

**MISSION OPPORTUNITIES**

**JANUARY MISSION PROJECT**

We will be collecting staple food items and clothing for the Etowah Baptist Missions Center. January and February can be really lean months for the Missions Center, so please give generously. Bring your washed, gently worn, clothes and any staple food items and leave them in the Mission Boxes.

**DENTAL CLINIC**

Friday, January 20, 7:00 am

**LINEN SAVERS**

Monday, January 30, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

**LOTTIE MOON OFFERING FOR INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS**

FBC Goal: \$15,000      Given to Date: \$11,891

Thank you for your faithful, generous giving to send the gospel to those who might otherwise never know about God's plan of salvation for them. It is not too late to make your gift.

**WMU GROUP MEETINGS~MONDAY, JANUARY 9**

<u>Group 1</u>	<u>6:00 pm</u>	<u>Group 3</u>	<u>no meeting</u>
Mrs. Ila Mae Wright			
209 Country Club Dr.			
<u>Group 2</u>	<u>2:00 pm</u>	<u>Group 4</u>	<u>10:00 am</u>
Fireside Room, FLC		Arts & Crafts Room, FLC	
		Mrs. Anne Bourne	

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 8**

10:30 AM

Dr. Jon Appleton preaching

We are pleased to welcome Dr. Jon Appleton to FBC this Sunday. He is the Pastor Emeritus at First Baptist Church, Athens, Georgia, and a former Youth Minister at FBC Gadsden.

*Please note: the TV re-broadcast has resumed on Sunday evenings at 8:00 on Comcast Channel 5.*

*Weekly Records*

*December 25, 2011*

*January 1, 2012*

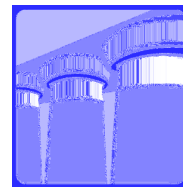
Stewardship Records

Budget Needs .....\$13,141.96  
 Tithes Received .....\$56,976.75  
 Designated.....\$6,595.00  
 Needs to Date.....\$683,382.00  
 Received to Date .....\$632,507.31

Stewardship Records

Budget Needs .....\$13,141.96  
 Tithes Received .....\$2,375.00  
 Needs to Date .....\$13,141.96  
 Received to Date .....\$2,375.00

Rev. Larry Fuhrman..... Interim Pastor  
 Rev. J. T. Harrell ..... Minister of Music  
 Jarrod & Misty Walker ..... Directors of Student Ministries  
 Mrs. Marsha Johnson ..... Director of Weekday Education  
 Mrs. Connie Jones..... Director of Children's Ministries



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**THE CHIMES**

First Baptist Church of Gadsden



JANUARY 8, 2012

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 8, 2012~10:30 AM

Prelude		Mr. George McSpadden
Welcome		Rev. Larry Fuhrman
Call to Worship	“This Is the Day”	arr. Whitworth
The Doxology		OLD 100TH <i>Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below; praise Him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.</i>
Invocation		Rev. J. T. Harrell
Hymn 2	“Holy, Holy, Holy”	NICAEA
Solo	“Beautiful Savior” Mrs. Nan Latham	arr. Fettke
Scripture		
*Hymn 216	“O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing” “Shout to the Lord”	AZMON
<i>My Jesus, my Savior, Lord, there is none like You. All of my days, I want to praise the wonders of Your mighty love. My Comfort, my Shelter, Tower of refuge and strength. Let every breath, all that I am, never cease to worship You. Shout to the Lord, all the earth, let us sing. Power and majesty, praise to the King. Mountains bow down, and the seas will roar at the sound of Your name. I sing for joy at the works of Your hands; Forever I'll love You, forever I'll stand. Nothing compares to the promise I have in You.</i>		
Offertory Prayer		Mr. Kent Back
Organ Offertory	“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”	arr. Kendal
Anthem	“Then Will the Very Rocks Cry Out”	arr. Hayes
Message		Dr. Jon Appleton
Hymn of Response 210	“My Jesus, I Love Thee”	GORDON
Choral Benediction	“You Shall Go Out with Joy”	arr. Edwards
Postlude		Mr. George McSpadden

\*Children are invited to Children's Church.

## Senior Adult Luncheon

### **IF YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR AARP, YOU ARE INVITED!**

Next Sunday--January 15

### **FOLLOWING MORNING WORSHIP**

Don't let the headline fool you...we are looking for 55-somethings and up! Make your plans now to stay after morning worship as our guests for a nice meal and great fellowship.

## Take Note

### **IT IS NO FUN BEING THE LAST TO KNOW....**

If you know of a church member who is sick, in the hospital, or has any other needs, please call the church office to let us know. Very often our ministers miss important ministry needs because they aren't aware of a situation.

### **ALABAMA BAPTIST SUBSCRIPTIONS**

It is time to renew your subscription to “The Alabama Baptist.” The cost is \$13, and you can just mark your check accordingly. Now is a great time to begin receiving this weekly newspaper about the work of Baptists in our state, so just call the church office to get your subscription started!

### **CHRISTMAS DVD**

The TV Ministry is offering a DVD of all of the special Christmas services for only \$10. If you would like one, please call the church office.

### **WEDNESDAY ACTIVITIES**

All Wednesday activities have resumed. Now is a great time to get involved in Prayer Meeting, music programs, Student Bible Study, or Missions/Music for kids. Activities start with Fellowship Supper at 5:00 pm.

## Christian Sympathy

is extended Linda Cox and family in the loss of her mother, Kathryn Burnham.

is extended to Brian and Gina Harbison and family in the loss of his mother, Kay Harbison.

## This Week

### **Sunday, January 8**

9:15 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Morning Worship\*  
8:00 pm Rebroadcast\*  
(\*Comcast Channel 5)

### **TV Ministry**

Kay Moore, Jeff Martin  
Jarrod Walker

### **Volunteers in Preschool**

Martha Haller  
Clay & Cathy Ellis

### **Monday, January 9**

WMU Group Meetings  
8:00 am Ladies Exercise

### **Tuesday, January 10**

6:30 am Men's Prayer Group  
Homebound Visitation  
5:00 pm Gym Night

### **Wednesday, January 11**

8:00 am Ladies Exercise  
5:00 pm Fellowship Supper

*bbq sandwiches, baked beans  
slaw, rolls, dessert*

5:30 pm Adult Handbells  
Children's Mission Programs  
New Voice

6:00 pm Prayer Meeting  
6:15 pm Student Life  
Graded Choir Program

6:30 pm Sanctuary Choir

### **Friday, January 13**

8:00 am Ladies Exercise

## Memorials

Kathryn Burnham  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Copeland

Ralph Carlisle  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Skelton

Tran H. Durham  
& John and Kathleen Redman  
Brown and Jackie Bryars

Lloyd & Betty Estes  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Skelton

Pam Hughes  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Skelton

Barney & Latrell Johnson  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Skelton

Betty Klaus  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Skelton

George & Marie Moring  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Skelton

Paul Vissing  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Copeland  
Mrs. Helen Magee  
Becky Rhodes  
The Snyder Family  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Van Yperen

Paul & Jeanette Vissing  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Skelton

Jerry Washington  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Skelton

Carolyn Watson  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Abel  
Mr. and Mrs. Philip Carroll III  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Copeland  
Dr. Nell Griffin  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamm  
Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Hughes  
Mike & Laura McKibben  
The Stivender Sunday School Class

Bruce Whorton  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Skelton

Tom Young  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Skelton