

**Last Sunday's Record**  
**April 29**

First Baptist SS: 267  
Offering: \$25,875.64

**January 1, 2018**

Requirements: \$452,052.61  
Receipts: \$457,810.79

**Quest for Creativity**  
**Art Show**



presented by our Acteens

**Sunday, May 6**

4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

FBC Conference Room

Parents, grandparents and friends...join us for light refreshments and to view our art projects.

**FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER**

**May 9**

Spaghetti

Roasted Squash & Zucchini

Garlic Toast

Butterfinger Cake

KIDS: SAME

Adults : \$5.00

KIDS (12 and under): \$3.00

Family Maximum \$20.00

**SERVERS**

JoAnn Braddock

J.B. and Teresa Griffith

Bill Simcox

**Beginning**

**Wednesday, May 16**

Prayer Meeting Only

5:30 p.m. (new time)

**CHAPEL**

Family Night Supper will be suspended for the summer and resume

**August 15.**

**Spring Sing**

**Sunday, May 6**

6:00 p.m.

presented by

Music for 3's Preschool Choir  
Children's Choir Young Ringers

**SUNDAY, May 6**

8:45 - FBC Coffee Café

9:00 - Baccalaureate Breakfast

9:15 - Sunday School

10:00 - Library Open

10:30 - Morning Worship

11:30 - YOUTH Parent's Meeting/Youth Room

4:00 - Acteens Art Show

6:00 - SPRING SING

**TUESDAY, May 8**

7:00 - Men's Prayer Group

2:00 - GriefShare

4:30 - Tuesday Hospital Ministry

6:00 - Prayer Shawl Ministry/Aldersgate

**WEDNESDAY, May 9**

4:15 - B.L.A.S.T. Tutoring

4:30 - English as Second Language

5:00 - Family Night Supper

- YOUTH HANDBELLS

- YOUTH CHOIR

6:30 - MISSIONS RECOGNITION

**FRIDAY, May 13**

6:00 - G.I.F.T.

**MISSIONS RECOGNITION**

**Wednesday, May 9**

6:30 p.m.

recognizing our  
Mission Friends

Girls in Action Acteens  
Royal Ambassadors  
and Bible Drillers



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**VOLUNTEER MINISTRY for May 6**

**PRESCHOOL EXT. SESSION**

James and Donna May

**LAUNCH**

Holli Cobb

John Morgan and Anna Mims

Katie Shaffer

**Counting Committee**

Jennifer Livingston

Leslie Dunn Sally Wilkinson

Davis Miller

Neil Henry, *chairman*

**Security**

Clifford Holloway Greg Monsour

**Worship Welcomers**

Leslie and Susan Dunn

Leslie and Jill Williams

**Greeters**

David and Helen Webb

Allan and Diane Tolleson

**TV Ministry**

Adam Foreman, Jet Scarbrough, Reed Scarbrough, Brad Henry, Parker Henry, Anna Kate Henry, Neil Henry, Mark Williams, Randy Carroll

Dr. Scott Hummel, Interim Pastor  
Rev. David McCubbin, Associate Pastor Emeritus  
Rev. Wayne Polk, Associate Pastor for Outreach and Discipleship  
Rev. David Bishop, Associate Pastor for Music  
Rev. Josh Dunn, Associate Pastor for Students  
Caitlin Braud, Director of Children's Ministries

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**BACCALAUREATE  
WORSHIP SERVICE**



**SUNDAY, MAY 6, 2018**

**10:30 A.M.**

THE LORD HIMSELF GOES BEFORE YOU  
AND WILL BE WITH YOU;  
HE WILL NEVER LEAVE YOU  
NOR FORSAKE YOU.  
DO NOT BE AFRAID;  
DO NOT BE DISCOURAGED.

DEUTERONOMY 31:8



# CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2018 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES!



**Jay Barnett**  
West Lauderdale High School



**Caroline Garrett**  
Lamar High School



**Adie Goodman**  
Lamar High School



**Jacob Leake**  
West Lauderdale High School



**Carson Miller**  
Clarkdale High School



**Tay Nash**  
Meridian High School



**Parker Neal**  
Lamar High School



**Elon Presley**  
Lamar High School



**Zackery Thomas**  
Lamar High School



**Ariel Webb**  
Northeast High School

### *Sympathies to...*

Steve and Carolyn Pickard and Michael and Pam Thompson and family in the death of Chester Pickard.

Bryan and April Sellers and family in the death of her mother.

Larry and Lynda Bagley and family in the death of her father, Joe Thomas Blair.

***Come and Go Farewell for Wayne and Cheryl Polk***  
**Sunday, May 13**

during the Sunday School hour beginning at 9:15 a.m.  
FBC Welcome Center

***Stop by and wish them well on their new season of service.***

### **AND OUR COLLEGE GRADUATES...**

**Ben Williams** is graduating from Mississippi State University as a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine.

**Scott Ellis** is graduating from Babson College (Wellesley, MA) with a B.S. degree in Business with concentrations in Law and Finance.

**Dakota Presley** is graduating from Mississippi State University with a B.S. degree in Elementary Education with endorsements in Science and Social Studies.

### **GRADUATING FROM MERIDIAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE...**

**Noah Allison** is continuing his education at University of Southern Mississippi majoring in Computer Science.

**Cameron Calhoun** is continuing his education as a University transfer  
**Dakota Cason** is continuing his education at Mississippi State University, Meridian majoring in Business Administration.

**Libby Waite** is continuing her education at Mississippi State University, Meridian majoring in Social Work.

**Read the New Testament in 2018**

Week 19 - Acts 2, 3, 4, 5, 6