



The Clarion

consecration. celebration. connection. commission.

August 16, 2020



The Gospel Above All

For the last two years our Southern Baptist Convention president, Dr. J. D. Gear, has led our 46,000 SBC churches in this theme – “The Gospel Above All”. Above everything we do as a convention of churches and as individual churches is the telling and the living of the gospel of Jesus Christ. Only God Himself could write and execute His gospel message. His loving, just, and holy nature make the message of Jesus’ life, ministry, death, burial, resurrection and ascension both divine and compelling. God has made THE Way for sinners like us to be reconciled to Him. His ‘Way’ is Jesus. What a blessing and honor for us to be bearers of the gospel!

Last week our virtual VBS - “Incrediworld” - immersed some 55 families in the Bible and gave focused attention to the gospel. Each night our VBS staff prayed for God’s truth to go forth clearly and be received in the tender hearts of both children and their parents. Would you pray for the gospel seed to prosper and bring forth the fruit of salvation in our children and parents?

Last Sunday we learned that our evangelism must be intentional. We must be as devoted to our external witness as we are to our internal worship, instruction and fellowship. I’m praying that God will move the ministry of evangelism to become a lifestyle for you and me. It starts with prayer. Pray to see others as Jesus does. Pray for opportunities to share and live the gospel before others. Pray for courage to step lovingly into those opportunities as they arise.

Jesus deserves to have His story told!

Cecil Sanders

Help Us Collect School Supplies And Fill Our Yellow School Bus!



We would like to collect school supplies and other needed items for the Headland school system. As you shop this month, please consider buying a little extra. Here is a list of what they will need:

Box of #2 Pencils, loose leaf notebook paper, Expo dry erase markers (thin & chisel tips), highlighters, hand sanitizer, Clorox wipes, Kleenex tissues, sanitizing spray, Band-Aids, paper towels, Crayola Crayons, Safety tip Fiskars Scissors, glue sticks, 1-inch white 3 ring binder, 8 pack of Crayola markers, 1 subject spiral notebook, 1-1/2 inch binder, 2 pocket folders, Child & Adult Disposable Mask, Pens, Copy paper, Composition notebooks, colored pencils

Please bring items to the church and place in the Yellow School Bus in the Worship Center Foyer or bring to the Church Office. We want to fill our Yellow School Bus so we can help the schools. Headland Elementary, Middle and High Schools have over 100 teacher classrooms. Please bring to the church by August 30. Thanks for all of your help!

**Wednesday Night Prayer Service This Wednesday
at 6:00 PM in the Worship Center**

**Join us This Sunday at 10:00 AM
for our Regular Sunday Morning Worship.
We Will Worship All Together in One Service.
No Childcare Provided.**

Bridge to Tomorrow Fund	
Giving 8-9-2020	\$1,290.00
Total Giving to Date	\$626,854.44
7-31-2020 Fund Balance	\$45,525.43

Our People Gave August 9, 2020	
Weekly Need	\$22,317.74
Weekly Received	\$20,543.00
Over (Under) Budget	(\$1,774.74)
2020 Year-To-Date	
Budget Required	\$714,167.68
Budget Received	\$703,068.94
Over (Under)	(\$11,098.74)
Worship 8-9-2020	183

Services Online
www.fbcheadland.com
 FBC Headland
 (YouTube/Facebook)

Monday
 Weekly Announcements &
 Devotion

Wednesday
 6:00 PM Devotional & Prayer Time

FBC Staff

Cecil Sanders
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**Happy 5th Anniversary,
 Heather Armstrong!**

Please join us in congratulating Heather Armstrong, Church Secretary, in completing five years of service here at First Baptist and to our Lord. Heather began serving the church on August 17, 2015. She has been God's blessing to all of us. Please take time to let her know how much you appreciate all she does for our church and our Lord.

The Alabama Baptist Day



THE ALABAMA BAPTIST



**Sign up on Sunday,
 August 23rd!**

Welcome New Member!



Patti Tito
By Letter

Memorials and Honorariums

Bridge To Tomorrow in Memory of Ovette Taylor
 Marty & Rita Nowell; Thomas Williams; Thomas & Barbara Price
 JoAnn McKay; Jimmy & Ginger Morris; Jimmy & Sharon Newsom

Cemetery Fund In Memory of Ovette Taylor
 Donald Hughes; Randy & Sissy Wiggins; Richard & Debra Burke
 Gordan Marley; Bud & Glenda McInnis; Lewie & Sandra Helms; Steve Hancock

Alabama Baptist Children's Home in Memory of Ovette Taylor - Mark & Jane Gamble

Bridge To Tomorrow in Memory of Bobby Granger
 Randy & Sissy Wiggins; Ginger & Jimmy Morris

Bridge To Tomorrow in Memory of Bubba Sellers
 Randy & Sissy Wiggins

Bridge To Tomorrow in Memory of Avis Anderson
 Shirl Anderson Crane; Ginger & Jimmy Morris

Bridge To Tomorrow in Memory of Bill Samuels
 Ginger & Jimmy Morris