



A Gift has been given
In Memory of Joanne Perry
to the Building Fund
By Bobby & Nancye Hyatt

A Gift has been given
In Memory of James W. Freeman
to the Building Fund
By Polly Freeman



The First Baptist -
Relay for Life team will be
selling the Antiquities
pictures again this year.
You can purchase a

coupon to have your picture done for \$10
This coupon entitles you to one 8 1/2 x 11
framed and matted picture of your choice.
You can choose from a colored family
portrait or a classic sepia of your
children. If you would like to purchase a
coupon see a relay for life team member
or come by the church office.



We would like to thank
everyone who has helped with
making Chili, soup, desserts
and other donations for the Relay for Life
Family Night Suppers. We couldn't do it
without your help. FBC Relay Team

Sunday Services March 7
8:30 am & 10:50 am
Message by Bob Ehr
"Why Do We Share the Gospel?"
Matthew 9:9-13

6:00 pm
"Find it Here At the C.R.O.S.S."

Ushers -Ushers - Ushers
Sunday Morning
8:30 am

Richard Spencer, Gary Cox,
Larry Young, Eddie Russell,
Keith Royalty, Eric Wampler

10:50 am
Tom Swartz, Tony Woolums,
Michael Ray, Ed Yeaste,
Chip Carpenter, Jim Boyd

MARCH GREETERS



8:30 Service

Jo Curran
Phil Cooke

Sunday School

Mary Lou Ray
Larry & Georgia Young

10:50 Service

J.W. & Mary Lou Sharp



2's & 3's
Amy Downing

4's & 5's
Leslie Fields

1st - 5th grade
Lea Beasmore



Sunday - March 7

10:30 a.m.

Steven Seeberger
Jessica Seeberger

Evening Service

Betty Manley

March
Benevolence Committee
Nancye Hyatt & Larry Ockerman

MARCH
ENROLLMENT CLERKS
8:30 am Service Lois Ann Hyatt
10:50 am Service Midge Bain

March
Believers
&
2nd Grade

Deacons of the Week
March 7 - March 13
Frank Rowe & David Taylor

DAILY BIBLE READING
Saturday, March 6.....Hebrews 5:12-14
Sunday, March 7.....1John 2:4-6
Monday, March 8.....Proverbs 8:10-14
Tues., March 9.....Colossians 3:17-21
Wed., March 10.....Genesis 45:1-5
Thurs., March 11.....James 1:22-26
Friday, March 12.....Psalm 27:1-3

Weekly Events

Friday, March 5

8:00 pm Youth Hang Time

Saturday, March 6

7:00 am Men's Fraternity

Sunday, March 7

8:30 am Worship
9:45 am Sunday School
10:50 am Worship
2:00 pm Dorothy Crask Birthday Celebration
5:00 pm AWANA
Finance Committee Meeting
6:00 pm Worship
Teens on Mission
7:00 pm Easter Choir Practice
Deacons & Trustees Meeting

Monday, March 8

6:00 pm Youth Band Practice
6:30 pm G.R.O.W. Visitation "G" Team

Tuesday, March 9

6:00 pm Volleyball
7:00 pm Salt Shakin' Sisters

Wednesday, March 10

12:00 pm Lenten Service Sand Spring Baptist Church
5:45 pm Worship Choir practice
6:00 pm Kids on Mission
E-Live
The Way of the Master Bible Study
What Every Church Member ... Bible Study
The Parent Adventure
6:30 pm Business Meeting
6:45 pm Children's Choir

Thursday, March 11

6:00 pm Volleyball

Sunday Report

Sunday School 372

Operating Fund

	Contributions	Bud. Requ.	Cash Bal.
Feb. 28	\$ 12,904.95	\$ 14,576.92	
Month to Date	\$ 62,382.06	\$ 58,307.68	
Year to Date	\$ 123,241.44	\$ 131,192.33	
Current Cash Bal.			\$ 14,872.88

Capital Projects Fund

	Building	Major Repairs	Cash Bal.
Feb. 28	\$ 20,075.00		
Month to Date	\$ 20,320.00		
Current Cash Bal.	\$ 26,750.77	\$ 16,587.95	\$ 43,338.72

Restricted Fund

	Receipts	Cash Bal.
Feb. 28	\$ 296.00	
Missions Offerings	35.00	
Lynch Mission Trip	150.00	
FCA	30.00	
Other Receipts		
Current Cash Balance		\$ 35,717.14



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Wednesday, March 10

6:30 pm


Please make plans
to attend.



This past Monday night our deacons got us off to a great start with the Find it Here campaign. Each team took a different street in our community and shared with the families they met how they can find hope, peace, and purpose in life. I hope each of you will also consider joining us during the next four Monday nights as well. In fact, this Monday night March 8th we're asking persons from the Pairs & Spares, Fidelis, New Hope, Priscilla, Believers, Fishers of Men, College & Career, and High School Sunday School classes to meet in the Fireside Room at 6:30 p.m.

If you have never participated in G.R.O.W. before, we'll be sure to pair you up with a seasoned veteran. We'll also do our best to have a man paired up with our ladies so that no ladies go out alone. Last but not least, I will be sharing this Sunday night during the evening service a very practical way that you can use to share the Gospel. Basically, if you can read a few verses of Scripture with someone, then God can use you to be a bright witness to others. You can do this and we really need your help! I hope to see you there!

In His Service, Bro. Bob




Worship Music for Sunday, March 7 I want to thank Adam Burton for leading worship music and rehearsing the choir while I am away this week! Glenda and Lance will play for the 8:30 a.m. service. Plus, Adam will share a solo at BOTH morning services. The Worship Choir will open the 10:50 service with the praise anthem, "Great Is the Lord Almighty." Michael, Lance and Stacy will play for that service. And, we get to hear Adam's solo again. Sunday night Bro. Bob will be sharing how to explain the plan of salvation from the "C.R.O.S.S. card included in every "Find It Here" packet. Michael and Lance will be playing for the Sunday night service, and Adam will share another solo.

Sassy Ole Souls to Lexington Passion Play, Thursday (March 25) The Bluegrass bus will leave at 4:30 that afternoon from the Fireside Room. We will travel to Malone's Steakhouse at Palomar Center in Lexington. Bring money for your supper. We will travel to Gardenside Baptist Church by 7 p.m. The play begins at 7:30. The play tickets are only \$5 per person. We should return home around 10 p.m.

Easter Musical - "Thine Is the Kingdom" We are making good progress toward learning the musical, and are rehearsing EVERY Wednesday night at 5:45, and EVERY Sunday night at 7:00. We will present the musical Palm Sunday night (March 28) at 6 p.m.

Yours In Christ, Mark




Winter Jam March 13 – students must have a permission form... info about event is in permission form. Sign up in the Youth Center. \$10 at the door. This is a cheddar approved event.

Silver Ring Thing March 31 – many parents have asked if there will be any purity study/event for high school students. Though we may not be planning our own event, there is a Silver Ring Thing event in Shelbyville. If you are interested in going as a group, please let me know by next Wed (10th). If we have over half our regular attendance for eLIVE wanting to go, we will go as a group and I can get discounted tickets. There is also a parent informational meeting at the start of the event! So I would encourage every family in our youth ministry to make time for this event. Even if we don't go as a group, at the door price is only \$8 per person.

"Ruined" Homeless Experience April 5-8 – I want more than for our students to sympathize with the homeless and poor; I want them to feel what it's like and empathize with the homeless and poor. The basics for this event is that students will only be able to come with a sleeping bag, the clothes on their back and a box to sleep in. While we are there we will do Bible studies, do daily work projects, visit community resource services, and have special guests popping in to give presentations – all around the topic of homelessness and poverty. Security measures are provided through city police, sheriff's office, fire department and FBC volunteers. There will be a fire barrel, water hose, portable facility, and each student will be given \$4 to purchase their food for the week! For more information (even if you're not sure your family will participate) there will be a parent and student meeting on March 24 right after eLIVE (7:30). Anyone not present at this meeting will not be allowed to participate.

***I have dropped my land-line home phone. Please use my cell phone to contact me: 502-517-1001. **In His Grip, Bro. Rich**



VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED I need your help! Each year we enlist the help of about 100 volunteers to help with Vacation Bible School, one of our biggest outreach events of the year here at FBC. That is A LOT of people, and we need YOU! I need teachers, helpers, crafts workers, missions workers, snack servers, recreation workers, and music leaders. I also need a decorating team and a couple of very passionate individuals to serve as co-directors. Our VBS this year will be June 13-17th. Please e-mail me at dana.royalty@lawrenceburgfbc.org and let me know where you can serve. I appreciate your help!

AWANA Hey kids, don't forget your Awana bucks this Sunday because the Awana Store will be open!! Congratulations to Nathan McGregor, Anna Grace Ehr, Madison Cherry, Jonesy McGregor, and Colton Frasier on the outstanding job they did in the Awana Bible Quiz this past week, and thanks to all of the parents who help their children to hide God's Word in their heart each week through our Awana ministry.

WORSHIP KIDSTYLE JESUS FILMS In the 1st-5th grade Worship Kidstyle we will be watching films on the life of Jesus during the next 4 Sundays. We will begin this Sunday with the story of the birth of Jesus and His early years. Next week, we will continue on with His early ministry and the calling of the 12 disciples, followed by His miraculous works, and will finish up on Palm Sunday with His Crucifixion and Resurrection. This is different than our usual worship format, but I think the movies will really help to show the children who Jesus is and why He came to earth and prepare their hearts for a time of celebration this Easter.

FINAL SIGN-UPS FOR LYNCH Everyone planning to go on our spring break mission trip to Lynch is asked to contact me this week and pay your \$37.50 deposit.


CENTRI-KID DEPOSITS If you have not paid your deposits for Centri-Kid Camp, please drop them by the office this week.

In Christ, Dana



Lenten Service and Luncheon
Schedule

March 10 Sand Spring Baptist Church
March 17 Ninevah Christian Church
March 24 First Presbyterian Church
March 31 First Baptist Church




LYNCH MISSION PROJECT

We need your help with a special project that our Lynch Mission Team is working on for our Spring Break Mission Trip. The missionaries there are in great need of hygiene packs. They give out approximately 200/month and are completely out! The Fishes and Loaves ministry (formerly Manna House) was also unable to open its doors in February because the shelves were bare. This meant many families went hungry. We will be collecting food and putting together hygiene packs during the month of March and we need your help! If you would like to help with food, you can make donations to the "Food for Lynch" fund here at church or help work a collection site this month. If you would like to provide hygiene packs, please fill a large Ziploc bag with a bar of soap, a washcloth, 2 toothbrushes, a tube of toothpaste, shampoo, deodorant, comb/brush, and 2 razors. All items should be regular size...no travel size items...please. [You may also pick up a Ziploc bag at church on Sunday.](#) Thank you for your continued support of one of the poorest areas of our state.



The reason we give to the **Annie Armstrong Easter Offering (AAEO)** is to help our missionary force reach for Christ an estimated 255 million lost people in the United States and Canada; that's three of four people. **100% of the AAEO is used to support missionaries and their work.** There are more than 5,300 North American Mission Board (**NAMB**) missionaries. Generally, a third of the number represents career missionaries, a third are short-term funded missionaries, and a third are Mission Service Corps missionaries. Please help us meet our goal of \$4000.


In the Hospital

At Home
Burt Hahn, Joyce Richardson, Enoch Cubert,
Martha Boyd, Peggy Payne, Mickey Bond, John David Amos,
Joyce Stratton, Doris Bryant, Richard Case, Sylvia Goins

Heritage Hall
Marjorie Brown, Evel Satterly, Oatney Wells,
Fannabell Baldwin, Pauline Kyler, Opal Mayes,
Madie Smith, Ruth Smith, Mildred Stevens, Garnet Carter

In Sympathy
Joe Cleveland - February 23
Donald G. Drury - February 23
James David Cunningham - February 24
Carl Phillips, Sr. - February 26
Dora Louise Briscoe - February 27
Jack Calvert Grugin - February 27
James Donald McBride - March 1
Rita Mae Willard Sutton - March 1

We Extend Our Deepest Sympathy To These Families




March into Sunday School
Be A Part of a Winning Team

Here's How
REACH
Participate in G.R.O.W. twice during March.

TEACH
Be present every Sunday during March.

CARE
Help contact absentees each week during March




Our monthly Salt Shakin Sisters meeting will be this Tuesday, March 9 at 7:00 pm. We meet in the Seekers Sunday School room which is located on the walking track in the CLC.

This month we will be putting together purses for a Women's Shelter. I have already purchased 16 purses for us to use. I just need each of you to bring items that ladies keep in their purses such as: tissues, lipstick/gloss, ink pen, compact, gum wallet, etc. We want for the ladies who will receive these purses to have everything they need! Also, there will be a nice door prize! You don't want to miss it.



Subscriptions are \$10 for a year. Call the church office to order or reorder your Western Recorder.



Join us for a Celebration
In honor of
Dorothy Crask's
90th Birthday
Sunday, March 7
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
at First Baptist Church