

FBC

ALBA NEWS

Dr. Kelly Burton
pastor

“True preaching from start to finish is the work of the Spirit.” John Knox-

Invite! *Revelation 2019 God’s Plan Unfolded*, is underway. Invite an unchurched friend or co-worker to come and hear how God will sovereignly bring all things to His desired end.

Congratulations: Derick and Jamie Boyd on the birth of their daughter, *Scarlet JoLynn*, who weighed 5lbs and 8oz.

Welcome New Members: In September we welcomed *Caitlin Baker and Judge Allen* to the FBCA Church family. Below are FBCA Students encouraging Caitlin at her baptism. Were you baptized when you first believed? Follow Christ and be baptized.



The Excitement is Building! By now I hope you have seen the remodel in the old fellowship hall of FBCA. We are making room for the community of believers. These are visible ways the invisible Spirit manifests His blessing on God’s Church. The Kingdom is growing. **Thank you:** Bo Culp, Daymon Wallace, Dan Medlin, Jim Purdy, Brandon Hass, Shane and Scott Reynolds for your *commitment* to get the remodel work done! Thank you to the Lois Highnote family for the generous financial gift that made the remodel possible.



Until He Comes, Pastor Kelly-

October Birthdays

Sunny Kimbrell	1	Jessica Alderson	16
Amy Miggiavacca	1	Macie Arrington	16
Dana Donahue	5	Fred Siebenthaler	19
Clayton Lennon	5	David Margos	22
Mark Osborn	7	Brandy McCormack	24
Rheagan Wilcoxson	7	Brett Chrapowicki	24
Steve Nail	8	Marissa Rojo	25
Carol Raymond	9	Joyce Margos	26
Bryan Barnes	12	Mary Ann Gore	26
Harley Thompson	13	Konya McCall	26
Michael Hunt	14	Carol Kelly	29
Randy Wright	16	Colton Raymond	30

Zachary Littleton
youth minister






Dear FBCA Family,

It was suggested to me that I share my personal testimony with you all. The youth have already heard some of this information, but many of you have not. When I was in middle school my parents and I began attending a church. I remember hearing a sermon and for the first time, really listening. Unfortunately, the first sermon that I truly listened to was a poor one. I soon found myself down a path of atheistic belief. I became angry and temperamental and devoted myself to finding what I believed was “truth.” By my sophomore year in high school, I began learning music and developing a love for it. A friend invited me to church so that his youth minister could teach me how to play my instrument better. I attended church for months and thanks to that youth minister’s determination, I finally accepted the real “truth.” It took this part-time (basically volunteer) youth minister four months, three nights a week for three hours each night of answering questions that I had and developing a relationship of trust and respect with me to convince me of the truth of the gospel. I didn’t have an emotional conversion, but I began to feel the Spirit move in my life, changing me into someone new. In discipleship, course after course, teacher after teacher, God called me to ministry. I cannot imagine how my life would’ve turned out without my Christian friend’s bravery to ask an outspoken atheist to attend church, or the unbelievable determination of the youth minister who gained my respect and trust. Because of my shame, my faith became very real. My hope is that I might be capable of imitating this level of sacrificial love for another student. I hope to be an encouragement to any who may have lost hope that this world can be redeemed.

Thank You, Zach Littleton

Important Youth Dates:

Fire Night (FLC) – October 26th
Fire Day (Fall Festival) – October 31st

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2 Wednesday Night Meal 	3 Community Bible Study 6:30 - 8:00 pm Every Thursday Banquet Room FLC	4	5 Women's Seminar "Different" at FBCA 9:30 - 2:30
6 FLC Supervisory Meeting following morning service in FLC	7	8	9 Wednesday Night Meal	10 Community Bible Study 6:30 - 8:00 pm	11	12 Soul Sister's Coffee Social 9:30
13 Deacon's Meeting	14	15	16 Wednesday Night Meal 	17 Tried & True 11:00- 2:00 Minister's Alliance Luncheon at FBCA Community Bible Study	18	19 Men's Breakfast 8 am Church Clean Up Day
20	21	22	23 Wednesday Night Meal	24 Community Bible Study 6:30 - 8:00 pm	25	26 Youth Fire Night (FLC) 
27	28	29	30 Wednesday Night Meal 	31 Fall Festival Trunk or Treat Fire Day (Festival) Community Bible Study 6:30 - 8:00 pm		

SUNDAY
9:00am PRAYER
9:30am SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:45am WORSHIP

WEDNESDAY
5:00pm - 6:00pm MEAL TIME
6:00pm - 7:00pm OPEN GYM
6:45pm - 8:00pm PRAYER/DEVOTIONAL
MISSION FRIENDS
RAs - ROYAL AMBASSADORS
GAs - GIRLS IN ACTION
7:00pm - 8:00pm BIBLE STUDY - Sanctuary
MEN'S BIBLE STUDY Fellowship Classroom
FBC ABLAZE - Youth - FLC

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES
Growing Youth Groups
Mission Trips
Ladies'/Men's Bible Studies
Discipleship Groups / Retreats
Men's Breakfast-Workday
Vacation Bible School
Family Ministry Center
Single Adults
Sunday School Socials
First Seekers - Outreach
Biblical Counseling
Tried & True - Sr. Adults
goldfish & Grace - Moms & Tots
SOS - Sobriety Over Substances


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