

## Change of Address

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### *Thank You Notes*

Thank you notes have been received from the following and are placed on the bulletin board at the Family Life Building main entrance Family:

**Martele Griffin**  
**Betty Perry**  
**The Bobby Joe Johnson Family**  
**Georgey Johnson**



### *Congratulations*

To Brian & Vivian Spears who are the proud parents of a baby girl, Victoria Anelise, weighing 7 lbs 3.2 ozs, born July 17th. The proud big sister is Carley & big brother, Eric. The proud Grandparents are James & Lulu Ferguson

### *Wedding Occasions*

*DeAnna Cummings & Lee Woods*

*August 25, 2007*

*4:00 p.m.*

*First Baptist Church*

*Reception Following In F. L. B.*

## Mission Trips

September 28th-October 6th

Peru

T.R. Darsey

## **Sunday School Prayer Emphasis**

The Sunday School Growth Leadership Team continues to urge you to pray for the Sunday School of First Baptist Church, Winona. Plans to establish a new model class continue to develop. The committee continues to seek the God appointed leadership that will establish the work of this class. Continue to pray and continue to be open to being used of God to establish and grow this class.

## **Church Leadership Prayer Emphasis**

Pray for the Nominating Committee and Committee on Committees as they work to secure leadership for the various ministries of First Baptist Church.

## **DEACON ELECTION**

Deacon Election will be Sunday, August 26th. Now is the opportunity to pray for God's direction in establishing deacon leadership for the next year. Men twenty-five years and older, who have been members of the church for at least two years, are eligible to be elected as deacons. These men's names are automatically placed on the ballot. If you are a qualified candidate but do not wish to have your name on the ballot please contact the church office immediately to have your name removed.

# THE NEWSLETTER

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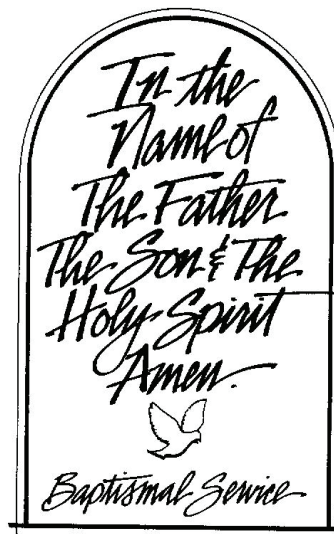
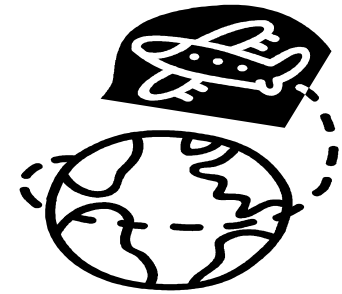


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## *Mission Sharing about Ukraine and Baptismal Service*



*Sunday's 6:00 p.m.  
Worship Service  
August 19, 2007*

***Baptismal  
Candidates**  
Lara Laine Silvola  
Jeffrey Welch*



*And we, who with unveiled faces all reflect the Lord's glory, are being transformed into His likeness with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit..*

II Corinthians 3:18

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## CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 19

10:00 A.M. .... Sunday School  
 11:00 A.M. .... Morning Worship Service  
 6:00 P.M. .... Evening Worship Service

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22

10:00 A.M. .... Morning Worship Service  
 6:00 P.M. .... Family Supper  
 6:30 P.M. .... Children's Activities  
 6:45 P.M. .... Youth Deep Impact  
 7:00 P.M. .... Prayer Meeting  
 7:30 P.M. .... Sanctuary Choir Practice

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 25

10—2 P.M. .... Youth Workshop/Old Chapel  
 4:00 P.M. .... Cummings/Woods Wedding

### SUNDAY MORNING

#### NURSERY

Lynn Marchant, Vickie & Lee Pratt,  
 Becky Flowers & Girls

### SUNDAY NIGHT

#### NURSERY

Jennifer & Ben Ingram

#### NURSERY CONTACT PERSON

Chelsea Greene

#### OFFERTORY PRAYER

Danny Woods

#### DEACON COUNTING COMMITTEE

Larry Randle, Harold Blaine, Glenn Bourne

#### SENIOR PARKING ATTENDANT

Buddy Thomas

## BIBLE STUDY REPORT

### AUGUST 12, 2007

Adult.....190  
 Youth.....32  
 Children .....23  
 Preschool .....19  
 Visitors .....6  
**ON CAMPUS TOTAL.....270**  
 Winona Manor.....30  
 Bus Ministry .....4  
 Kent Street Ministry .....3  
 Homebound .....3  
**OFF CAMPUS TOTAL.....40**  
**TOTAL IN BIBLE STUDY .....310**

### FINANCIAL REPORT

Budget Gifts ..... \$9,959.00  
 Designated Funds ..... \$1,395.00  
 TOTAL GIFT ..... \$11,354.00  
 Weekly Budget Needs ..... \$13,663.92  
 Monthly Budget Needs..... \$54,655.68  
 Budget Gifts to Date..... \$33,231.38



### HOMEBOUND OF THE WEEK

CHARLES & LOUISE GAMMILL  
 609 MONTGOMERY  
 WINONA, MS 38967

## Youth Worship Workshop

**August 25th**  
**10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.**

**In the Old Chapel**  
**Speaker: David Fields**  
**Cost: \$15.00**

From Your Pastor

This past Sunday night we relocated our evening service to Longview Heights in Olive Branch for the ordination service of James Jackson. What a wonderful time of worship! Along with ordaining James, Longview licensed five men to the ministry and commissioned a young couple to missionary service in Ecuador. I would like to thank all of those who were able to make the trip and support James during this special occasion.

At that service, we sang a song by Jeremy Riddle called *Sweetly Broken*. I think its words should be embraced by each of us in our lives.

*To the cross I look and to the cross I cling  
 Of its suffering I do drink, of its work I do sing  
 On it my Savior, both bruised and crushed,  
 Showed that God is love and God is just*

(Chorus)

*At the cross you beckon me  
 You draw me gently to my knees  
 And I am lost for words  
 So lost in love*

*I'm sweetly broken, wholly surrendered*

*What a priceless gift, underserved life  
 Have I been given, through Christ crucified  
 You call me out of death, you call me into life  
 And I was under your wrath, now through the  
 cross I'm reconciled*

(Chorus)

*At the cross you beckon me  
 You draw me gently to my knees  
 And I am lost for words  
 So lost in love*

*I'm sweetly broken, wholly surrendered*

These words reflect truths portrayed throughout the Scripture. Oh, that we would live our lives as an abundant sacrifice to the One who gave His all for our deliverance! That we would find all of our joy, peace, and value in His work for us! That we would be overwhelmed by His love, enraptured by His grace, and amazed at His mercy!

(Continued)

We, the undeserving sinners of this world, have gained crown of life, a seat in glory, and significance to our existence through the eternal and everlasting love gift of Jesus Christ! That we might be "sweetly broken and wholly surrendered" before our Lord and Savior!

Bro. Phillip Dancy  
 2 Corinthians 13:14



### FAMILY NIGHT

#### SUPPER

GRILLED CHICKEN, BAKED  
 BEANS, SLAW, ROLLS, TEA,  
 HEATH BAR CAKE

#### CHILDREN'S MENU

CORNDOGS, TATOR TOTS,  
 ICE-CREAM SANDWICHES

## Co-ed Volleyball League

**Ages 15 & up**

Sign up deadline August 23rd  
 Mystery Draft August 24th  
 Cost \$10.00

*Sign up sheets available from James  
 or in the Church office.*

### Mission Hope

Volunteers are needed during operating hours at Mission Hope. Operating hours are 1st & 3rd Tuesdays from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Your service can be used during this time. If you can help during these hours, please come. If you can help during other times you can contact Michael Wilbanks at 222-2230 and they can establish a work schedule for you.

### *Sanctuary Flower Calendar*

If you would like to place an arrangement in the sanctuary in memory or honor of a loved one, the following dates are available.

September 2      September 23  
 September 30      October 7