

Staff
 Rev. Nathaniel J. Carroll, Pastor
 Bryan Hawkins, Minister of Music and Children
 Martha Herring, Secretary
 Frank Hughes, Custodian

Deacons In Service
07/20-26 Al Folsom, Ron Justice, Randal White
07/27-08/02 Greg Adams, Bill Chandler, Steve Shirah

Ushers
07/27 Michael Crews, Terry Aycock,
 Chris Smith, Jordan Smith
08/03 Joe Grant, Charlie Stough,
 Ricky Bennett, Jason Padgett, Shelby Smithart
08/10 Greg Ross, Larry Sharpe,
 Jay Stough, Scott Stough

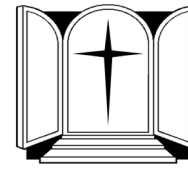
Nursery
07/27 Mandy Precise & Kacie Johnson
08/03 Wilmer & Jill Crews
Children's Worship
07/27 Michael & Abby Crews
08/03 Heather Carroll & Jacquie Jones

Summer Wednesday Children's Workers
07/30 Mandy Precise

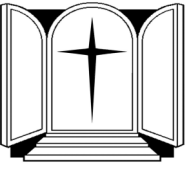
Wednesday Night Supper Greeter
07/23 No Dinner
07/30 Sherrie Aycock

Counting Committee Rotation
Week of **07/20:** Al Folsom, Wade Green
07/27: Toby Seay, Jason Padgett
08/03: Sam Sharpe, Vernon Spence

Sunday Morning Schedule
 Sunday School 9:45 AM
 Morning Worship 11:00 AM
Summer Wednesday Schedule
Supper Nights
 Supper 5:30 PM
 Children Playground 6:00 PM
 Children Bible Study 6:30 PM
 Activities end at 7:15 PM
No Supper Nights
 Bible Study 6:30 - 7:15 PM



First Baptist Church's
Open Door
"Where CHRIST is the Center"



July 23, 2014

Father, Whatever You Want

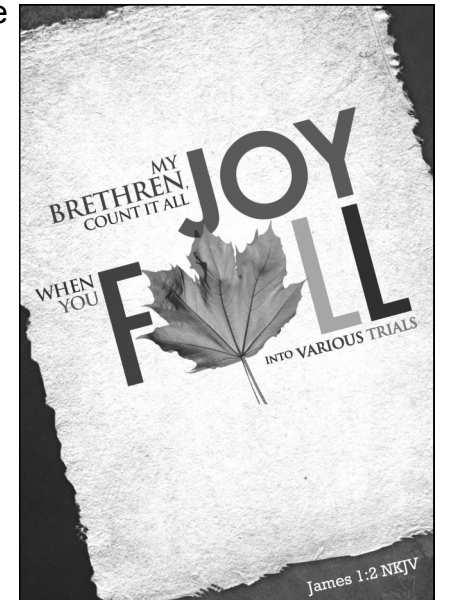
We also glory in tribulations, knowing that tribulation produces perseverance.
 Romans 5:3

Millions around the world have benefited from the teaching ministry of Kay Arthur; but her work wouldn't have happened apart from bitter disappointment early in her ministry. While serving as a missionary to Mexico, she contracted a heart infection that forced her to return home. "I felt like a failure," she recalls. "Depression set in until I cried, 'Father, whatever You want.'" Back in Chattanooga, she began teaching the Bible to teenagers in her home, and out of those experiences came her life's work. "It would be several years before I'd see how He'd use those formative years of study in Mexico to prepare me to write inductive Bible studies that would eventually reach fifty-two countries," she wrote.

We seldom understand our trials at the time. We may feel like failures and wonder why God allows suffering. But as time passes we learn to look back and see how He worked things for good and how every trial drove us closer to Him. With every test, our relationship with God grows more intimate and our perseverance more sturdy.

*Pain and trials are almost constant companions,
 but never enemies.
 They drive me into His sovereign arms.
 There He takes my disappointments and works
 everything together for good. Kay Arthur*

Taken from *Today's Turning Point* with Dr. David Jeremiah.



Deacon Nomination List

Below is a list of resident male members over 21 years of age who have been members of our Church for at least one year as of September 1, 2014. If you would like to have your name removed from consideration, please call the church office (684-9910).

Robert Anderson	Randy Hodges *	Jerry Sloan
Mark (Chip) Arthur	Chris Jones	Vernon Spence *
Mickey Bennett *	Sean Jones *	Jay Stough *
Todd Clemmons *	Frankie Lindsey	Steve Swann *
Emmett Dixon	Freddy Martin *	Warren Tomberlin
James Dixon	Breck Miller	Mike Turner
Vann Fain	Ernie Roney	Darrell Walker
Wade Green *	Greg Ross *	
H.G. Hayes, Jr.	Jimmy (Buster) Shiver	* Ordained as Deacons

The men below are currently serving as Active Deacons and are **not eligible** for election:

Rotate Off 2016

Greg Adams
Ricky Bennett
Jack Commander
Michael Crews
Randal White

Rotate Off 2015

Bill Chandler
Al Folsom
Jason Padgett
Toby Seay
Steve Shirah

Rotate Off 2014

Todd Ausley
Terry Aycok
Don Chesteen
Ron Justice
Keith Owen

*The following men have been recognized as Deacons Emeritus and are **not eligible** for election.

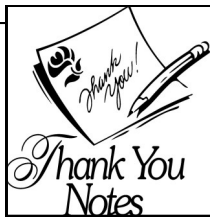
Howard Anderson	Luther Hudspeth	Lamar Vaughn
Ed Bennett	Leonard McGowan	George Ward
Joe Grant	Claude Moore	

We did not intentionally omit any name. If your name does not appear, please let us know so that we can make the correction.

*This year we will be nominating four candidates. We will accept nominations on Sunday morning, July 27, 2014.

Thank you to our new First Baptist Family! We are grateful for your cards and food. It is a warm welcome and we are glad to call you our friends.

Love, *Bryan and Amy*



Thank you for making the DHR food drive a huge success! You showed great support for DHR's Food Pantry. The WMU appreciates how you gave so much food in support of their project to feed the hungry of Geneva!

Dates to Remember

Wednesday, July 23

Pensacola Wahoos (Minor League Baseball)
Family Faith Night

Sunday, July 27

Deacon Nominations

Men's Basketball/Bible Study, 5 PM
No Evening Services

Tuesday, July 29

Back to School Clothing Closet

4:00 - 6:00 p.m.



Clothes are needed.
Drop off clothes
at the Church.

Sponsored by Women on Mission.



FISH FRY

Wednesday, July 30

Wednesday Night
Supper

Menu: Fish Fry

Signup sheet on bulletin
board or call church

office by noon Tuesday.

Youth Scavenger Hunt

Worship Choir Fellowship

"It's a Christmas Party"

Wednesday, July 30

6:45 PM

home of Bryan and Amy
202 N Live Oak Street

Bring your favorite
Christmas Dessert!



Report for Wednesday, July 16, 2014

Total Attendance 71

Report for Sunday, July 20, 2014

Sunday School 88

Morning Worship 162

Budgeted Weekly \$7,033.94

Tithes and Offering \$7,516.00

Other Budget Receipts 0.00

Total Receipts \$7,516.00

Budgeted YTD \$203,984.26

Tithes and Offering YTD \$194,420.02

Other Budget Receipts YTD 87.25

Total Receipts YTD \$194,507.27



Deacons Scripture and Prayer

July 27 Bill Chandler
August 3 Michael Crews
10 Ricky Bennett

July 27, 2014

In Honor of All

James A. Mulkey Elementary School
Students



by Toby, Jami,
Mary Elizabeth
and Millie Elyse Seay

August 3, 2014

In Memory of Douglas Hidle, Dallas Hidle,
Lee Hidle, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hidle, Sr.
and Mr. Aubrey Hidle, Jr.
by The Hidle Family

Attention Nursery Volunteers:



We only have one paid
nursery worker at this time. So
it is important for all scheduled
nursery workers to show up.
**If you cannot be there when
it is your turn** or if you are
willing to help in the nursery,
please contact Krissy Gilmore or Jill Crews.