

The Contact

First Baptist Church Newsletter

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*Sunday,
January, 25th*

Interim Pastor
Rev. J. Brad Mitchel

Sermon:
"The Cost To
Follow"

Mark 1: 14-20

**Wednesday
January 28th**

Wednesday Night
Supper

Church Conference



January 28, 2015

6:30 P.M.

Please submit your committee report to the church office
by Tuesday Morning, January 27th.

Recommendations for the Pastor Selection Committee

The church by-laws provide for congregational input into the appointment of the Pastor Selection Committee by establishing a 10-day period in which church members may make candidate recommendations. Please write the names of your recommendations for the Pastor Selection Committee in the spaces below. *Members of the Interim Pastor and Pulpit Supply Committee are eligible for appointment to the Pastor Selection Committee.

Return this form to the church by Wednesday, January 28, 2015.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

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One of the best gifts in life is family. As I write this, I have the privilege of getting away with my family for a couple of days and will get to enjoy the family God has blessed me with. It is always good to get away and be reminded of how God has blessed us. I have found it is a true blessing to play, spend time with, enjoy, talk, eat and do life with my family. I just love family.

I think that is one reason why I love the church so much. At its core, church is all about family. Being here at FBC Whiteville, I have been reminded of that. It is very obvious to me that God has created a wonderful church FAMILY here. You care for one another. You love another. You worship together. On Wednesdays, you share a meal together. You do life together. God has given this community a true blessing in the family that He has created here. It has been a pleasure to be with your family each Sunday and Wednesday.

As we begin this year, I look forward to what God will do in this family. I look forward to seeing you each Sunday as we worship and do life with each other. I look forward to seeing you each Wednesday as we share a meal and pray together. God has blessed this community with the wonderful experience of family.

Thanks be to God.
Daryl

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Music in Ministry



It's that time of year when our youth and children finish preparation for upcoming festivals.

The Youth Choir will participate in *Festival by the Sea* in Myrtle Beach on March 6-8. There will be over 300 youth singers from various states attending the event. The CBF of South Carolina sponsors the festival each year. The cost for the weekend is \$95.00 or \$100.00 depending upon which t-shirt you order (long or short sleeve). This includes 2 nights lodging, breakfast for 2 days and travel. A \$50.00 deposit is due by Sunday, January 25 along with your t-shirt size.

The Children's Choir Festival is a one day event scheduled for Saturday, March 14 and will be held at the First Baptist Church of Lumberton. I am the CBF coordinator for this festival. The cost per child is \$15.00 which includes lunch. The charge for adult lunch is \$5.00. The \$15.00 is due by Wednesday, January 28. Everyone is invited to attend concluding program presented by the children at 2:00 p.m.

Give God your musical gifts in 2015 and join a Choir This Week!

For Children

(Wednesday)

Children's Handchimes (grades 3-5)	4:30 p.m.
Children's Choir (grades 1-5)	5:00 p.m.

For Youth

(Sunday)

Youth Ensemble (grades 6-12)	5:15 p.m.
Handbells for Youth and Adults,	(tba)

For Adults

(Tuesday)

The Singing Seniors (55 yrs. & up)	11:00 a.m.
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(Wednesday)

The Chancel Choir (adults-all ages)	7:15 p.m.
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Handbells for Youth and Adults	(tba)
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What's COOKING

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

JANUARY 28, 2015
Chair: Peggy & John Norosky

Menu

Covered Dish



- Jan 20 Kimberly Worley
- Jan 21 Kay Huggins
- Jan 21 Sally High
- Jan 22 Joanne Vereen
- Jan 24 Vivian Brown
- Jan 24 Watha Cook
- Jan 25 David Tedder
- Jan 26 Jennifer Horne



Memory Verse

“I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart”

Psalm 9: 1 NRSV

Hospice Volunteers

I have someone preparing the Hospice meal for March. If we continue to serve Christ in this way, I need volunteers to provide one meal per month in 2015. Email:(francesd@centurylink.net) or call me (642-4274) Please pray and see if this is what you feel led to do. Hospice is so appreciative of this service and tell me how much it means to the families of patients there. Let me know if you'll be a volunteer.

Thanks, Frances Price

For All Toy Store Volunteers

The Toy Store Banquet will be held on Friday, January 30th at 6:30 pm at the Columbus Baptist Association Office. Everyone is to bring a covered dish supper to share

WMU Tea Party

The WMU is pleased to invite ALL the women, young ladies, and girls of the Church to “A Royal Tea Party” on February 8, 2015. The tea will be held in the Fellowship Hall from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. There will be a program, music and delicious refreshments. We are asking you to call the church office and make your reservation.

We are celebrating WMU Focus Week. Please plan to bring your N.C. Heck-Jones Offering to this event. We are looking forward to your coming and we appreciate the many ways that you participate in Missions.

Scholarship

The Woman’s Missionary Union of the Columbus Baptist Association is once again pleased to award a scholarship to a deserving high school senior. If you have any students in your congregation that are interested in applying for this scholarship.

For more information please call the church office or stop by to pickup the application.

Our Financial Stewardship

January 18, 2014

<u>This Week</u>	
Budget Rec'd	\$ 4,469.26
Budget Needed	\$ 8,852.38
Under	\$ 4,383.12

<u>This Year</u>	
Budget Needs to Date	\$ 141,638.08
Budget Received YTD	\$ 116,002.04
Under Budget YTD	\$ 25,636.04

Sunday School Attendance 78



Members in Ministry

Sunday, January 25, 2014

Children's Church

Tricia Sanderson

Sunday Morning Church Greeters

Jackie Jones

Deacon of the Week

Jay Hill & Rose Langston

Nursery

Ben & Sharon Sauls

Sound

Eric Kronenwetter

Video

TBA

Offering Tellers

Charlie Duncan & Kate Carter

Sunday School Greeters

Paul Sellers & Yvonne Bass

DVD Distribution

Frances Price

Ushers

January Chairperson, Tom Stanley
Joe Hooks, Jerry Gore, Jerry Strickland,
Lewis Sauls, Glenn Waters

WEEKLY SCHEDULES

Sunday, January 25

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:30 a.m. Chancel Choir Warm-up
- 10:55 a.m. Morning Worship, Children's Worship
- 5:15 p.m. Youth Choir
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Bible Study

Monday, January 26

- 9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting

Wednesday, January 28

- 4:30 p.m. Children's Handchimes
- 5:00 p.m. Children's Choir
- 5:45 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper
- 6:30 p.m. Church Conference
- 7:15 p.m. Chancel Choir

CHURCH OFFICE- 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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CHURCH STAFF

Minister of Music, Rev. Eddie Fort

Organist, Mrs. Leslie Bergbower

Ministry Assistant, Joshua Long

Financial Ministry Assistant, Dinah Reaves

Sunday Morning Worship www.wtxy1540.com

Audio Streaming Live.....at 11:00 am

Click on the live on air button

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