

FBC ALBA NEWS

Dr. Kelly Burton
pastor

Welcome New Members: *Willie and Brittney Rigsbay* and their three daughters. The Rigsbay's joined Sunday, 9.13.20. Welcome *Angel Wallace*. Angel joined 9.6.20 and is married to Daymon Wallace Jr. Welcome *Wilma Wilcox* who was saved and baptized 9.20. Welcome *Jamie Smith* who joined the church 9.20. Jamie is a delightful lady who is establishing her letter at FBCA for the first time. Welcome *Althea Jackson*. Althea is Sheila Jackson's daughter in law and is also establishing her membership letter at FBCA for the first time. Praise God for His gracious work in drawing *six new people* to His church *in the month of September!*



The Simple Gospel: I was asked to speak to Sherry May's SS class in September on the topic of *Evangelism*. I covered the biblical support for sharing our faith, the commissioning of all Christians to share the gospel, and some practical how-to's of sharing our faith. Below is *The Simple Gospel*. May I strongly urge you to get this into your spirit? Memorize it and mull it over at night until you can say it with ease and confidence. Then, ask God for an opportunity to share it.

God created a perfect world and put man in His family.

Man sinned against God and brought sin and suffering into the world, and left God's family.

God sent Jesus into the world. He lived a perfect life. He died on a cross for our sins. He was buried and rose again on the third day.

Those who believe that Jesus is God's Son, repent from their sins, and ask God for forgiveness, are welcomed back into God's family.

Teacher's Workshop: On October 24, from 10-12, I will host a SS Teacher's Workshop. The workshop is aimed at the adult teaching ministry of the local church. If God has called you to teach in a Sunday School format, or you sense a desire to learn how to teach, please make plans to attend. A brown-bag lunch will be provided after the event.

Grace to you all! Pastor Kelly-

October Birthdays

Sunny Kimbrell	01	Jessica Alderson	16
Dana Donahue	05	Macie Arrington	16
Clayton Lennon	05	Fred Siebenthaler	19
Mark Osborn	07	David Margos	22
Rheagan Kratzmeyer	07	Brandy McCormack	24
Carol Raymond	09	Marissa Rojo	25
Bryan Barnes	12	Joyce Margos	26
Harley Thompson	13	Mary Ann Gore	26
Randy Wright	16	Carol Kelly	29
		Colton Raymond	30

Zachary Littleton

Youth Pastor

Dear FBCA Family,

With our students already in the thick of the new school year, I ask that you continue to pray for them as they traverse this odd year. Facemasks and quarantines are becoming a normal routine for many students and many are struggling with the loss of programs and activities that they were looking forward to. With that said, I have a request of you.

This year, our youth department is planning to tackle outreach through a series of events. Since I am unable to visit in the schools this year, we are planning on hosting events throughout the school to bring students to us. Our first event is this month, October 16th, from 9:30 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. We will be hosting a 5th Quarter Hangout after the Homecoming Football Game. We are busy inviting all the area students to our party where we will feed them, entertain them, and then minister to them through worship and devotional. However, in order for us to be successful at outreach during this event, **I am begging for your help.** I am asking for four to six people to help us with this event. If you are able and willing to participate in serving in the kitchen or greeting students and parents at the door, that will free myself and my team up to be able to intentionally reach out to our visitors and invite them to be a part of our wonderful family. I know that it will be a late night and trust me when I say, I normally do not stay up that late either, but the more of you that are able to serve, allows more of my volunteers and youth to reach others in a time where they may desperately need something else to look forward to. I am hoping and praying that 100 new students would visit us that night. We will have signs to advise following the CDC guidelines during the event and sanitizer fluid and masks available at the front door. Would you consider helping us in this night of ministry to our community students? If so, please contact Zachary Littleton at 903-780-1099 to see how you can help.

Thank You in Advance,
Zachary Littleton

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 Remote Ladies Community Bible Study - Book of John 6:00 p.m.	2	3
4	5	6	7 Wednesday Night Meals 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. 	8	9	10
11 Deacon's Meeting	12	13	14 Wednesday Night Meals 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. Quarterly Meeting	15	16 5th Quarter Youth Night - FLC 10:00 p.m. - Midnight 	17 Men's Breakfast 8:00 a.m. @ FLC
18	19	20	21 Wednesday Night Meals 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	22	23	24 Adult Teachers Workshop 10-12:00 (noon) - Sanctuary Bag Lunch provided
25 Lord's Supper 	26	27	28 Wednesday Night Meals 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. 	29	30	31  6-8 p.m. Back parking lot and FLC

SUNDAY

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

WEDNESDAY

5:00pm - 6:00pm OPEN GYM
6:00 - 7:00pm MISSION FRIENDS
RAs - ROYAL AMBASSADORS
GAs - GIRLS IN ACTION
6:00pm - 7:00pm PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY
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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