

FACTS—FIGURES—FELLOWSHIP

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BUDGET REPORT FOR MARCH 1-25 2013

MARCH 1-25 RECEIPTS\$24,685.79
MONTHLY BUDGET NEEDED\$24,024.14
RECEIPTS OVER FOR BUDGET.....\$ 661.65

ACTUAL BUDGET RECEIPT/EXPENSE REPORT

March 1-25 Receipts.....\$24,685.79
March 1-25 Expenses.....\$14,761.72
March 1-25 Receipts over Expenses.....\$ 9,924.07

FINAL BUDGET REPORT FOR FEBRUARY 2013

FEBRUARY 1-28 RECEIPTS.....\$24,440.77
MONTHLY BUDGET NEEDED.....\$24,024.14
RECEIPTS OVER FOR BUDGET.....\$ 416.63

ACTUAL BUDGET RECEIPT/EXPENSE REPORT

February 1-28 Receipts.....\$24,440.77
February 1-28 Expenses.....\$19,539.83
February 1-28 Receipts over Expenses.....\$ 4,900.94

USHERS FOR MARCH

Curtis Dalton, Larry Dorris & David Burquest

APRIL LIST FOR DEACON OF THE WEEK

7—Chuck Hughey 14—Jon Huguley
21 - Mike Sullivan 28—Mark Burquest

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AVERAGE ATTENDANCE MARCH 3-24

BIBLE STUDY— 81
MORNING WORSHIP— 107

If you are not plugged in with a Bible Study Group you are missing a blessing. Bible Study begins at 9:45 am
Join Us! We have classes for all ages!

C.A.R.E. Ministry meets each Wednesday at 5:30 pm
Join us as we write notes & make phone calls

1st Wednesday: Friendship, Young Adults
2nd Wednesday: JOY & HomeBuilders
3rd Wednesday: Harmony & Willing Workers
4th Wednesday: New Beginning, Youth & Faithful Servants

Celebration Sunday cancelled for April

We will not have Celebration Sunday in April due to other Sunday activities during the month. We encourage you to attend the Daniel Crews concert at Unity Baptist Church in Bonaire on April 7 at 6pm and the Home School Concert here at FBC on April 28 at 6pm. Additional activities include the Youth Spaghetti fundraiser at noon on April 7 and Dinner on the Grounds at noon on April 28.



Dinner on the Grounds
Sunday, April 28
Following the Morning Service

Please bring your favorite covered dishes to share with everyone as we celebrate the 71st Anniversary of FBCWR.

Homeschool Chorus Spring Concert

Sunday, April 28—6 PM
First Baptist Church Warner Robins

The entire church family is invited to the annual spring concert presented by the Central Georgia Homeschool Chorus, under the direction of Wanda Burquest. Twenty-one students and four adults (including our own Janice Hughey) will be ringing hand bells and hand chimes. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the Fellowship Hall.

Flint River FCA | 6th Annual Banquet

Featuring Herschel Walker and Leah O'Brien-Amico
Thursday, April 18, 2013 6:30 PM
Miller-Murphy-Howard Building, GA Nat'l Fairgrounds
Register online at FLINTRIVERFCA.ORG

Baptism—April 7, 2013

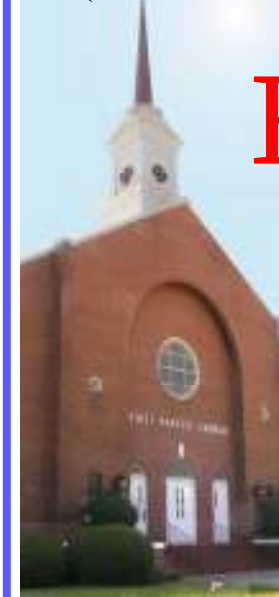
Keisha McKay Devin Verdier
Jenna Alexander

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Chad Wood
Nick Prieto

Senior Pastor
Minister of Worship & Youth

From the Pastor

Its crazy to me how time has flown by. On April 22, I will have officially been pastor at FBC for a year. As I am writing this, I can't help but think about what all I was feeling and thinking as I was preparing to come and serve at FBC. While there were a lot of various things I expected about what pastoring would be like and there were also things that I did not anticipate. With excitement about God's direction in my life, I naturally thought about preaching the Gospel, focusing on leadership principles for the church, and building relationships. But the most overwhelming thing that I have experienced this past year that I did not think about before coming on staff, is just how much love and support I would be given from the people of FBC. Shana and I have been greatly blessed to become a part of the FBC faith family. We have truly been encouraged by so many of you gracious godly people who have blessed us as we have gotten to know you better. I praise God for you. So now as I think more about the next year as pastor, I look forward to knowing you even better. My prayer is that as we continue to get to know each other more, we will spur one another on towards treasuring God more and grow in our passion for His will in our lives to make disciples and reach out to others every where we go. Thank you for allowing me preach, teach, lead, and pastor at FBC. Thank you for praying for me. Thank you for your support and encouragement. Thank you for the desire to see the Gospel transform lives in and through FBC church. Thank you, thank you, thank you. I am truly blessed. I love you church!

Pastor Chad

Thank You

Recommended reading :

"Prayer: The Timeless Secret of High-Impact Leaders" by Dave Early
"A book you'll actually read on Church Leadership" by Mark Driscoll

April 2013

From the Worship/Youth Pastor

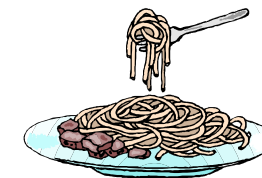
It is hard to believe that spring has sprung. I love this season because new life is seen all around us through God's magnificent creation, *and* it means warmth! Spring and summer are my favorite seasons because I love being outside and active. That is a big reason why I love sports. As it warms up, I also get excited about what is coming up with the youth. Please keep a close eye on the calendar because the youth have some different fundraising events to help send them to SUPERWOW Summer Camp in Ft. Walton Beach, FL. We have a Spaghetti Lunch April 7th and a Yard Sale May 11th. We would love to have your help, so get a ticket for the Spaghetti Lunch and donate plenty for the Yard Sale! If interested, you can also help the youth through scholarships. In the end, remember that your investment is an investment in eternity!

Recently, Psalm 4:6-7 has been on my mind. The psalmist wrote, "6 There are many who say, 'Who will show us some good? Lift up the light of your face upon us, O LORD!' 7 You have put more joy in my heart than they have when their grain and wine abound." In the midst of adversity, the psalmist is seeking God and recalls that his true joy has come from God alone. With so much vying for our attention and devotion, I am refreshingly reminded that our greatest satisfaction and joy will only be found when we seek God! Therefore, I encourage you to seek God!

Nick Prieto

Spaghetti Lunch Youth Summer Camp Fundraiser

Sunday, April 7
After Morning Service
See a student for tickets!



*Kayla Turner
*Wanda Burquest
*Tom Head
80th Birthday!



**Donations of items are needed for:
Youth Yard Sale Saturday, May 11, 2013
All proceeds will go toward Summer Camp
Contact Mike Sullivan for assistance with
delivery of donations (phone: 335-5341)**



Friday, April 5
7pm—7am

Bring money for
Bowling!



Sundays
9:45 am Bible Study
11:00 am Morning Worship

Wednesdays
5:30 pm CARE
6:00 pm Mid-Week Bible Study

*Birthdays

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| | 1 | 2 <i>*Tom Knight *Emily McConnell Smith</i> | 3 Deco Mesh Wreath Workshop 9 am—1 pm Deacons 5:30 pm | 4 | 5 Youth Lock In 7pm - 7am <i>*Deanna Gordon Craig *Ralph Smith</i> | 6 Deacon/ Staff/Wives Prayer Breakfast 8:30 am |
| 7 Youth Fundraiser Meal – following morning service Daniel Crews Concert At Unity Baptist Church, Bonaire - 6 pm | 8 Home School Choir—Bells 10 am Keenagers— Noon <i>*Dale Getty</i> | 9 | 10 <i>*Dick Cooke *Adam Dalton</i> | 11 | 12 | 13 <i>*Dot Hall— 90th Birthday!</i> |
| 14 Church Council— 3:30 pm Stewardship—5 pm | 15 Home School Choir—Bells 10 am | 16 <i>*Rusty Grace</i> | 17 Quarterly Meeting 6 pm | 18 WMU—10 am | 19 | 20 <i>*Kayla Turner *Wanda Burquest *Tom Head 80th Birthday!</i> |
| 21 | 22 Home School Choir—Bells 10 am | 23 | 24 Administrative Professionals Day | 25 | 26 <i>*J.M. Crumpton *David Burquest</i> | 27 |
| 28 Dinner on the Ground following morning service Home School Concert 6 pm <i>*Parker McConnell</i> | 29 | 30 <i>*Gervaise Perdue</i> | <p>Daniel Crews In Concert Date: Sunday, April 7, 2013 Time: 6:00 PM Place: Unity Baptist Church 479 GA Hwy 96 Bonaire, GA 31005 Resident Artist at First Baptist Church - Atlanta, Georgia danielcrews.com</p> | | | |
| | If you have a birthday that isn't on the calendar—please call church office | | | | | |

FBC has the privilege to be one of the host churches for the **Family Promise Ministry**. This will provide us with four individual unique weeks throughout the year, to minister to up to four homeless families during some of their toughest times. We will have additional help from support churches who will not house the families, but help us with food and volunteers. Our first week to host families will be July 28-Aug. 4. Please contact Beth McConnell at 954-6154 with questions, opportunities, etc.

Do you want to help provide a blessing while receiving one? Please begin to pray about how the Lord might use you to help in this wonderful ministry. Some of the opportunities will be to:
Provide a dinner meal for 14 and eat with families
Be a host couple for one night and sleep at church
Help with activity time, homework, recreation one night or weekend
Help transport families to/ from Day Center on Saturday or Sunday



WMU—Current Missions

Our WMU Current Missions group meets the 3rd Thursday of each month at **10 a.m.** Our next meeting is **April 18**. Ladies, please join us as we look at and plan for the mission opportunities before us.

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EMPHASIS—March 24—April 7
Goal: \$2,800 Received to Date: \$310



Keenagers
Monday, April 8
Noon—Covered Dish
Entertainment by: Local Talent

All Senior Adults are encouraged to bring a dish and join us for wonderful food, fellowship and entertainment.



Youth Summer Camp—Ft. Walton Beach, FL
June 17—21
See Nick for details on registration