



# The First Baptist Builder

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North Palafox at Jackson Street

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

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## Brian's Lines



Easter Sunday morning was a beautiful day, and a great time of worship at First Baptist. We had 2,088 in the two morning worship services. I hope you were here as we celebrated together the resurrected Lord.

THE CHOIR . . . did a fantastic job Sunday night with the Easter presentation. I believe it is the finest they have ever done. A special word of thanks to Mike, Lynne, the soloists, Chuck Horn and Rick Gill, and all of the members of the choir. It really did make Easter Sunday special at First Baptist Church.

PAUL CARO . . . was one of our finest leaders at First Baptist Church, and we have missed him since the Lord called him home. In the April issue of *The Deacon* magazine there is a feature on Paul Caro. Copies are available in the library for you to see if you are interested. HAPPY FIFTIETH . . . to Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis who celebrate this week their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

WE HAVE THE SPECIAL PRIVILEGE . . . of hosting the Invitation to Life Rally on May 9. Dr. John Bisagno and Larry Black will be here to lead in that night of evangelism. The Radio and Television Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention is sponsoring these events to introduce John and Larry as the speakers on their Invitation to Life program. But the primary purpose of the evening is to proclaim the Gospel in such a way that individuals will be brought to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ. Begin praying for this event now. We'll give you more details soon.

I HAD HOPED . . . to have a gigantic outdoor service on the parking lot for our Founder's Day this year. However, we have not been able to work out the logistics. Perhaps we can plan this for next year. We will again have our Founder's Day Breakfast, and in both morning worship services we will recognize those who have contributed significantly to our past. The first Sunday in May is a day when you will want to be in attendance.

THIS SUNDAY MORNING . . . I will continue my series on Romans with a sermon entitled "A Declaration of Interdependence" from Romans 1:8-15. Sunday night, the young people will be back from their trip to lead us in the Colorado Review. I'll see you here for another exciting day.



## CHURCH PICNIC

**SUNDAY, APRIL 21 - BAYVIEW PARK**  
**1:30 - 6:00 P.M.**

### PLANNED ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES

**Children's Games, Cake Baking Contest,  
Volleyball Tournament for Sunday School Classes,  
and Tennis Tournament.**

**1:45 - GAMES BEGIN**

**4:00 - PICNIC SUPPER**

(\$2.00 each — Tickets available at the CAC)

MENU: Fried Chicken, Potato Salad,  
Baked Beans, Homemade Cake

**5:30 - VESPER SERVICE BY THE WATER**

### ATTENTION, ALL YOUTH WORKERS AND STAFF MEMBERS

## YOUTH AND RECREATION SEMINAR

**April 19 - 20 — First Baptist Church (CAC)**

**FRIDAY, APRIL 19:**

6:30 P.M. — KICK-OFF DINNER  
7:45 P.M. — FIRST SESSION

**SATURDAY, APRIL 20:**

9:30 A.M. - 1:30 P.M. — SESSIONS

**COST:** \$25.00, which includes Friday night dinner, notebook, conferences, and lunch Saturday.

**REGISTRATION:** Call or write the Pensacola Bay Baptist Association Office, 260 West Jordan Street, Pensacola, Florida 32501.

**CONFERENCE LEADERS:** Dr. Jim Minton, Professor of Youth at New Orleans Seminary; and Joe Palmer, Recreation Consultant at Baptist Sunday School Board.



## EASTER LILIES

We gratefully acknowledge the gifts of lovely lilies in our Sanctuary on Easter Sunday and the love and honor you expressed through these flowers we joyfully pass on to our Risen Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

### IN MEMORY OF:

MR. RONALD BELL  
By Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bell  
JOHN I. BERRY  
By Mrs. John I. Berry  
JAN BOGICH  
By Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bogich  
MR. WILEY BROCK  
By Gray and Velma B. Waldorff  
ELVA BROOKS  
By Myrlin Brooks and Family  
MR. and MRS. A. J. BUTLER  
By Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Butler  
A. W. BUTTS, JR.  
By Leone L. Butts  
MR. PAUL W. CARO  
By Mrs. Paul W. Caro  
RAY CARTER  
By Heidi and Eric Hurst  
JOHN FREDERICK COKER  
By Dr. and Mrs. John Coker and  
Lee Ann  
ELOISE CROCKER  
By Bobby Crocker  
J. NIXON DANIEL, JR.  
By Mrs. J. Nixon Daniel, Jr.  
ANDREW F. DOWNEY  
By Mrs. A. F. Downey  
LETHA FILLINGIM  
By Mr. and Mrs. Jack O. Harless  
STEPHEN L. & JANIE W. FULCHUM  
By Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Bales  
LOYD M. GATLIN  
By Mrs. L. M. Gatlin  
MR. and MRS. R. E. GOWING  
By Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Gowing, Jr.  
WYMAN HAMRICK  
By Dr. Jim Graves  
JOHN T. HATCHER  
By Robert E. Hatcher  
ROBERT LEE HATCHER  
By Robert E. Hatcher  
R. L. HENDERSON  
By Dr. and Mrs. Andrew J. McCreary  
MISS MEGAN HUDSPETH  
By Mr. and Mrs. Barry Hudspeth and  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Malone  
CARROLL HUGHES  
By Joy and Paul Hughes  
The Anderson's  
CLIFF JACKSON, SR.  
By Nelle Jackson and Cliff, Jr.  
MR. BENNIE JOHNS, JR.  
By Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bell  
SAM T. JORDAN  
By Tim and Sue Jordan and Family  
STEVE JORDAN  
By Tim and Sue Jordan and Family

### IN MEMORY OF:

HENRY T. LENZ  
Mr./Mrs. Josephine (Lenz) Royals  
WILLIAM G. LEWIS, SR.  
By Edward Lewis  
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MRS. CLAUDIA E. SMITH  
By Mrs. V. A. Pierce  
RUSSELL SMITH  
By Mrs. Russell Smith and Family  
SANDRA SPERRY  
By Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Estes  
T. D. TURMAN  
By Mary Jo and George F. Scarborough  
HARRIS M. WARREN  
By Lynne Lauderdale-Hinds  
and Nathaniel  
MISS GLADYS WINDSOR  
By Mrs. H. C. Dove

### IN HONOR OF:

FRANCES ALIBERTI  
By David and Virginia O'Neal  
MR. and MRS. ERNEST L. BARRINEAU  
By Britton and Bradley Gowing  
MR. and MRS. WILLIAM LEONARD  
GRAY AND FAMILY  
By Bob Gray  
MR. and MRS. WILLIAM E. JACKSON  
By Mr. and Mrs. William F. Jackson  
MARY W. LAUDERDALE  
By Lynne Lauderdale-Hinds  
and Nathaniel  
MRS. JUANITA TOMBLIN  
By Mrs. L. M. Gatlin  
MRS. T. D. TURMAN  
By Mary Jo & George F. Scarborough  
DR. BOB WILSON and FAMILY  
By the Anderson's

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

### IN THE HOSPITALS:

*Baptist*  
Mrs. Karen Good  
*Specialty Care*  
Mary Charles Renfroe  
*Sacred Heart*  
Mrs. Nannie Ruth Thompson  
*West Florida*  
Mrs. Edna Highsmith  
*Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, Wash.*  
Mr. David Sjoberg

### HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:

Mrs. Lynne Finigan, Mr. James Davis,  
Mrs. Jean Copeland, Mr. Lee Hardy,  
Mrs. Coral Holladay

### SYMPATHY TO:

Mrs. Shirley Callaway in the death of  
her Father.  
Mrs. Lucy Gray in the death of her  
Mother.  
Mr. Bill Martin in the death of his Mother.

### CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Nancy Witkiewicz and Tommy McVoy  
on their marriage April 6.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis who will be  
celebrating their fiftieth wedding anni-  
versary April 13.

## HIGH SCHOOL JOY

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17 — 6:15 P.M.

"LIVE, LAUGH, LOVE"

Film Series by Josh McDowell.

Film of the Week: "The Secret of Loving"  
Examines pitfalls, misconceptions,  
and solutions.

## LEISURE TIMERS PICNIC

### TUESDAY, APRIL 16 — 10:30 A.M.

At Dora and Freddie Stark's

440 Creary Street

Bring a Covered Dish and a Serving Spoon.  
If you wish to ride the bus, meet at the  
church at 9:45. In case of rain, the picnic  
and fellowship will take place at the C.A.C.



## WELCOME BACK, RYAN

Even though Ryan was in a body cast, she  
came to Easter Sunday School, thanks to  
Mom and Dad (Jack and Molly Nobles),  
via a big red wagon.

RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP — APRIL 7, 1985



Ensign/Mrs. Anthony J. (Lisa) Cox



Mr./Mrs. Howard (Lavone) Hinesley



Mr. John Overstreet



Ms. Donna F. Peck



Dr. Richard L. McGougan



Mr. J. Michael Harwell

### VISITOR PARKING

Regular church attendees will recognize the recent installation of "Visitor Parking Only" signs in the parking lot just north of the Sanctuary.

Please cooperate with the plan of holding these spots for visitors on *Sunday mornings*. For all other activities, these will continue to be for general parking.



### SILVER SERVICE DONATED TO THE CHURCH

An anonymous donor has just given a beautiful five-piece silver service to the church! It is intended that this silver be used for church social functions and is also available for church members to use for wedding receptions.

### THE VERY NEWEST

The rosebud on the pulpit Sunday was placed there in honor of  
MASTER BRIAN ASHLEY PUCKETT  
son of

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Puckett  
born March 29, 1985

### SENIOR ADULT TRIP TO WALT DISNEY'S KINGDOM ON ICE

The 70 persons who have paid for tickets to the ice show April 20th, plan to meet at the C.A.C. at 11:00 A.M. to board the bus and vans. The performance starts at 12:00 Noon.

### MUSIC MINISTRY

#### Mike Simoneaux

Special thanks to every individual who participated in the Easter Cantata last Sunday night, including those who came to listen — your support in attendance impels the choir, instrumentalists — each of us — to do our very best. "Thank you" from the Music Ministry.

Sanctuary Choir members — some of you were unable to sing with us Easter Sunday night, therefore, you have not been in rehearsal these last few weeks as we concentrated on the Easter Cantata. I expect to see everyone back in their places April 17th at 7:00 P.M. We have several new anthems on which to begin working and you need to be here.

The Middle School Choir will present a special program on Sunday night, May 12. They are hard at work now with special rehearsals. May 3 and 4 they will have a retreat at Camp Ada for the purpose of concentrating on the musical.

The Graded Choirs will also present a special program on Sunday night, May 19. The combined choirs have been working on their music for several weeks and are excited about "AmazinGrace."

SANCTUARY CHOIR, see you at the super choir party this Saturday night, beginning at 5:30 in the Social Room at Azalea Trace. It's bound to be a fun evening!

*Captain and Mrs. Robert Miller  
request the honour of your presence  
at the marriage of their daughter*

*Suzanne  
to*

*Doctor Edward Lee Amos  
on Saturday, the twentieth of April  
nineteen hundred and eighty-five  
at six o'clock in the evening*

*First Baptist Church  
500 Palafox Street  
Pensacola, Florida*

**IN MEMORIAM**  
MRS. VIVIAN D. McGEACHY  
5203 North Ninth Avenue  
Pensacola, Fl. 32504  
Joined our church by letter  
on August 30, 1970  
Deceased: April 7, 1985



### EXTENDED SESSION TEACHERS

SUNDAY, APRIL 14

8:15 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Janet Scruggs	Tama Andrews
Virginia O'Neal	Janet Brewster
Emily Dobson	Renee Cordes
Ann Milroy	Helen Moore
Diane Norris	Sonya Tignor
Linda Griffin	Ebbie Roberts

### MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary this Sunday are in memory of Earl and Myrtle Buchanan and are given by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Buchanan.

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### CHURCH OFFICERS

Mr. Joe Napier, Chairman of Deacons..... 434-7828  
Dr. Hiram Smith, Jr., S.S. Director..... 432-4697  
Jenna Young, W.M.U. Director..... 433-8498  
Mildred Gentry, Director of Library Services 478-1367

### BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

April 7, 1985

Receipts .....	\$ 40,357.96
Weekly Budget Needs.....	29,622.00
Budget Receipts	
Year To Date.....	381,411.41
Budget Needs	
Year To Date.....	414,708.00

### SERMON TOPICS

April 14, 1985

8:15 and 11:00 A.M.

"A DECLARATION  
OF INTERDEPENDENCE"

(Romans 1:8-15)

6:15 P.M.

COLORADO REVIEW

## Last Week

APRIL 1 - 7, 1985

SUNDAY SCHOOL .....	1,572
Married Adults .....	770
Single Adults .....	216
Youth .....	195
Children .....	204
Preschool .....	187
WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM....	649
COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP .....	8

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

Please come to  
DINNER

Spaghetti with  
Homemade Meat Sauce  
or  
Salisbury Steak  
with Rice and Gravy  
Cole Slaw  
Dinner Roll  
Dessert  
Tea and Coffee  
Milk - 25¢



### OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, APRIL 14

- \* 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
- MasterLife
- High School Ensemble
- 4:45 P.M.—High School Choir
- 5:00 P.M.—Children's Bible Drill
- Middle School JOY
- Adult Handbells
- Discipleship Training
- \* 6:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

MONDAY, APRIL 15

- \* 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 Committee
- 5:45 P.M.—Night Baptist Women
- 6:00 P.M.—Deacon Dinner and Meeting
- 6:30 P.M.—H.S. Discipleship Class
- 7:00 P.M.—Adult Ensemble
- "Needle" Workshop

TUESDAY, APRIL 16

- \* 9:00 A.M.—Jazzercise
- Young Baptist Women
- 9:00 - 12:00 A.M.—Library Open
- 10:30 A.M.—Leisure Timers
- 12:30 P.M.—Leisure Timers Choir
- 7:30 P.M.—Baptist Young Women
- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17
- 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 Acteens
- Graded Choirs
- Middle School Choir
- \* 5:15 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
- Missions Committee
- \* 6:00 P.M.—Chapel Singers
- \* 6:15 P.M.—Bible Study for Adults
- S.S. Weekly Workers Mtg.
- High School JOY
- Mission Friends
- Middle School Acteens
- Royal Ambassadors
- G.A.'s

7:00 P.M.—Sanctuary Choir  
7:15 P.M.—Boy Scouts  
H.S. Discipleship Class

THURSDAY, APRIL 18

- \* 9:00 A.M.—Jazzercise
- 9:00 - 12:00 A.M.—Library Open
- 9:30 A.M.—Senior Adults
- 11:30 A.M.—Association Education Committee
- 12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon
- FRIDAY, APRIL 19
- \* 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out
- Ladies' Aerobics

### COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP APRIL 7, 1985

#### BY LETTER:

74. Mr. J. Michael Harwell  
3331 Summit Blvd., #174  
Pensacola, Fl. 32503 - 432-8326  
From: York Baptist Church, York, Al.

75. Dr. Richard L. McGougan  
3175 King Street  
Pensacola, Fl. 32506 - 455-7592  
From: Warrington Baptist, Pensacola

76. Ms. Donna F. Peck  
3139 Cedarwild Vlg. Ln.  
Pensacola, Fl. 32514 - 476-2846  
From: FBC, Merritt Island, Fl.

77. Ensign Anthony J. Cox  
688-B South 72nd Avenue  
Pensacola, Fl. 32506 - 455-9522  
From: Victor Baptist Ch., Greer, S.C.

78. Mrs. Lisa Cox  
(Same as above)  
From: First Baptist Ch., Hickory, N.C.

79. Mr. John Overstreet  
4413 Florelle Way  
Pensacola, Fl. 32505 - 438-9559  
From: Lakeview Baptist, Pensacola

80. Mr. Howard Hinesley  
4623 Calle Arenoso  
Pensacola, Fl. 32514 - 478-4842  
From: FBC, Brookhaven, MS.

81. Mrs. Lavone Hinesley  
(Same as above)  
From: FBC, Brookhaven, MS.

PROFESSION OF FAITH BUT NOT  
FOR CHURCH MEMBERSHIP:  
Miss Tonyao Dunbar  
2243 Hill Street  
Alexandria, La. 71301 - 318-443-1755

BAPTIZED:  
Brian Hicks, Jeff Baker, Katie Williamson,  
Eric Burns, Carrie Camp, Brantlee Thread-  
gill, Traci Taylor, Jack Filek, Andrew  
Kent, Jessica Kent

### MISSION GIFTS

#### ANNIE ARMSTRONG

GOAL .....	\$18,500.00
GIVEN TO DATE .....	\$17,437.00

### DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND .....	\$684.50
SPECIALS .....	400.00

9:15 A.M.—Ladies' Bible Study  
12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise  
6:30 P.M.—Association Youth Seminar

SATURDAY, APRIL 20

- \* 9:00 A.M.—Jazzercise
- 9:30 A.M.—Association Youth Seminar
- 4:00 P.M.—Middle School Hayride
- \* Nursery Provided