



# The First Baptist Builder

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

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## MIDDLE SCHOOL RETREAT

### CHRISTIAN ACTIVITIES CENTER

BEGINNING APRIL 29TH AT 7:00 P.M.  
AND ENDING AT NOON ON APRIL 30TH

COST \$5.00

A special time of Games, a Film, and a LATE NIGHT EXCURSION! Remember to bring a sleeping bag, pillow, your Bible, gym shoes and some play clothes.



## ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC

MAY 15, 1988  
BAYVIEW PARK  
1:30 P.M. - 6:30 P.M.

Tickets go on sale April 27th - Adults \$2.50 and Children \$1.50. Make plans for an afternoon of fun, food and fellowship.

## CENTRIFUGE FOR YOUTH

WHERE? Union University, Jackson Tennessee

WHEN? August 5th-12th

COST? Approximately \$200.00

This includes a day at Opryland and a night in Nashville.

THEME? Carrying on from II Timothy

SIGN-UP? Now, see Eddie Benton.

**WANTED...**  
**Bible School**  
**Workers Alive**  
**and excited**

Call Lynn Milam  
at 433-5631



Our Theme this year:  
**LIVING FOR JESUS** (June 20-24)

**NEWS FROM YOUR . . .**



BOB MORRISON  
Minister of Music

OUR CHAPEL CHOIR GOES TO PANAMA CITY THIS WEEKEND to participate in the State Youth Choir Festival, *PraisFest*. It will be held at First Baptist Church there, and will involve youth choirs from all across the Florida Panhandle. In addition to singing in a mass choir experience, both our choir and our ensemble will be singing two numbers each for adjudication. Here are the details:

- ☆ We meet in front of Music Wing at 4:45 on Friday to load bus.
- ☆ Motel / Registration cost of \$15.00 must be paid before departing church.
- ☆ Take money with you for 3 meals and Friday night outing (movie, bowling, etc.)
- ☆ What to wear: jeans / shorts on Friday; nice pants / skirts on Saturday.
- ☆ We will be returning to Pensacola FBC by 6:00 P.M. on Saturday.

OUR SANCTUARY CHOIR IS OUT TO GET NEW MEMBERS!! This Sunday in your Sunday School Assembly you will be hearing Sanctuary Choir testimonies from someone in your Department who is also a choir member. They will be relating what choir means to them, and how they serve God through singing. Also, they will be seeking to "sign up" five people from each Department to attend a *demonstration choir rehearsal* on the next Wednesday, April 27 at 7:00 P.M. This is a "no strings attached" effort to introduce you to the friendliest and warmest fellowship of Christians anywhere, who work, pray and play together. Needless to say, our hope is that after trying us out, you will come on and join our choir. It's a great way to serve God and His church.

**PENSACOLA EASTER PAGEANT**

**VIDEO (VHS) ORDER FORM**

Many have requested video copies of our Easter Pageant. These are being made available to you through a pre-paid order plan from a company in Atlanta that does professional video copying. The cost is \$12.00, and your check should be made out to First Baptist Church Music Ministry. The order will be sent off on Monday, April 25, and should be back within two weeks following that. An announcement will be made in *THE BUILDER*, and you may pick up your tape in the Music Office.

(Please fill out and mail with your check to:

PENSACOLA EASTER PAGEANT

First Baptist Church  
500 North Palafox Street  
Pensacola, Florida 32501)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ NO. OF COPIES \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT OF CHECK ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

**COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP**

APRIL 17, 1988



MR. BILL JOSEY



MISS RYAN NOBLES

**OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

**SYMPATHY:**

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

Mrs. Frances Barrineau in the death of her sister, Mrs. Lenore Bowman, April 13, in Tampa, Florida.

Herbert Johnson in the death of his sister, Mrs. Jones, April 16, in Orlando, Florida.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO:**

Nancy Metcalf who was awarded the Outstanding Freshman Award at the University of Alabama.

**THANK YOU:**

A thank you note has been received in the church office from James Swofford for the visits, prayers and flowers to Grace Swofford during her recent hospital stay. She is now recuperating in the Azalea Trace Health Care Center.

A thank you note has been received from Mrs. Louise Whitehurst for the prayers, visits, cards and phone calls during her recent hospital stay.

**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

## THE PEOPLE RESPONDED

APRIL 17, 1988

### BY PROFESSION OF FAITH:

Miss Ryan Nobles 434-7121  
2835 Bayou Boulevard  
Pensacola, FL. 32503

### BY LETTER:

Mr. Bill Josey 476-6865  
6430 Hermitage Drive  
Pensacola, FL. 32504  
From: Brookwood Baptist  
Birmingham, AL.

## MEMORIAL GIFTS

*The Foundation Committee gratefully acknowledges receipt of the following gifts:*

### ANNIE ARMSTRONG

#### *In Honor of:*

MRS. JUDD GATLIN  
By Mr. and Mrs. Newt Sherburne  
MRS. OLETA McCARTY  
By Clara Jo Gibson  
THE ROD WILLIAMSON FAMILY  
By Anonymous

### BUILDING FUND

#### *In Memory of:*

LESLIE SASNETT  
By Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Smith

### LIBRARY

#### *In Memory of:*

MRS. OUIDA BROWN JACOBS  
By Median Adult 5 Sunday School  
JOSEPH BOYKIN  
By Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fillingim

### CHAPEL

#### *In Memory of:*

WILLIAM OSBORN  
By Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fillingim

## OUR KNOWN SICK

### IN THE HOSPITAL:

BAPTIST HOSPITAL  
204 Bob Jernigan  
451 Stella Kendrick  
459 Artie Taylor  
MINU-5 David Singleton

SPECIALTY CARE  
1208 Virginia Ledford  
1216 Mary Charles Renfroe

SACRED HEART HOSPITAL  
317 Thelma Wallace

WEST FLORIDA HOSPITAL  
212 George Galloway  
421 Cotis Williams  
444 Florida Villar

BLUFFS NURSING HOME  
118 Wilna Husted

## The Seagle Say:

### THE "FLU . . .

bug" is a peculiar bug! It's been years and years since I've experienced the "bug's" fury. I got my due last week.



There's nothing like being in the mountains of Colorado at 10,000 feet - in snow - burning up and freezing at the same time! All of you "flu victims" know my pitiful story - right?

### FLU DOES . . .

a lot of things for you. It takes away my adage of "not having time to be sick." The most aggravating thing about it was - I was never consulted about my schedule. The "bug" flew by - was obviously tired - stopped off and stayed a solid week.

### BETTER?

I think so. The truth is - I know so. I attempt to learn something from most experiences. This one is no exception. I learned:

- flu is flu whether it's in Pensacola or Colorado;
- you can be both cold and hot at the same time;
- you lose all your friends. None of my Colorado friends wanted to spend 30 to 33 hours on a bus with me. I could have shared with them and they with me! Instead, it was "get him on a plane and let him infect Delta!"
- a "bug" can humble a "tough guy" and make him *want* to go to bed when he doesn't have time.

### MY POINT . . .

is simple - thanks for praying, loving and caring. I've whipped the bug and regained all my friends!

See you Sunday 1500 strong.

## CHURCH TRAINING CLASSES FOR MAY

MAY 1, 8 and 22

### BE GOOD TO YOURSELF

How to respond properly to everyday stress.

Video series by Dr. and Mrs. Sam Peeples. Christian Ministries, Inc.

Dr. and Mrs. Sam Peeples, nationally known Christian counselors and seminar leaders, are founders and directors of Christian Ministries, Inc. Since 1977, they have specialized in counseling and stress management through both individual and group sessions.

### TAPES:

Natural Tendencies affecting our responses, Having my own way.

1. Having my own way.
2. Refusing personal responsibilities.

Achieving proper responses to stressful situations.

Shifting gears.

Understanding and conquering depression.

### THE BAPTIST FAITH AND MESSAGE

Dr. Herschel Hobbs is uniquely qualified to teach this series on Baptist beliefs. A graduate of Howard College and the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Dr. Hobbs is a highly respected Southern Baptist Theologian.

### TAPES:

The Scriptures; God the Father; Jesus, God the Son; The Holy Spirit. Man's depravity; man's redemption from sin; the believer's eternal life; the church. Believer's baptism; the Lord's Supper; Heaven; Hell; the second coming of Christ.

CWT (continued from April).

COVENANT MARRIAGE (continued from April).

NEW MEMBERS CLASS (continued from April).

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## OFFICE HOURS

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

## CHURCH OFFICERS

Max Dickson, Chairman of Deacons.....477-7850  
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Darriel White, Church Training Director.....476-2003  
Brenda Kepner, W.M.U. Director.....944-9147  
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## CHURCH STAFF — Residence Phones

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Monette Kelly, Receptionist  
Lorraine Puley, Dietician  
Josephine Williams, Workroom Coordinator  
Dr. Lynne Lauderdale, Organist  
Mike McCracken, Pianist  
All material to be included in the BUILDER  
should be in the office, typed, not later than  
4:00 P.M. Friday.

## BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

April 17, 1988  
Receipts ..... \$ 32,811.59  
Weekly Budget Needs..... 35,558.00  
Budget Receipts  
Year to Date..... 485,380.44  
Budget Needs  
Year to Date..... 568,928.00

## LAST WEEK

APRIL 11 - 17, 1988

SUNDAY SCHOOL	..... 1,422
Extension Department	..... 53
Married Adults	..... 719
Single Adults	..... 123
Youth	..... 168
Children	..... 201
Preschool	..... 158
WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM	..... 464
MEN'S LUNCHEON	..... 140
COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP	..... 2
CHURCH TRAINING	..... 186
Adults	..... 70
Youth	..... 88
Children / Preschool	..... 28

## FAMILY AT WORK

SUNDAY, APRIL 24  
8:30 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  
\* 4:00 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  
Church Conference

MONDAY, APRIL 25  
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 26  
9:00 A.M. - Noon—Library Open  
Samaritans Hands  
12:00 Noon—Ladies Luncheon  
and Bible Study  
12:45 - 2:00 P.M.—Lydia Sunday School  
Class Meeting — S-112  
5:30 P.M.—Chapel Bells  
6:30 P.M.—Surrender

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27  
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  
\* 5:15 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner  
5:40 - 6:10 P.M.—Our Gang Time  
6:00 P.M.—Exaltation — S-311  
A Cappella Singers — S-301  
Mission Friends  
Sunday School Contact Night  
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 28  
\* 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 29  
\* 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out  
12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise  
7:00 P.M.—Middle School Spring  
Retreat — CAC

## SAMARITANS HANDS FOOD DRIVE

APRIL 24, 1988  
Bring your food items to your  
Sunday School Department

## SERMON TITLES

SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 1988

10:30 A.M.

EDDIE BENTON

6:15 P.M.

EDDIE BENTON

## MISSION GIFTS

### ANNIE ARMSTRONG

GOAL ..... \$30,000  
GIVEN TO DATE ..... \$21,831

## DINNER MENU

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27

Roast Beef and Gravy

Creamed Potatoes

Green Beans

Cornbread or Roll

Dessert

Tea and Coffee

## MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary Sunday, April 24, are in memory of Norma Driskell, given by Mr. and Mrs. James E. Driskell, Jr., and children.

- and -

In memory of Mr. H. D. McCord, given by Mrs. H. D. McCord, Diana McCord and Mrs. Dolores Monaco.

## DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND ..... \$23,375.17  
SPECIALS ..... 745.00

SATURDAY, APRIL 30

5:30 P.M.—Choir Luau

\* Nursery Open