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The Focus

May Edition for First Baptist Church

| DECISIONS

SALVATIONS
Aziah Aitchison
Amyah Barboza
Levant Combee
Vantayah Combee
Ethan Golden
Aayan Maldonado
James Mayberry
Alex Melton
Corleigh Nava
Rosston Perkins
Talia Rubio
Chloe Smith
Paislee Spitsnaugle
Kayla Treadway
Isaac Webb
Landon Fox
Logan Fox
Darcy Patterson

1st Grade
2nd Grade
6th Grade

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SALVATIONS
Heather Burchett
Carson Marquis
Christopher Gilbert
Alexandria McClain

DT
DT Delgado
DT Allen
West Adults

BAPTISMS
Taylor Vache
Vidalia Alleman
Marcus Galbreth
Mackenzie Willson
Molly Clark
Lizzy Robinson
Jailyn Gibbs
Cape Johnson
Owen Tuggle

CAS
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West
9th Grade
9th Grade
12th Grade
12th Grade
12th Grade

| DECISIONS

NEW MEMBERS
Abby Salinas
James & Ellen Hensley
Susan Bruce
Aubree Burge
Lexi Burge
Charles & Abbey Peters
Janet Selman
Jared Burchett
La Donna & Paul Otto
Bill Bullard
Jon & Casey Dearolf
Paul & Cheri Fyke
Donna Clark
Brittney Walker
Nicole McLeran

CAS
CAS Cooper
West Adults
DT
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DT Baird
DT Morris
DT Frank
DT Bates
DT Buss
DT Allen
DT Delgado

| SYMPATHY

Randy Holley and family, in the loss of his brother Dub Holley, on March 29.

John Tunnell and family, in the loss of his grandmother, Sherry Tunnell.

Jeff and Jeanna Flowers and family, in the loss of their son, D.J. Flowers, on April 7.

Ralph Grantom and Dylan Shoop, in the loss of wife and mother, Reba Grantom, on April 7.

| SYMPATHY

The family of Brenda Philmon, who passed away on April 10.

Jackie Ashlock, wife of Jerry Ashlock, and mother of Joy Patterson, who passed away on April 19.

Jayne Steed in the loss of her friend, Gail Roddy on April 23.

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For more news and events check out our webpage at fbcwf.org/events.

Ways to continue your giving to First Baptist Church

1. Online at: fbcwf.org/giving
2. Generosity Boxes
3. Mail in
4. Drop off at Church Office

Please note:
Our Focus is printed in advance. For up to date information, check our social media and your Life Group connections.

PRAY FOR OUR UPCOMING SUMMER EVENTS

MONDAY-THURSDAY | JUNE 24-27

Starting Kindergarten Fall 2024 - Grade 5 completed | 9am - Noon

SUMMER 2024

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

register at fbcwf.org/VBS

Student Life Kids Camp

FBCWF.ORG/CHILDREN | GRADES 3-6 COMPLETED

CREEK WEEK

CAMP MINNETONKA 2024

MAY 27TH-31ST

6TH-8TH GRADE

\$550

SIGN UP AT ONEIGHTYSTUDENTS.COM

BEACH WEEK

PANAMA CITY BEACH, FL 2024

JUNE 9TH-14TH

9TH-12TH GRADE

\$699

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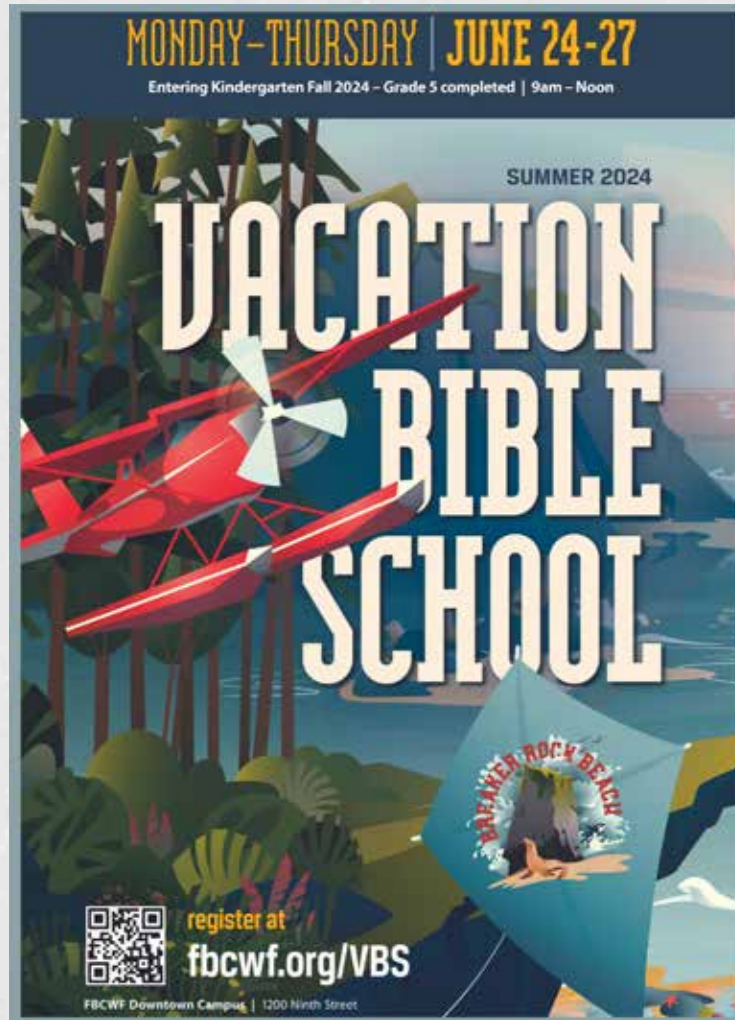


A MESSAGE FROM
Pastor Bob

Summer is here! I'm excited about that. I love summertime. And summer at First Baptist Church is a special season of the year. While our schedule and programs look different during the summer they are no less busy and we have some deeply meaningful activities for children and students. Our summer programs also place high demands on our volunteers who are always ready to serve the Lord by serving children and students. High School Graduate recognition takes place in the 11 a.m. service at all campuses on May 19. Our Junior High students attend Creek Week for summer camp. Creek Week is held at a great camp in Oklahoma. It is an incredible camp with a lot of fun activities. Creek Week is May 27 through May 31. Only a few spots remain until we are at capacity. High School students attend Beach Week in Panama City Beach, Florida. Beach week will be held from June 9 through June 14. We have very few spots remaining for Beach Week. We have a limited number of beds and bus seats. If your High School freshman through Senior is not signed up, it is time.

In our children's ministry, we have Vacation Bible School coming very soon. VBS is for children from Kindergarten through Grade 5. Vacation Bible School takes place at the downtown campus Monday, June 24 through Thursday, June 27. Our summer is filled with activities to help student grow and learn to follow Jesus. I hope your children and students will be a part of these opportunities. If you don't have children in these ministries, I would ask you to pray for safe travel and for the movement of the Holy Spirit in the lives of our children.

Bob McCartney
Senior Pastor



Vacation Bible School

WAVE hello to this year's VBS theme! Breaker Rock Beach! Kids will be challenged as they discover that God's truth never changes, everyone needs Jesus, and learn to speak the truth in love. Adventure awaits each day as kids explore tide pools, spot orcas, fly kites, and watch the mighty waves crash up against the immovable Breaker Rock! Be transformed by the renewing of your mind, Romans 12:2. VBS 2024 is Monday, June 24 thru Thursday, June 27 9:00am - Noon! For kids entering Kindergarten Fall 2024 through Grade 5 completed! Sign up at fbcwf.org/vbs. Register and receive a FREE T-Shirt while supplies last! We also need volunteers! Please contact Sarah Cates (Preschool), scates@fbcwf.org or Sherrie Carter (Grades 1-5), carter@fbcwf.org.



Kentucky Legacy Trip

Our Legacy Adult Trip to Kentucky for ages 60 & above will be September 23-27, 2024. Highlights of trip will include the Creation Museum, Newport Aquarium, BB Riverboats Ohio River Tour, and The Ark Encounter, plus more! Sign-up ASAP to ensure your spot for this amazing trip! Cost: \$1,999 per person. A \$500.00 deposit to hold your reservation is due by Sunday, May 19, 2024. Installments may be made in \$500 payments. The total trip balance is due by Sunday, July 14, 2024. For more information, please contact Angela at 940-723-2764 ext. 2050 or email abills@fbcwf.org.



Baptism

Our next Baptism is scheduled for Sunday, May 5. If you would like to be baptized that day or would like more information on baptism, please visit our website at fbcwf.org/baptism.



www.fbcwf.org/socialmedia

FBC Golf Tournament

First Baptist Church Golf Tournament for church members and guests on Thursday, May 9 at Champions Golf Course. Check - in is at 7:30am and Tee Time is 8:00am. Entry fee is \$60 per person, which includes 1 golf ball, green fee, cart and lunch. Sign-up at any Event Center. Deadline to sign-up is Thursday, May 2. For more information please contact, Mike Koen at 940-733-1133 or Ron Hardin at 940-781-0618.



Here Comes Summer

Celebrate the beginning of summer and get ready for Breaker Rock Beach VBS with themed snacks & prizes!

- Sunday, May 19 in LIFE Group (Fours-Grade 5)!
- Check your Campus Times at: www.fbcwf.org

