

# The First Baptist Builder

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North Palafox at Jackson Street

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

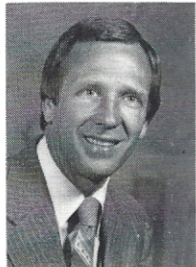
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## Brian's Lines

The focus on missions Sunday night reminded us again of what the church is to be doing. What a thrill to see these young people and their sponsors who have committed themselves to this week of mission involvement in Wisconsin. They will be gone from June 8 to June 16. Please pray for them every day.



SSSSS . . . Although Mike tried to claim this slogan for the choir, asserting that it stood for "Sanctuary Saints Super Summer Surge," the truth is that it stands for "Super Summer Sunday School Spectacular." We are asking all of you to commit yourself to attend Sunday School ten of the thirteen summer Sundays. Thank you for your beautiful response thus far. Since January 1, our Sunday School has averaged 1,408 per Sunday. (When you leave off the attendance on January 1 which was below 1,000, the average for the rest of that period is 1,427 per Sunday). I believe that we can continue to average over 1,400 during these summer months. But we need your help. I hope you all get a chance to take a vacation this summer. But when you are in town, be sure to be in your place in Sunday School.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL . . . is just around the corner. The dates are June 18 - 22. At night during that week, we will also be having TABS for the Middle School. Pray for Dot Walker and all the workers as they prepare for VBS. Pray also for Eddie Benton and his workers as they prepare for TABS.

GOD HAS BLESSED US . . . with many young families at First Baptist. And God has blessed these young families with many new babies in recent weeks. We will have a time of dedication for these parents and babies on June 24. If you new mothers have not received word about this, please call the Church Office for further information.

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO HAS RECENTLY EXPERIENCED DIVORCE? . . . If so, we have something helpful planned for them. Jay Johnston has brought in a special consultant to lead in a Divorce Adjustment Seminar on June 15 - 17. For more information,

## Sunday Evening Summer Schedule Begins June 10

Church Training — 6:00 P.M.

Evening Worship — 7:15 P.M.

## CHURCHWIDE VISITATION MONDAY, JUNE 11

Snack Supper — 5:30 P.M.

Visitation Assignments — 6:00 P.M.

## MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13 — 6:30 A.M.

## "PICKING UP THE PIECES"

**A Seminar on Successful Single Living for Never - Married and Formerly Married Adults**



CLYDE BESSON

Led by Author, Speaker, Minister  
CLYDE BESSON

Friday Night and Saturday  
June 15 and 16

Cost: \$10.00

Call the Single Adult Office (433-6700)  
For Further Information

## Vacation Bible School and TABS JUNE 18 - 22

call Jay at the Church Office. And share this opportunity with someone you know who could benefit from it.

THIS SUNDAY . . . I am planning to preach two sermons on 1 Corinthians 15.

The morning sermon will be entitled, "Christ Arose . . . So What?" The evening sermon will be entitled, "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder." I'll see you here for another exciting day.



## MEMORIAL GIFTS

The Foundation Committee gratefully acknowledges receipt of the following gifts:

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By Lydia Sunday School Class

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### MISSION ENDOWMENT

#### In Memory of:

ETHELYN HIGGINS

By Naomi Sunday School Class

### GOVERNMENT STREET MISSION

#### In Memory of:

ETHELYN HIGGINS

By Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Berlin  
Baptist Women Night Group

### NEW EQUIPMENT

#### In Memory of:

PEGGY PARDEE

By Ruth A. Christie

"SSSSS"

What does it mean? Is it Super Summer Sunday School Spectacular? Or is it Sanctuary Saints Super Summer Surge as the usurpers from the Music Ministry have claimed?

Whichever you vote for, come on down and be part of Sunday School and choir every week during the summer. Commit yourself to being present at least 10 of the 13 super summer Sundays and we will have 17,000 present in Sunday School this summer.

Totals from last Sunday were 1,406. We only have 15,594 to go to reach our goal!

## NEW ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES BEGIN

Two new adult Sunday School classes will begin this Sunday, June 10. The new classes are part of the new Median Adult 2A Department which meets in Room L-100 (behind the Library).

Dr. Curtis Killough is teacher of the new coed class. If you or your spouse are in the 48-53 age range, you are invited to join this class for its first meeting on Sunday morning.

Martha Dickson teaches the new ladies' class in the same department. The third class is taught by Chuck Horn. This class was "promoted" from Median Adult 2. Department director is Dave Andrews

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY IN THE HOSPITALS:

### Baptist

Mr. Duaine Macon, Mrs. Carmie Goatley, Mrs. Jan Harbour

### Specialty Care

Mrs. Mary Charles Renfro

### Sacred Heart

Mr. Billy Merritt, Mrs. Alberta McCown

### Children's Hospital

Jennifer Farris

Gran Home, 410 S. Foster St.,

Dothan, AL 36303

Mrs. Doris Mooty

### HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:

Mrs. Dorothy Whited, Miss Ramona Winesett, Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, Mr. Bernard B. Bond, Mrs. Mildred Price, Mr. Norman Thrash

### CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Charlie Johnson who received his Master of Divinity degree from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky, on Friday, May 25.

Lee Ann Shivers and Lynn John Schulte on their marriage May 19 in Houston, Texas. Lee Ann is a former member of First Baptist Church and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Gillespie.

Leslie Givens and Alan Scott on their marriage June 2.

Leah Warlick and Kevin Farrell on their marriage June 2.

Marcie Dickson on being selected for "Who's Who in American High Schools" and "The Society for Distinguished American High School Students."

John Evans on his graduation from the University of West Florida and selection for the Naval Aviation Cadet Program.

## LIBRARY OPEN HOUSE



Pictured above is part of our faithful Library Staff on the joyous occasion of "Open House" which celebrated completion of the Library expansion.

## SUSAN CHRISTIAN TO TEACH VOICE

Our own Susan Christian will be offering voice lessons to any interested person. Susan has a Master's Degree in Music from UNC, in addition to post-graduate work in vocal performance from FSU. Please contact Susan or the Music Office for additional information involving times and fees. A voice class may be possible. Susan may be reached at 477-5800 in the evenings.

## STAFF ANNIVERSARIES FOR JUNE

Jo Ann Hill, Nursery.....	1969
Ella Richardson, Nursery .....	1971
June Cree, Secretary .....	1981
James Lewis, Custodian .....	1981
Lynne Hinds, Organist .....	1981





Pictured above are the children and leaders of First and Second Grade Sunday School Departments at their picnic on June 2nd.

**MRS. SANAE SUGAHARA**  
**MUSIC INTERN FROM JAPAN**



Mrs. Sanae Sugahara, a pastor's wife from Shimonoseki, Japan, will be in our church until June 22 interning in the Music Ministry. Please contact her in the Music Office if you want to invite her to any church function.

**BAPTIST WOMEN (DAY)**  
**TUESDAY, JUNE 12**

- 10:00 A.M.—ALTA ALLISON  
with Mrs. F. N. Rand  
315 East Palmetto  
—SHERRA ARMSTRONG  
with Mrs. Tate Bousman  
231 Dean Road  
co/host. Mrs. Sam Jordan  
—VIRGINIA COBB  
with Mrs. Wilson Harris  
1900 East Lakeview  
—STANLEY DAVIS  
with Mrs. Ola Rampey  
1915 North 19th Avenue  
co/host. Mrs. J. A. Riddle  
—LINDA LEECH  
with Mrs. L. M. Steele  
7220 Penton Street  
—BETTIE TOMLINSON  
with Mrs. Tim Jernigan  
Room S-112 at the Church  
Covered Dish (Salads)
- 2:00 P.M.—ROSIE BEDSOLE  
with Mrs. W. T. Osborn  
304 West Moreno Street  
(Dorothy Maddox and Charlotte Owens  
Groups will not meet in June, July  
or August.)

**BAPTIST WOMEN (NIGHT)**

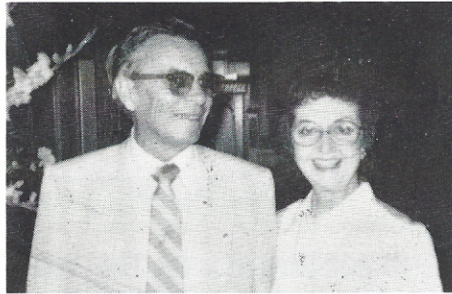
- 7:00 P.M.—PRAYER  
with Frances Aliberti  
615 Bayshore Dr., Apt. 306  
—BIBLE STUDY  
with Kathleen Stokes  
1843 Copley Drive

**SECURITY COMMITTEE**  
**SEEKS VOLUNTEERS**

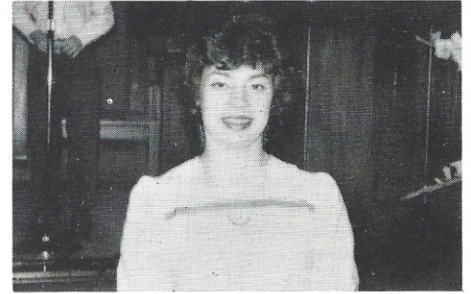
Gerald Garrett, Chairman of the Security Committee, has issued a call for additional volunteer workers to assist the teams of security people already on assignments.

Please call the Church Office or Gerald (438-4739) to volunteer your services.

**RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP — JUNE 3, 1984**



Rev. Henry and Marianne Nettles



Wanda Bruner

**FIRST PLACE FOR SINGLES**

**DATES TO REMEMBER:**

- JUNE 23RD —  
Luau, College / Single Adult I, at the home of Bill and Cheryl Lee's.  
JUNE 17TH —  
Luau, Single Adult II, at the home of Frank and Sandy Young's. Time 1:30 P.M.  
JUNE 10TH —  
Picnic, at the Beach, Single Adult III. Check with Mel for details.

The luncheon was great. Those dishes our College and Single Adults prepare were great. Thanks to all of you for helping set-up and clean-up.

Hope you will tell friends about the Seminar "Picking Up the Pieces."

Have A Great Day!  
JAY JOHNSTON

**CHURCHWIDE RECREATION**  
**ATLANTA BRAVES BASEBALL**  
**SIGHTSEEING / SHOPPING SPREE IN ATLANTA**  
**AUGUST 10 - 11**

**Braves vs. San Diego Padres**

**COST: \$ 54.00 Per Person Based on 4 Per Room**  
Includes Lodging at the Colony Square Hotel  
First Class Motorcoach Transportation and Ticket to Game  
**\$128.00 Per Couple Based on 2 Per Room**  
First Class Motorcoach Transportation and Ticket to Game  
Includes Lodging at the Colony Square Hotel

**DEADLINE: Sign Up June 24th — Deposit: \$25.00**  
We will depart at 6:00 A.M. on Friday, the 10th of August and return  
Saturday Evening, the 11th of August.

Congratulations to the First Baptist Softball Tournament Team for placing second in the East Brent Tournament. This Tournament Team is a combined group of men from First Baptist who enjoy playing softball.

**VBS**

**JUNE 18 - 22, 1984**

**NEEDED ITEMS:**

- |                      |                    |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| Oatmeal boxes        | Burned out light   |
| Salt boxes           | bulbs              |
| Men's old socks      | Aerosol tops (Pam, |
| Old nylon hose       | Dow, Raid, etc.)   |
| Empty roll-on        | Baby food jars     |
| deodorant bottles    | *with tops         |
| Plastic flowers      | Pringle cans       |
| Shortening or coffee | Margarine tubs     |
| cans with lids       |                    |

Please leave these items in the  
Education Office.



**CHILDREN'S SUMMER ACTIVITIES**  
(KINDERGARTEN - 5TH GRADE)

**JUNE 15 — C.A.C. — 9:00 A.M.**  
Paint with Pat Regan — and Skating  
Bring your Creativity and Lunch.  
(Parents are needed to help with Friday  
activities. Please let Dot know when you  
can help.)



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### OFFICE HOURS

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

### CHURCH OFFICERS

Mr. Joe Napier, Chairman of Deacons.....434-7828  
Dr. Hiram Smith, Jr., S.S. Director.....432-4697  
Mr. Frank Rabold, Church Training Director 478-7939  
Mrs. Jenna Young, W.M.U. Director.....433-8498  
Mrs. Earl Gentry, Director of Library Services 478-1367

### MEN'S CHORUS

All Men of the Church are invited to sing in a Men's Chorus this Sunday night, June 10. Please meet in the Choir Room at 6:30 to rehearse.

### MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The two arrangements in the Sanctuary this Sunday are in memory of Alfred Roy Baney, given by the Tom Dawson family, and in memory of Lester E. Wiggins, given by his wife and children.

## Last Week

MAY 28 - JUNE 3, 1984

TOTAL BIBLE STUDY.....	1,853
SUNDAY SCHOOL .....	1,406
Married Adults .....	721
Single Adults .....	173
Youth .....	166
Children .....	183
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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13

Please come to  
DINNER

Pork Chops  
Mashed Potatoes and Gravy  
Steamed Cabbage or Slaw  
Cornbread or Dinner Roll  
Dessert  
Tea or Coffee  
Milk - 25¢

### OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, JUNE 10

- \* 8:30 A.M.—Morning Worship
- 9:00 A.M.—Telephone Class
- 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School
- \* 11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship
- 3:30 P.M.—Children's Bible Study
- 4:30 P.M.—M.S. Instrumental Ensemble
- \* 6:00 P.M.—Church Training  
Instrumental Ensemble  
Children's Bible Drill  
Adult Handbells
- \* 7:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

MONDAY, JUNE 11

- \* 9:00 A.M.—"Needle" Workshop  
Ladies' Intermediate Aerobics
- 10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
- 10:15 A.M.—Ladies' Skating
- 12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
- 5:30 P.M.—Snack Supper
- 6:00 P.M.—Visitation
- 7:00 P.M.—"Needle" Workshop
- 7:30 P.M.—College / Single Adult Bible Study

TUESDAY, JUNE 12

- Baptist Women Group Meetings —  
Listed elsewhere in the BUILDER
- 9:00 A.M.—Beginner Aerobics
- 10:15 A.M.—Ladies' Skating
- 12:30 P.M.—Leisure Timers Choir
- 2:30 P.M.—Photography Session Begins

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13

- 6:30 A.M.—Men's Prayer Breakfast
- 9:00 A.M.—Ladies' Intermediate Aerobics
- 10:15 A.M.—Ladies' Skating
- 12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
- \* 4:45 P.M.—High School Acteens  
Middle School Choir
- \* 5:15 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner  
Boy Scout Committee  
Nominating Committee  
VBS Directors and Teachers
- \* 6:15 P.M.—Bible Study for Adults  
S.S. Weekly Workers Mtg.  
High School JOY  
College / Singles JOY  
Mission Friends  
Middle School Acteens  
Royal Ambassadors  
G.A.'s
- \* 7:00 P.M.—Sanctuary Choir
- 7:15 P.M.—Boy Scouts  
CAC Opens (Closes at 9:00)

THURSDAY, JUNE 14

- 9:00 A.M.—Beginner Aerobics
- 9:30 A.M.—Senior Adults
- 10:15 A.M.—Ladies' Skating
- 12:00 Noon—Businessmen's Luncheon

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

- \* 9:00 A.M.—Mother's Day Out  
Ladies' Intermediate Aerobics

### COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP JUNE 3, 1984

BY LETTER:

- 110. Wanda Bruner, 6252 Ridgeway Cir.,  
Pensacola, Fl. 32504 - 478-6737  
From: Cottonwood First Baptist,  
Cottonwood, Al.
- 111. Rev. Henry Nettles,  
2555 Berrydale Rd., 32533 - 968-6889  
From: Lakeview Baptist, Pensacola, Fl.
- 112. Mrs. Henry Nettles (Marianne)

### SERMON TOPICS

June 10, 1984

8:30 and 11:00 A.M.

"CHRIST AROSE . . . SO WHAT?"  
(1 Corinthians 15)

6:15 P.M.

"WHEN THE ROLL IS CALLED  
UP YONDER"  
(1 Corinthians 15)

### DESIGNATED GIFTS

BUILDING FUND .....\$750.00  
SPECIALS ..... 432.00

### BUDGET OFFERING REPORT

June 3, 1984  
Receipts .....\$ 37,918.01  
Weekly Budget Needs..... 26,481.00  
Budget Receipts  
Year To Date..... 570,852.68  
Budget Needs  
Year To Date..... 609,063.00

### THE CHURCH FAMILY AND STAFF GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGES RECENT NOTES OF APPRECIATION

Mrs. Susie Shoemaker.....Hospitalization  
Miss Annie Mertins.....Hospitalization  
Mrs. Doris Mooty.....Hospitalization

- 12:00 - 1:15 P.M.—Men's Exercise
- \* 6:30 P.M.—Singles Seminar
- SATURDAY, JUNE 16
- \* 8:30 A.M.—Singles Seminar
- \* Nursery Provided