

## Church Staff

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## WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

We welcome each of you to our Church. We hope that you will be uplifted by the encouraging message from God's Word, the beautiful music and the wonderful fellowship of our church. If you do not attend a church regularly, we invite you to come and be a part of what God is doing here.

**Attention Guests!** It is our custom to ask each person in attendance to fill out a Welcome Card (yellow). This helps people better communicate with the church as to what their needs are and how they can get information about the Church. We will collect the cards during the offering.

### The Equipping Place

#### Our Purpose Statement...

*Our purpose is to glorify God  
by equipping people to grow in Christ.  
Based on Ephesians 4:11-13*



**MEN'S  
BREAKFAST**

You Are Invited .....

Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup>  
8:30 a.m.

Vasiliki's Restaurant  
Hayward



**Women's Fellowship**

You Are Invited .....

Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup>  
10:00 a.m.

La Hacienda Restaurant  
Hayward

**If you are planning to  
attend please sign up.**

## Prayer Requests

Ken & Sue Abbott – comfort and strength for my brother Rick and family in the loss of Faith  
Sita Abulencia – I thank God for everything  
Linda Baker – unspoken prayer; pray for my folks and my in-laws  
J.J. & Lachelle Blazin – for God's guidance in finding a church to pastor;  
Lachelle courage for education  
Millie Brogdon – friend Michelle recovering from heart surgery  
Ruth Cavin – my health; my Grandson's health and needs; my Granddaughter Melissa recovering from surgery  
Ken Day – health; Ginny's health; Karen's health; Mr. Culp health; Barbara recovering from knee surgery; friend Kimberly for cancer  
Eva Emerson – medical condition for children, grandchildren and great grandchildren; salvation for all my family  
Kim Foreman – church revival  
Mike Fortner – Shirley suffering from a terminal illness pray for her and the family; Emery for reoccurring cancer  
Linda Furuyama – family decisions; eye problem; Sister Barbara for healing  
Shirley Halbach – my Sister and her Husband for salvation  
Pat Harrelson – Daughter Michelle's test results will be negative; Sister-In-Law Donna's upcoming surgery for cancer  
Annabelle Hibbs – thank you for all your prayers and cards; comfort and strength for the family in the loss of Michael  
Jean Johnson – my health; Mitchell and Haynes family for comfort and strength in the loss of a loved one; Obedia recovering from knee surgery  
John Kopet – Stacie's upcoming knee surgery on Feb. 26<sup>th</sup>  
Gerri Lance – health and strength; Sister-In-Law Idell suffering from a terminal illness pray for her and the family; Niece Tammy's Husband George suffering from a terminal illness pray for him and the family  
P.J. Lewis – my health; friend Marcy's health  
Marty Starry Pardue – back problem; Darrell's health  
Lindsay Rhuland – pray for my Grandma  
Curt Smith – Co-worker Jeff's Dad suffering from a terminal illness pray for him and the family  
Don & Joyce Thornburg – Leon's health  
Judy Vargas – for experience, strength and hope; for my mother Dorothy for spiritual guidance; our servicemen and women for spiritual guidance to get home safe  
Georgia Wheat – our soldier we have lost and his family; the man that was lost in the ocean; all our ill members  
Ed Wilbur – health; decision; friend Jean for health; friend Ken for health; Liz for health



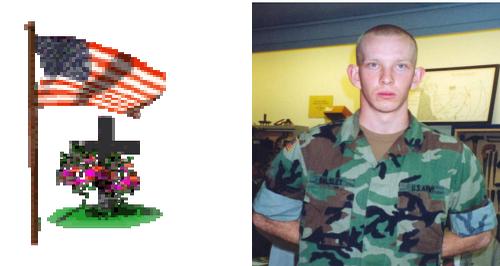
The  
First  
Southern  
Weekly

# Bulletin

February 11, 2007

10:45 AM & 6:00 PM – SERVICES

**In Loving Memory of  
Army Private First Class Michael Balsley**



June 30, 1983 – January 25, 2007

**Memorial Service**  
February 17, 2007  
10:00 a.m.

First Southern Baptist Church

Michael was born in Castro Valley and raised in Hayward. He attended Sunday School here at First Southern and was baptized in 1993. Michael graduated from Mt. Eden high School in 2002.

Michael joined the army in 2004 and had been serving in Iraq since October, 2006. On January 25, 2007, he was patrolling the streets near Baghdad in a Humvee. His vehicle encountered an explosive device and Michael was killed instantly. His family received news of his death on the next day.

Michael is survived by his mother and father, Beverly and James Balsley; by his older brother James; and by his wife of seven months, Samantha. Michael's grandmother, Annabelle Hibbs, is a long-time member of First Southern. She faithfully requested prayer every week for Michael's safety in Iraq. Please pray for this entire family during their time of grief. "Greater love has no man than this: that a man will lay down his life for his friends" [John 15:13]



- 11<sup>th</sup> - Prayer Meeting – 9:00 a.m.
- Valentine Luncheon – 12:30 p.m.
- 12<sup>th</sup> - Rest Home Ministry – 11:00 a.m.
- 14<sup>th</sup> - Bible Study – 11:00 a.m.
- Choir Practice – 6:00 p.m.
- Prayer Meeting – 7:00 p.m.
- 16<sup>th</sup> - Spiffy Spoofers – 5:00 p.m.
- 17<sup>th</sup> - Memorial Service – 10:00 a.m.
- 18<sup>th</sup> - Prayer Meeting – 9:00 a.m.
- 19<sup>th</sup> - President's Day – Office Closed
- 21<sup>st</sup> - Bible Study – 11:00 a.m.
- Choir Practice – 6:00 p.m.
- Prayer Meeting – 7:00 p.m.
- 22<sup>nd</sup> - Open Door Mission – 6:15 p.m.
- 24<sup>th</sup> - Men's Breakfast – 8:30 a.m.
- Women's Fellowship – 10:00 a.m.
- 26<sup>th</sup> - Rest Home Ministry – 11:00 a.m.



### Ushers

Bob Belger  
Eugene Ivey  
Bob Shaw  
Don Thornburg

### Greeters

Barbara Martinez  
Linda Furuyama  
Rena Harrelson



4<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> - Annie Armstrong Week of Prayer  
4<sup>th</sup> - Leadership Meeting – 5:00 p.m.



## Deacon of the Month

John King

If for any reason you need to speak with someone, please feel free to call Mr. John King at 352-1907. Whatever your need may be, we are willing to do what we can to help you meet it. If you need someone to talk with or some other need fulfilled, you are welcome to call.

# What's Happening Today

**10:45 a.m. Service – “Resurrection and Life”**

**John 11:20-27**

**6:00 p.m. Service – “A Simple Church”**

**Matthew 28:18-20**

### AT THE END OF THE MESSAGE

At the end of the pastor's message each week, there is a time for each person to respond to the message. You may respond by wanting to accept Jesus into your life. Your response may be to seek out more information about Jesus and what it means to be a Christian. You may wish to have more information about our church. You may want to be baptized. You may want to know how to join our church. You may want to pray or to make a commitment to follow Jesus more closely.

If you wish help with your response you may receive help either by checking a box on the back of the Welcome Card and putting it into the offering plate or you may come to the front of the church when the Pastor stands at the front at the end of his message and he will help you.



Easter  
Cantata  
Rehearsal

Wednesday's  
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

If you would like to sing  
in the Easter Cantata  
come and join us.



**This Week**

**Happy Birthday**

12<sup>th</sup> - Pauline Ford  
- Jonathon Jefferson

**Happy Anniversary**

12<sup>th</sup> - Eugene & Betty  
Ivey

# Ministries



This Monday,  
February 12th  
11:00 a.m.

Everyone is welcome to  
come and join us as we go  
visiting this Monday.  
This will be a time to  
reach out and help others.



**Today**

Following the morning  
worship service we will  
be having a valentine  
luncheon. Everyone is  
invited so plan on  
joining us for lunch.



**Everyone Welcome!**

Friday, February 16<sup>th</sup>  
5:00 p.m. at the church

Come out and join in  
Good Food-Fun-Games

### Offering

**Income**

Jan. \$ 6,454.71  
Feb. \$ 3,737.00

**Expenses**

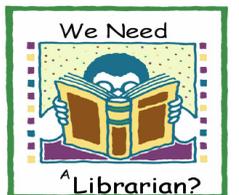
Dec. \$ 12,021.84  
Jan. \$ 10,491.37

Monthly budget needs:  
\$ 8,859.17



Week of Prayer

March 4-12, 2007



We are in need of a  
Church Librarian. If you  
or someone you know is  
interested please see  
Pastor Chris or Caryl.



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**Church Office Hours: Mon – Fri**

**8:00 am to 12:00 pm**

In case of an Emergency call Pastor Foreman at the  
Church office or one of our deacons:

Ken Day 782-6877, Ken Hillard 512-0323, John King 352-1907,  
Don Thornburg 784-1064 or Al Thornell 783-1611.

**Bible Study Classes for All Ages**

Sunday School 9:30 am  
Morning Worship 10:45 am  
Evening Worship 6:00 pm

Wednesday Bible Study  
11:00 am