



FBC ALBA NEWS

Dr. Kelly Burton
pastor

Welcome new members: Jan Hammons, John Hudson, Linda Culp, Doug and Shelia Hill, Joshua Smith, Barry and Robin Emerson, and Savannah Burnett! Please meet these great people and make them feel welcome to their new church home. Intentionally make a friend this week and invite them and their family to God’s church in Alba.

February Birthdays			
April Wilcox	2	Amanda Mullins	14
Darren Kindle	2	Marshall Burton	15
John Margos	4	Chad Lennon	16
Zach Littleton	5	Christie Baldwin	17
Abigail Allen	5	Danny Issacs	18
Lori Kindle	9	Scotty Alderson	22
Chad Dailey	11	Greg Dunn	25
Ahneka Tullos	11	Austin Tullos	25
Presley Harris	13	Mary Galyean	26
Glenda Raymond	14	Sylvia Harris	27
		Brenda McAninch	29



*Six more new members,
Sunday, January 16.
Thanks be to God.*

New Member Cookout: We are happy to announce that we are hosting our newest members at our home in April for a *New Member Cookout*. We want to host these precious people in our home to show our appreciation for their commitment to First Baptist Church Alba.

Community-Based Ministry: Consider joining us February 3, at 3pm in the FLC Banquet Room.

First Baptist Preview: Thinking about joining the church at Alba? Already a member who wants to know more? Both are welcome *February 6, 9:30* in the FLC Banquet Room.

Revelation Study: Some scholars say that the Old Testament plays an important role in Revelation. It is almost necessary to read Daniel, Ezekiel, even Exodus as you study Revelation! Did you know that Revelation contains more Old Testament quotations than any other New Testament book? For these reasons I have tried to show you *every other Sunday* where I think John the revelator is gathering his information. We call this the New Testament’s use of the Old Testament. For example, the locusts who appear like characters from an X-Box game sound strangely familiar to Roman soldiers persecuting the churches of Revelation 2 and 3. And have you picked up on how the plagues connect us back to Exodus? I like to think of it all this way, *God is saving His people from the plagues while He judges our enemies with the plagues!* I hope you will not be overwhelmed by the Revelation. Interpret it in light of the Old Testament.

Pastor Kelly and Karen Burton, and Camden!

Zachary Littleton
youth minister

Dear FBCA Family,

We need your help! We are preparing for our first Discipleship Now (DNow) event since I have been here with you. Our DNow event is called “Declare DNow: Declare Family”. We will be discussing the importance of both blood and spiritual family members within the church. As a youth minister, I am privileged to minister to our youth somewhere between 2 and 6 hours most weeks. However, this just isn’t enough time to really build up the kind of disciples that Jesus calls us out to become. As a result, it ultimately (as it was intended) will fall on the parents to raise their children up in the Lord. My goal is to give parents and students helpful tools and encouraging challenges to meet the overwhelming need in the coming generations for dedicated and God-fearing apologist-like Christians. We need Christians who not only profess our faith, but also declare it as truth in a culture of lies. I’m inviting all youth and parents to join together at this event in worship and lesson as we discuss the family of God.

We are hoping to have 50+ in attendance at this event but that won’t happen without your help. We need donations for the cost of food, prizes, and games, as well as some to help serve food. If you would like to contribute financially and/or personally, please contact me so we can work together to leave a mark on our students and our community this year. Beyond this, I am calling on every member of our church to join with me in prayer and to invite one person that needs to be present at this event.

Mark Your Calendars: Declare DNow, February 18th & 19th

Thank you,
Zachary Littleton

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3 <i>Community-Based Ministry 3:00 p.m.</i> GriefShare 4:00—6:00 PM	4	5
6 FBCA Preview Class—FLC Banquet Room Baptism Sunday	7	8	9 Wednesday Night Meal - 5:00-5:30 p.m. Classes 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.	10 GriefShare 4:00—6:00 PM	11	12
13 Deacon's Meeting Honduras Missions Enchilada Meal	14 Happy Valentine's Day 	15	16 Wednesday Night Meal - 5:00-5:30 p.m.	17 GriefShare 4:00—6:00 PM	18 YOUTH—D NOW 5:00—8:00 P.M.	19 Men's Breakfast 8:00 YOUTH—D NOW 10:00 AM—8:00 PM
20	21	22	23 Wednesday Night Meal - 5:00-5:30 p.m.	24 GriefShare 4:00—6:00 PM	25	26
28	28	MARCH 1				29

SUNDAY

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

WEDNESDAY

5:00- 5:30pm
MEAL TIME
6:00pm - 7:00pm
PRAYER/DEVOTIONAL
MISSION FRIENDS
RAs - ROYAL AMBASSADORS
GAs - GIRLS IN ACTION
6:00pm - 7:00pm
BIBLE STUDY - Sanctuary
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
SOS - Sobriety Over Substances
GriefShare

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