

Last Sunday's Record
June 7

First Baptist SS: 279
Offering: \$27,528.93

January 1, 2015

Requirements: \$592,944.37
Receipts: \$595,059.94

Deacon of the Week

6/14 - Jeremy Hill
6/21 - Mark Fairbanks
6/28 - Hoot Gipson
7/5 - Jim Matthews

Deacon's Breakfast

Sunday, June 28
8:00 a.m.

Sermon for Sunday, June 14

"Forever His"
(Romans 8:31-39)

FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER

has been suspended
for the summer
and will resume
August 12.

Prayer Meeting

5:30 p.m.
Chapel

SUNDAY, June 14

8:45 - FBC Coffee Café
9:15 - Sunday School
10:00 - Library Open
10:30 - Morning Worship
3:30 - Girl's Bible Study/at the Smiths'
- Boy's Bible Study/at the Bishops'
5:00 - Youth Choir Rehearsal/at the Bishops'

*No Evening Activities
or Worship Service at FBC*

TUESDAY, June 16

7:00 - Men's Prayer Group
6:00 - Prayer Shawl Ministry/Aldersgate

WEDNESDAY, June 17

5:30 - Prayer Meeting/Chapel
6:30 - Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, June 18

8:30 - Bar-T Adventures (Children)

FBC Scholarship Applications

Scholarship applications are
available at the Welcome
Center Desk or may be secured
by e-mail.

They must be completed and
returned to the church office

on or before
Sunday, June 14.

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VOLUNTEER MINISTRY for June 14

Preschool Ext. Session
Ryan and Casey Haarala

LAUNCH
Caitlin Braud
LaVisa Glass Edie Long

Worship Welcomers
Mark and Diane Fairbanks
Sam and Aline Forbert

Sunday School Greeters
John and Gaile Culpepper
Darren and Lisa Bane

Counting Committee
Scott Sills
Ryan Haarala
Jennifer Livingston
Kenneth McCracken,
Chairman

Security
Jack Jackson Wallace Heggie
TV Ministry
Adam Foreman, Jet Scar-
brough, Jason Braud, Brad
Henry, Mark Fairbanks, Sam
Garrett, Myles Culpepper,
Mark Williams, Randy Carroll

Dr. Raymon Leake, Pastor
Rev. David McCubbin, Associate Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Wayne Polk, Associate Pastor for Outreach and Discipleship
Rev. David Bishop, Associate Pastor for Music
Rev. Benjy Linder, Associate Pastor for Students
Caitlin Braud, Director of Children's Ministries
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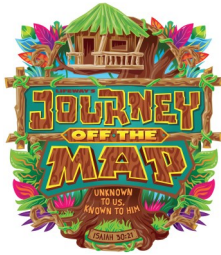
**ALIVE
& FREE**
June 14-20

Pray for our Youth and their sponsors.

Alana Akin
Benjamin Allison
Noah Allison
Brianna Bane
Ethan Bowers
Cameron Calhoun
Dakota Cason
Myles Culpepper
Riley Edwards
Jillian Ellis
Tyler Fant
Addie Ford
Sam Garrett
James Gibson
Grace Goodman
Jacob Gordon
Brittney Harrison
Whitley Hester
Anna Kate Henry
Sarah Hodge

Rachel Ivey
Jessica Jakkula
Logan Lamar
William Lamar
Jacob Leake
Carson Miller
Emma Moffett
Leland Moseley
Elon Presley
Talon Price
Katie Shaffer
Annabella Sills
Helen Peake Sims
Stephanie Smith
Trey Smith
Kathleen Tabb
Michael Tabb
Libby Waite
Chet Williams

Sponsors:
Elliot Brewer
Benjy Linder
Katie Linder
Amanda Henry
Olivia Mabry
Benjamin Porter



Dear Church Family,
We'd like to say a **HUGE THANK YOU** to everyone who volunteered and helped to make **2015 Journey Off the Map Vacation Bible School** happen.
Thank you also for your support and prayers.

We had an excellent week with **92 children** enrolled and a total enrollment of **169** counting all of you hard workers. Think of the countless lives impacted in the name of Christ!

Each day, the children brought their **VBS offering money** to go toward a mission project they are doing for children in **Blair Batson Children's Hospital**. We look forward to what **God** will do through these gifts and the lives of our children here at **FBC**.

Thanks again! **Shea, Julie, & Caitlin**

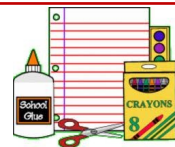
Youth Choir Remaining Youth Choir Rehearsals
5:00 PM @ David Bishop's
June 7, 14 and 21
YOUTH CHOIR TOUR - July 11 - 18

FBC has many opportunities of service. Some you might consider for the coming year are:



Greeter* Sundays at 9:00 a.m.
Welcomer* Sundays at 10:15 a.m.
Nursery Security* Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

Television Ministry* Sundays during morning worship
Family Night Supper Server** Wednesdays @ 5:15 p.m.
These opportunities of service are scheduled on a rotating basis. Most are once a quarter* and others are once a month**. When you look at your Fall schedule, please volunteer for one of these important jobs.



Believe it or not...it's time to collect school supplies for the LBA!

When you are shopping, remember to add school supplies to your list and drop them by the church. We'll collect the next few weeks and deliver them to the LBA Crisis Center.

ABIDE CHILDREN'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE

BAR-T ADVENTURES HEIDELBERG, MS

Thursday, June 18 TIME: 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM
(COST: \$25 plus snack money-BRING SACK LUNCH)
NEED: MOMS TO DRIVE - Signed release required, MUST WEAR TENNIS SHOES

RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS SCAVENGER HUNT

Thursday, June 25 TIME: 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM
NEED: MOMS TO DRIVE TEAMS (Bring \$ for LUNCH OUT)

HATTIESBURG ZOO

AND PEP'S POINT WATER PARK

Thursday, July 9 TIME: 8:15 AM to 5:00 PM
(Cost: \$20 plus snack money, BRING SACK LUNCH)
Bring a Swimsuit, towel and sunscreen

LBA CRISIS CENTER

Thursday, July 16 TIME: 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM
(BRING \$ FOR LUNCH OUT)

PINE LAKE FELLOWSHIP CAMP

Thursday, July 23 TIME: 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM
(Cost: \$10 - Bring a Swimsuit, Towel and Sunscreen and a SACK LUNCH (Snacks provided))

PARENTS AND LEADERS!!!

We need your help...and your pictures!

When you take pictures with your iPhone during children's, youth or mission events this summer, please send them to Karen (karen@fbcmeridian.org) for use on the website or in FBC video scrapbooks.



Please welcome our newest members...
Timothy and Candice Maloney

Sympathies to...

Walter and Cassie Rogers and family
in the death of her grandmother, Virgie Lee Estes.

Walk Thru the Bible Verses for this week...

June 14 - Reflection and Worship
June 15 - Psalms 73-77
June 16 - Psalms 78-83
June 17 - Psalms 84-89
June 18 - Psalms 90-97
June 19 - Psalms 98-103
June 20 - Psalms 104-106

NOLA MISSION TRIP

TRIP MEETING

SUNDAY, JUNE 21

(IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING MORNING WORSHIP)

This will be a **brief** meeting for **ALL** trip participants to receive ministry materials and additional details of the trip. Make this a priority!
See you then!



Mark your calendars!
English as a Second Language (ESL) Training

WHERE: FBC Meridian

WHEN: July 24-25 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM
If you would like more info about this training or about serving in this ministry, call Ellen Rogers at 601-484-4600.