

For Our Guests:

GREETERS

Our Greeters are easily identified by their “Ask Me!” badges and will be glad to answer any questions and even escort you to any place you need to go.

CONNECTION CARD

We are honored to have you as our guest today! We pray you will receive a blessing through God’s Word! So that we may have a record of your visit, please fill out a Connection Card located in the seat-back pocket in front of you and place in the offering plate at the close of today’s service. You may also include any prayer requests and our staff will be honored to pray for you this week.

INVITATION

We sincerely desire for God to do a life-changing work in you today! We invite you to share any significant decision made during today’s Worship Service by either coming forward during the Invitation immediately following today’s sermon or by sharing your decision on a Connection Card and placing it in the offering plate.

WELCOME LOBBY

Guests, please visit our Welcome Desk following today’s service. We have a special gift just for you! The Welcome Desk is located in our Welcome Lobby and can be easily accessed by exiting the Worship Center and turning left into the Classroom Building.

WELCOME CENTER

We would like to invite everyone to join us in the Fellowship Hall following the 9:00AM Worship Service for a time of fellowship and a light breakfast. FBCI, this is a great opportunity for you to meet our visitors and get to know your church family better. See you there!

FBCI Family Information:

January 1, 2012 Attendance & Giving:

ATTENDANCE: 10:45AM: 397

General Budget: \$22,950.22 - Beyond Measure: \$12,675.00

December 25, 2011 Attendance & Giving:

ATTENDANCE: 10:45AM: 322 *Christmas Eve Services Combined: 525*

General Budget: \$20,642.81 - Beyond Measure: \$2,388.00

New Members:

Brad & Elizabeth Rawlings

Deacon-on-Call:

For special needs, please contact the Deacon on Call after office hours at 495.4125 and a deacon will respond to your page as soon as possible.

Join Our Online Community:

Church Community Builder - Go to our website www.fbcislands.com and click on Connect/then Community!



Announcements:

MERGE COOK-OUT

If you are a new member, recent attender, or visitor please join us tonight at 6:00PM for a cook-out. This low key event is designed to ‘Merge’ you into the life of our church. You will have an opportunity to meet our church staff, and get more information on FBCI. Everything will be provided. Hope to see you there!

FIRST LOOK SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

If you are new to FBCI, we invite you to attend a short term Sunday School class entitled ‘First Look’. This class will give you detailed information on FBCI and will take place on January 15th, 22th, & 29th during the 9:00AM hour in Classroom #D113. For further details, please contact the church office.

FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY

Beginning February 12th, we will offer Dave Ramsey’s *Financial Peace University*. This widely popular radio host will lead 13 weeks of high-energy DVD teaching sessions. Classes will meet on Sunday evenings from 5:30-7:00PM and will cost \$30 per individual or couple. There will be a preview showing on Sunday, January 29th, at 5:30PM at which time the \$30 (cost for 13-week study) will be due. You may register today in the Welcome Lobby.

LADIES’ BIBLE STUDY

The Ladies’ Tuesday Morning Bible Study will begin this Tuesday, January 10th (9:30-11:30AM). They will study the book of Jonah “Navigating a Life Interrupted” by Pricilla Shirer. You can’t escape the interruptions, but you can change your perspective on them. Contact Marci Herndon at 898.1239 for further details.

MOPS MEETING

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) will meet this Wednesday, January 11th at 9:15-11:30AM in the Fellowship Hall. MOPS is a great opportunity to connect with other mothers of preschoolers, be encouraged, and gain parenting strategies. Contact Christine Lipian at 330.391.9081 for details.

MEN’S CONFERENCE

On February 10th-11th, the Men’s Ministry will travel to Woodstock, GA for a Men’s Conference. This is the 20th annual conference at FBC Woodstock hosted by Pastor Johnny Hunt. The registration fee is \$100 and you may register online at www.fbcislands.com. For more details, please contact Jay Howard.

LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING

Today will be the final day FBCI will collect for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. Our goal for 2011 is \$17,000. Please use envelopes marked Lottie Moon located in the seat back pockets for this offering.

MUSIC MINISTRY

The FBCI Choir will kick back in gear with their rehearsals this Thursday, January 12th at 7:00PM. If you’ve considered being part of this exciting ministry, this is the time to plug in! Contact Nathan Potter for details (nathan@fbcislands.com). Childcare provided for most rehearsals and it’s a great way to connect with others.

LADIES’ CRAFT DAY

On Saturday, January 21st, there will be a Ladies’ Craft Day (9:00AM until) in the Fellowship Hall. Each lady is encouraged to bring her own craft and some goodies to share. So, gather up your crafting supplies and join us for a great time of fellowship. No children please! Contact Maranda Presley at 897.2142 for details.

MOMSNEXT MEETING

MOMSnEXt is a group for mothers of school-aged children designed to encourage, equip and develop mothers. They will meet tomorrow (January 9th, 10:00-11:30AM) at the Islands YMCA. For further details, contact Connie Butsko at 898.4344 or Kym McCarty at kymmccarty@hotmail.com.