

Sunday, December 12, 2021

**SUNDAY SCHOOL
TEACHERS**

Sunday School teachers, please consider appointing someone in your class as *Outreach Leader*.

If every class determined to *Reach Out* to the community, we could be *Growing Together* with more new people. I can help if you need ideas.
Pastor Kelly-

DEACON'S MEETING
Sunday, December 12th
following services

**KEN MCCALL'S SUNDAY
SCHOOL CLASS**
Christmas Fellowship Luncheon
FLC, December 12th after
Church
Potluck / Desserts are
welcomed!

**YOUTH/RA/GA
CHRISTMAS PARTY**
Wednesday, December 15th
6:00—7:00 p.m. in FLC

**TRIED & TRUE
FELLOWSHIP
Chinese Gift Exchange**

3rd Thursday, December 16, @
11:30
Please bring 1 wrapped
non-gender gift Max \$10
per person
Please bring Finger foods and or
Dessert
Outreach Project: Bring 1-2
dozen of your best cookies
to be handed out in Alba
1st Responders & Shut-ins.

MEN'S BREAKFAST
Saturday, December 18th 8:00
a.m. FLC

**COMMUNITY-BASED
MINISTRY TEAM**
*All are welcome to belong to the
Community-Based Ministry
Team. See Michele Osborn for
details. Pastor Kelly-*

**COMMUNITY
CANDLELIGHT SERVICE**
Downtown Alba Square
Wednesday, December 22nd
6:00 p.m.
No services at the church

OFFICE CLOSED
Thursday, December 23rd
Thursday, December 30th

SUNDAY

SUNDAY SCHOOL
9:30am

WORSHIP 10:45am

WEDNESDAY

5:00pm - 5:30pm
MEAL TIME

5:30pm - 6:00pm
OPEN GYM

6:00pm - 7:00pm
Pastor's Bible Study
In sanctuary

MISSION FRIENDS
RAs -
ROYAL AMBASSADORS
GAs -
GIRLS IN ACTION

PASTOR'S BIBLE
STUDY
(Sanctuary)

FBC ABLAZE - Youth
(FLC)

MINISTRY

OPPORTUNITIES

Growing Youth Groups
Mission Trips to Honduras
Heavenly Designs Ministries
(clothes for Honduras) Diane Schafer
& Sharon Williams
Ladies'/Men's Bible Studies
Discipleship Groups / Retreats
Men's Breakfast-Workday
Vacation Bible School
Family Ministry Center
First Seekers - Outreach
Biblical Counseling
Tried & True - Sr. Adults
Alba-Golden Food Pantry -
1st Friday of each month 9-11

FAMILY LIFE CENTER Email:
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Contact: Zachary Littleton
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**BUDGET MONTHLY
REQUIREMENT**
\$36,069.83

**NOVEMBER BUDGET
TO DATE**
\$31,861.40

**DECEMBER
BUDGET TO DATE**
\$37,503.54

FLC PAYMENT DUE
\$ 4,726.60

**NOVEMBER BUILDING FUND
TO DATE**
\$6780.00

**DECEMBER
BUILDING FUND TO DATE**
\$445.00



First Baptist Church Alba
Reaching Out - Growing Together

Safe and Secure in the Arms of Christ

1 John 5:13-21

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Dr. Kelly B. Burton *Pastor* Zachary Littleton, M.A.R. *Youth Min.*

John Revels *Minister of Music*

Open	<i>Minister of Outreach</i>
Ken McCall	<i>Senior Adult Minister</i>
David Peterson	<i>Missions Coordinator</i>
Stephanie Tennery	<i>Children's Church Director</i>
Shane Reynolds	<i>Minister of Education</i>
Angel Wallace	<i>Women's Ministry Coordinator</i>



Thank you for being our Guest

Please print and return to our offering plate

Today's Date: _____

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Are you a member of a church? Yes No

Decisions you may desire to make today:

I am interested in church membership _____

How do I become a Christian? _____

I am interested in these ministries of the church:

Children's _____ Senior Adult _____ Students _____

Single's _____ College/Career _____

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The apostle John closes his first letter to the churches with a list of absolutes. He hopes to bolster the confidence of every authentic Christian. Look how many times he uses the phrase “*we know*” in verses 13-20! Assurance in the teachings and works of Christ alone will get us through to the end. We don’t need more confidence in ourselves; we need to put more confidence in Christ!

Sermon in a Sentence: *The Son of God has come and set us free; put more confidence in Him.*

Three Absolutes for the Authentic Christian:

5:13 Once you are saved you are always saved because Jesus is keeping you.

5:14 God delights to see you coming to Him to pray; He will answer you.

5:18-19 The Evil one has incarcerated the world, but he cannot harm you.

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Leaning On The Everlasting Arms

Learning to Lean

Welcome and Greeting

Mrs. Stacy Lennon

We Three Kings

Lottie Moon

David Peterson, Missions Coordinator, FBCA

Offering

Come, Thou Long- Expected Jesus

Offering

His Name Is Wonderful

The Message

Dr. Kelly B. Burton

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The Invitation

Come Unto Jesus

The Benediction

Mr. Ken McCall,

Senior Adult Minister