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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.*

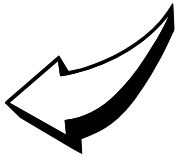
Sunday School
9:45 a.m.

Minister on Call
685-3681

April 6-13
Paul Strahan

April 13-20
Mark Slaughter

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



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Maundy Thursday, April 9
“Harvest of Sorrows”
presented by the Worship Ministry
7:00 pm in the Sanctuary

Good Friday, April 10
Office Closed

Easter Sunday, April 12
Worship Services: 8:30 am & 11:00 am
Sunday School: 9:45 am
No Evening Service



Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

For North American Missions
2009 Goal: \$65 million

FBC Goal: \$21,000

This is a percentage of our FOM offering goal of \$210,000

CLC Renovations Update

Over the last few weeks, the most popular question I have been receiving is... “When will the new fitness room be open?” Well, as I have mentioned to most who have asked this question, it has been tough to give an exact date. The fitness room is primarily ready to go, with the flooring, equipment and TVs already installed. Now, we are just finalizing a few of the loose ends in order to go live! The one major piece to that puzzle is finishing up the installation of the electronic door equipment. We are waiting on a few items that will allow us to efficiently administer the entrance to this room through access cards, providing a greater level of security and safety for all parties involved.

With all of that being said, we expect those pieces to be in place this week. We are encouraging people to come to the CLC starting the week of April 13 and complete the registration process. This will include filling out our registration form as well as completing an orientation for the new room during one of our orientation classes. These classes will be conducted by one of the CLC staff members in a group format for the first few weeks in order to orientate as many people at one time as possible. Those will more than likely take place at 6:00 pm on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday for the first two weeks.

Another item of note is that the new flooring in the aerobics room is under construction as I type this. The installation of this floor should be completed and ready for use by April 13. This room will now house the Fitness @ First exercise classes, and should be a great addition to the CLC!

Please know that the CLC staff and Christian Activities Committee are as excited as anyone about opening the doors on these new additions, but we want to make sure we are as prepared as possible for their arrival! Your patience through this process has been much appreciated and will continue to be! Let’s all embrace the challenge to concern ourselves with the fitness level of our community, both physical and spiritual! **LIVE FOR ONE!**

BBQ Festival Family Pavilion

FBC is once again participating in Owensboro’s largest event of the year, attempting to impact our community with the love of Jesus Christ. In order to do this, much participation and service is needed from the congregation. Therefore, over the next few weeks, you will be hearing of many different ways to get involved. Please prayerfully consider your role in this ministry and service for the kingdom!

Until the nets are full, Wesley


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First Baptist Church

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Church Office Hours

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

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.

58th Annual National Day of Prayer

Prayer!...America's Hope! Psalm 33:22

Wednesday, May 6
6:30-8:00 pm

Freedom Teen Rally
Bridgepointe, Led by LYNC

Thursday, May 7

**Noon (May 6)-
Noon (May 7)**

(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. 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



SAVE THE DATES: Vacation Bible School

June 22-26
8:30 am—12:00 noon
Please volunteer to help!

ATTENTION SENIOR ADULTS...

Reservations are still being taken for the Senior Adult Alaskan Cruise from May 30 thru June 7.

Contact Susan in the CLC office for general details ASAP.

SOFTBALL

Sign ups for the Men's and Women's Softball teams are being accepted in the CLC office until April 26. Cost to play is \$10 for the season.

Contact Wes or Susan for more information or to sign up.

Calendar of Activities

Thursday, April 9

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

Friday, April 10

Good Friday
Office & CLC Closed

Saturday, April 11

CLC open 9:00 a.m.-1:00p.m.
2:00 p.m.....Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 12

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

Monday, April 13

CLC open 7:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
5:00 p.m.....Trustees Meeting

Tuesday, April 14

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 15

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.....TeamKid & Orchestra
6:00 p.m.....Bible Study & Youth
6:00 p.m.....SS Review, Parlor
6:15 p.m.....Celebration Choir
7:05 p.m.....Sanctuary Choir

April Children's Activities

Join us at Reid's Orchard for our annual

Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 11 at 2:00

All First Baptist children and friends are invited

Don't forget to bring your basket!

In case of inclement weather, the Easter Egg Hunt will be held in the CLC. If in doubt about the location please call Reid's Orchard at 685-2444.



Ministry Reports

Sunday, March 29, 2009

Sunday School 448
Nursing Home 34
Jail 72
Total..... 554

D.T. 395

Our Stewardship

Weekly Budget Requirements: \$49,293.88
Weekly Budget Offering: \$53,451.12
Designated: \$ 52.00
STV Offering: \$ 90.00
FOM Offering: \$ 1,852.00
Total Offering: \$55,445.12

Budget Goal to Date:.....\$640,820.44
Budget Offering to Date:.....\$537,269.68
Amount Under: \$103,550.76
YTD STV Offering \$ 3,201.75
YTD FOM..... \$ 18,170.16

In the Hospital...Dave Slaughter, Gene Head, Richard Anderson (Deaconess), Faith Miller (St. Joseph), and Anna Donaldson (Kosair).

Sympathy...Christian love and sympathy to Mike Keown in the death of his uncle, **Don Nugent** who died March 30 and his aunt, **Mary Schiegedder** who died April 3; and Elizabeth McCool in the death of her brother, **Robert Holland** who died April 3.

Flowers...The flowers in the sanctuary this Sunday are given by Gary and Mary Lisa Tunget, Mike Gore and Jean Earl Felix to the glory of God and in loving memory of **William B. and Clara Nance**.

Night at the Ballpark

Evansville Otters vs. Rockford Riverhawks

Friday, July 31 * Game Time 7:05

Bosse Field (Evansville, IN)

Trip Cost: \$10

Includes: Admission to the Game; Transportation (will be leaving the church parking lot @ 5:30pm); and Home Run Picnic at the Game! (Includes one hot dog & one hamburger per person, your choice of two side items, & fountain drinks throughout the game).

Seating: Directly behind the Otters dugout!

*Individuals under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult

Team Website: <http://www.evansvilleotters.com/index.html>

Contact the CLC for your reservations at 683-3505



FBC Family Pavilion is in conjunction with the BBQ Festival!

Friday, May 8
The Doerfels

Northeast's brightest young bluegrass family ensemble

7:00 pm in the Church
Back Parking Lot

**Children's
Carnival**
Saturday, May 9

10:00 am-5:00 pm
Church Parking Lot

**All activities listed
are FREE to the public**

Super Slide Obstacle Course, Mechanical Bull, Pony Rides, Petting Farm, Sports Center, Moon Bounce, Face Painting, Wall Climb, Clowns, Balloons, and More...



We need VOLUNTEERS!
We need YOU!!

Come be a part of FBC's
Outreach Ministry to
our community!

Sign-up in your SS Class
or at the table outside the
sanctuary beginning April 12.