladies' Aerobics
- 12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
- 4:30 - 7:15 P.M.—Library Open
- \* 4:45 P.M.—High School Actees
- Graded Choirs
- Middle School Choir
- \* 5:15 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
- Sunday School Council
- Ladies' Discipleship Class
- 6:00 P.M.—Chapel Singers
- \* 6:15 P.M.—Bible Study for Adults
- S.S. Weekly Workers Mtg.
- High School JOY
- College / Singles JOY
- Mission Friends
- Middle School Actees
- Royal Ambassadors
- G.A.'s
- \* 7:00 P.M.—Sanctuary Choir
- 7:15 P.M.—Boy Scouts
- H.S. Discipleship Class

THURSDAY, JANUARY 24

- \* 9:00 A.M.—Jazzercise
- 9:00 - 12:00 A.M.—Library Open
- 9:30 A.M.—Senior Adults
- 12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon

## MOVING?

Please print your new address and phone  
number and drop the completed form into  
the offering plate or mail to the church.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

## DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND	\$ 381.77
SPECIALS	1,687.00

## MISSION GIFTS

### LOTTIE MOON

GOAL	\$76,000
GIVEN TO DATE	\$58,538

## SERMON TOPICS

January 20, 1985

8:15 and 11:00 A.M.

“CHILDREN LIVE WHAT THEY  
LEARN”

6:15 P.M.

“A PORTRAIT OF MAN”  
(Psalm 8)

## BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

January 13, 1985

Receipts	\$21,564.96
Weekly Budget Needs	29,501.00
Budget Receipts	
Year To Date	49,791.15
Budget Needs	
Year To Date	59,002.00

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25

- 8:00 A.M.—Monroeville Trip
- \* 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out
- Ladies' Aerobics

12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise

SATURDAY, JANUARY 26

- \* 9:00 A.M.—Jazzercise
- Nursery Provided