

Sunday, March 31, 2024

EASTER SUNDAY

The Nursery will be closed during the service

NO CHILDREN'S CHURCH DISMISSAL TODAY

WEDNESDAY NIGHT FAMILY MEAL

April 3rd Nachos, Spanish Rice, Salad – 5:00- 5:45 p.m. in FLC. Sign-up sheet in the foyer. Donations appreciated.

ANNUAL YOUTH SUMMER CAMP FUNDRAISER WALL OF MONEY

There is still time to donate for our Summer Youth Camps. Over 40 envelopes available totaling approximately \$2,000 in donations. Please don't leave them "hanging". \$4,416 raised so far – thank you for your continued support.

Church Family, the deadline for a VBS Director has passed. We will not host a traditional VBS this summer. But stay tuned for some very cool events that will be fun and engaging for the children. Coming soon in your bulletin you will see three separate events that you can plug into and make a difference for Christ. Please start praying now about where you can help. Lea Reynolds, Chesa Morris, and Kim Vaughan have come up with some great ideas. Sign up and tell them you want to serve with them this summer. Pastor Kelly-

THIRSTY?

A conference for women Saturday, April 13th Whitehouse, TX 8:30-2:30 o \$25 per person Please see Angel Wallace for more details.

VISITORS NIGHT FOR LADIES COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY

Thursday, April 11th 6- 8pm in the FLC. Join us for coffee and light refreshments as you learn about CBS. Get the details of how it works and a chance to ask questions. Please stay and join us for the lesson as we study 2 Samuel chapters 16-18.

ANNIE ARMSTRONG LUNCHEON

Sunday, April 28th—please mark your calendar. In the FLC following morning service.

SUNDAY

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30am

WORSHIP 10:45am

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

WEDNESDAY

5:00pm - 5:45pm Family Meal

5:30pm - 6:00pm Open Gym

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

Mission Friends Primary Room # O1

RAs - Banquet RM FLC Royal Ambassadors

GAs - Girls in Action RM#A1

ABLAZE - Youth FLC

BUDGET MONTHLY REQUIREMENT
\$41,262.00

MARCH BUDGET TO DATE
\$40,987.50

APRIL BUDGET TO DATE
\$



MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- Growing Youth Groups
- Mission Trips to Honduras
- Ladies'/Men's Bible Studies
- Discipleship Groups
- Men's Breakfast
- Ladies Brunch
- Vacation Bible School
- Family Ministry Center
- First Seekers - Outreach
- Biblical Counseling
- Alba-Golden Food Pantry - 1st Friday of each month 9-11
- GriefShare—FLC
- SOS Ministry (Mondays FLC)

FAMILY LIFE CENTER
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FLC PAYMENT DUE
\$ 4,726.60

Balance on FLC \$27,881.00

MARCH BUILDING FUND TO DATE
\$3,703.00

APRIL BUDGET TO DATE
\$



First Baptist Church Alba
Reaching Out - Growing Together

Eyes Opened and Hearts Ablaze!
Luke 24:13-35

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Dr. Kelly B. Burton *Pastor*

Brennan Margos *Student Minister*

John Revels *Minister of Music*

David Peterson *Missions Coordinator*

Shane Reynolds *Minister of Education*

Angel Wallace *Women's Ministry Coordinator*

Cheryl Ballinger *Children's Church Coordinator*



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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Dr. Kelly B. Burton

It is interesting how fear can swallow hope. Deteriorating health can trigger fear. Losing possessions or people we love can activate fear inside of us. The disciples knew about fear. Following the crucifixion, they were confused and fearful. Although Jesus had promised that God's plan included His death, burial, and resurrection, their hope was hijacked because of the empty tomb. God does not want you to fear but to find eternal hope in His Son, Jesus. The empty tomb, the witness of angels, and the scores of human witnesses prove He is alive!

Sermon in a Sentence: God has power over life and death. Don't be slow to believe.

Three particulars stood out to me on the road to Emmaus:

13-24 Cleo's PTSD

A Crucifixion was horrifying to watch.

Cleopas lost hope because: "He wasn't in the tomb."

25-27 A Resurrected Savior Preaching

"You foolish ones and slow to believe!"

Jesus explained from the Old Testament that He was their redeemer.

28-35 Eyes Opened and Hearts Ablaze

These words translate that God was helping them see His work through Jesus.

What sorts of emotions do you think they felt while having this meal with Jesus?

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Behold The Lamb

Welcome/Greeting *Mrs. Stacy Lennon*

Offering *I Set My Hope On Jesus*
Scripture Reading

At The Cross / Love Ran Red
You've Already Won
Beauty Of The Cross

The Message *Dr. Kelly B. Burton*

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The Invitation

Open Our Eyes Lord