FBC ALBA NEWS

Welcome New Members: Marissa Rojo, Lyman and Karen Carpenter, and Danny Holder are new members at the best church in Alba, Texas. Thanks be to God. Check out the new member board in the office area and personally welcome these new saints into the body of Christ.



Pastor Kelly baptizing Marissa Rojo. She was overwhelmed with joy!

Wednesday Night Bible Study: You are invited to attend Bible Study on Wednesday nights in the Sanctuary beginning at 6pm. I am taking one book/letter at a time from the NT and exposing the historical setting, authorship, readers, why the letter was written, and major theological themes of each. Pick up a copy of my New Testament Survey on my Reading Resource Table located in the sanctuary foyer. Take one for yourself and take one for a friend at work who is asking questions about the Bible.

Angels: During our 1 Peter series I noticed a few faces that were intrigued by angels. Peter tells us in 1 Peter 1:10-12 that prophets and angels only wish they had what we have in salvation. Peter says angels long to look into these heavenly things. What do we know about angels from the Bible? Psalm 148:2, 5 describe them as created beings. They are powerful and exceptionally intelligent. They are not to be worshiped. They are not made in the image of God like we are. I do not find anywhere in the Book where angels are redeemed, saved. This is why they can only long to look into the marvelous treasure we have in Christ. Angels are messengers, bottom line. They guard us, protect us, and join with us in worship. Some are fallen angels who fell with Satan in his rebellion against God. Jude 6 tells us they are "kept in chains in the nether gloom until judgment." Did you know Paul says in 1 Co. 6:3 that we will judge angels in Heaven after Christ returns? We are able to marry and procreate, angels are not. Finally, we must never believe that we "earn our wings when we die." We do not become angels when we die. We are the elect saints of God, a royal priesthood, sealed by the Holy Spirit, washed by the blood of Christ, redeemed for His good pleasure. For now, "we are made a little lower than the angels" Hebrews 2:7. But in Heaven we will be exalted above them!

Keeping On Together, Pastor Kelly, Karen, and Camden!

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FBC Alba Family,

I hope you are doing well. We have had a great start to the New Year in the youth department. The students seem to really be enjoying our study in the book of Judges on Sundays. We see a repetitive cycle of Sin, servitude, salvation, and rest throughout the book. As followers of God, we are often in the same cycle. I challenge you to ask some of the students that you encounter and allow them to share the Gospel to you through this method. We have also been studying the book of James on Wednesday nights. James calls us out of our sin in a bold way. He wastes no time persuading us to take joy in our trials. Pointing us to Christ. This is a very challenging and encouraging series.

I hope to see you Saturday, February 10 from 5-8pm. We will have our youth fire night in the FLC. Shane Reynolds will be giving his testimony about his wreck. You will not want to miss it! Furthermore, our students will be taking flyers around Alba-Golden ISD inviting their fellow students to attend fire night. We will have games, good food, fellowship, and an awesome testimony. I am encouraged by our students' hunger for the Word. We will need extra adult supervision to help this event go well. If you are at all interested, please see me!

We began the Wall-O-Money fundraiser in January, and I am blown away by your generosity so far. In just 2 weeks, we have raised over \$1500 for the students. We will have one more fundraiser in February. Following the 10:45 service on February 11, I hope you will join us for the Spaghetti luncheon. This lunch will be donation based, and the students will be serving you! The students will be attending Super Summer in June and 100% of your donations will go towards their camp.

Stephanie and I covet your prayers as we seek to invest in the next generation. If you are at all interested in serving with the youth, please see one of us. Thank you for all that you do for the students as our church family. We appreciate all of you!

Press On,

Brennan and Stephanie Margos

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
February				1	2	3
4 Experiencing God Class Begins 9:30 a.m. Sanctuary	5	6	7 Wednesday Night Meal - 5:00-5:30 6:00—RA's/GA's/ Mission Friends/ Youth/ Pastor's Bible Study	8	9	10 Ladies Brunch 10:00 a.m. @ FLC Youth Fire Night 5-8pm—FLC
11 Deacon's Meeting Explore FBCA—9:30 a.m. Banquet Room in FLC Youth Fundraiser—Spaghetti Dinner	12	13	14 Wednesday Night Meal - 5:00-5:30 6:00—RA's/GA's/ Mission Friends/ Youth/ Pastor's Bible Study	15 GriefShare *New Session* 4:00—6:00 p.m. Banquet Room FLC	16	17 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am in FLC
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			Youth/ Pastor's Bible Study			

SUNDAY

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

WEDNESDAY

4:30-5:00pm 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—ABLAZE
Mission Trips
Ladies'/Men's Bible Studies
Discipleship Groups / Retreats
Men's Breakfast
Vacation Bible School
Family Ministry Center
Single Adults
Sunday School Socials
First Seekers - Outreach
Biblical Counseling
SOS - Sobriety Over Substances
GriefShare

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