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Worship Service Times

8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
6:00 p.m.

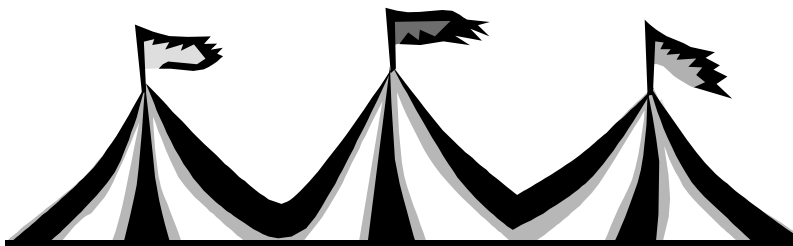
*Morning Service
Broadcast on WJLT
(105.3 FM) at 10:00 am
and on Channel 52
Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday at 9:00 a.m.*

Sunday School
9:45 a.m.

Minister on Call
685-3681

April 14-21
Paul Strahan

April 21-28
Matt Mason



**First Baptist Church
Family Pavilion
May 9 & 10**

(in conjunction with the Bar-B-Q Festival)

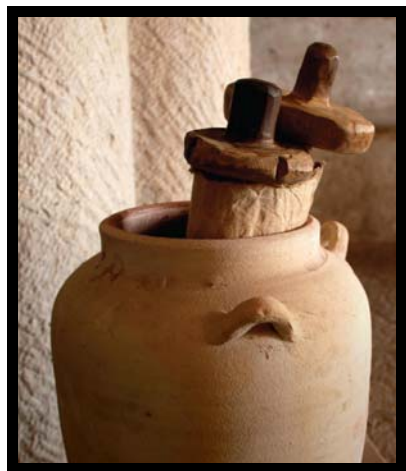
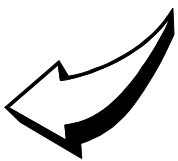
WE NEED YOU!

**Volunteer Sign-up Date
Sunday, April 20**

Please plan to volunteer and be a part of FBC's outreach ministry during the Bar-B-Q Festival. We need everyone to get involved.

Sign-up on April 20!

See inside this issue for more exciting news about the ministries of First Baptist Church.



**"MINOR
PROPHETS
WITH A
MAJOR
MESSAGE"**

**WORSHIP SERIES
Part I (April 6-May 4)**

A Word From Our Pastor

WILL YOU DO US A FAVOR? For those of you who attend the 11:00 Worship service we would like for all of you to sit downstairs. I know many of you enjoy the balcony but if you could for a little while help us out by coming downstairs for worship. Our 11:00 service gives us a great opportunity to reach those who may not be accustomed to attending church weekly. Thanks for giving this your attention. Our prayer is that we reach more folks so the balcony is needed.

FIRST ON MISSIONS! There are now in the pew rack **First On Mission** envelopes for your convenience. Our total FOM goal is \$210,000. In order to reach our goal we must give throughout the year. We just celebrated our Annie Armstrong mission offering. If you haven't participated in the Annie Armstrong offering just use one of the new First On Mission offering envelopes.

MINOR PROPHETS! This Sunday we will be looking at the book of Nahum.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER TRAINING! For those of you who are presently teaching and for those of you who are interested in becoming a teacher we are going to make available some training. The training will be identical and available at three different times so you will only need to attend one. We expect all of the present teachers to attend. The dates are **April 27, April 30, and May 4**. The times for the training will be as follows; **April 27 and May 4 at 4:30 pm and April 30 at 5:00 pm**. The training will take place in Room 217 across from the Library. You can start signing up by calling Brenda Willis. I need to know who will be attending. Every teacher needs to attend only one training, as they will all be the same.

CHILDREN'S/PRESCHOOL SEARCH! Keep praying. The search committee consists of **Charlotte Burton** (chairperson), **Sharon Johnson, Liz Floyd, Luanne Robbins, Jeff Willis, Richard Burgan, and Steve Clark**.

CHRISTIAN LIFE CENTER SEARCH! The search committee was named during our last Business Meeting. Begin praying for this group as they begin their work. Those on this committee are; **David Moore** (chairman), **Kathryn Fruge, Corey Clark, Wes Dunn, Bruce Baldwin, Jeff Poole, Donnie Bryant, Cortney Inklebarger, Jerry Kasinger, and Deb Schrooten**.

BAR-B-Q FESTIVAL! Just a reminder to sign-up this Sunday. We need everyone to be involved.

I LOVE YOU!
Paul



Becoming Fully Devoted Followers of Christ

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Church Office Hours

Monday - Thursday:
8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Newsletter information must be submitted in writing no later than Friday at 9:00 a.m. for the following week's newsletter.

You may fax your information (683-8067) or email it to myoung@fbcowb.org.

57th Annual National Day of Prayer

Prayer! America's Strength and Shield

Wednesday, April 30

6:30-8:00 pm

Freedom Teen Rally
DCHS, Led by LYNC

Thursday, May 1

Midnight-Midnight

(24 hour prayer coverage)

Many churches and groups will be taking one hour to pray for our nation.

7:00-7:55 am

Prayer Breakfast
Family YMCA

11:30-11:50 am

Circle of Good News
Courthouse Lawn

Over 365 people reading aloud the entire Word of God in 20 minutes. Come at 11:15, bring your Bible and pick up a scripture at the flagpole. A sign up sheet will be coming around in Sunday School. Bring a chair and umbrella if needed.

11:50 am-12:50 pm

Prayer/Worship Service
Courthouse

Questions... Call Connie McCoy at 683-2177.

ALL EVENTS ARE FREE



The Dove Brothers

In Concert

First Baptist Church

Saturday, May 3

at 7:00 p.m.

Admission is Free

A love offering will be taken.

All Ladies of the Church

You're Invited...

Salad and Dessert Social

Thursday, April 17 at 6 pm
in the Fellowship Hall

Please bring a salad or dessert and come join the fellowship. For more information contact Sarah Ford (685-1521) or Pam Brown (683-4566).

Senior Adult Breakfast and Bible Study

Friday, April 18

8:00 AM in the FH
Cost \$1.00 Per Person

Bible Study Topic: Common Men, Uncommon Calling
Presented by: Don Gipe

Purchase tickets from Carlene Mason, Gay Nell Edds, Dorothy Parks, Guy Deane Bob Farmer, or by calling Susan Taylor in the Church Office.

Calendar of Activities

Thursday, April 17

CLC open 7:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
11:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Women's Ministry

Friday, April 18

CLC open 7:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
8:00 a.m. Senior Adult Breakfast

Saturday, April 19

CLC open 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 20

CLC Closed
Library open 9:15 a.m.-10:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m. Morning Worship
9:45 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. Evening Service
7:00 p.m. Business Meeting

Monday, April 21

CLC open 7:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.

Tuesday, April 22

CLC open 7:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
6:00 a.m. Promise Keepers
6:30 p.m. Ladies Bible Study

Wednesday, April 23

CLC open 7:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study
4:45 p.m. Family Supper
5:30 p.m. Team Kids/Mission
Friends & Orchestra
6:00 p.m. Bible Study & Youth
6:15 p.m. Celebration Choir
7:15 p.m. Sanctuary Choir

Victoriously Frazzled

Led by: Leah Hoover
Wednesdays at
6:00 pm in Room 217

FLOWERS

Each week a beautiful floral arrangement is placed in the sanctuary in memory of or honor of a loved one. There are several Sundays throughout the year that are currently available. If you are interested or would like additional information, contact Sherry in the Church Office at 683-3505.

Ministry Reports

Sunday, April 6, 2008

Sunday School..... 572
Nursing Home 35
Jail..... 92
Total..... 699
D.T. Total..... 372

Our Stewardship

Weekly Budget Requirements: \$47,532.45
Weekly Budget Offering:\$39,105.91
Designated:\$ 442.00
STV Offering:.....\$ 1,022.25
Total Offering:.....\$40,570.16
Budget Goal to Date:\$665,454.30
Budget Offering to Date:\$598,988.79
Amount Under:\$ 66,465.51
YTD STV Offering\$ 8,965.50

In the Hospital... William Roberts, William Quisenberry and John Beam.

Sympathy... Christian love and sympathy to **Betty Fultz** and **Nancy Baize** in the death of **Alan Monahan**, son-in-law and nephew, respectively; **Elaine Lilly** and **Bruce Westerfield** in the death of their aunt, **Lucille Powers**; and **B.H. Parker** and family in the death of his wife, **Helen Parker**.

Flowers... The flowers in the sanctuary this Sunday are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of **Frank Young** by Katie and family.

Thanks... A note of appreciation has been received from Michael Keown (Maintenance Staff).

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



June 23-27

Register NOW by contacting
Becky Mobley in the
Preschool Department.

**Volunteers
Needed!**