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Children’s New Members Class

Sunday, October 14th and 21st
5:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.
For all children who have believed in Jesus and are ready to join with the church family through baptism.
Parents are encouraged to attend with their children.

Join Ryan Miles in Room 206

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Happy First Ministry Presents:
'Ten Hut!' The Courageous Life of Joshua
on Sunday Mornings
Starting October 14th

FCY Fall Fiesta
Friday, October 19th
Get Lost in the Romney vs Obama Corn Maze
Followed by a Bonfire
and S'mores Cook-off!
Only $8

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Connie Maxwell Children's Home Fall Festival
Saturday, October 20th,
10 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Volunteers and candy are needed!
Contact Eddie McGee at
803-892-4417

Connie Maxwell

A Message from a Pastor

In the end everything will burn, what will a trial by fire leave you with? Some of us make plans regularly and even to the point we have a 10, 15, and 20 year outlook. When it comes to plan making Jesus has some instruction for us. He says to keep our attention on today, for today has enough trouble on its own, why worry about tomorrow. The other place we see Jesus directing our attention is way out into the future. For again Jesus addresses worry in John 14:6, “Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not let them be afraid.” He wants our attention on today, the things that need our attention now.

In the end, everything will burn and we will be judged by fire. What will a trial by fire leave you with? May our Lord continue to bless your church for the outreach of His Kingdom.

Blessings,
Franke Strange
West Side Baptist Church

Dear First Calvary,
I want to thank you and your church for providing your shower trailer for our mission team. It made our mission efforts a success in our own back yard. Please accept this small token of appreciation for the use of your shower trailer. May our Lord continue to bless your church for the outreach of His Kingdom!

Blessings,
Frank Strange
West Side Baptist Church

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We are very grateful to have a successful school year. Your donations will enable many students to be better prepared to have a successful school year.

Sincerely,
Edie Burritt

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Blessings,
Franke Strange
West Side Baptist Church

Dear First Calvary,
on behalf of Gilbert Elementary School I'd like to thank you for your generous donation of shower supplies to our school. Your carefully shopping for our children helped us meet the specific needs of our students on the very first day of school. We have seen an increase in students arriving to school without the proper tools to learn and greatly appreciate your help in meeting this tremendous need for our students and families. Thank you for considering Gilbert Elementary as the benefactor of your kindness and generosity. Your donations will enable many students to be better prepared to have a successful school year.

Very sincerely,
Edie Burritt

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Our mission team, Jimani Mission Team, is leaving for Haiti. They will leave Oct. 12th. Please pray for the team as they prepare to serve in their mission and for their safety while there.

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First Calvary's Fall Festival!
6:00 to 8:30 p.m.
Come join the fun!

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First Calvary, we must ask ourselves if the choices, and actions we take were to be tested by fire, and the fire will test what sort of work each of us has very much trouble focusing our attention on the immediate. But what about Jesus' other prescription of focusing our attention so far down the line we are looking to Heaven? How often do we step back and think through how our decisions, choices, and actions impact eternity? Paul in 1 Corinthians 3 reveals why we should have this type of focus: "each one's work will become manifest, for the day will disclose it, because it will be revealed by fire, and the fire will test what sort of work each one has done." (3:13-14). Therefore, we must ask ourselves if the decisions we make and the actions we take were to be tested by fire before God what would be revealed: "wood, hay, straw" or "gold, silver, precious stones?" (3:12)?

In Christ, Mitch