

LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday, May 7

GRADUATE RECOGNITION 8:15 am Staff Prayer Time 9:30 Sunday School Graduate Breakfast 10:50 Morning Worship Chinese Worship 11:00 3:00 pm Korean Worship 4:00 PlayLearn C. 5:00 Team Kid MS Transformed Missions Youth Choir Women's Min. C.

Monday, May 8

Evening Worship

6:00

7:00 am Men's Prayer Mtg. 12:35 pm FHS *Underground* 6:15 G.R.O.W. Team "R"

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

Quilting Group 9:30 am 12:15 pm Ladies Handbells 5:00 Family Meal 5:45 **Graded Choirs** MS Choir-Polarity Mission Corps 6:00 Sunday School Overview Bible Study/Prayer Mtg. 6:30 Youth Connection Chinese/Eng. Bible Study 6:40 Sanctuary Choir recharge MS Missions Recognition 7:40 Choir Childcare

THURSDAY, MAY 11

11:30 am LOA class meal 6:30 pm Adult Basketball 6:45 Deacon's Mtg.

SUNDAY, MAY 14

Mother's Day

10:50 am Parent/Child
Dedications
4:00 pm Stewardship C.



SPECIAL GRADUATE RECOGNITION EDITION







Elizabeth Brooks-Tolley



Sallie Duell



Amanda Eaton



Stephen Gilstrap



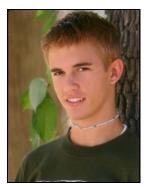
Jen Hubbard



Josh Hager



Jon Malcolm



Cory Meares



Jacob Riemenschneider



Nathan Thomas

Also graduating, but not pictured is Zach Crites.



University Graduates:

Erica Jo Arnold

Master of Arts in Teaching from the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville. Future plans are to teach in the Springdale Public Schools.

MENDY BOND

Bachelor of Arts in anthropology from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville. Future plans are to get married August 5 and attending Southwestern Seminary.

AARON ROBERT BRASEL

Bachelors of Science Business Administration from the Sam M. Walton college of business at the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville. Future Plans are to begin law school in fall 2006 at either Arkansas, Miami, or Georgia State.

DOUGLAS FALKNOR

Doctor of Ministry-Proclamation from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas.

TAMARA LEONARD

Bachelor of Science in Poultry Science from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville.

SARAH CATHERINE MILFORD

Elementary Education degree from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville. Future plans are to pursue a Masters degree.

JASON ROSS

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville. Future plans are to start a career with Wal-Mart Information Systems in Bentonville, AR.

DANIEL JORDAN SAVAGE

Bachelor of Communication from the Fulbright College of Arts & Sciences at the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville. Future plans are to attend New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.

RICHARD D. SMITH, JR.

Bachelor of Arts in English from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville.

SAMANTHA DAWN SMITH

Bachelor of Science in Architectural Studies with a Minor in Art Studio from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville. Future plans are unsure.

STACY SUVINO

Display Design degree from the Fashion Institute of Technology in New York City, New York. Future plans are to get a job.

KYLE THOMPSON

Bachelor of Arts Communications from Fulbright College at the University of Arkansas. Future plans are to get another job.

J.D. WEATHERS

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Arkansas. Future plans are to enter the MBA program at the University of Arkansas.

JENNIFER LEIGH WEATHERS

Masters in Business Administration from the University of Central Arkansas Future plans are undecided needs a job.

RECEPTION SUNDAY, MAY 21 7:00 PM

Sherry Purtle has announced her retirement as Director of Play Learn effective the end of May, 2006. We are planning a reception to express our appreciation for her on Sunday, May 21 after the evening worship service. Love offerings are now being accepted in the church office for a surprise love offering for Sherry. Please do not mention this to her as we want to surprise her.

Women's t-shirts are here!

Charity will be at the info desk Wednesday night and Sunday morning and evening for t-shirt pick and to receive payment from those who have not yet paid. If you have questions, call 361-9543 or tewilliams@cox.net.

FOOD PANTRY DAY

This Sunday, May 7, is food pantry day. First Baptist partners with 19 other churches to support Cooperative Community Outreach (CEO). The purpose of CEO is to provide emergency services to needy families and individuals in southern Washington County. These services include food, prescription drugs, clothes and assistance with utilities, rent and transportation. Efforts are made to counsel clients toward self-reliance.

Last week we requested additional items due to a severe shortage of food at CEO. *Thank you* to all who brought their contributions yesterday. However, there is still a shortage of soup, canned fruit and green vegetables. Financial contributions are always welcome. Thank you for giving generously to help those less fortunate.



All of the ladies of the church are invited to participate in this ministry of caring and sharing with other sisters in Christ. You will each be given a 'sister' that you will need to pray for and encourage. It is wonderful to have someone that prays for you daily and is there to send you an encouraging note from time to time. We'll be keeping our 'sisters' a secret; so don't let anyone know who you have. Of course, it may be fun for you to guess as we go along. At the end of the program year, we will reveal our 'sisters'.

GUIDELINES:

- ➡ No purchased gift giving until the end of the year. Food gifts, candy and homemade goodies are acceptable. You will be asked to purchase and bring one gift for your sister at our 'revealing' function.
- ₩ Make sure you contact your sister by means of a note or card at least once a month.

Registration sheets are available at the Information Center. Completed forms are due back by Sunday, May 28. Drop them in the box at the Information Center.

G.R.O.W. REPORT MAY 1, 2006

This T h i s
Week Year
Visits 5 95
Letters/Email 13 193

G.R.O.W. TEAM "R"
MONDAY, MAY 8
6:15 PM ~ Parlor
GROW CAPTAIN:
Nat Thomas

Children's Ministry

of Fayetteville's First Baptist Church



Because God has blessed our church family with so many



new babies, we are in need of 3 volunteers to teach babies during the Sunday School hour. If you would be willing to serve in this way, please contact Linda Dilley or Lisa Wheat ASAP. Thank you!

SpringFest '06

Dickson Street This Saturday May 6 8:00 am – 4:00 pm



I'm A CHRISTIAN Now!

Class for children in grade 1-5 who have become a Christian.

Saturday, May 20 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. in Mitchell Hall

Lunch & materials will be provided. Reservations are required for each class. You may sign up at the Information Center or contact Lisa

Wheat at 442-2387, Ex. 20.



Parent/Child

Dedication

Sunday, May 14 10:50 Worship Service

We will need pictures *no later* than this Sunday, May 7.



Reminders:

Camp Deadlines

*Centrifuge: \$135 due

<u>May 10</u>

Camp Shocked: \$65 due

June 7

Ault Vents

Branson Trip

Join us on May 25 as we travel to Branson for the Jim Stafford show and dinner at Golden Corral.



Departure time: 11:30 AM Jim Stafford Show: 3:00 PM Dinner: 5:30 PM

Return to church: about 9:30 PM

Cost of \$52 NOW \$37 per person includes charter bus transportation, show tickets and the dinner buffet. Reservations and advance payment are required by May 10. Sign-up today at the Information Center.



Plan now to attend this marriage retreat which will take place at

Westgate Woods Resort

in Branson, Missouri

on

May 19-20, 2006

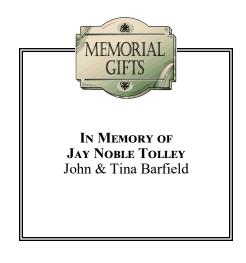
Cost: \$95 per couple Guest speaker: Dr. Douglas Falknor

Sign-up sheet at Information Center.

Praise Record - April 30, 2006

Sunday School Enrollment	1158
Sunday School Attendance	618
New Sunday School Members	4
Morning Worship	
Evening Worship	
Decisions	
Other Weekly Bible Studies	39
Received for week	\$25,156.95
Required for week	\$22,788.46
Received in month to date	\$156,616.93
Required in month to date	\$113,942.34
Received in 2006	
Required in 2006 to date	\$507,712.94
CBCG Goal	
Received this week	
Received to-date	\$1,105,636.88

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Reminder: After May 15 the Basement will no longer accept donations for this school year. The Basement box will be removed from the Information Center until school reopens in August.

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Wendell & Norma Hayden 1300 Cannondale Dr Fayetteville 72704 587-9036

J.O. (James) Norman 1341 N. Futral Dr. #4 Fayetteville 72703 530-8302

DECISIONS

By Letter

MaeZeatta Ramsey 3110 Telluride Dr. #202 Fayetteville 72704 225-4697

ETC Extended Teaching Care~ MAY 7, 2006 Babies 1 ~ Lacey Kruse, Trey Davis

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Babies 2 ~ David & Jennifer Bunger

Toddlers 1 ~ Lucy Pendleton, Jacob Springer

2s I ~ Jason & Stacey Williams, Kirsten

2s II ~ Matthew & Naomi Kirkpatrick 3s ~ William & Ann Justiss, Stephen Gilstrap

HOSPITALIZED

None known

Holden

SYMPATHY Our church extends Christian love and sympathy to Mike and Brooke Gray and family on the loss of his step-grandfather last week.

VAN DRIVERS ~ MAY 7, 2006

Andrew Aldridge (444-8300) & David Fellows (571-3662)

DEACON OF THE WEEK MAY 7-13, 2006

Noble Hembree **2** 521-2092

NEXT WEDNESDAY MEAL \sim MAY 10 @ 5:00 PM

Menu: Baked Chicken, Green Beans, Rice Pilaf, Rolls, Potato/Salad Bar, Dessert

Children's Menu (PS-grade 5 only):

Chicken Nuggets with Macaroni & Cheese

Kitchen Workers:

Nancy McKay & Evelyn McDonald Matt Mason & Rick Tanneberger



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Phone: 479-442-2387 Church Staff	Fax: 479-442-2265 Extension	
Pastor - Douglas Falknor		
Minister of Music - Mike Paslay		
Minister of Adults - Travis Wollenb		
Minister of College & Career - Steve Moore 16		
Minister of Students - Steve Alberts	s	
Minister of Childhood Education - Lisa Wheat 20		
Church Administrator - Gordon Ro	well 15	
Pastor's Secretary - Sheila Smith		
Publications Secretary - Terri John	ston11	
Play Learn Director - Sherry Purtle		
Preschool Coordinator - Linda Dille		
Security—Somboune Phonekhanha		

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