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FELLOWSHIP HALL

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 8:00 AM

FEBRUARY MEMORY VERSE

"And whatsoever you do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and Father by him."

~Colossians 3:17 KJV

GUEST SPEAKER: DR. DOUG ALLEN, **RETIRED JUDGE AND PASTOR**

Invite your friends and neighbors.

From my heart to yours:

A Call to Prayer

Our Church Staff meets on Wednesdays at 1:15 PM. It is an impor-

tant time to discuss calendars, programs, and ministries. It is also a time to share needs in the church family. We call the names of folks who have health and other issues. Then we pray. Also, we take turns sharing a devotional thought with the group.

Recently, I shared some thoughts with the staff from Paul Powell's book, <u>I Like Being a Chris-</u> <u>tian</u>. Dr. Powell was Pastor of Green Acres Baptist Church in Tyler, Texas, for many years. Afterward, he became President of Guidestone, our denominational retirement agency. Paul was a personal friend and mentor. I am thankful for all I learned from him. Here are some practical suggestions about prayer from his book.

- Set a time and place for prayer at the beginning and end of every day. Someone has said, "Hem in both ends of your day with prayer and it is less likely to unravel."
- Get on your knees. This is the posture of humility. (If you can't get on your knees physically, at least do it in spirit. My comment, JMS).
- Pray out loud. This helps you to concentrate better.
- Use natural language. God has been hearing everything you've ever said anyhow.
- Be specific. Socrates once said, "Generalities are the refuge of a weak mind." I believe that generalities in prayer are also a refuge of a weak spiritual commitment. Ask God specifically for what you want.
- Confess your sins. If we regard iniquity in our hearts, the Lord will not hear us.
- Pray earnestly and intensely. Really mean what you are saying.
- Listen to God. Be quiet long enough to learn spiritual truth. "Incline your ear and listen and your soul shall live." George Bernard Shaw first spoke out against noise pollution in 1922. Once

while he was eating in a restaurant, the waiter said, "While you are dining, sir, the orchestra will play anything you like." Shaw said, "Have them play dominoes—I like quiet with my meals."

Pray in Christ's name.

Don't be a prayer dropout. While we always want God to give us an immediate answer to our prayers, He often doesn't. It has been appropriately said: "When the request is not right, God says no! When the time is not right, God says slow! When I am not right, God says grow! When everything is right, God says go!"

Let me remind you about our Prayer Room ministry. The Prayer Room is located just inside the front door of our Office Building. It even has a separate entrance. If you would be willing to pray there an hour each week, contact Kendall Gilmer or Barbara Smith our Prayer Ministry coordinators.

As I write, the Prayer Team is working out details whereby you can join our Prayer Ministry by logging into our church website with a password and then pray from home. More about this later

Let me also encourage you to attend Prayer Meeting each Wednesday at 6 PM. The time is divided between Bible study and prayer. A weekly prayer sheet helps us to pray specifically.

Your Pastor,

Jon M. Stubblefield

Attendance & Finances Sun AM Wed. 12/04/22 130 40 12/11/22 149 44 12/18/22 128 — 12/25/22 99 — DECEMBER BUDGET RECEIPTS: \$\$52,894.57





- 1—Barbara Duncan
- 3—Connie Harlan
- 4—Annie Dunlop
- 4—Aundrea Tidwell
- 5—Jimmy Payne
- 10—Bill Cunningham
- 12-Rose Poindexter
- 13—Russell Lawson
- 14—Jim Gullion
- 18—Ruth Manweiler
- 18—Jerry Hanchey
- 18—Taryn Anderson
- 21—Willard Zeiser
- 24—Doug Allen



This year the Shoebox Team has decided to try a different approach to filling the shoeboxes.

Instead of particular items each month, we ask that you purchase any thing you know could be used to fill the boxes. There might be a sale on stuffed toys or school supplies, for instance.

Last year we managed to deliver over 300 boxes. That's an amazing achievement and one we can do again.

Thank you for your support and help. Let's keep up the good work!





- 14-Bob Auvenshine and Kay Dierks
- 14-Irey and Gwen Dallas
- 14—Tom and Sharon Hensley
- 23—Dan and Anne Iley
- 23-Wendell and Carolyn Moffitt



UKRAINE CRISIS





The picture on the left shows what is happening in Ukraine because of the war with Russia.

Many of the elderly will not leave their homes. They either have no place to go or they choose to stay in familiar surroundings.

The right picture shows a "tiny" house being delivered to replace a lost home. These houses can be built and delivered to the property of people who have no where else to live for a cost of \$4,000.00.

On the suggestion of the Missions Team, the congregation of Barcelona Road Baptist Church sent \$16,000.00, enough to provide four houses. Three were paid for through the Mission Fund and the fourth was provided by a family of the church.

Please continue to pray for the innocent victims in both countries.



Harold and Brenda Moore proudly display Harold's Deacon Ordination Certificate.

The ceremony took place during the prayer service on January 4.

Congratulations, Harold, on your commitment to serve the Lord.





2023 FLOWER CALENDAR

To sign up for flowers for this year, please call the church office at 501-922-0692 or send an email to brbc3office@att.net.

Be sure to tell who you would like to honor or remember or the special occasion such as birthday or anniversary.

An announcement will be made from the pulpit acknowledging the giver and the occasion.



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 10:00 Grief Group 1:15 Staff Meeting 3:30 Children/Youth 6:00 Prayer Service 6:50 Choir Practice	2	3	4
5 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Worship Service	6 4:00 Handbell Choir	7 6:00 Deacons Meeting	8 10:00 Grief Group 1:15 Staff Meeting 3:30 Children/Youth 6:00 Prayer Service 6:50 Choir Practice	9	10	11 8:00 Men's Fellow- ship Breakfast
12 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Worship Service/ Lord's Supper	13 4:00 Handbell Choir	14 4:30 New Horizons SS Class Party, Fellowship Hall	15 10:00 Grief Group 1:15 Staff Meeting 3:30 Children/Youth 6:00 Prayer Service 6:50 Choir Practice	16	17	18
19 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Worship Service/ Gideon Speaker	20 4:00 Handbell Choir	21	22 10:00 Grief Group 1:15 Staff Meeting 3:30 Children/Youth 4:45 Potluck 6:00 Prayer Service 6:50 Choir Practice	23	24	25
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"Let all that you do be done in love" - 1 Corinthians 16:14

<u>The Orphan Sisters</u> by Shirley Dickson - **1929**: Four-year-old Etty and eight-year-old Dorothy are abandoned at Blakely Hall orphanage by their mother, never to see her again. With no other family to speak of, the sisters worship their beloved mam - and they are confused and heartbroken to be deserted by her when they need her the most. **1940**: Etty and Dorothy are finally released from the confines of Blakely Hall - but their freedom comes when the country is in the grip of World War Two and its terrors. Amidst a devastating backdrop of screaming air-raid sirens and cold nights huddled in shelters, the sisters are desperate to put their broken childhoods behind them. Etty and Dorothy survived the orphanage with the help of one another and neither sister can forget the awful betrayal of their mother, which has haunted them their whole lives. But when a shocking secret about their painful childhood comes to light, will the sisters ever be the same again?

<u>The Song</u> by Chris Fabry - Jed King's life has been shaped by the songs and mistakes of his famous father. He wants to sing his own song, but the words and melody are elusive. Haunted by the scars inflicted by his broken family, Jed's dreams of a successful music career seem out of reach... until he meets Rose. As romance quickly blooms, Jed pens a new song and suddenly finds himself catapulted into stardom. But with this life of fame comes temptation, the same temptation that lured his father so many years ago. Set in the fertile mid-South, this quest for success leads Jed and Rose on a journey that will force them to deal with the pain of loss, failure, and the desire to be who God created them to be. Lyrical and deeply honest. "The Song" asks the hard questions of love and forgiveness. When even the wisest of men are fools in love, can true love persevere?

DVD:

<u>Forever Strong</u>-The inspirational, semi-fictional story of a wayward young rugby star who painfully overhauls his hedonistic personal values. Loosely based on a compilation of true stories associated with the famed Highland Rugby Team coached by Larry Gelwix, who used rugby as a tool to help boys become noble young men with strong, traditional values centered around the simple rule of never doing anything to bring shame upon oneself, one's team or one's family.

"All you need is love. But a little chocolate now and then doesn't hurt." - Charles M. Schultz



HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!

Kay Dierks, Librarian

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Clip and place in your picture directory.



John and Salinda Hayden 7 Jardin Line 870-510-0546, 870-329-2342

It's always good to welcome family of current members. John and Salinda Hayden are the son and daughter-in-law of Wendell Hayden and the late Norma Hayden. They joined on December 25 moving their letters from First Baptist Church in Pine Bluff. Their pastor spoke highly of BRBC and because Wendell and Norma loved the church, it was natural for them to want to be a part of the fellowship.

John and Salinda moved from White Hall, AR, in December where John is working with White Chapel School District in administration. Salinda recently retired from the office of Emergency Management in Jefferson County. Until John retires, they will live in HSV on the weekends and in Pine Bluff during the week.

John enjoys fishing and golfing and Salinda likes being of service to people and decorating.

They have three sons—two in Monticello and one in Fayetteville. They also have four grandchildren and one great-grandson in Fayetteville.

They are attending the Hope Sunday School class and John is an ordained deacon. He was ordained at Pinecrest Missionary Baptist Church in Pine Bluff.

Please make the Haydens feel welcome.



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19

Carl Wetzel will be our guest speaker during our worship service. A love offering will be taken.



The staff of Barcelona Road Baptist Church would like to thank each of you for the gifts and remembrances at Christmas.

We appreciate you and thank God for the opportunity to serve Him through this church.

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service



"By the Cross We Care, One Person At a Time"

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The Barcelona Banner is published monthly to keep members informed about programs of the church and to report news about its members.

Deadline for articles is the fifteenth of each month.

You may e-mail your articles to brbc3office@att.net or bring to the church office.

If you are moving, have an email or phone number change, please contact the church office so your records can be changed. The church has to pay for each returned Banner.

Schedule of Services:

Sunday Services: Sunday School - 9:30 AM Sanctuary Worship Service - 10:30 AM

Wednesday Evening:

All Stars/Youth - 3:30 PM (During school year) Prayer Service - 6:00 PM Choir Rehearsal - 6:55 PM

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