



The First Baptist Builder

North Palafox at Jackson Street

IN OUR 139TH YEAR OF WORSHIP

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UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS

JULY 14 - 18 —

Our FBC Youth will be holding Backyard Bible Clubs around the Pensacola Area. We hope to hold 8 to 10 clubs. Be much in prayer for our youth as they reach out in this way.

JULY 21 - 26 —

High School Youth to Centrifuge in Greenville, South Carolina. Total payment of \$150.00 is due by Sunday, July 20. We will leave promptly at 6:00 A.M. on Monday morning and will return on Saturday evening around 7:30 P.M.

JULY 28 - 31 —

Middle School TABS (TeenAge Bible Study).

JULY 28 —

6:30 - 9:00 — Cookout and Bible Study at FBC. Cost \$1.00.

JULY 29 —

Bible Study and Gulf Breeze "Wild Water Kingdom." Cost \$3.50.

JULY 30 —

6:15 — Special Film, "Wait of the World." No Charge.

JULY 31 —

5:30 - 9:00 — Picnic and Bible Study at the Beach. No Charge.

FBC PRAYER MINISTRY

"Hear my cry, O God; attend unto my prayer. From the end of the earth will I cry unto thee, when my heart is overwhelmed: lead me to the rock that is higher than I. For thou hast been a shelter for me, and a strong tower from the enemy. I will abide in thy tabernacle for ever: I will trust in the covert of thy wings." (Psalm 61:1-4)

Life may seem overwhelming at times. Conflicts, disappointments, griefs, wounds, illness, lack of self-esteem — all of us are plagued with these at one time or another.

David trusted One greater than himself, the Lord above, when he felt overwhelmed by life's uncertainties. The "rock that is higher than I" is obviously a point of strength and power found in reliance upon our Father and His Son Jesus Christ. The "shelter," "strong tower," "tabernacle," and "covert of thy wings" also are representative of calm, reassuring strength. As we comfort others and draw sustenance from the Bible for ourselves, let's remember David's prayer example.

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY

We will travel to Fort Pickens for a tour on Friday, July 18th. Please bring your lunch and a drink.

LEISURE TIMERS MEET

TUESDAY, JULY 15

Speaker:

MRS. TARRI COOPER
Baptist Hospital Social Services
Chairman

10:00 A.M. — MEETING
11:30 A.M. — LUNCH

Please make a special effort to come as this is vacation time and our group will be smaller.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Mike Simoneaux

1980 - 85 HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR
REUNION and FELLOWSHIP
SUNDAY, JULY 20
D O N ' T M I S S I T !

REV. BAILEY ELECTED TO SBREA POST

Rev. Elmer F. Bailey, former associate pastor of Bellevue, was elected chairman of the executive board of the Southern Baptist Religious Education Association at the recent meeting of SBREA, which met prior to the Southern Baptist Convention. The executive board is composed of past presidents of SBREA and the current officers of the organization.

Rev. Bailey served as president of SBREA in 1977.

BEGINNING SUNDAY EVENING

JULY 13

POTENTIAL S.S. LEADERSHIP COURSE
12 Exciting Sunday Evenings
6:00 P.M.
ELMER F. BAILEY, TEACHING
Course will be taught in Dining Room Area

RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP
JULY 6, 1986



MR. WARNER CECIL BAUGHMAN



MR. JEREMY BAKER



MR. LOUIS BUTLER



MR. JONATHAN WADE BRYAN



MR. NED FLANDERS



MR. JEREMY RICHARD GOSSMAN

BLESSERCISE

9:30 A.M. MONDAY & WEDNESDAY
CAC — \$1.00 PER CLASS
ONE-HOUR AEROBIC WORKOUT
NURSERY PROVIDED

**PROCEDURE FOR NOMINATING DEACONS
1986**

The committee for the Nomination of Deacons requests that every member of the church suggest men who should be considered by the committee for nomination as deacons. You may suggest as many as you think qualify.

These suggestions must reach the committee before Wednesday, July 16. They may be given to any member of the committee, mailed to the church office in care of the committee or dropped in the offering plate. Suggestions are to be submitted only by members of the First Baptist Church, and therefore must be signed to be accepted.

Your committee, selected for the purpose of recommending to the church the best qualified persons, requests that you read the Scripture passages below and suggest the names of as many men as you believe to be qualified to serve as deacons. According to the policy of the church, inactive deacons will not be placed on the ballot unless suggested by one or more members of the church.

SELECTION OF FIRST DEACONS

“And in those days, when the number of disciples was multiplied, there arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministrations. Then the twelve called the multitude of the disciples unto them, and said, ‘It is not reason that we should leave the word of God, and serve tables. Wherefore, brethren, look ye out among you seven men of honest report, full of the Holy Ghost and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business. But we will give ourselves continually to prayer, and to the ministry of the word.’” (Acts 6: 1-4, KJV)

THE CHARACTER AND QUALIFICATIONS OF ALL DEACONS

“Likewise must the deacons be grave, not double-tongued, not given to much wine, not greedy or filthy lucre; Holding the mystery of the faith in a pure conscience. And let these also first be proved; then let them use the office of a deacon, being found blameless. Even so must their wives be grave, not slanderers, sober, faithful in all things. Let the deacons be the husbands of one wife, ruling their children and their own houses well. For they that have used the office of a deacon well purchase to themselves a good degree, and great boldness in the faith which is in Christ Jesus.” (I Timothy 3:8-13, KJV)

We urge you to be much in prayer that we as a church may know God’s will in this all-important task.

The vote by the church membership on the nominations recommended by the committee will be announced later.

DEACONS NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Joe Ladner - Chairman
Doug Andrews - Vice-Chairman
T.H. Blackmon

Don Jacobs
Robert Salter
Ray Young

ELECTION INFORMATION FOR 1986

The following men are now serving on the active Board of Deacons:

TERM ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1987

Joe Brookins	Danny Kepner
Charles Burns	Billy Merritt
Charles Clevenger	Robert Trotter
Gerald Garrett	Darriel White
Frank Gibbs	Ray Young
Aubrey Gomillion	
Jim Hinson	

TERM ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1988

Dave Andrews	Joe Ladner
Doug Andrews	Bill Morrison, Jr.
T.H. Blackmon	Jack Overman
Ed Daniel	Ray Pope
Nix Daniel	Frank Rabold
Ed Holland	Andy Trammell
Ed Holt	Rod Williamson

DEACONS EMERITUS

J. Claude Adkison	Sidney Kennedy, Jr.
Walter Armistead	G.R. McDonald
O.F. Aultman	David Raley
Ernest Barrineau	Milton Richardson
E. Dixie Beggs	Emory Rogers
Myrlin Brooks	Tom Wash
Judson Gillespie	Roger Yonker
Theron A. Guthrie	

The following men who retire this year will not be eligible for nomination for a period of one year:

James Callaway	Don Jacobs
Lester Ennis	William L. Lee, Jr.
Rick Gill	Charles H. Overman, Jr.
Charles Griffin	Robert Salter
Jim Hicks	Sandy Sansing
Larry Hicks	Rodney Taylor
Robert Hinson	

FORM TO BE USED IN SUBMITTING SUGGESTIONS

I suggest to the Nominating Committee that the following men be considered as nominees for Deacons:

NAME_____

NAME_____

NAME_____

NAME_____

Recommended by:_____

Signature

NOTE: Church members may suggest as many names as they wish, but each person should be contacted prior to submitting his name. This form must be signed to be accepted.

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SUNDAY, JULY 13,

SERMON TITLES

EDDIE BENTON, Preaching

10:30 A.M.

"Overcoming the Test
of Triumphs"

Genesis 41

7:15 P.M.

"Overcoming the Test of Trials"

Genesis 40:1-23

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITAL:

BAPTIST

452	Willard Young (Father of Ray Young)
407	Luther Arant (Father of Pat Green)
414	Harold C. Stokes
463	Josephine Royals
485	Alma Hendricks
340	Liz Petkis
217	Gladys Mae Langford
218	Letcher Lamkin

SACRED HEART

507	Miss Virginia Ruth Mabry
411	Ralph Thompson
516	Suzanne Haines

SPECIALTY CARE

1216 Mary Charles Renfroe

WEST FLORIDA

557-A Anna Rue Camp
Miss Sarah Andress

HUMANA HOSPITAL, Ft. Walton, FL

ICU	Doug Jones (Injured in a military parachute jump)
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GOOD SAMARITAN, Baltimore, MD
John Ralowicz

A NOTE OF THANKS

A note of thanks to "my church family" has been received from Margaret Chapman expressing heartfelt thanks for all the thoughtful expressions of love and prayers which gave her calmness, peace, and assurance of God's love during her recent illness.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary on Sunday, July 13, are in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Moore, given by her family.

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OFFICE HOURS

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

CHURCH OFFICERS

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Patty Taylor, Pianist

All material to be included in the Builder
should be in the office, typed, not later
than 10:00 a.m. Monday.

Last Week

JUNE 30 - JULY 6, 1986

SUNDAY SCHOOL1,027
Married Adults523
Single Adults115
Youth150
Children106
Preschool109
COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP 1

MENU

WEDNESDAY, JULY 16

Spaghetti
with Homemade Meat Sauce
- OR -
Baked Ham with Baked Potato
Tossed Salad
Dessert
Coffee / Tea

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, JULY 13

8:30 - 10:30 A.M.—Library Open
8:45 A.M.—Telephone Class
* 9:00 A.M.—Sunday School
* 10:30 A.M.—Morning Worship
3:00 P.M.—Children's Bible Study
4:00 P.M.—Prayer Meeting
High School Ensemble
4:30 - 6:15 P.M.—Library Open
5:00 P.M.—Middle School JOY
6:00 P.M.—High School Choir
Basic Sunday School
Leadership Training Course
* 7:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

MONDAY, JULY 14

* 8:30 - 9:30 A.M.—Aerolife Proaerobic
Workout
* 9:00 A.M.—"Needle" Workshop
9:00 - 11:30 A.M.—Backyard Bible Clubs
9:30 A.M.—Blessercise
10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
5:30 - 6:30 P.M.—Evening Aerobics
6:30 P.M.—H.S. Discipleship Class
7:00 P.M.—Adult Ensemble
"Needle" Workshop
7:00 P.M.—Singles Adult 1 Bible Study

TUESDAY, JULY 15

9:00 - 11:30 A.M.—Backyard Bible Clubs
9:00 A.M. - Noon—Library Open
10:00 A.M.—Leisure Timers
5:30 - 6:30 P.M.—Evening Aerobics

WEDNESDAY, JULY 16

* 8:30 - 9:30 A.M.—Aerolife Proaerobic
Workout
9:00 - 11:30 A.M.—BYBC
9:30 A.M.—Blessercise
12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
4:30 - 7:15 P.M.—Library Open
* 4:45 P.M.—High School Acteens
* 5:15 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
Median Adult 1
Recreation Committee
Mission Committee
Men's Ministry Group
5:30 P.M.—Finance Committee
* 6:00 P.M.—Chapel Singers
Singles 1 — Room S-312
S.S. Weekly Workers Mtg.
High School JOY
Mission Friends
Middle School Acteens
R.A.'s
G.A.'s
Middle School JOY
* 7:00 P.M.—Sanctuary Choir
7:15 P.M.—Boy Scouts
H.S. Discipleship Class

THURSDAY, JULY 17

9:00 A.M. - Noon—Library Open
9:00 - 11:30 A.M.—Backyard Bible Clubs
12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon
5:30 - 6:30 P.M.—Evening Aerobics

COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP

JULY 6, 1986

BY LETTER:

Mr. Warner Cecil Baughman
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From: Gate City Baptist,
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Doug Guernsey, Jonathan Entrekin,
D. A. Trippe, Karen Fairchild, Patrick
Jennings, David Nolen, Todd Vinson,
Kaye Robinson, Patrick Nolen, Judi
Curington, Tracy Thomsen, Kelly Cushing,
Kristin Hosner, Shelly Flowers,
Cate Jennings

BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

July 6, 1986

Receipts	\$ 31,604.84
Weekly Budget Needs.....	30,769.00
Budget Receipts	
Year to Date.....	740,273.31
Budget Needs	
Year to Date.....	830,763.00

FRIDAY, JULY 18

* 8:30 - 9:30 A.M.—Aerolife Proaerobic
Workout
* 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out
9:00 A.M.—Children's Activity:
Fort Pickens
12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
7:00 P.M.—Adult Ensemble
* Nursery Open
** Nursery by Reservation Only