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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 72
Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday at 9:00 a.m.*

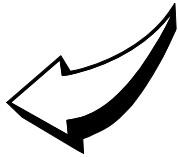
Sunday School
9:45 a.m.

Minister on Call
685-3681

January 19-26
Suzie Horner

Jan. 26-Feb. 2
Bob Farmer

See inside this issue for more exciting news about the Church.



SKI TRIP

JANUARY 31

For MS & HS Students

When: January 31st
Where: Paoli Peaks, IN
Cost: 13 years old+
\$32 (lift ticket only)
\$56 (rental and lift ticket)

Under 13 years old
\$26 (lift ticket only)
\$50 (rental and lift ticket)

Times:
We will meet at 7:00 am in the CLC and return at 9:00 pm. Lunch will be provided but you will need money for dinner in Tell City, IN on the way back home.

Additional Information:
We'll have a parent meeting on Wednesday night, January 28 at 7:15 pm in the East Chapel. The purpose of this meeting is to sign the Paoli Peaks waiver and release form as well as fill out a 2009 Medical Release form for FBC. This is also the DEADLINE to sign up! *Sign up by turning in your money to the Student Ministry Office.*



A YEAR OF EVANGELISM! I really believe the Lord would have us to reach more people this year and focus on evangelism. Our staff met for an extended time together and discussed the opportunities of reaching out to the unchurched. We settled on a phrase "LIVING FOR ONE" which has a dual meaning. As "followers of Christ" we are "living for one" and His name is Jesus. But as we live for Jesus He calls us to live for others. Will you take the challenge this year to live for one? As you live for Christ ask Him to allow you to live your life in such a way so at least one more person might come to know Christ personally and become a follower of Jesus. I am excited about 2009. Join us and let's "Live for One"!

INTENTIONAL EVANGELISM! It is my prayer that 2009 will be a banner year for winning lost people to Christ. If that is to happen then you and I must be intentional about sharing Christ with those around us. I shared a couple of Sundays ago a prayer to encourage you to tell your story to others about what Christ has done for you. Here is the formula...

- B** stands for **Boldness**
- A** stands for **Awareness**
- P** stands for **Power**
- O** stands for **Opportunities**
- W** stands for **Words**

Pray that God will give you boldness to speak, the awareness of those who need Christ, power from the Holy Spirit, opportunities to tell your story, and the words to speak that Christ may be honored.

We Love You
Paul

Christian Women Connecting...

Attention all young adult ladies and women of the church

Calling all Frazzled Females...

Frazzled Female Conference and Lunch
Saturday, February 28
9:15 am-3:00 pm

Guest Speaker: Cindi Wood, Author of
"Frazzled Female" and "Victoriously Frazzled"
Tickets are \$5 and available at FBC and LifeWay
Nursery Provided and FREE Registration Required

Sponsored by the Women's Ministry of First Baptist Church


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Live for One...



Church Office Hours

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

PLEASE PARDON OUR MESS...

The CLC is receiving a much needed face lift. We are sorry for any inconvenience the renovations may cause and thank you for your patience and understanding.

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.

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PROMISE KEEPERS

Tuesday Mornings
6:00 am to 7:00 am
Fellowship Hall
Breakfast

All men welcome

Come join us for a 6 month study on **The Truth Project** by Focus On The Family

For additional information contact Avery Wedding at 684-9345

Life Line Screening is scheduling appointments for Health Screenings on Monday, January 26. Simply call 1-800-679-5609. Your health and well-being are important to us.

Calendar of Activities

Thursday, January 22
CLC open 8:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.
5:00 p.m.....Upwards
8:00 p.m.....Men's Fastbreak

Friday, January 23
CLC open 7:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
5:00 p.m.....Upward BB

Saturday, January 24
CLC open 9:00 a.m.- 3:00 p.m.
8:00 a.m.....Upwards Games

Sunday, January 25
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
5:00 p.m.....K-12 Choirs
6:00 p.m.....Evening Service
7:00 p.m.....Business Meeting

Monday, January 26
CLC open 7:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m.....Men's Fastbreak

Tuesday, January 27
CLC open 8:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.
6:00 a.m.....Promise Keepers

Wednesday, January 28
CLC open 7:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
4:45 p.m.....Family Supper
5:30 p.m.....TeamKid & Orchestra
6:00 p.m.....Bible Study & Youth
6:15 p.m.....Celebration Choir
7:05 p.m.....Sanctuary Choir

KIDZ CORNER

Information for Children and Parents...

- Hop on Frogger Blogger for up to the minute details of events, informative news and pictures. "What is Frogger Blogger?" you might ask. Well, go to www.fbcowb.org and click on the Ministry tab, then Children's Ministry, and then jump on the Frogger Blogger and find out for yourself.
- Children's Worship Service...Grades K-3rd now have their own worship service during the 11:00 service in Room 300. Please come and join us as we worship the Lord, kid's style.
- Those parking in the back parking lot on Wednesday Nights please park in the designated parking spots only. This will give the vans and buses plenty of room to back up upon their leaving to pick up and take home children. Thank you for your cooperation concerning this matter.
- Children in grades K-5th come and enjoy a night of fun, entertainment, food, photographs, and great memories, Friday, February 6, 6:00-9:00 at FBC's Mommy/Son Banquet or Daddy/Daughter Banquet. Sons bring your Mommy or another significant lady in your life and Daughters bring your Daddy or other special man. Dress for the Daddy/Daughter is Sunday best and casual for the Mommies and sons. The cost is \$10 per couple and you will need to sign up or contact Suzie in the church office before the January 28th deadline in order to attend.



Ministry Reports

Sunday, January 11, 2009

Sunday School..... 611
Nursing Home 35
Jail..... 75
Total..... 721
D.T..... 382

Our Stewardship

Weekly Budget Requirements:\$49,293.88
Weekly Budget Offering:\$29,617.16
Designated:\$ 80.00
STV Offering:.....\$ 122.00
FOM Offering:\$ 4,512.51
Total Offering:.....\$34,331.67
Budget Goal to Date:\$98,587.76
Budget Offering to Date:.....\$72,302.95
Amount Under:.....\$26,284.81
YTD STV Offering\$ 438.50
YTD FOM.....\$ 5,547.51

In the Hospital (as of 1-8)...Joseph Hicks, Charlie Jennings, Donald Kennedy and Cindy Thomas.

Sympathy...Christian love and sympathy to Martha Shown in the death of her nephew, **Ben Salmon**.

Flowers...The flowers in the sanctuary this Sunday are given by Barbara, Shane and Hayden Wilson to the glory of God and in loving memory of her parents, **Jean Tolin and Fred Tolin**.

Thank You...A note of appreciation has been received by Jean Byrd stating...*Thank you so much for the cards, calls, food, visits and most of all your prayers during my recent illness. Jerry and I are so blessed to be a part of such a caring church. God bless you this New Year.*