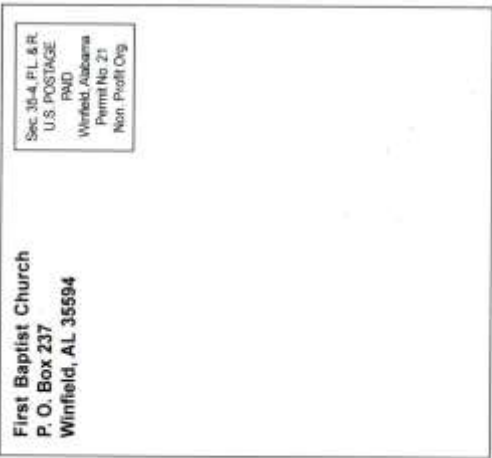


ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED



Calendar of Activities

- Thursday: February 7
9:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Ladies' Bible Study
Sunday: February 10
8:00 a.m. Brotherhood Breakfast
8:45 a.m. Prayer Time
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:15 a.m. Worship Service, Children's Church
Monday: February 11
6:00 a.m. Adult Activities
6:00 p.m. G.R.O.W.
Tuesday: February 12
7:00 a.m. Ladies' Prayer Time
9:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study
Wednesday: February 13
3:15 p.m. IGNITE! Children's choir
6:30 p.m. Prayer Service, RA's, GA's, Mission Friends, Adult Choir
Thursday: February 14
9:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study
Friday: February 15
8:30 a.m. High School & College Mission Trip to Gulf Shores; return Monday

Pastor: Dr. Paul Murphy
Minister of Music/Sr. Adults: Tim Lacey
Minister of Students/Education: Jeff Brantley
Director of Children: Candace Shipp
Secretaries: Jill Hawkins/Grace Jordan
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Winfield First Baptist Church
February 6, 2019

There will be a VBS Planning Meeting for all on the VBS Committee this Sunday, February 10. Lunch will served in the Activities Building.

Save the Date!! VBS June 17 - 21



A LOOK AT SUNDAY 01/27/19

SUNDAY SCHOOL 285
REGULAR OFFERING \$ 11,581.05
BUILDING FUND \$ 2,055.00

A LOOK AT SUNDAY 02/03/19

SUNDAY SCHOOL 298
REGULAR OFFERING \$ 24,787.45
BUILDING FUND \$ 6,058.00

The Building Fund monthly loan payment is \$18,637.43.



Sincere sympathy is extended to:
Bill Bowling and Family in the loss of his sister, Donna Nathan.
June Trull, Steve Trull and the entire Family in the loss of Ed Trull.
Dana Watkins and Family in the loss of her uncle, Steve Guin.
Wade Harbin and Family in the loss of his cousin, Robert Miles.

May the Lord's comfort tenderly embrace and comfort you during this time.

Spring Outreach- mark your calendars!
Sunday, March 3
>High attendance day in Sunday school
>Church-wide cookout for lunch after worship - Invite a friend to both church & lunch!
Wednesday, March 6
> 3:15-5:30 p.m. Kid Fest & pizza supper
> 5:30 p.m. Church-wide potluck supper
> 6:30 p.m. Worship including GA's, RA's, & Youth

MEN and BOYS!

Marion County Baptist Association's annual Wild Game Dinner will be at WFBC on Saturday, March 9 at 5:00 p.m. Come join in fellowship, a great meal, and hear Roger Raglin (of the Outdoor Channel) speak! Volunteers are needed both before the event & on that day. Sign up sheets are in the Fellowship Mall or please contact Mike Watkins to help.

Senior Adults

Remember that the February Keenager meeting will be on Tuesday, Feb. 12 at 12:00 p.m. This is actually a church-wide Valentine's Luncheon, and tickets are \$3 each. The meal is going to be great, and there will be music while we eat, provided by the talented Melany Weeks. Tickets will be available through the end of this week. (You must have a ticket!)

Intercessory Prayer Ministry Training, for those who have signed up or who would like to commit to pray one hour per week, will take place on Sunday, February 17 at 4:30 p.m. Please be present in the Prayer Room for this important instructional time. Those who have been part of this ministry in the past are also invited to attend. We truly appreciate all who are faithful in prayer!

## From Our Pastor . . .

Thank you for all the committed participants in the *21 Days of Prayer*. It was a remarkable journey for all. Ps. 65:2. O thou that hearest prayer, unto thee shall all flesh come.

**Let's pray for a bold thrust forward to reach our community for Christ!** We look forward to a great week of Spring Outreach the first week of March.

### This Sunday's Messages:

**"What Must I Do to Be Saved?"**

Acts 16:22-34

**"Lord, I Am So Lonely" Psalm 142**

Invite and bring a friend this Sunday!

*Bro. Paul*

There will be an interest meeting for a Fall medical mission trip this Sunday. Please meet in the library after the a.m. service for just a few minutes.

## Kids Zone



**Nursery Workers Feb. 10:** Sherry Threadgill, Ann Couch, Kayren Burt, Holly & Jeremy Gibbs, Jerica & Derek Box, Shea & Joseph Walker, Courtney & Lyn Lindsey

**Deacon in Children's Church:** Evan Shipp  
**Nursery Workers Feb.13:** Jan McNeill, Dana Watkins

Wednesday, February 27 will be our annual Father/Daughter Valentine Banquet. It will be at 6:30 in the Activities Building. Tickets are \$10 per couple, \$5 for each extra ticket. Dinner will be served, followed by a guest speaker, photo booth, games, and a craft for the fathers and daughters to make together. This night is always a special night for the fathers and daughters to deepen their bond! Tickets will be on sale in the fellowship mall, or you may call the church office.

If you are interested in helping at the Baseball/Softball clinic on Sat., March 2, please sign up in the fellowship mall, see Mrs. Candace, or call the church office. This is an awesome outreach event for children in our area!

If you do not get the Remind messages for KidZone, send @32h68 in a text to 81010 to be added to the messages. I use this frequently to send out updates and upcoming events.

**Don't forget, Sunday School starts at 9** each week and is such an important part of **your child's spiritual growth! Bring a friend...or two!** See you Sunday!

Love in Christ, Mrs. Candace

Kids Afterschool Fest - Wed., March 6  
3:15—5:30 p.m.

## Youthfully Speaking...

-There is still time for high-schoolers and college students to go on our mission trip to Gulf Shores on February 15-18. Cost is just money for 6 meals. We will be helping Baldwin Baptist Association with outreach for the churches that meet in RV parks around the county. Let Jeff know as soon as you can if you would like to add your name to the list.

-WinterJam trip for 7-12 grades will be on February 21 to Tupelo. Cost is \$15 plus food. We will leave immediately after school and return around midnight.

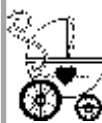
-Youth Camp dates are June 20-23 to Shocco Springs in Talladega. Sign-up will begin in March.

I Peter 2:17, Jeff Brantley

### MUSIC NOTES

#### Fill the choir loft up this Easter

Wouldn't it be great for our choir to fill the entire loft up this Easter? We can do it, you know. We need all of our members, and folks who have sung in the choir in the past to join us. And, if you have not sung in the choir before, but would like to sing praises with us that day, I'd like for you to join us, too. Among other great Easter songs, we will be singing Handel's "Hallelujah" chorus. I will announce the times in the next newsletter for a couple of short special rehearsals for the "Easter Choir." Let's fill the loft!



*Congratulations to Brandi and David Corbett on the birth of a girl, Caroline Thomas, who was born on January 26 at Brookwood Medical Center. Caroline weighed 6 lbs, 2 oz and was 21" long. Grandparents are Sherri & Phillip Carroll, Sherry Corbett and the late David Corbett. You are indeed blessed!*

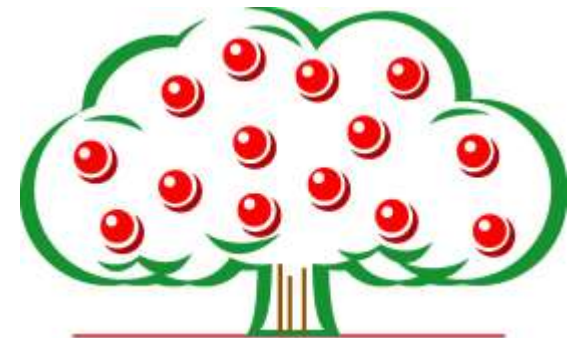
## Prayer Requests & Praises

Lift up President Trump, his advisors, Congress and world leaders.

Give thanks to God for the blessing of living in a free country where we may worship Him freely!

Please pray for our missionaries both in North America and those around the world. Remember those Christian brothers and sisters who are being persecuted for their faith.

Pray for those who have lost loved ones and those who are sick, in hospitals, or Nursing Homes. Lift up the homebound and their caregivers.



**And may the Lord  
make you increase  
and abound in love  
for one another  
and for all ...**

**1 Thessalonians 3:12**