Last Sunday's Record - March 20, 2022

Sunday School: 204 Offering: \$29,299.50

January 1, 2022

Requirements: \$319,055.52 \$375,576.59 Receipts: Annie Armstrong: \$16,056.66

Deacon of the Week

March 27 - Fred Porter

April 3 - Brian Sellers April 10 - Ronnie Smith April 17 - Allan Tolleson April 24 - Gary Wilkinson



Church Directories are now available in the Church Office. If you had your picture made for the directory, you will also receive a complimentary 5 x 7 photograph.

Family Night Supper - March 30

Chicken Fajitas, Refried Beans, Spanish Rice, Salad Bar. Tres Leches Cake

KIDS: Chicken Soft Tacos, Nacho Chips & Cheese Adults: \$5 KIDS (12 and under): \$3 Family Maximum \$20

SERVERS

Donia Evans Celeste Little Micki Harrison

VOLUNTEER MINISTRY - MARCH 27

Preschool Ext. Session Timothy and Candice Maloney

Launch

Will and Katie Carpenter

Greeters

Penny McKinnis

John and Debra

Anderson

Worship Welcomers

Benny Harrison Bill Simcox Denise Lewis Blanch Harmon

Security Team 3 Clifford Holloway John Anderson Alan Lamar Jody Richardson Brad Garrett

Counting Committee

Kathy Stehle, chairman Landry Adkins **Davis Miller** Don Evans

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, March 27

9:15 - Sunday School

10:30 - Morning Worship

3:15 - Acteens

4:30 - Bible Drills (Youth)

5:30 - Bible Skills and Drills (Children) Bible Study-Confronting Injustice/ Sarah Allison (CHAPEL)

TUESDAY, March 29

9:30 - Ladies Bible Study/Laird

WEDNESDAY, March 30

4:15 - English as Second Language

5:00 - FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER

- YOUTH BELLS

5:30 - YOUTH CHOIR

- Young Ringers

6:00 - Preschool and Children's Choirs

6:15 - Prayer Meeting/Bible Study

6:30 - MISSIONS (G.A.s R.A.s, and Mission Friends)

- YOUTH WORSHIP

7:15 - Sanctuary Choir

THURSDAY, March 31

12:00 - Lenten Luncheon/First Christian Church

Ladies Night Out

Thursday, April 7 6:30 p.m. Poplar Springs Drive Baptist Church \$5 Admission featuring Rita Sweatt's "Mary, Mother of Jesus" Monologue



USHERS FOR MARCH

Landry Adkins, Justin Anders, John Anderson, Tyler Covington, Leslie Dunn, John Ellis, Riley Garrett, Ryan Haarala, Wallace Heggie, George Hill, Joe Pettey, Lee Rogers, Walter Rogers, Jr., Scott Sills, and **Brad Williams**

> Dr. Nathan VanHorn. Pastor Rev. David Bishop, Associate Pastor for Music Caitlin Braud, Director of Children's Ministries Dr. Raymon Leake, Pastor Emeritus Rev. David McCubbin. Associate Pastor Emeritus

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VBS 2022 TEACHER TRAINING LUNCHEON



Sunday, March 11:30 a.m. **Private Dining Room**

PARENTS... Mark your calendars! VBS 2022

June 20 - 24



PRIORITIES

"We look not at what can be seen... but at what cannot be seen."

We are faced with the task of determining those things in life that are of lasting value for us. We have to separate and distinguish between that which is passing and that which is eternal. We experience and encounter much each day that is misleading. We get our values all confused and pursue the temporary in lieu of the permanent. Seeking after material things captures most of our time. We so often count material things as the most important in life and lose our sense of the eternal.

We live in a culture that, generally speaking, has lost its belief in the invisible and believes, hopes, and works only in the visible. That which is infinite has been cast aside for that which is finite and conditional. We live as if we believe that if we cannot touch it or see it, it really does not have much value. A growing edge in our faith is to understand the true values of life, realizing that the spiritual dimensions of life are what nourish our spirits and give depth and meaning to our lives. Another growing edge for us is to pay closer attention to the dimensions of our day that are permanent, giving less of ourselves to that which is only temporary. May God give us grace to be able to distinguish between the two.

David Bishop



Church Family,

If you, or someone you know, has something they need done around their house/yard, or some other need, please let us know. You can contact us by email at adamf8302@yahoo.com or phone/text 601-479-1983 (Adam). We will create a list of the needs as they arise and will then create a schedule to get the needs accomplished. Adam Foreman Adult 1/Co-Ed 4 Foreman Sunday School Class



Memorials...

Annie Armstrong

In memory of: JoAnn Braddock
Charles Roberts
Don and Virginia McCormick
(Laura Abney's parents)

Capital Improvements

In memory of: Charles Roberts

Missions and Ministry

In memory of: Charles Roberts
JoAnn Braddock
Dorothy Little
Harry Little
Henry Wilson
Gwen Dukes
(Haley VanHorn's grandmother)



This Easter season, our sanctuary will be filled with beautiful Easter lilies that will be available for you to purchase for **§10 each** in honor

I or in memory of someone special. *Please send* in this order form with your payment.

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