



The First Baptist Builder

Cecil W. Seagle, Pastor
North Palafox at Jackson Street
IN OUR 141ST YEAR OF WORSHIP

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No. 14

JOSH McDOWELL'S



CAMPAIGN

NO!

THE POSITIVE ANSWER

HOW TO HELP
YOUR CHILD SAY **"NO"** TO SEXUAL
PRESSURE

NO! THE POSITIVE ANSWER is a four-session video study course led by Eddie Benton which is designed to help your young person reject premature sexual involvement as a counterfeit of the relationship God intends to develop within the commitment of marriage. The first High School session will be April 13th on the topic "Sex Is Worth Protecting."

The Middle School study will begin at a later date.

CONTINUES....for the adults on Sunday, April 10th with "How To Equip Your Child With Reasons To Wait."



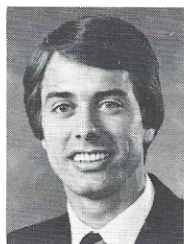
13 AND UNDER BASKETBALL TEAM

First Baptist's team won 2nd place in the tournament. They ended the season with a 10-2 record. Standing: (From left to right) Coach Brian McArthur, Joel Goff, Jeff Baker, Chris Lee, David Willis, and William Lewallen. Kneeling: Rodney Howell, Michael Pursell, Britt Young, James Willis, and Nathan Hicks.



17 AND UNDER BASKETBALL TEAM

First Baptist's team won 2nd place in the tournament. They ended the season with an 8-2 record. Standing: (From left to right) Paul Hughes, Lewis Butler, Clint Maddox, Will Brooks, Jeff Flowers, and Coach Marvin Beck. Kneeling: Eric Maddox, Chad Overman, and Kevin Anderson.



THIS MINISTER OF MUSIC CANNOT POSSIBLY FIND WORDS that adequately describe my feelings about our first PENSACOLA EASTER PAGEANT. God just seemed to take the efforts of all involved, bless those efforts, and convey to all of us once again His sacrifice . . . and His resurrecting power!

TO EACH AND EVERY PERSON INVOLVED in some form in bringing about this year's Pageant . . . a heartfelt thank you. The choir members, committee members, technical crew members, soloists, Roman soldiers, thieves, narrators, etc., are to be commended. Special mention should be made of the excellent work of Mike McCracken as Jesus, Linda Christian as Mary and Bob Billeisen as Judas. Our organist (playing the synthesizer), Lynne Lauderdale, is deserving of our appreciation for the many hours she put into this program.

AND FINALLY, THANKS TO THE PASTOR, STAFF, MUSIC SECRETARY AND CHURCH for being supportive of *The Pageant*. I pray that in years to come we will be forced to go to multiple performances to accommodate the attenders. *To God Be The Glory!*

COMING EVENTS

- APRIL 22 - 23 — Praisfest, Panama City
- APRIL 29 - 30 — Middle School Spring Retreat
- MAY 1 — Founder's Day
Heritage Club
- MAY 5 — Adult Choir Festival — FBC
- MAY 15 — Church Picnic
- MAY 22 — Senior Breakfast
G.A. / Acteen Recognition
- MAY 29 — Children's Choir Program
- JUNE 2 — Last Day of School
- JUNE 7 — Teachers' Last Day at School
- JUNE 13 - 16 — Southern Baptist Convention
- JUNE 13 - 17 — G.A. Camp
- JUNE 15 - 26 — Chapel Choir Tour
- JUNE 20 - 23 — Middle School TABS
- JUNE 20 - 24 — Vacation Bible School
- JULY 2 - 8 — WMU Week at Ridgecrest
- JULY 3 — "God and Country Day"
- JULY 6 - 24 — Acteens to New England
- JULY 25 - 29 — Middle School Camp at Blue Springs
- JULY 31 - AUGUST 4 — Youth Mission Trip
(Oakhaven Baptist Church - Pensacola)
- AUGUST 2 - 5 — Children's Camp, Citronelle, AL.
- AUGUST 5 - 12 — Centrifuge at Union University in Jackson, TN.
- AUGUST 18 - 19 — High School Retreat, Panama City
- AUGUST 24 — Missions / Choirs Round-Up

COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP APRIL 3, 1988



MR. and MRS. ROB FARRELL (LINDA)
and RYAN FARRELL

THE PEOPLE RESPONDED APRIL 3, 1988

BY LETTER:

- Mr. Rob Farrell 438-9128
2781 Belle Christiane Circle
Pensacola, FL. 32503
From: Ridgewood Baptist
Orange Park, FL.
- Mrs. Linda Farrell
(Same as above)
- Ryan Farrell
(Same as above)

BAPTIST WOMEN DAY GROUP MEETINGS April 12, 1988

- 9:30 A.M.—GAIL HILL
Meet with JEREE WHITE
Hostess: Mrs. Alan Hulett
4479 Whisper Court
- DOROTHY MADDOX
Hostess: Mrs. Ed Guernsey
9233 Woodrun Road
- JEREE WHITE
Hostess: Mrs. Alan Hulett
4479 Whisper Court
- 10:00 A.M.—ALTA ALLISON
Hostesses: Mrs. Charles Fosha
and Mrs. T. R. Walker
1111 Tamara Drive
- SHERRA ARMSTRONG
Hostess: Mrs. L. M. Gatlin
4141 Iris Court
- VIRGINIA COBB
Hostess: Mrs. Ruth Lee
764 Tanglewood Drive
- STANLEY DAVIS
Hostess: Mrs. Dixie Beggs
47 Shoreline Drive
- BETTY EGEDY
Hostess: Miss Jewel Garrett
1000 East Lloyd Street
- LINDA LEECH
Hostess: Mrs. Herman Johnson
1701 East Hernandez Street
- CHARLOTTE OWENS
Hostess: Mrs. Al Ford
503 Panferio Drive
- BETTIE TOMLINSON
Hostess: Mrs. Lon Roberts
104 West Jackson Street
- 11:30 A.M.—ROUND TABLE
Red Lobster — Cordova Mall
* * * * *
- NIGHT GROUP MEETINGS
6:30 P.M.—DORA HARBIN
Hostess: Miss Verla Cates
2012 East Hernandez Street
(Remember to bring Bibles)

OUR KNOWN SICK

IN THE HOSPITAL:

BAPTIST HOSPITAL

414 Elva Rogers
438 Etta Merritt
409 Thelma Wallace

MINU David Singleton

SPECIALTY CARE

1208 Virginia Ledford
1216 Mary Charles Renfro

SACRED HEART HOSPITAL

221 Linda Turner
417 James Pace
539 Kathleen Shofner
541 Mary Alma Lee

REHABILITATION INSTITUTE

1040 Jim Prim

MISSION ACTION TEAM EMPHASIS DAY

The Mission Action Team will have a special emphasis day April 23 when they will clean yards or do small house repairs for any of our elderly or widowed members who might need this help. If you need help or know of anyone who needs help in this area, please call Nelma Camp at the church office (433-5631). Remember, April 23, the entire Mission Action Team will be working all day. Call us if you need help.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

SYMPATHY:

The pastor, staff and church family extend Christian sympathy to:

Mrs. Georgette Hubbard in the death of her husband, William, March 28.

Mrs. Doris Berlin, Mrs. Helen Kitchen and Mr. George Kitchen in the death of their brother-in-law, William Hubbard, March 28.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Sherburne on their 50th wedding anniversary.

THANK YOU:

A card of thanks has been received from Mrs. Moselle Little for all the phone calls, flowers, cards, visits and prayers during her recent surgery and hospital stay.

DEAF BIBLE STUDY

By DONALD E. OTWELL

First Baptist Church Pensacola

500 North Palafox Street

APRIL 22 - 24, 1988

Friday Night at C.A.C. — 7:00 P.M.

Refreshments

Saturday — 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.

Picnic at Bayview Park

BRING COVERED DISH

BRING OWN DRINK

Saturday Night at C.A.C. — 7:00 P.M.

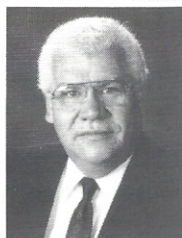
After Bible Study (Refreshments)

Sunday Morning at 9:00 A.M.

Sermon 10:30 A.M.

The Seagle Say:

EASTER '88 . . .



has been a marvelous, wonderful, magnificent experience. I have never enjoyed the good news of resurrection so much. There's an air of expectancy that has the feel of Divine destiny stamped upon it.

THE MUSIC . . .

has been electrifying. I'm prejudiced — of course! I'm partial. You knew that — but the truth is First Baptist Church Pensacola is blessed with the finest musicians in all the land. Bob Morrison and our music staff has provided Pensacola with its first Easter Pageant. It will not be the last!

I'm eternally grateful to all for a Christ-exalting presentation. You are the finest.

THE CHALLENGE . . .

is before us. As we move more deeply

into Spring, let's remember to keep the "reaching work" at a high level. The needs are enormous. The possibility of consistent growth is not only needful but possible.

SEVERAL IMPERATIVES . . .

will keep us on track. For instance . . .

— let's work at keeping our focus on people. Let's reach those who need reaching. Let's also care for those who need loving care. The balance of reaching and ministry is vital. Keep our focus in focus.

— let's discipline ourselves to be a people of prayer. The secret to success is never spelled S-L-I-C-K. It's always spelled P-R-A-Y!

— let's dream the dreams of God. It's all too easy to "slide-rule" or "calculate" our way into neat programs. My challenge to you is that you join me in dreaming dreams under Divine leadership large enough for God to bless.

The excitement mounts. I'll see you 1500 strong for Bible Study Sunday.



ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER

OFFERING

"A CHURCH FOR EVERYONE"

NATIONAL GOAL\$37.5 MILLION

OUR CHURCH GOAL\$30,000

GIVEN TO DATE\$19,613

MEMORIAL GIFTS

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MRS. IRENE WILLIAMS

By the Naomi Sunday School Class
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BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

April 3, 1988	
Receipts	\$ 39,013.95
Weekly Budget Needs.....	35,558.00
Budget Receipts	
Year to Date.....	426,732.46
Budget Needs	
Year to Date.....	497,812.00

DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND	\$ 22.50
SPECIALS	463.00

DINNER MENU

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13

Beef Stew over Rice
Toss Green Salad
Cornbread or Roll
Dessert
Tea and Coffee

SERMON TITLES

SUNDAY, APRIL 10, 1988

10:30 A.M.

"THE AUTHENTIC CHRIST"

Col. 2:8-9

6:15 P.M.

"FAKING IT: A DEADLY DILEMMA"

Acts 5:1-16

LAST WEEK

MARCH 28-APRIL 3, 1988

SUNDAY SCHOOL	1,379
Extension Department	46
Married Adults	668
Single Adults	136
Youth	146
Children	181
Preschool	135
Single's Ski Trip	7
Youth Ski Trip	60
WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM.....	492
MEN'S LUNCHEON	140
COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP	3

ROADRUNNERS

Going on the Savannah - Charleston
Trip. Be at the C.A.C. at 7:00 A.M.
Thursday, April 14, 1988.

FAMILY AT WORK

SUNDAY, APRIL 10

- 8:30 - 10:30 A.M.—Library Open
- * 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
- * 4:30 P.M.—Chapel Choir
- 4:30 - 6:15 P.M.—Library Open
- * 5:00 P.M.—Church Training
- Middle School JOY
- Sanctuary Bells
- YouthQuake
- * 6:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

MONDAY, APRIL 11

- 9:00 A.M.—"Needle" Workshop
- * 9:00 - 10:15 A.M.—Blessercize — CAC
- 9:00 A.M. - Noon—Samaritans Hands
- 10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
- 12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
- 7:00 P.M.—"Needle" Workshop
- Single Adult 1 Bible Study

TUESDAY, APRIL 12

- 9:00 A.M. - Noon—Library Open
- Samaritans Hands
- 5:30 P.M.—Chapel Bells
- 6:30 P.M.—Surrender Ensemble

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13

- 9:30 - 11:00 A.M.—Explorer's Bible Study
- Meeting — S-301
- 12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
- 4:30 P.M.—Clarion Choir
- Children's Choirs
- 4:30 - 7:15 P.M.—Library Open
- * 4:45 P.M.—High School Acteens
- 5:00 P.M.—Mission Comm. — S-110
- * 5:15 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
- Choir Officers — S-107
- Boy Scouts — S-109
- Benevolence Comm. — S-114
- 5:40 - 6:15 P.M.—Our Gang Time
- (Children's recreation)
- 6:00 P.M.—Exaltation — S-311
- A Cappella Singers — S-301
- Mission Friends
- * 6:15 P.M.—Prayer Meeting
- High School JOY
- Middle School Acteens
- R.A.'s
- G.A.'s
- * 7:00 P.M.—Sanctuary Choir
- 7:15 - 8:30 P.M.—Boy Scouts

THURSDAY, APRIL 14

- * 9:00 - 10:15 A.M.—Blessercize — CAC
- 9:00 A.M. - Noon—Library Open
- Samaritans Hands
- * 9:30 - 11:15 A.M.—Explorer's Bible Study
- 12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon

FRIDAY, APRIL 15

- * 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out
- 12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
- * Nursery Open
- ** Nursery by Reservation Only

HOMEBOUND OF THE WEEK

MR. and MRS. H. L. HIGHSMITH

10100 Hillview Drive, #139

Pensacola, FL. 32514

Telephone: 477-7839

STAFF ANNIVERSARIES FOR APRIL

Linda Harris, Nursery	1973
Julia M. Cannon, Kitchen	1983
Georgia Lambert, Secretary	1986
Joe Sims, Custodial	1981

MEDIA LIBRARY CENTER BOOK REVIEW

By MARTHA DICKSON

Life Changing Answers to Depression

by Harold Ivan Smith,

Harvest House Publishers, c1985

Prefacing his book with the unequivocal statement "If you breathe, you're eligible for depression," author Harold Smith seasons his chapters with experiential insight as he shares in chapters detailing recognizing and admitting depression as well as how to discipline or befriend it, ending with practical hints for those involved with the depressed one.

(All books reviewed in the BUILDER are available in the church library.)

ROSEBUDS

The rosebuds Sunday, March 27, were presened in honor of the following:

Benjamin David Williams, son of Dave and Suzanne.

Cody Moore Clevenger, son of Cal and Lynn.

Jamie Louise Newton, daughter of Eric and Lanie.

PRAYER LIST

KNOWN OUT - OF - TOWN:

KARE CENTRE, Biloxi, MS.

Ola Rampey

PLEASE WRITE TO:

MRS. RICKI JERNIGAN

1501 Luther Street

Belding, MI. 48809

VIRGINIA STEPHENS

1108 Kimberly Drive

Valdosta, GA. 31602

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary Sunday, April 10, are in memory of Earl and Myrtle Buchanan, given by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Buchanan.