

PALM SUNDAY

As we prepare for Passion Week, we begin with Palm Sunday, March 28. Please join the church wide processional at 10:50 a.m. this Sunday morning on the church steps.

FLOWERS FOR THE CROSS

It is a tradition here at First Baptist Church to adorn the cross with beautiful flowers on Easter Sunday morning. Make plans now to be a part of this on Sunday, April 4th. As you come to church, be sure to bring your favorite flowers to proclaim Christ's victory on Resurrection Sunday. This is truly a witness to our community that everyone notices and enjoys.

YOUTH EVENTS

- Sunday March 28 – We will meet at the youth building 4:15 pm and will conclude at 6:30 pm. Captain Yarborough from the Belton Police Dept. is coming to put on a demonstration for the youth of the effects of alcohol. Captain Yarborough will walk us through different challenges that will be impeded by goggles that give the appearance of being under the influence. For those youth that are of driving age, there will also be a golf cart driving course to attempt.
- Tuesday, March 30 - Girls breakfast at Hardees from 7:15 – 7:45 am
- Wednesday, March 31 – Prime Time in the youth building from 6:30 – 7:30 pm
- Sunday, April 4 – There will be no youth activities that evening.
- Wednesday, April 7 – The youth are going to El Titantic for lunch at 12:00 pm. There will be no evening activities.

SC UPSTATE CHILI COOK OFF

The King's Daughters Class is sponsoring a bake sale at the Chili Cook Off on April 17. Anyone who would be willing to donate an item or volunteer to help with the booth, please contact Ann Fagg at 338-9492 or any other class member. All proceeds to to BIMA.

FINANCIAL NEWS

Sunday Receipts (03-21-10)	\$ 9,392.50
Year To Date Requirements	\$ 137,396.28
Year To Date Receipts	\$ 137,953.79
Found Faithful Commitment Cards	\$ 522,425.30
Found Faithful Weekly Receipts	\$ 2,788.76
Found Faithful Year To Date Receipts	\$ 14,979.28
Found Faithful Total Receipts	\$ 490,920.49
Home Missions Goal	\$ 6,000.00
Home Missions Receipts	\$ 4,081.80

RELAY FOR LIFE

The FBCB Relay for Life team would like to recognize all cancer survivors in our congregation. All cancer survivors are invited to walk the first lap of Relay for Life, receive a free t-shirt and attend a Survivors Banquet on April 15 at Chiquola Baptist Church in Honea Path. Please let Randy & Ann Fagg know if your name needs to be added to this list and if you would like to attend the banquet.

EASTER EGG HUNT



The Children's Easter Egg Hunt will be on Easter morning. Sunday School for the 1st – 5th grade will be in the gym. There will be Easter activities at this time. The 2's & 3's will have an egg hunt on the playground. At 10:40 a.m. there will be snacks for the Leda Poore and children under the covered walk way. The 4's & 5's and 1st -5th grade will go to church like normal. After the children's sermon we will have an egg hunt on the front lawn and use the Resurrection Eggs to tell the Easter story at the cross.

THE MASTER'S RINGERS

Thank you, Master's Ringers, for your beautiful music in Sunday's worship service, March 7, as we celebrated around the Lord's Supper Table. Thank you for bringing us to a point of remembering all that our Savior did on the cross. Thank you for enhancing our worship in such a glorious way.



THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday, March 28

9:30 a.m.	Prayer Group in the Conference Room
10:00 a.m.	Sunday School
11:00 a.m.	Worship Service/ Live WEPC 88.5
4:00 p.m.	The Master's Ringers
4:15 p.m.	Youth meet at youth building
5:00 p.m.	Vespers
5:30 p.m.	Basic Life Fellowship
6:00 p.m.	Basic Life Worship
6:30 p.m.	Youth Ensemble

Monday, March 29

8:30 a.m.	WEE School
9:30 a.m.	Jubilee Bells
10:30 a.m.	Live Wire Choir

Tuesday, March 30

5:30 a.m.	Group Fitness
8:30 a.m.	WEE School
8:45 a.m.	Group Fitness
3:45 p.m.	Group Fitness

Wednesday, March 31

8:30 a.m.	WEE School
5:00 p.m.	Children's Handchimes & Handbells
5:15 p.m.	Supper line opens (sloppy joes, potato salad, pickle spears & dessert)
6:15 p.m.	Missions
6:15 p.m.	Service of Remembrance in the Chapel
6:30 p.m.	Youth "Primetime"
7:15 p.m.	Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, April 1

5:30 a.m.	Group Fitness
8:30 a.m.	WEE School
8:45 a.m.	Group Fitness
10:00 a.m.	Fit for Life
11:00 a.m.	Sunday School @ Maples/Gail Williamson
4:00 p.m.	AM Service Broadcast/Channel 15

Friday, April 2

No WEE School



SUNDAY, MARCH 28, 2010

AM Service "Here He Comes" T. Dale Lynch
Offertory Prayer Matt Lusk
Counting Committee Wyndell Byrd & Norman Philips
Ushers Jeremy Stone, Brent Thomas & Travis Thomas
Audio Visual Dan Harvell & Greg Tysl
Offertory Team Richard Edwards, Matt Wurst
Phil Carwile & Matt Lusk

Deacon Greeters for March:

Richard Edwards Frank Gravina
Matt Lusk Johnny Lee Smith

Extended Session For Sunday, March 28, 2010

Birth to 24 mths: Karen & Regan Carwile
Pam Wright
2's & 3's Chris & Katie Mumblow
4's & 5's Jaime & Sandra Major

Children's Message: Michelle McCollum

PRAYER CONCERNS

AAMC

Cindy Stoner – 418 (Matt Wurst, deacon)

Be sure to remember the home bound, those in nursing facilities, and the families who have lost loved ones recently in your prayer time. Cards, phone calls and visits can brighten the day for many.

THANK YOU

Our church family has received a card of thanks from the family of Aubrey Williamson. Stop by the information board and read this and other items of interest. Community events are listed for those who might be looking for family events to attend.



HOLY WEEK

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HOME MISSIONS OFFERING

Ben & Lenora Newell, North American missionaries, see the direct impact your gifts have on changing lives. Their ministry in Helena-West Helena, Ark. Is about sharing hope. In a city of economic decline, where one third of the population lives in poverty, hope can do and has done a lot during the eight years of their ministry. The Newells share the Gospel not only in words but by hands and feet. They believe ministry is about following the example of Christ, who ministered spiritually but didn't neglect the physical needs of people. As the Newells and partner churches minister, lives are being changed. People are choosing to follow Christ, to see potential where they once saw none and to hope for better days ahead in their own lives and community.

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front steps at 10:50 a.m.**



**Service
of
Remembrance**

**March 31, 2010
Chapel 6:15 p.m.**