

**SENIOR PASTOR**

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**UPCOMING**

Let me remind you of four upcoming events you do not want to miss.

**First**, this Sunday morning, we will continue the series on Walking by Faith by examining "Borders to Blessings" from Joshua 3:1-6. Instead of settling for the "good" Christian life, Joshua encourages us to move into the "great" Christian life.

**Second**, Sunday night, we will meet together as a church for fellowship and fun at Daniel Spring Camp for a fish fry. Because our church is so large, it is hard for us to meet together. However, there is more than enough room at the camp. We ask that you bring the desserts, and any games that you might like to play.

**Third**, due to popular demand, we are going to show the sequel to Louie Giglio's video message *Indescribable* on Sunday night July 8. The sequel, *How Great is Our God* follows up on the subject of the greatness of God by examining his crowning creation. This will absolutely blow you away.

**Fourth**, beginning Sunday night, July 15, we will start our series on *End Times* as we study the book of Daniel, verse by verse. This follow-up to our study of the book of Revelation is a must if we want to be serious scholars of end times prophecy.

**SENIOR ADULT PASTOR**

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**CORRECTION**

If you were given an information sheet regarding the National Senior Adult Conference, October 30-November 1, please discard it and get a new one. There was an error in the first one. Thank you.

**42 TOURNAMENT**

Twelve teams enjoyed another fine 42 tournament. The team of Joyce Rogers & Pat McMillan were the winners. Ann Flowers & Carson Joines came in second. Everybody had a great time. Over \$300 was raised for the Gideon's ministry. The Brotherhood had already given \$400. All of these funds will be used to purchase Bibles. Praise the Lord!

**JOY TEXARKANA TRIP**

The JOY group trip to Texarkana is Thursday, July 12. We will visit the Publications Department & the Book Store. So far only 5 have signed up. If you are going, please let me know.

**Tithes & Offerings**

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| General Fund.....  | \$24,312.00        |
| Building Fund..... | 1,673.00           |
| Youth Fund.....    | 320.00             |
| <b>Total.....</b>  | <b>\$26,305.00</b> |

**Attendance Report**

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|---------------------------------|-----|
| Sunday School Attendance.....   | 371 |
| 8:30 a.m. Early Worship.....    | 175 |
| 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship..... | 354 |
| Total Morning Worship.....      | 529 |



**Wedding Shower**  
for  
**Angie Hitt & Doug Shoffner**  
Saturday, June 30<sup>th</sup> 2:00~4:00 p.m.  
First Baptist Church  
Fellowship Hall  
Selections at Dazzles, Target &  
Bed, Bath & Beyond

**Independence Day**

The church office will be closed Wednesday, July 4<sup>th</sup>.

**MUSIC NOTES**

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**GREAT VACATION**

Susie, Daria and I had a wonderful vacation last week. We missed worshipping with you and look forward to seeing you this Sunday. Thank you to Donald Hubbard for leading worship in my absence.

**GOOD HEAVENLY HIGHWAY SINGING**

We all had a good time last Sunday night singing the heart warming songs out of the Heavenly Highway Hymnal. Thank you for your participation.

**CONFERENCE**

Next week I will attend the International Worship Institute which will be held in Grapevine. I will leave Monday and return Saturday. This conference equips people to worship and to lead others in worship. Pray for me as I attend this conference.

**CHOIR SCHEDULE**

Due to the 4<sup>th</sup> of July holiday, no choirs will meet next week.

**EDUCATION NEWS**

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**2008 VBS**

For those of you who are on the ball and already working on next years calendar, the 2008 VBS is tentatively scheduled for July 21-25.

**CHICK-FLICK**

All 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade girls are invited to Chick Flick night this Saturday from 5:00-9:00 p.m. in the Activity Center. It's "Eat What You Want" night so each girl bring whatever food item you want to eat!

**Church-Wide Fish Fry**  
**This Sunday !!**  
**July 1, 6:00 p.m. at the Camp in Gary!**  
**Fish, Fries & Hushpuppies provided**  
**Please bring drinks & desserts**  
**Games & Swimming !!**

**STUDENT MINISTRIES**

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**SONRISE II CAMP**

Our 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> graders are at Daniel Springs Camp this week. Please remember these 30 students & sponsors in prayer as we study God's word, worship & fellowship together.

**OCOEE OUTREACH MISSION TRIP DATE:**  
**JULY 14~21**

**ALL PAPER WORK IS DUE NOW !**

If you did not receive your registration packet in the mail please pick one up in the church office as soon as possible.

**SUMMER CAMP**  
**7<sup>TH</sup>-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE YOUTH CAMP**

SonQuest  
July 24-27  
Daniel Springs Baptist Camp  
Registration paper may be picked up in the church office.

**Registration paper & fee due date:**  
**Sunday, July 8**

CHURCH MEMBER FEE \$5.00  
NON-CHURCH MEMBER FEE \$105.00



**ALASKAN CRUISE**

As part of our 150<sup>th</sup> Celebration, a 7 night Alaskan Cruise is being planned. The dates will be June 21~28, 2008. An informational meeting will be held on Sunday, August 5<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.



We  
**Lauren Renee Tillery**  
&  
**Ronald Andrew Dennard, Jr.**  
invite you to share in the  
celebration of our wedding  
Saturday, July 7 1:30 p.m.  
First Baptist Church  
Carthage, Texas

Reception to follow in the  
Activity Center

**Nursery Workers** Sunday, July 1  
Valerie Ratley/Stephanie Monroe/Amy Rich



Thank you notes from Brett Hawkins & the families of  
Christell Allen, James Elliott, Carmen Price &  
George Hurst are posted on the the back hall bulletin board.