

Staff

Rev. Nathaniel J. Carroll, Pastor
Dr. Bill Davis, Minister of Music
Martha Herring, Secretary
Frank Hughes, Custodian

Deacons In Service

01/19-25 Al Folsom, Ron Justice, Randal White
01/26-02/01 Greg Adams, Bill Chandler, Steve Shirah

Ushers

01/26 Greg Ross, Larry Sharpe,
Jay Stough, Scott Stough
02/02 Delton Grace, Sean Jones,
Todd Clemmons, Chase Clemmons
02/09 Donnie Chesteen, Rufus Kervin,
Kerry McLaney, Cade McLaney

Nursery

01/26 Michael & Abby Crews
02/02 Steve & Stacey Shirah

Children's Worship

01/26 Brad & Jenny Bynum
02/02 Sandra Ausley & Sarah Shiver

Wednesday Playground Rotation

01/22 Greg Adams, Natalie Justice
01/29 Jason Padgett

Wednesday Night Servers

01/22 Freddy Martin, Jenny Bynum, Cyndi Mitchum
01/29 Gina Holley, Mona Green, Brandie Green

Wednesday Night Supper Greeter

01/22 Todd Ausley
01/29 Sherrie Aycock

Counting Committee Rotation

Week of 01/19: Toby Seay, Jason Padgett
01/26: Sam Sharpe, Vernon Spence
02/02: Al Folsom, Wade Green

Wednesday Schedule

Supper Served	5:15 PM
Kids Eat	5:15-5:30 PM
Gym Time Kids Only	5:30-5:45 PM
CHILDREN ACTIVITIES	5:45-7:15 PM
Children's Choir	5:45 PM
Children's E-Groups	6:30 PM
YOUTH ACTIVITIES	6:15-7:15 PM
Wednesday Night Adult Worship	6:30 PM
Adult Choir Practice	7:15 PM
Youth and Children Activities end at 7:15 PM	

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First Baptist Church's Open Door

"Where CHRIST Is the Center"



January 22, 2014

Prioritize Your Priorities

*One thing I have desired of the LORD, that will I seek:
that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life. Psalm 27:4*

In 1967, Charles Hummel published a booklet entitled *Tyranny of the Urgent*, in which he suggested a reason we're so overworked and disorganized. It's because of jumbled priorities. Hummel relates what an experienced factory manager once told him, "Your greatest danger is letting the urgent things crowd out the important."¹

What are the important things in life? Our time with the Lord. Our families. The work only we can do as assigned to us by the Father. But how easily these true priorities are pushed aside by urgent demands each day! Let's reprioritize our priorities. The *Book of Common Prayer* suggests a prayer of confession that many of us need at the beginning of the year. Condensed, it says: "Almighty Father. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and there is no health in us. Have mercy upon us. Grant, most merciful Father, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of Thy holy name. Amen."

Our dilemma goes deeper than shortage of time; it is basically a problem of priorities. . . We have left undone those things which we ought to have done. Charles E. Hummel



¹Charles E. Hummel, *Tyranny of the Urgent*, Rev. ed. (Downers Grove, IL: InterVarsity, 1994), 4-5.



Youth D-Now Weekend 2014
February 14-16

Meals and Services Friday and Saturday nights will be held at Shiloh BC, Hartford.

Cost: \$25 each
Deadline to sign up: January 22
Deadline to pay fee: January 29
Questions: Call Church Office, 684-9910 or Beth Stough, 796-6522

For even the son of man did not come to be served, but to serve (Mark 10:45)

Music/Children's Search Committee



Beth Stough
Randall White
Jami Seay
Anna Padgett
Vanessa Folsom

Alternates: Charlene Vaughn, Ron Justice

Be in prayer for this committee.



Deacons Scripture and Prayer

January 26 Bill Chandler
February 2 Keith Owen
9 Ricky Bennett
16 Randal White



Morning Worship

January 26

Sermon Series:

Living in the Promises

Genesis 15

Report for Wednesday, January 15, 2014

Attendance 161

Report for Sunday, January 19, 2014

Sunday School 100

Morning Worship 155

Budgeted Weekly \$7,033.94

Tithes and Offering \$5,680.50

Other Budget Receipts 0.00

Total Receipts \$5,680.50

Budgeted YTD \$21,101.82

Tithes and Offering YTD \$17,662.50

Other Budget Receipts YTD 0.00

Total Receipts YTD \$17,662.50

Lottie Moon Offering, Goal: \$8,000.00

Given to Date \$7,745.00



Martha Ellis Circle

is no longer using the altar flowers for the flower ministry.

January 26, 2014

In Memory of Ayla Perez by Teresa, Ivan, Avery and Addyson Perez, Mr. & Mrs. Vernon Spence, Mr. & Mrs. Darryl Spence, Mr. & Mrs. Ernie Roney and Mr. & Mrs. Keith Owen

February 2, 2014

In Memory of Fred M. and Dot K. Byrd by Elise, Chris, Patsy and Jana

Dates to Remember

Wednesday, January 22

Senior Adult Committee Planning Meeting
4 PM

Menu: Chip Steak and Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas, Rolls, Dessert

Sunday, January 26

Youth Aftermath
Children's Backwards Day

Wednesday, January 29

Menu: Breakfast

Friday, January 31

Senior Adult Fellowship, 4:30 PM
Pizza and Games
Signup sheet on bulletin board.

Sunday, February 2

Wing Night - Superbowl Party for the youth and their parents at 5 PM at the Golf Course. The cost is \$10 each and we need a count of who all will be attending as soon as possible. Money is due upon sign up.

Saturday, February 8

God's Little Princess Party, 2 PM
Sign up sheet on bulletin board.

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Youth D-Now Weekend 2014

Welcome to our New Members!

Brien and Rachel Sullivan
by Letter

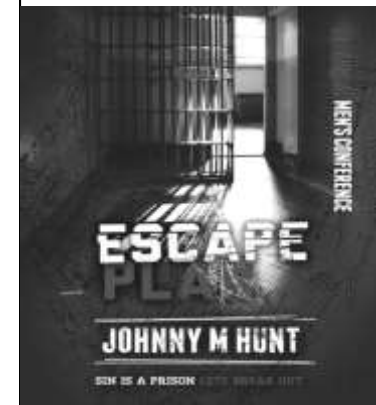
Pat Williams
by Letter



Men's Conference with Johnny Hunt

First Baptist Chipley

Friday and Saturday, February 21 and 22



Cost is \$40 and you must register by February 12.

Contact Michael Crews to sign up or for more information.



Gridiron Men's Conference 2014

Birmingham, June 13-14

Cost is \$150. A \$100 deposit is due by March 19th to secure your spot. Headline speakers this year include, Si Robertson, Dave Ramsey, and Rick Burgess.

Contact Michael Crews or the church office to sign up.



Remind 101 for Youth:

We have started a **Remind 101** texting

service for our **YOUTH**. This service is to keep youth members updated with things that are going on within our group. In order to join this group: For General Youth Announcements text @fbcyouth to [256-727-5732](tel:256-727-5732).

For Youth Sunday School text @fbcyouth to [256-727-5732](tel:256-727-5732).

It will prompt you to text your name back to them. After texting your name, you will be added to the group. You will then receive messages from when they are sent out. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Brother Nathan or Michael Crews and they will assist you.