

## Weekly Calendar

<b>April 14, Sunday</b>	
Early Morning Worship Downtown .....	8:30 a.m.
Fellowship Time at NorthPoint .....	9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship at NorthPoint .....	9:30 a.m.
Bible Study Downtown.....	9:45 a.m.
Bible Study at NorthPoint .....	10:30 a.m.
Youth Summer Information Meeting (FH).....	Noon
Model Seder Service (FH – Pre-registration Required) .....	6:30 p.m.
<b>April 15, Monday</b>	
Senior Adult Exercise Class (FLC) .....	9:00 a.m.
<b>April 16, Tuesday</b>	
55+ Carry-in Lunch (FH).....	11:30 a.m.
Celebrate Recovery (FLC-Loft/6:00 – 7:00 p.m. Fellowship Time) .....	7:00 p.m.
<b>April 17, Wednesday</b>	
Senior Adult Exercise Class (FLC) .....	9:00 a.m.
Youth & Children’s Choirs .....	5:15 p.m.
Mission Friends (3s, 4s, PK 5s).....	6:30 p.m.
Square 1 for Children (Grades 1-6).....	6:30 p.m.
The Loft for Youth (Grades 7-12).....	6:30 p.m.
Spring Session of Life University .....	6:30 p.m.
Adult Choir Rehearsal .....	7:35 p.m.
<b>April 18, Thursday</b>	
Ladies Bible Study (FH).....	6:00 p.m.
<b>April 19, Friday</b>	
<b>Good Friday – Church Office &amp; FLC Closed</b>	
Community Good Friday Service (Corinth Baptist Church) .....	7:00 p.m.



## Disciple Now for Youth

Grades 7-12

April 12-14

Cost: \$30 per student

Disciple Now is a weekend retreat for students to spend time learning what it means to be a disciple of Christ. There will be small group gatherings, great worship, a lip-syncing contest and much more. We challenge you not to miss this weekend.

### FBC Leadership Team

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### Youth Summer

#### Information Meeting

Sunday, April 14

Noon – Fellowship Hall

Youth and their parents, please come to this meeting to get information about camp, mission trips and other summer activities!



### The Pastor's Corner

Who am I? Why am I here? Is this all there is? These questions plague American culture. While I was in the middle of writing this article a man dropped by my office and as we talked he confessed, "I have lost all purpose in my life." Our innate desire to have purpose and meaning in our lives and to clearly understand what that is, drives many people to extreme behavior. It is one of my biggest questions to those who believe in evolution. If we are merely evolved animals, then we have come into being by random chance and can have no purposeful meaning in existing. This is NOT what the Bible teaches! It is certainly not what Jesus modeled. This Sunday we will look at the "triumphal entry" as recorded in Luke 19:28-44. Jesus has much to teach us about purpose. I hope you will be here this Sunday and don't forget to pray for your "one."

-Pastor James

### Women

Women of FBC are you ready for a quarterly gathering? Let's gather, pray and think tank together on **Sunday, April 14, 5:15 p.m. in room 321.**



### Mission Project Information Meetings

Sunday, April 28, at 12:15 p.m. in Room 209  
Project is working with Adam and Leigh Anne in West Asia  
Project date August 16-27, 2019

### Daytime Ladies Bible Study Spring Enrollment

The study starts Tuesday, April 23. You will need a book before then to be prepared for the first session. Sign up by calling Mandy Hamblett at 846-5772. Books are available in the church office for those who have already signed up. Books are \$7.

### Lost & Found

Are you missing a Bible, jacket or cup? Check the coat rack in the foyer to see if your missing item is there. Items left after April 30 will be donated.

### Please Note

In order to have correct details and information all announcements and articles for the newsletter must be submitted in writing to the church office no later than Mondays at 9:00 a.m. for publication that week. Please include dates, times, names and contact information.



### A Note From the Pastor

Here we are again standing on the brink of Holy Week. As we prepare to remember the price God was willing to pay to redeem His fallen creations, I wonder if we have spent any time considering this topic. One year I would love to lead our church through the Lenten season. I know, we are Baptists and I'm not talking about Mardi Gras. During Lent people give up something they love for 40 days, so it is a time of personal sacrifice. In more liturgical churches no songs of praise will be sung, the music will be slower and more mournful during Lent. The overall affect is to put us in a place where we can encounter, to a small degree, God's sacrifice and His broken heart over handing His Son over to evil men to be betrayed, beaten and murdered. Then on Resurrection Sunday we gather to celebrate the empty tomb and discover again the Risen Savior! The music is pure celebration for the first time in weeks and it is like a weight has been lifted off of our shoulders – Jesus is alive!!! Our sins have been forgiven. Our broken relationship with God has been healed! Lent adds a physical element to our mental understanding of the facts. Maybe someday.

We begin this week with Palm Sunday. In the morning we will look at the triumphal entry and on Sunday night we will walk through a model Seder service with a missionary from Jews for Jesus. There is a sign-up sheet in the office and you need to sign up for this so we will know how many to prepare for. We will also take the Lord's Supper during the Seder. This year we will have "normal" Wednesday evening activities. On Friday night we will meet at Corinth Baptist Church at 7:00 p.m. Then, on Resurrection Sunday we will celebrate the empty tomb downtown at 8:30 and 11:00 with the choir leading us in an Easter musical and drama. At NorthPoint I will be preaching the last sermon in my *Who's Your One* series. I would encourage everyone at NorthPoint to join us downtown for the musical before our 9:30 service at NorthPoint. It will be a very powerful week if we take some time to prepare our hearts for what God wants to reveal to us. Additionally, this is a fantastic time to invite your "one!"

See you Sunday!  
Pastor James

### Camp Spark

This one-week camp for kids is filled with sports, music, drama, art and much more. We need lots of volunteers! If you would like to volunteer to help with Camp Spark, pick up a volunteer form in the Fellowship Hall and turn it in to the office ASAP.



### Wedding Shower



There will be a wedding shower honoring Victoria LeCompte and Drew Henbest on Sunday, April 28, at 2:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The couple is registered at Bed, Bath and Beyond and Whitley Pharmacy. The shower is hosted by friends of the couple and everyone is invited to attend.

### Community Good Friday Service

Corinth Baptist Church  
Friday, April 19, 7:00 p.m.

*Please Note: The church office and Family Life Center will be closed on Good Friday.*

### Easter Worship Schedule

Sunday, April 21

#### Downtown

*We Are Witnesses: Encounters with the Savior* Musical  
8:30 & 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School – 9:45 a.m.

#### NorthPoint

Normal Worship – 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School – 10:30 a.m.

#### No PM Services

### 55+ Carry-in Lunch

Tuesday, April 16  
11:30 a.m.  
Fellowship Hall

### 55+ Trip to Memphis Quartet Show

June 12-15

Groups performing are Gold City, Ernie Haase and Signature Sound, Dove Brothers, Dixie Echoes, The Blackwood Brothers plus many more. The cost per person is \$350 with \$100 deposit due by April 22 to guarantee your slot. The cost includes your room, all meals, tickets, transportation, etc.

### 55+ Trip to Stained Glass Theater

Thursday, April 25  
Leave at 3:45 p.m. Return at 11:00 p.m.  
COST: \$30 (Dinner at Lamberts)  
Sign up in the church office.

