

# The First Baptist Builder

Cecil W. Seagle, Pastor  
North Palafox at Jackson Street  
IN OUR 142ND YEAR OF WORSHIP

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*The Music Ministry proudly presents...*

## TOUR '88



## HOME CONCERT

*featuring the*

### Chapel Choir

*Surrender*

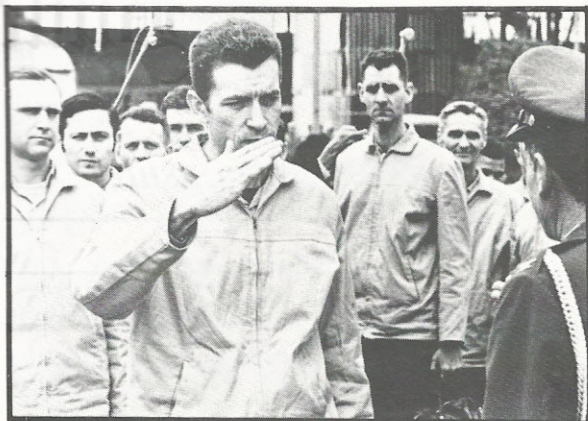
*Chapel Bells*

This Sunday Evening  
7:15 P.M.

*Join us as we sing forth the Good News!*

Because of the special nature of the Chapel Choir Home Concert, the evening service will exceed its regular one hour length.





## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH CELEBRATES GOD AND COUNTRY DAY

JULY 3, 1988 — 10:30 A.M.

★ Guest Speaker: RALPH E. GAITHER

Commander, U.S. Navy, Retired  
(Former Prisoner of War)

Author of *With God in a POW Camp*,  
Broadman Press

★ Color Guard ★ State & Community Leaders  
★ Patriotic Music

ACTIVE AND RESERVE MILITARY: UNIFORMS, PLEASE

## PERU PARTNERSHIP

The season in Trujillo is winter. Because of the latitude, winter weather is generally mild.

For the *Light of the Gospel Baptist Church* winter brings problems. Located in an area called Buenos Aires, the church property lies about a hundred yards from the Pacific Ocean. The roar of the surf pounding the dark sand beach provides a background for music and sermon. From the Pacific also blow piercing winds which swirl under the bamboo mat roof of the building, chilling worshipers in their unheated, unfloored, windowless "templo."

This congregation of about forty people asks us to pray with them that they may be able to acquire heaters, to build a permanent roof, and to continue construction of small rooms for education and nursery behind the "templo." Please pray also for the pastor, Genero Santos, that God may strengthen and guide him; pray for the commitment of the church members to meet the spiritual needs of their community; pray for them as they seek ways to meet their physical, educational, and health needs as well.

Andy White, Jenna Young, and Martha Trotter will be happy to share further information about *Light of the Gospel Baptist Church* and others in Trujillo with any interested group or individual.

**REMEMBER, OUR FIRST COMMITMENT IS TO PRAY!**

**COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP — JUNE 19, 1988**



MRS. STELLA BROWN



MR. and MRS. BRUCE BRAUN (BEVERLY)

Pictured with daughter JAMIE WEISSA

## THE PEOPLE RESPONDED JUNE 19, 1988

### BY LETTER:

Bruce Braun (Mr.) 432-5249

3505 Brookshire Drive  
Pensacola, FL. 32504  
From: Southside Baptist  
Lakeland, FL.

Beverly Braun (Mrs.)  
(Same as above)

Stella Brown (Mrs.) 433-5364

170 Munro Road  
Pensacola, FL. 32503  
From: FBC, Sheffield, AL.

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

### SYMPATHY:

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

Edna Jernigan in the death of her brother, Clyde Coker, June 14.

Pat, Chad, Tommy and Becky Overman in the death of their uncle, Clyde Coker.

### CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Cheryl Marrs whose research paper for her M.A. degree on Motivating Children to Learn was chosen for oral presentation at the Research Colloquium at University of West Florida July 14.

Sandra Rychlowski and James Wise on their marriage June 18.

C. Roy Woodruff, who has been selected executive director of the American Association of Pastoral Counselors, Fairfax, Va. He is the son-in-law of Bob and Vada Jernigan.

## OUR KNOWN SICK

### IN THE HOSPITAL:

#### BAPTIST HOSPITAL

495 Alma Hendricks  
361 June McCracken  
419 Amy Cordray

#### SPECIALTY CARE

216 Mary Charles Renfroe

#### SACRED HEART HOSPITAL

538 Grace Swofford  
507 Lawren Meacham

#### WEST FLORIDA HOSPITAL

315 Martha Gay  
348 Lynn Lewallen  
660 Chester Miller

#### NAVY HOSPITAL

T-W Jack Harless



### **SAMARITANS HANDS MINISTRY**

Job Bank is now open! If you have jobs available in your home or business and would like to be involved in helping those in need, please contact Vicky Riggs Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 9:00 - 12:00.

### **"OLD OFFICE" RENOVATION**

Now that demolition and renovation is underway in the old office area, church members are eager to know what the area will be like upon completion.

There will be an enlarged foyer, an enclosed reception area, a prayer room, and expanded toilet facilities.

Beginning this Sunday, there will be a display board in the area showing plans for the renovation.

### **SAMARITAN HANDS FOOD DRIVE SUNDAY, JUNE 26**

Please bring food items for your Sunday School Department. We are running VERY LOW on all food items.

### **URGENT NEED**

The Bettie Tomlinson Baptist Women Group are in urgent need of clean white sheets and mattress pads for making cancer pads. If you have any you can donate, please bring them to the church office.

### **MISSION TRIP 1988 — BACKYARD BIBLE CLUB**

Anyone interested in volunteering your backyard for a Bible Club August 1-4 please contact the C.A.C. (433-6700) or Charlie Faye Wilson (434-6427) by June 30th. If you cannot offer your backyard but would love to work at a club, call the same numbers. We want as many people as possible to have this opportunity of serving our Lord.

**July is "First Baptist" month at  
the Northwest Blood Center.**

**Sign up in Sunday School and  
Give the "Gift of Life."**

## **PROCEDURE FOR NOMINATING DEACONS 1988**

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 13. They may be given to any members 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 of 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." (1 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**

BOB GOWING, Chairman  
BOB CASSIBRY  
MONTE BARROW

DOUG ANDREWS  
ROGER YONKER  
CHARLES GRIFFIN



## ELECTION INFORMATION FOR 1988

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

### TERM ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1989

JACK ARCHER  
MONTE BARROW  
MAX DICKSON  
BOB GOWING  
PAUL GRAY  
BILL HINSON

JOE NAPIER  
JOHN REGISTER  
BILLY RENFROE  
T. A. SHELL  
ANDY WHITE  
BOB WILSON

### TERM ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1990

BUDDY BURKS  
BOB CASSIBRY  
JOHN EDWARDS, JR.  
AL FORD  
CHARLES GRIFFIN  
RICK GILL  
LARRY HICKS

BOB HINSON  
LESTER ENNIS  
BOB SALTER  
SANDY SANSING  
STEVE SHELL  
RAY TAYLOR

### DEACONS EMERITI

J. CLAUDE ADKISON  
WALTER ARMISTEAD  
O. F. AULTMAN  
ERNEST BARRINEAU  
E. DIXIE BEGGS  
MYRLIN BROOKS  
JUDSON GILLESPIE

THERON A. GUTHRIE  
SIDNEY KENNEDY, JR.  
G. R. McDONALD  
DAVID RALEY  
MILTON RICHARDSON  
TOM WASH  
ROGER YONKER

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

DAVE ANDREWS  
DOUG ANDREWS  
T. H. BLACKMON  
ED DANIEL  
NIX DANIEL  
ED HOLLAND  
ED HOLT

JOE LADNER  
BILL MORRISON, JR.  
JACK OVERMAN  
RAY POPE  
ANDY TRAMMELL  
ROD WILLIAMSON

### FORM TO BE USED IN SUBMITTING NOMINATION

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. The form must be signed to be accepted. These suggestions must reach the committee by Wednesday, July 13, 1988. They may be given to any member of the committee, mailed to the church office in care of the committee, or dropped into the offering plate.

## WANTED: ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER

Two MK's (missionaries' kids) in Trujillo desperately need a teacher to guide them through their Calvert correspondence studies. The Foreign Mission Board is seeking either a single or a couple for this assignment.

### DETAILS:

If the teacher can stay as long as nine months, the FMB will pay travel and a stipend. (If the person is already receiving retirement benefits, there is no stipend.)

Local transportation and housing (apartment in the school building) provided.

Many opportunities for witness and other work with local churches.

Needed for August but may come later if necessary.

If interested contact Martha Trotter at 478-9105 or the church office.

## SCOUTING NEWS

### DEEP SEA FISHING TRIP JUNE 10, 1988

This first time outing will long be remembered for its fellowship and excitement. Only nine people got seasick, several dizzy, and none lost overboard. At least 400 fish were caught, the largest by Charles Griffin, a very nice six-pound scamp. Most fish caught by an individual was Eric Blancheri, and the ugliest thing caught was an octopus. The best fighting fish landed was a bonito (tuna), caught by David Kisner.

Because of the success of this outing, it will now become a semi-annual event.

**NEXT DEEP SEA FISHING TRIP IS SCHEDULED  
FOR SEPTEMBER 24, 1988.**

**ATTENTION  
ALL MIDDLE SCHOOLERS!!!  
JUNE 27TH — 9:30 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.  
SPEND THE DAY  
AT STYX RIVER WATER WORLD  
COST: \$7.25  
BRING A SACK LUNCH! !**

## SURVEYING

We will be surveying June 29 - 30. See Mark, Becca or Eddie for more information.



**ATTENTION****ALL HIGH SCHOOLERS**

CENTRIFUGE at Union University, Jackson, TN, August 5th - 12th.  
Cost: Approximately \$200.00.

Sign-up for this exciting week by seeing Eddie Benton, Mark Seagle, or Becca Andrews.

Only 10 spaces remain. Hurry to insure a spot will be available for you.

**ATTENTION ALL HIGH SCHOOLERS!!!**

**JUNE 28TH — 9:30 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.**

**TUBING!!! — COST: \$5.00**

**BRING A SACK LUNCH! !**

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH****SOFTBALL TEAMS**

FBC Team A vs. St. Christopher's on Tuesday, June 28th at 7:10 P.M.

FBC Team B vs. FBC Team C on Tuesday, June 28th at 8:20 P.M.

FBC Team C vs. FBC Team B on Tuesday, June 28th at 8:20 P.M.

FBC Team D vs. Scenic Heights Baptist on Tuesday, June 28th at 6:00 P.M.

**MEMORIAL GIFTS**

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

**MUSIC MINISTRY**

*In Memory of:*

EBA CARLISLE KEARLEY

By George H. and Dora Liveakos  
Mrs. Adrian H. (Billeye) Jackson  
and Shirley Jackson Davis  
Fellowship Class, Adult 6 Dept.  
David L. Kingman  
The Reflectors Sunday School Class

**CHAPEL**

*In Memory of:*

FRANK LOGGINS

By Mrs. Edna Loggins

**LIBRARY**

*In Memory of:*

LARRY DRAKE CROSSLAND, JR.

By Larry and Marilyn Crossland  
JOHN COKER

By Barbara and Lyman Shivers  
and Family

**PRAYER LIST****KNOWN OUT - OF - TOWN:**

KARE CENTRE, Biloxi, MS.

Ola Rampey

BELDING, MI.

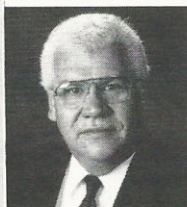
Mrs. Ricki Jernigan

VALDOSTA, GA.

Virginia Stephens

**The Seagle Say:****THE DOXOLOGY . . .**

seems most appropriate today. When I returned from San Antonio I found a report that is simply staggering in its scope. In about six (6) weeks all of us responded



well — catching up our deficit and more. From a \$32,000 in-the-red deficit we were able to see a remarkable turnaround — ending May with a \$10,000 balance in the black.

I must tell you I thought it would require much longer than that. I asked for a wait through July in order to see exactly where we would be. You have shown the way in a remarkable fashion.

**ONE MORE HURDLE . . .**

awaits us. We adopted an '88 budget that requires us to give at an accelerated pace. I am appealing to you to join me in moving toward achieving the original dream set before us last year. We unani-

mously agreed to do our best for His glory and for the cause of world missions.

We can do it — I urge you to join me in accomplishing an impossible dream. The reality of our plan is that it either positively or negatively impacts every program and dream we have. If we fail to reach our goal:

— people-touching programs have to be altered or cut;

— world missions suffer — we will send less to a missions enterprise second to none;

— dreams and hopes for the future will require substantial alteration.

With that in mind — let's move quickly to the solid ground of direction and support.

**MY SBC . . .**

report is available in the church office. If you want a copy of the report please call Mrs. Findley and she will gladly send it to you.

See you here Sunday 1500 strong for Bible study.

**ACTEENS ACTIVATOR TEAM**

On July 8th, Acteens Jill Edwards, Jenny Hodges, Kim Caldwell, Michelle Dopson, Amy Hicks, Wendi Crissett, Becky Bridges, and leaders Marie Hicks, and Pat Ford will leave for Boston, Massachusetts.

Assigned by the Home Mission Board, this group will serve as staff for New England G.A. camps for 1988. The first week will be in Singing Hills, New Hampshire, and the second week in Naquag Baptist Church, Rutland, Massachusetts. The group will return to Pensacola on July 24th.

Acteens and leaders have trained for more than 50 hours to prepare for this assignment. Please pray for us and for those to whom we will witness.

REMEMBER TO PUT YOUR NEWSPAPERS IN THE BLUE BOX IN FRONT OF THE C.A.C. Funds from the sale of these newspapers will provide supplies for activities and crafts at the camps.



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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  
Sandy Sansing, Sunday School Director.....432-3282  
Darriel White, Church Training Director.....476-2003  
Brenda Kepner, W.M.U. Director.....944-9147  
Mildred Gentry, Dir. of Library Services.....478-1367

## CHURCH STAFF — Residence Phones

Cecil Seagle, Pastor.....438-2586  
Bill Santo, Assistant to Pastor.....478-4422  
Gary Garland, Minister of Education.....435-2954  
Bob Morrison, Minister of Music.....479-4485  
Luci Linnenkohl, Minister to Children.....478-7044  
Eddie Benton, Minister of Youth.....478-8289  
Hong Dang, Minister of Internationals.....432-8295  
Charlotte Martin, Business Manager  
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Nelma Camp, Assistant Pastor's Secretary  
Shirley Wise, Music Secretary  
Georgia Lambert, Education Secretary  
Pat Lovvorn, Membership Secretary  
Lea Scott, C.A.C. and Youth Secretary  
Rebecca Hostick, Children's Secretary  
Monette Kelly, Receptionist  
Lorraine Pulley, 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.

## LAST WEEK

JUNE 13 - 19, 1988

SUNDAY SCHOOL .....1,270  
Extension Department ..... 47  
Married Adults ..... 631  
Single Adults ..... 111  
Youth ..... 119  
Children ..... 180  
Preschool ..... 139  
Choir Tour ..... 43  
WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM.... 348  
MEN'S LUNCHEON ..... 130  
COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP ..... 3  
CHURCH TRAINING ..... 99  
Adults ..... 61  
Youth ..... 20  
Children / Preschool ..... 18

## FAMILY AT WORK

### SUNDAY, JUNE 26

- 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
- 4:00 P.M.—Chapel Choir
- 4:30 - 6:15 P.M.—Library Open
- 5:00 P.M.—Church Training  
Middle School JOY  
YouthQuake
- 5:30 P.M.—Chapel Choir Supper
- 7:15 P.M.—Evening Worship  
Home Concert - Chapel Choir  
Church Conference
- 8:15 P.M.—Welcome Home Fellowship  
for Chapel Choir and  
Farewell to Armstrongs

### MONDAY, JUNE 27

- 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, JUNE 28

- 9:00 A.M. - Noon—Library Open  
Samaritans Hands
- 12:00 Noon—Ladies Luncheon
- 12:45 P.M.—Lydia S.S. Class Mtg. - S-112
- 7:00 P.M.—Festival of Praise —  
Brownsville Baptist
- 7:30 P.M.—Eagle Scout  
Court of Honor — D.R.
- 8:00 P.M.—H.S. Lock-in — CAC

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29

- 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
- 5:40 - 6:10 P.M.—Our Gang Time
- 6:00 P.M.—Sunday School Rally  
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, JUNE 30

- 9:00 - 10:15 A.M.—Blessercize — CAC
- 9:00 A.M. - Noon—Library Open  
Samaritans Hands
- 12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon

### FRIDAY, JULY 1

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

## DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND .....\$ 27.00  
SPECIALS ..... 630.00

## DINNER MENU

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29

B-B-Q Spareribs  
Baked Beans or Baked Potato  
Snowflake Roll and Butter  
Dessert  
Iced Tea and Coffee

## SERMON TITLES

SUNDAY, JUNE 26, 1988

10:30 A.M.

"A RIP THAT ROARED"  
Matt. 27:51

7:15 P.M.

CHAPEL CHOIR HOME CONCERT

## BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

Weekly Budget Needs .....\$ 32,836.00  
June 19, 1988  
Receipts ..... 36,824.66  
Budget Receipts  
Year to Date..... 789,344.82  
Budget Needs  
Year to Date..... 820,900.00

## STAFF ANNIVERSARIES FOR JUNE

JoAnn Hill, Nursery .....1969  
Lynne Lauderdale, Organist .....1981  
Eddie Benton, Minister to Youth.....1983  
Lea Scott, Secretary .....1987  
Gloria Knight, Kitchen .....1985  
Mary Moore, Kitchen .....1976  
Mashell Dudley, Nursery .....1987

## EASTER PAGEANT TAPES

We still have a few Easter Pageant  
video tapes that have not been picked  
up. If you ordered one, please pick  
it up in the Music Office.