

Christian Sympathy

... is extended to Ann Reese and family in the loss of her brother. David Still.  
...is extended to Mark Bowers and his family in the loss of his mother, Barbara Bowers.

Memorials

...in loving memory of Bob Tarpley to Senior Adult Ministry.  
...in loving memory of Bob Tarpley to the Building and Grounds Fund.  
...in loving memory of Bob Tarpley to the General Fund.  
...in loving memory of Billy Knowles to the General Fund.  
...in loving memory of Bruce Lake to the General Fund.  
...in loving memory of Bob Tarpley a selection of children’s books to the church library.

Flowers

...the beautiful flowers in the sanctuary this Sunday, February 4th are placed in loving memory of Melba Thigpen in remembrance of her birthday on January 29th by Michael and the family.

Darrell’s Notes

This past Sunday, I presented to our church the *Orange Ball Challenge* in our morning service. For those who were unable to attend, let me explain. Many of our people have filled out a white ping pong ball and placed it in our Acts 1:8 tower. Each one of those 245 white balls represents a commitment made by a member to pray for different individuals whom they are not certain know Christ as Savior and Lord. These members have committed to pray for the salvation of these individuals, as well as pray for an opportunity to have a Gospel conversation with them.

The *Orange Ball Challenge* asks those who completed a white ball to take at least one orange ping pong ball from the top step of the sanctuary stage. Those orange balls represent a commitment *to seek, to try* to have a Gospel conversation sometime over the next four weeks with the person/ persons that ball/balls represent. Participants will place orange balls somewhere they will see them every day as a reminder of their commitment to be willing to share. They will also serve as a prayer prompt. Every day, when they see it, they will take a moment to pray for the person/persons represented, as well as for an opportunity to have a Gospel conversation with them. Please know that it is still not too late for you to choose to participate. Just take an orange ball from the sanctuary stage!

If a member has a Gospel conversation *of any kind* over the next four weeks, they will make sure to bring back that orange ball to the church, place the initials of the person they shared with on it, and drop that ball into the fishbowl placed on the altar. Every Sunday we will celebrate the orange balls being added to the fishbowl and pray for all those who are still seeking to have a Gospel conversation. At the end of four weeks, we will take time to celebrate, praise God, and pour all of the orange balls into our Acts 1:8 tower. It is a visual representation of our church's commitment to the Great Commission!

Blessings,  
Darrell

Women’s Bible Study  
SEEK FIRST THE KINGDOM

by Christine Hoover  
Beginning Thursday, February 8th  
9:30 a.m.

Jackie Walker’s Home  
206 Wellington Drive  
Call 478-272-2023 for more information.  
Books are available in the church office \$8.00



Senior Adult Pizza Lunch  
Thursday, February 15th  
No need to sign up – just show up!  
Your Pie at 12:00 p.m.



Bear Sunday  
February 11, 2024

For the past 25 years, First Baptist Dublin has been partnering locally with organizations such as: Fairview Park Hospital, WINGS, CASA, Kids’ Cup, and Stepping Stones to comfort hurting children during difficult times. Again this year, we will be collecting teddy bears during our worship service on Sunday, February 11, to give to children in traumatic situations.

We need bears...LOTS & LOTS of bears!!!

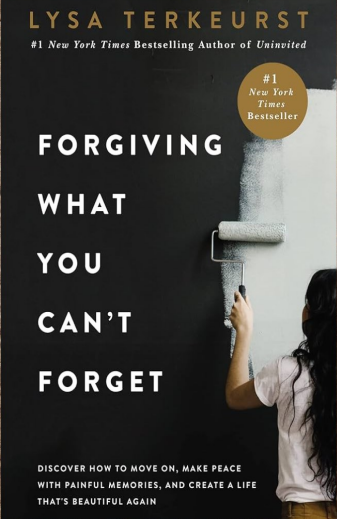
Bear with Me Ministry ...established in 1999 by Mrs. Helen Durden and friends.



Women’s Bible Study

Tuesday Nights, February 13 - March 26  
FBC Fellowship Hall  
6:30-8:00 p.m.

For more information contact-  
Diana Record (352) 512-4775



February Birthdays

- 4-Jeff Davis  
Tracie Morgan
- 5-Pam Green  
Emily Butler  
Diana Record
- 6-Wallace Miller  
William Zhang
- 8-Melodie Smith  
Zhiqianq Zhang  
Briceton Canada
- 9-Lark Nipper  
Moody Oliver
- 10-Seth Morris  
Sue Tarpley  
Judy Bracewell

Senior Adult Bingo

Tuesday, February 27th at 2:00 p.m.  
Fellowship Hall

For each household, please bring one item from home to donate as a prize (such as a baked good or an item you think someone else would appreciate).

Drinks and snacks will be provided.

GIVING

January 28, 2024

General Fund	
Budget Offering .....	\$26,539.99
Weekly Budget Needs.....	\$22,200.08
YTD Tithes and Offerings.....	\$69,387.99
YTD Budget Needs.....	\$88,800.32
Under Budget.....	\$19,412.33

Designated Funds	
Building and Grounds Fund.....	\$25.00
Lottie Moon.....	\$100.00
Senior Adult Ministry.....	\$5,000.00
Hands of Ruth.....	\$250.00
Men’s Outreach Ministry.....	\$100.00

TD Designated Fund.....	\$14,822.00
YTD Other Receipts.....	\$10,286.41

Family Night Supper

Wednesday, February 7

- Pepper Steak
- Rice & Gravy
- Steamed Mixed Vegetables
- Green Beans
- Biscuits
- Chicken Taco Bar
- Green Salad
- Mixed Fruit
- Brownies
- Cereal, Pop-tarts, Go Gurts



# This Week February 4-9

Sunday, February 4	9:00 a.m.- Sunday School 10:30 a.m.-Worship
Monday, February 5	9:00 a.m.-Office Open First Learning Center 10:30 a.m.-Staff Meeting 6:00 p.m.-Trail Life
Tuesday, February 6	9:00 a.m.-Office Open First Learning Center 9:30 a.m.-Men's Bible Study
Wednesday, February 7	9:00 a.m.-Office Open First Learning Center 5:30 p.m.-Family Night Supper 6:00 p.m.-Kid's Activities Student Worship 6:30 p.m.-Discipleship Adult Class Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, February 8	9:00 a.m.-Office Open First Learning Center
Friday, February 9	9:00 a.m.-Office Open First Learning Center

# Please Pray For...

**Church Family:** Tim Allen; Gerri Anderson; Pamela Anderson; Ash Asbell; Kate Barfoot; Jack & Harriette Baynes; Bill Blanton; Joyce Coley; Sue Colter; Robin Cullison; Helen Durden; Deedy Fitzgerald; Buck and Frances Gale; Buddy Gay; Wayne Gay; Jeannie Hudson; Tim & Linda Hudson; Ed Jackson; Ben Knight; Ruth Kyte; Ann Lee; Alice Nichols; Danny Martuscello; Hugh Moore; Buff Price; Tryon Reynolds; Shelby Sanders; Brad Skeeters; Timothy Smith; Don Vinson; Lila Weatherly; Reva Woodard; Sue Wynn

**Addington Place:** Carolyn Allen

**Dublin Place:** Helen Howarth (sister of Jim Shoptaw); Wiley Shepherd

**James Place:** Mary Meeks

**Greenwood Place in Wrightsville:** Eric & Kaye Jones

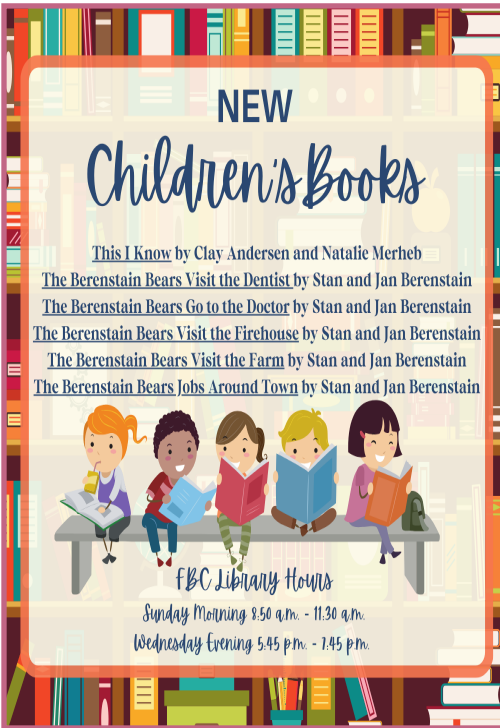
**The Orchard at Athens:** Ben & Mary Pope

**Scott Rehab:** Martha Bobbitt; Frances Thigpen

**Extended Family/Friends:** Phillip Brown (brother-in-law of Greg and Celia Covington); Veronica Buchanan (Jack Bayne's daughter-in-law's mother); Mrs. Raymond Chafin (Lisa Skeeter's mother); Charlotte Cook (friend of Jennie Roberts); Larry Cox; Buddy and Karen Haggard; Colton Hall (grandson of Dolores Byrne); Marcia Howell (mother of Kathy Christian); Kenny Smith (Jack and Harriett Baynes' son-in-law); Geraldine Walker (sister of Jane Asbell); Richard Wilbanks (friend of Eric & Kaye Jones); Bob Willis (friend of Kelly Canady); Don Tillman

# Read the Bible Through

Sunday, February 4.....Exodus 33-34; Matthew 19:16-30  
Monday, February 5.....Exodus 35-36; Matthew 20:1-16  
Tuesday, February 6.....Exodus 37-38; Matthew 20:17-34  
Wednesday, February 7.....Exodus 39-40; Matthew 21:1-22  
Thursday, February 8.....Leviticus 1-3; Matthew 21:23-46  
Friday, February 9.....Leviticus 4-5; Matthew 22:1-14  
Saturday, February 10.....Leviticus 6-8; Matthew 22:15-46



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## First Learning Center

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## 2024 – 2025 REGISTRATION

Children are a gift from the Lord; they are a reward from him.  
Psalm 127:3

### Classes:

Preschool I M, W  
Preschool II M, W, F  
Preschool II M - F  
Preschool III M, W, F  
Preschool III M - F  
Pre-K M - F

### What we offer:

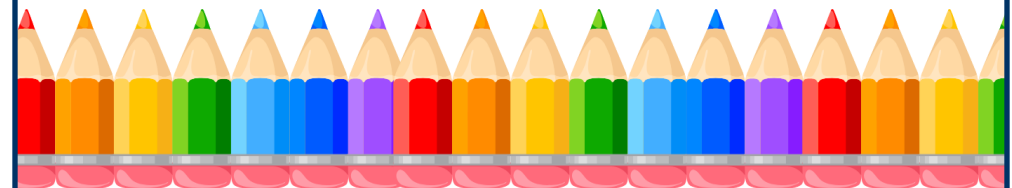
- Christ-Centered Program
- ABEKA Curriculum
- Chapel
- Music Class
- Storytime in Library
- CPR-Certified Staff

Registration: 2/01/24 - FBC members & current families  
2/12/24 - Opens to public

For more information or to schedule a tour, contact

Mary Leigh Coleman

firstlearning@firstbaptistdublin.org.



Sunday School | 9:00 a.m.

Worship | 10:30 a.m.