## First Words February 25, 2024

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# WELCOME Glad you're with us!

# SMALL GROUPS

Small groups meet Sundays at 8:00, 9:15 and 10:45am. For help finding a Small Group, visit the Welcome Center, or contact darrington@fbctrussville.org.

# WORSHIP

Bring today's completed

tear off to the Welcome Center, or visit fbctrussville.org/ next-steps and let us know you were with us today!



• 9:15am (Traditional) • 10:45am (Contemporary)

# **OTHER HELPFUL INFO**

- Restrooms are conveniently located just outside the Worship Center.
- Offering bins are located at the exits as you leave the Worship Center.
- Listening devices are available by request; see an usher to inquire.
- FBCT Library: Sundays 8:00am-12:30pm, Tuesdays 9:00am-5:00pm, and Wednesdays 4:00-7:30pm. Stephen Ministry resources on display now!
- Inquire or register for any FBCT event at the Event Center.
- For assistance please see an usher or visit the Welcome Center.

PRAYER. Let us pray for you. Share your prayer requests at fbctrussville.org/prayer-requests, or using this QR code. >>>





For information on these

and other opportunities

the QR code below, or visit

fbctrussville.org/helper

# **MISSIONS** @FBCT

#### **Changed Lives Christian Center**

Groups or Sunday School Classes needed to provide and serve meals Sunday evenings at 5:00pm to a group of 50 men at CLCC on the following dates: March 10 | April 14 | May 19 | June 9

Sign up via "Helper-Helper" using the QR code at left.

#### Annie Armstrong Tea Party

Sunday, March 10 • 3:30pm Tickets are on sale TODAY near the Event Center! (\$20ea/\$160 for an 8-person table)



2024 Mission Trips Register: fbctrussville.org/events

Exodus 32-33 **HIS WEEK** Exodus 34-36:1 Exodus 40 Leviticus 8-9

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**BIBLE READING PLAN** 

Leviticus 16-17 Memory Verses: • Exodus 33:16

• Matthew 22:37-39

<sup>Today:</sup> Like A Bridge...

# Like A Bridge... John 14

Sunday, February 25, 2024

#### Understanding

#### Peace God

Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Romans 5:1 (NIV)

#### Peace God God

And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:7 (NIV)

#### • Peace God

Grace, mercy and peace from God the Father and from Jesus Christ, the Father's Son, will be with us in truth and love. 2 John 1:3 (NIV)

"Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God; trust also in Me." John 14:1 (NIV) 

#### The Existence Of \_\_\_\_\_

"In My Father's house are many rooms; if it were not so, I would have told you. I am going there to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with Me that you also may be where I am." John 14:2-3 (NIV)

#### The Incredible

\_\_\_\_\_ Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me. If you really knew Me, you would know My Father as well. From now on, you do know Him and have seen Him." John 14:6-7 (NIV)

# The Promise Of His

"I tell you the truth, anyone who has faith in Me will do what I have been doing. He will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father. And I will do whatever you ask in My name, so that the Son may bring glory to the Father. You may ask Me for anything in My name, and I will do it." John 14:12-14 (NIV)

#### The Presence Of The

"If you love Me, you will obey what I command. And I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Counselor to be with you forever-the Spirit of truth... But you know Him, for He lives with you and will be in you. I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you." John 14:15-18 (NIV)

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#### The Blessings That Come With \_\_\_\_\_

Jesus replied, "If anyone loves Me, he will obey My teaching. My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our home with him. He who does not love Me will not obey My teaching." John 14:23-24 (NIV)

#### The Peace That Is

"But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name. will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; My peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid. "You heard Me say, 'I am going away and I am coming back to you.' If you loved Me, you would be glad that I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I."

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#### **Today** (2/25)

**Mission Trip Interest Meetings** Alaska Trips: 4:00pm In D141 Thailand Trip: 5:00pm The registration deadline for all trips: this Thursday, February 29th

### This Week (2/26-3/02)

**Exercise Classes** (Sports/Wellness) Get in shape at FBCT! Schedule: fbctrussville.org/exercise-classes

#### Midweek-

Wednesday, February 28 Chicken Casserole, served 4:30-6:00pm.

Then at 6:00pm **Discipleship University** classes continue! For

**TRECHO** (Sports & Wellness)

#### **KNOW Weekend\***

Saturday, March 2 • 4:00-7:00pm Day one of this free apologetics conference, helping you strengthen and defend your faith! Dinner and childcare provided.

#### **Troy Ellis Wild Game Dinner** Saturday, March 2 • 6:00pm Trussville Civic Center - Raffles, games, prizes and silent auction supporting the Troy Ellis Foundation.

# Next Sunday (3/03)

Dr. Jamie Dew, President of New **Orleans Baptist** Theological Seminary and leader of our KNOW Weekend joins us, preaching in both services.



#### **Conservatory Sunday**

Our Conservatory students share their gifts in worship, with recitals in the afternoon at 1:30 & 3:30pm!

#### **KNOW Weekend\***

Sunday, March 3 • 4:00-7:00pm

Day two of our apologetics conference. Please note—you don't have to attend every session to take part; come join us as you are able!

## Coming Up

• Annie Armstrong Tea Party (Missions) Sunday, March 10 • 3:30pm • Gym \$20 each/\$160 per 8-person table Celebrating the work of the mother of North American Missions while enjoying afternoon tea and treats! (Get tickets near the Event Center)

> \*Registration: fbctrussville.org/events

This Saturday/Sunday, March 2-3 @FBCT 4:00-7:00pm both nights **Dinner/Childcare Provided** 

STRENGTHEN

- Is Christianity still relevant?
- Does God really exist?
- Is Christ the only way?
- Is Heaven real?
- If God is good why do bad things happen?



Led by Dr. Jamie Dew, **President of New Orleans Baptist Theological** Seminary

### Register today! >>>

#### Numbers From Last Sunday - February 18, 2024

39,520

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Budget Receipts: \$ 101,168 Budget Received YTD: \$ 996,369 NEXT YTD: \$

Small Groups: Worship Services: On Campus - 1,902 Online - 376

1,706  $\rightarrow$  Total: 2,278

#### more on Midweek, use the QR code at right:

#### **JELLO** (Preschool)

Thursday, February 29 • D203 9:00 (toddlers) & 10:30am (non-walkers) Weekly playdate group for moms and their preschoolers!

Saturday, March 2 • 8:00am Meet in the back lot, near Hewitt St. A new Saturday morning ministry helping walkers, joggers and runners move with a purpose!

# On Today's Tear Off:



#### Stephen Ministry Help through difficult times from

trained, caring ministers. Please contact me:

Name:\_\_\_\_\_

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Phone:\_\_\_\_\_

Email:\_\_\_\_\_

stephenministry@fbctrussville.org

#### Special Needs "Buddies"

Yes! I'm interested in helping our friends with exceptional needs on Sundays and Wednesdays while on our campus. Please contact me with more information.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

### KNOW Weekend

Saturday/Sunday, March 2-3 4:00-7:00pm both nights Please plan on me!



Name:\_\_\_\_\_

Phone:\_\_\_\_\_

Email:

I will need childcare Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Prayer Request**

For Stephen Ministry info, email stephenministry@fbctrussville.org

For Special Needs Buddies info, email <a href="mailto:carriej@fbctrussville.org">carriej@fbctrussville.org</a>

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Prayer requests, email chris@fbctrussville.org