

This Week @ FBC

Sunday, April 12

8 am Deacon's Meeting
 9:30 am Sunday Bible Study
 10:55 am Morning Worship/Lord's Supper
 12:15 pm Summer Camp Fund Raising Luncheon
 4 pm Church Council Meeting
 6 pm Evening Worship

Monday, April 13

10 am Joyful Praise/Parkside
 5:30 pm Outstretch

Tuesday, April 14

10:30 am Keenager's Meeting

Wednesday, April 15

5 pm Wednesday Evening Meal
Spaghetti Salad Bread Dessert
 5:30 pm Youth Pizza
 6 pm Women Bible Study
 Children's Spring Program
 6:15 pm Orchestra Rehearsal
 6:30 pm Business Meeting
 7:15 pm Worship Choir Rehearsal

Saturday, April 18

10 am Ignite Set-up
 1 pm Pinewood Derby
 6 pm Ignite Saturday Night Worship

Find more info online at www.fbcfo.org



Prayer Concerns

Hospital

Shirley Forester
 Bobbie Allison
 Norma Carpenter
 Mary Alkire

Home

Sarah Glenn
 Mackie Yatooma
 Arleen Wyatt
 Becky Trew
 Tressie Fletcher
 Sonya Howard
 Louise Fletcher
 Jack Smith
 Jim Forester

Betty Goodner
 Helen Fisher
 Sarah Delzell
 Odell Culver
 Taimie Imler
 Winona Lewis
 Joann Ezell
 Stewart
 Mack Hannah
 Linda Sikes
 Georgia Dobson
 June Stewart
 Robin Ellis
 Beth Daugherty
 Nell Smith

Karen Webb
 Christy Cundiff
 Wayne Thomas
 Sam & Mary-Lou
 Brown
 Dale & Dolores
 Kinnison
 Wiley & Helen
 Epperson
 Dottie Holland
 Alabama

Nursing Home

Eva Williams
 Eunice Mosman
 Henry Parker
 Margaret Calvo
 Ollie Grisham
 Bobby Harwood
 Ruth Graham
 Eloise Morris
 Hazel Smith
 Myrtle Thomas
 Lila Archer

Birthdays

Sherry Ellis (12)
 Traci Hicks (13)
 Ben Perry (13)
 Doug Trew (14)
 Carol McDowell (15)

Royal Smith (15)
 Ally Thomas (15)
 Norma Carpenter (16)
 Thomas Smith (16)
 Joyce Smith (18)

Staff

Pastor - Jason Thomas
 Discipleship Pastor - Andy Atkinson
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Our Volunteers

Deacons of the Week

Apr. 12-18
 Jeanette Dupree
 Jeff Fletcher
 Bryan Alexander

Apr. 19-25
 Mark Fletcher
 Hank Humphrey
 Patrice Humphrey
 Ronnie Born

Wednesday Meal

April 15
 Laurie Brown
 Wayne Rasbury
 Charlie Rasbury
 Pat Medearis

April 22
 P. Pennington
 Terry Pennington
 Christy Cundiff
 Sandra Mullins

Security

Apr. 12-18
 Raymond Dupree
 Ray Williamson

Apr. 19-25
 Alvin Davis
 Ron Bethune

Greeters

April 12
 Harold Parrish
 Betty Parrish
 George McDowell

April 19
 Kay Swafford
 Sue Overlin
 Mary Jo Case

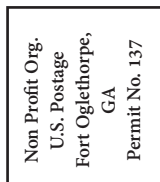
Extended Session

Next Sunday, April 12

Babies Louise Stinnett
 Carrie Payne
 1&2 yr olds Stacy Thomas
 Drew Todaro
 3 yr olds Ron Mullins
 Sandra Mullins

Next Sunday, April 19

Babies Joyce Rogers
 Candy Vann
 1&2 yr olds David White
 Drew Todaro
 3 yr olds Amy Bradford
 Brittany Stone



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Christ Chapel
 Canned Meat

Outstretch

Join us on Monday, April 13 @ 5:30 pm when we will head out to share some warm hospitality and a friendly smile to our recent visitors and others in the community.



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Upcoming Events

Summer Camp Fundraiser

A Fund Raising Luncheon will be this Sunday, March 12 after Morning Worship in the Fellowship Circle with Oven Baked Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad, Fresh Yeast Rolls & Dessert. Parents don't forget we need lots of desserts! Set-up will be Sunday Morning at 9 am and stay until 1:30 pm for clean-up.

Body 4 Believers

Our Church is hosting a health & diet seminar "Learn to Lose" led by the Body 4 Believers Ministry Team. The seminar is free and will be this Saturday from 9 am to 1 pm in our Fellowship Circle. Contact Carol McDowell at 706 -866-9000 for more information.

Dual County Defenders Presents "Side Effects"

We are partnering with the Catoosa Prevention Initiative to host "Side Effects." This is a theatrical drama for ages 11 and up, concerning the pitfalls of prescription drug abuse/misuse. Several of our area high school teens will be performing in this drama. Please join us for this special free event on Wednesday, April 29, 2015 at 6pm in the Worship Center. It will be a blessing for pre-teens, teens, and adults of all ages.

New Playground Dates Have Changed

We are very excited about our new playground and we'll need your help in the near future. Please note, however, that our installation dates have changed. The installation will happen later in the summer. More details will be coming your way soon!

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

Please pray for our missionaries and give to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. Every dollar you give will go towards church planting and missions in the United States.

Goal: \$6,000

Received: \$4,507

April 8-15

Word From Our Pastor

Jason Thomas

Happy week after Easter! Let me share a word of praise and thankfulness for all of the ministry teams who helped us experience an amazing Easter weekend. Our hospitality team provided wonderful set up and service for our special Passover Experience. Our Children's team put together an exciting Eggs-Travaganza on Saturday morning. Our deacon team provided set up and a yummy breakfast for our Sunrise Experience. And our Worship Choir & Orchestra led us to the Throne of Grace in our Easter Worship Celebration.

about numbers, our attendance this weekend was greater than it has been in many years. We counted 160 at our Passover Experience, 45 children at the Egg Hunt, 50 folks at the Saturday night service, 95 at Sunrise, and 365 in the Sunday morning Celebration. I know we were a little fatigued by the end, but it was completely worth the effort to bring glory to our risen Savior and to share the good news with so many people!

After a short time of rest this week, let's look forward to another exciting weekend of worship still ahead. We will begin a new sermon series on the Sermon on the Mount and will experience the Lord's Supper this weekend. See you soon!

The Tomb is Still Empty, Jason

Though we are never simply

The Sunday Report

Bible Study Attendance	251
11 am Worship Attendance	365
Ignite Attendance	50
Annual Budget	549,050.20
YTD Budget Needs	147,821.21
YTD Budget Giving	134,237.86

This Sunday's Message:

"Are You 'Alive'?"

New Hearts & New Minds"
Matthew 5:3-12

Next Sunday's Message:

New Sermon on the Mount
Series Continues

Total Receipts for the Week:	17,683.38
Weekly Budget Giving	14,136.79
Weekly Legacy Giving	1,673.56
Weekly Missions Giving	1,775.03

Announcements

Children's Home

It is time for the annual **GEORGIA BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES COLLECTION DAY**. This year we are only asking for Wal-Mart gift cards. These have been suggested by the home as a good way for them to purchase the items that they need. The Wal-Mart cards or checks made payable to FBCFO marked for the Baptist Children's Home will be collected until April 24.

Ministry Needs

Extended Session/ Sunday School Teacher on Sunday mornings.

Security Team-Looking for inside/outside team members.

Bus Ministry-Need drivers for Sunday morning.

Kitchen Volunteers-Need workers on Wednesday evenings.

Greeters- Needed for Sunday morning.

SS Teachers

Mark your calendars now for our Quarterly Sunday School leaders and teachers meeting, **Sunday, April 19** after the service. We will have a meal and discuss this year's Sunday School campaign. Any SS leader is invited to come.

Discipleship

As we look at the Sermon on the Mount, we will quickly see that God views matters differently than we do. But never forget that Christ sees people far differently than we do too! Throughout the Gospels we see a pattern in the way Jesus taught His disciples. Whenever He saw the multitudes, Jesus would reveal to the disciples what was on His heart for the people. Jesus wanted His disciples to share His love for the people. The disciples did not always understand all He was telling them, but He assured them that later the Holy Spirit would reveal the significance of His teachings. When the multitudes began pressing in on Him, Jesus would get alone with His disciples and simply teach them about God's love for people.

I expect you will experience this same pattern

Andy Atkinson

as you walk with Jesus. When God places you in a crowd, you may sense the Holy Spirit impressing upon you the heart and mind of God for those people.

I pray that He would reveal to you His will for the people around you and invite you to join Him in His redemptive activity. He may place a burden on your heart for them. If you are among people and are unmoved by their spiritual condition, God may develop your love for them so that you are prepared to minister to them as He desires. This is one of the great ways the Holy Spirit is a divine person and not just some convicting force. Listen to the Holy Spirit. You may discover that God has much on His heart for other people and that He is waiting for one of His disciples to respond to His prompting.

Kevin Stone

Youth Spotlight

April 12 - Camp Fundraiser Lunch

Be here @ 9 am. Stay till 1:30 pm. Parents- please bring desserts

April 19 - **Mandatory** New Mexico Trip. Students and Parents @ 12:15 pm in Youth House - Lunch will be served.

April 29 - Defender Night Starts @ 6 pm in the Sanctuary (Don't be late for this.)

Fuge Camp (Glorieta, New Mexico is June 11-20.

Camp Deposits- 5 payments of \$25 already due for camp. If you have not paid these, see Kevin.

Children's Headlines

Pinewood Derby: April 18th - Weigh in will begin at 1:30 and the race will start at 2:00. Be sure to see Miss Sarah this weekend or next to purchase a car kit (\$5.00) or pay your registration (\$2.00) to use a car from a previous year.

Camp Fundraiser Lunch-This Sunday after Morning Worship. Youth going to camp need to be here by 9 am for set-up and stay until 1:30 pm for clean-up. Parents don't forget the dessert.

Just a Note

Easter was a blessed time of rejoicing in our Church. It actually was the first time in over 30 years that I got up before sunrise on Easter. We had a large crowd in the prayer garden and even though it was 38 degrees, it was a sweet time for all.

A special thanks to the choir, orchestra, soloists and guests. And of course, thanks to Pastor Jason who as always, led us in a moving service of worship. What a day that will be when Jesus returns through that mortared up Eastern gate. Truly, no stone will hold Him back!

As I said last week; the Worship Choir has room for new members. If you have been thinking of joining or rejoining the choir, now is a great time. This Wednesday at 7:15 we will begin to look at 10 brand new songs of worship and celebration. You will be blessed and will bless us to be a part of this vital

Dave Bolling

ministry of our church. We have a lot of fun on Wednesday evenings at 7:15. Come join us! You will be glad you did.

Blessings
Keep on singing
Bro Dave

Women's Retreat

After the wonderful response we had to our first Women's retreat to the Pinnacle, we will be planning another retreat on Oct. 2-4. (Note date change) The cost is \$127 per person which includes your room, 5 meals, and gas for the bus. A \$15 deposit is required in order to hold our spot. This is for any woman age 18 and over. If you are interested in

going, please get your \$15 non refundable deposit submitted to Laura Jones. If you have any questions you may call her at 423-605-1816.

CERT Mission Trip

We will be going on a CERT Mission trip to Eastover Retreat Center in Curry County, VA. The buses will leave at 6am Sunday, Aug 30 and return on Friday, Sept

4. All expense will be paid by Eastover and CERT. If interested contact Marlin at 423.290.4093 to make reservations.

Women's Ministry

Come join us for the Women's Night Out on Thursday, April 23, from 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the Fellowship Circle. Bring a finger food and a friend. Join us for fun and fellowship.

Women's Luncheon-We still need 6 more ladies who would be willing

to decorate/host a table for the Women's Luncheon on Saturday, May 30 from 11:30 to 1:30. Please notify Laura Jones immediately if you can help, 423-605-1816.