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true value

And finding one pearl of great value, he went
and sold all that he had and bought it.
Matthew 13:46



First Baptist Church Fayetteville

April 26-29
6:00 p.m.

Revival

John Cross
Revival Pastor



Carlos Ichter
Worship Leader

OUR MISSION IS TO LOVE GOD, LOVE FELLOW BE -

SUNDAY, APRIL 26

9:30 am Sunday School
10:50 Morning Worship &
TRUE VALUE Revival Begins
12:00 Noon College Lunch with
John Cross
4:00 pm Women's Ministry C., 174
5:00 Youth Choir
Team Kid
Middle School Discipleship
Revival Prayer Gathering, 320
Love Dare Study last, 324
6:00 *TRUE VALUE* Revival

MONDAY, APRIL 27

7:00 am Men's Prayer Mtg.
11:30 FHS Underground with
John Cross
5:00 pm Revival Prayer
Gathering, 320
5:15 Family Meal, MH
6:00 *TRUE VALUE* Revival

TUESDAY, APRIL 28

12:00 Noon True Value Leadership
Lunch for City/County Employees
5:00 pm Revival Prayer
Gathering, 320
5:15 Family Meal, MH
6:00 *TRUE VALUE* Revival

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29

9:30 am Ladies' Quilting
12:15 pm *Bell Canto*, Adult Bells
4:00 *Campanella*, MS Bells
5:00 Revival Prayer
Gathering, 320
Resound, Youth Bells
5:15 Family Meal, MH
6:00 *TRUE VALUE* Revival

THURSDAY, APRIL 30

6:30 pm Adult Basketball

SATURDAY, MAY 2

8:00 am MS to Silver Dollar City
FBC Springfest Booth
12:30 pm College Cookout, Baum
Stadium

SUNDAY, MAY 3

FOOD PANTRY DAY**GRADUATE RECOGNITION DAY**

9:30 am Sunday School
Youth Graduate Breakfast, MH
10:50 Morning Worship
5:00 pm Youth Choir
Team Kid
Middle School Discipleship
6:00 Spring Concert
(Graded Choirs)

Schedule of Revival Events:

SUNDAY, APRIL 26

10:50 - 12:00 Revival Service

Noon College Student Lunch with John Cross & Synergy 325
Band, NB

**If you know any college students who don't attend FBC,
please invite them to come to this special luncheon.
There is no cost, and they will be blessed!**

5:00 - 6:00 Prayer Hour led by FIRST Prayer

6:00 - 7:30 Revival Service**

MONDAY, APRIL 27

11:30 - 12:00 John Cross at FHS Underground

5:15 - 5:45 Family Meal—BBQ Sandwiches, Baked Beans, Coleslaw,
Cost: \$2 per person

5:00 - 6:00 Prayer Hour led by FIRST Prayer

6:00 - 7:30 Revival Service**

TUESDAY, APRIL 28

12:00 - 12:50 Leadership Lunch with City/County Employees

5:15 - 5:45 Family Meal—Spaghetti & Meatballs, Green Beans,
Breadsticks, Cost: \$2 per person

5:00 - 6:00 Prayer Hour led by FIRST Prayer

6:00 - 7:30 Revival Service**

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29

5:15 - 5:45 Family Meal—Grilled Chicken Salad with Baked Potatoes,
Cost: \$2 per person

5:00 - 6:00 Prayer Hour led by FIRST Prayer

6:00 - 7:30 Revival Service**

***Childcare—Birth through Grade 2*

*Please pre-register for the Family Meal at the Information Center.
This will enable us to adequately prepare for those attending.*



General Report

**At the regularly
scheduled business
meeting on April 19, First
Baptist Church...**

- A. Approved the March financial report.
- B. Elected messengers to the Southern Baptist
Convention annual meeting to be held in Louisville,
Kentucky June 22-24.
- C. Approved Jim Lacy as deacon.
- D. Adopted the May 2009 Calendar of Activities.



SpringFest 2009 (on Dickson Street)

Saturday, May 2 ~ 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Our church will be sponsoring a children's booth at Springfest again this year. Our booth will have a game, prizes, & candy. We will also be giving away outreach materials to families that come by our booth. We are in need of 25 volunteers to work 1 hour shifts between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. It's a great opportunity for you and your family to work together for Christ. If you would like to be a part of this ministry to our community, sign up in your Sunday school class, the Information Center or contact Lisa Wheat, 442-2387, Ext. 20.

Outback Express VBS 2009

June 15 - 19 ~ 8:30 – 12 noon

VBS is only 2 months away! The week of VBS is a huge outreach tool for our entire church. Each year we have lots of children involved in our VBS who do not have a church home or in some cases have never heard about Jesus. There are several ways you can be involved in our VBS:

1. Pray - for the children, families, and teachers
2. Teach – we are in need of at least 15 more teachers/helpers.
3. Give of your time – before the week of VBS to help decorate, prepare crafts, gather supplies, etc.
4. Give resources – in the next few weeks we will have a list of things we will be collecting to help us out with VBS.

If you can help in any of these areas, please sign up at the information Center or contact Lisa, 442-2387, Ex. 20. Thank you!



VBS 2009 T-shirts

Cost: \$9.00 each

Rust - 100% cotton shirts

Sizes range from Youth S to Adult XXL

(For XXL sizes add \$1.00)

You can pay for them when you pick them up. If you would like to order a VBS t-shirt for your child or for yourself, look for the sign-up sheet at the Information Center and sign up by Wednesday, **May 20.**

Parent -Child Dedication

Mother's Day—Sunday, May 10

in the Morning Worship

If you would like your child dedicated on this Sunday, please let Lisa Wheat or Linda Dilley know by Sunday, May 3. We would also like you to submit a photo of your child for the bulletin.



Graduate

Recognition Day

Sunday, May 3

DON'T FORGET!!!

Two items **DUE** by

Sunday, April 26

for publication in the Voice:

1. A Senior picture
2. The Senior information card available at the Youth Information Desk

Special FHS

Underground/FCA Event

Monday, April 27th

FHS Lunch hour

FHS Football Pavilion

"True Value for this Generation!"

Guest Speaker: John Cross

Florida Baptist State Convention
President

Free BBQ Lunch

(Inclement weather location:
Grace Chinese Church)

Middle School

Silver Dollar City Trip!

Saturday, May 2

Leave: 8:30 am - Back: 8 pm

Cost: \$43

(bring extra money
for food, gifts, etc.)

Season Passes welcome!

(Please let us know if
you have a pass)

Sign up by Sunday, April 26th!

Sign up at Youth

Information Desk

?s call Youth Office: 442-2387
or Aldridges : 444-8300

Phone: 479-442-2387 **Fax:** 479-442-2265
Church Staff **Extension**
 Pastor - Douglas Falknor 12
 Minister of Music - Mike Paslay 19
 Minister of Adults - Travis Wollenberg 18
 Minister of College & Career - Steve Moore 16
 Minister of Students - Steve Alberts 21
 Minister of Childhood Education - Lisa Wheat 20
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 Pastor's Secretary - Sheila Smith 12
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PRAISE RECORD—APRIL 19, 2009

Sunday School Enrollment 1035
 Sunday School Attendance 538
 New Sunday School Members 0
 Morning Worship 575
 Evening Worship 199
 Decisions 0
 Other Weekly Bible Studies 23
Metro Church na
 Received for week \$23,000.44
 Required for week \$45,156.43
 Received in month to date \$104,724.43
 Required in month to date \$109,676.91
 Received in 2009 \$524,532.67
 Required in 2009 to date \$553,871.54
CBCG Received this week \$980.00
 CBCG Received to-date \$2,272,945.10

ETC ~ APRIL 26, 2009

Babies 1 – John & Elaine Quinn
Babies 2 – James & Lacy Davis
Toddler - Tom & Elizabeth Bonner
Twos 1 – Chris & Michelle Harvey
Twos 2 – Dianna Reyes, Sonya Reyes
Threes – Kathleen Doss, Jamie Foote
Fours – Shelly Husnian, Alex Nichols

HOSPITALIZED:

None Known

DEACON OF THE WEEK

APRIL 26-MAY 2, 2009

Matt Mason ☎ 442-4128

VAN DRIVERS~SUN., APRIL 26

Tony Ramirez (251-7885)
 Tom Garrison (200-3110)

FIRST TOUCH

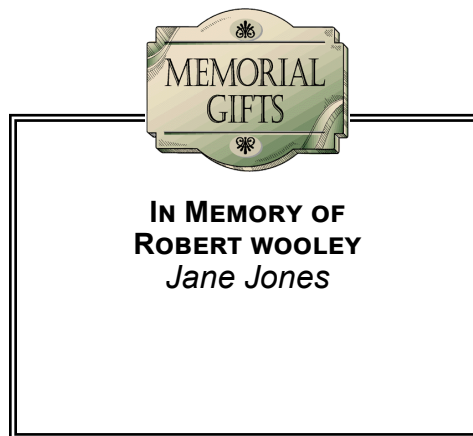
FIRST Touch April 20

Visits: 2 YTD: 29

Letters/Emails: 6 YTD: 191

Next FIRST Touch-May 4 at 6:15 PM
Adult 7 Department

There will be no FIRST Touch April 27.



true value revival Family Meals

Monday, April 27-BBQ Sandwiches, Baked Beans, Coleslaw

Tuesday, April 28 -Spaghetti & Meatballs, Green Beans, Breadsticks

Wednesday, April 29-Grilled Chicken Salad with Baked Potatoes

Cost: \$2 per person. No family rates.

Dear First Baptist Church Family,

In a brief lucid moment during my recent surgery I began to think of people for whom I had not expressed my love and appreciation as I should. The list was long but here are a few of them. Beverly, the love of my life for 61 years; our children, grandchildren and my siblings (Rusty, in particular, has been our advocate with the complex medical establishment).

And our First Baptist Family which has blessed our lives since 1951. Most recently, we have experienced so many expressions of your love and concern through your visits, phone calls, cards, letters, food, gifts to our church in honor of me, for cleaning up our yard after the ice storm, and for your prayers. Thank you so much. Only God's love could inspire such love and concern.

In that fleeting moment I asked the Lord to give me one more chance to express my gratitude and this is it, inadequate as it is.

If you need to express your love and appreciation to someone, do it now! We have no assurance we can do it later.

In Christian Love,
 Jamie Jones

