First Words
February 19, 2023

# KEEP THE CHANGE

## TODAY

Operating Procedures
Philippians 4:10-20

Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment.

1 Timothy 6:17 (NIV)

# Welcome!

**Glad you're with us!**

## Small Groups

Sundays at **8:00, 9:15 & 10:45am.**
For help finding a small group, contact: **darrington@fbctrussville.org**

## Worship Today

- **9:15am** (Traditional)
- **10:45am** (Contemporary)

### 1st Time Guests

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!

A Free Gift For You!

## 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:** Stop in and see our Winter Wonderland! **Open today** 8am-12:30pm, **Tuesday** 9am-5pm, and **Wednesday** 4-7:30pm.
- Inquire or register for any FBCT event at the **Event Center.**
- **For further assistance** please see an usher or visit the Welcome Center.

**Let us pray for you.** Use today's tear off to request prayer, placing it in an offering bin as you leave.

## Annie Armstrong Tea Party

**Sunday, March 5 • 3:30pm • Gym**
Tickets available today near the Event Center!
• $15 per person • $150 per table
Benefitting the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

## Thailand Mission Trip

**June 19 - July 1 • Trip cost: $3,000**
Teaching an English Camp at a school, and ministering to refugees at the border.
**Registration deadline: TODAY!**

Other upcoming opportunities:

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I rejoice greatly in the Lord that at last you have renewed your concern for me. Indeed, you have been concerned, but you had no opportunity to show it.
Philippians 4:10 (NIV)

## HAVE A LIFESTYLE OF CONTENTMENT

- **Avoid** _____

I am not saying this because I am in need, for I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances. Philippians 4:11 (NIV)

"learned" = _____

"content" = _____

- So Have Clear _____

- **Adjust To** _____

I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. Philippians 4:12 (NIV)

If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone.
Romans 12:18 (NIV)

- Stick To The _____

- **Live With Christ's** _____

I can do everything through Him who gives me strength. Philippians 4:13 (NIV)

I have strength for all things in Christ Who empowers me [I am ready for anything and equal to anything through Him Who infuses inner strength into me; I am self-sufficient in Christ's sufficiency]. Philippians 4:13 (AMP)

The plans of the diligent lead to profit as surely as haste leads to poverty.
Proverbs 21:5 (NIV)

- Honor His _____

- **Trust Christ To Meet My** _____

And my God will meet all your needs according to His glorious riches in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:19 (NIV)

- Live In His _____

- **Live With A** _____

To our God and Father be glory for ever and ever. Amen. Philippians 4:20 (NIV)

Riches can disappear fast…so watch your business interests closely.
Proverbs 27:23 (TLB)

- Remember The _____

"_____ loves to fish in the _____ waters

of a _____ heart."

*Thomas Watson*
*(Puritan Pastor)*

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# What does the Bible say about _____?

**TODAY!**
**5:00pm • A200**

A young adult gathering (18-30s) looking at common topics from a Biblical point of view!

Led by Jeff Gardner, in the High School Space

FATHER/ DAUGHTER BANQUET
*Gym*

MOTHER/ SON BANQUET
*Fellowship Hall*

Tonight! • 5:30pm • $15 couple

1st-5th Grade

fbct kids

**TOMORROW!**
**President's Day**
**John C. Morgan as George W. Bush!**
**10:30am • Gym • $20**

**Numbers From Last Sunday - February 12, 2023**

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| Budget Receipts: | $ 166,163 | **Small Groups:** | 1,466 |
| Budget Received YTD: | $ 871,202 | **Worship Services:** | |
| NEXT YTD: | $ 69,395 | On Campus - 1,625 Online - 384 | |
| | | **Total:** | 2,009 |

## Today (2/19)

### What Does The Bible Say...
**5:00pm • A200 -** A topical study for young adults (18-30s) on what God's Word has to say on a range of issues.

### Father/Daughter Mother/Son Banquets*
**5:30pm • Gym/Fellowship Hall • $15**
A special evening for 1st-5th graders and their parents!

## This Week (2/20-25)

### Lunch With W.* (SAM)
**Monday, Feb. 20 • 10:30am • Gym**
Impersonator John C. Morgan joins us as George W. Bush! ($20)

### Midweek
**Wednesday, February 22**
Chili/Soup, served 4:30-6pm in the Gym.

Midweek @ First Baptist

At **6:00pm** Discipleship University continues, along with age-graded activities for kids and students!

### JELLO (Preschool)
**Thursday, Feb. 23 • 9:00 & 10:30am**
Join us for our weekly playdate for preschoolers and moms! (In D203)

### SAM Luncheon*
**Thursday, Feb. 23 • 10:30am • FH**
Writer/Comedian Joe Hobby is our special guest at this month's event!

### Worship Night
**Thursday, Feb. 23 • 7:00pm • A200**
A unique night of worship with the Contemporary Worship Team.

### Birmingham Bulls* (Sports/Wellness)
**Saturday, Feb. 25 • 7:00pm • $15**
A night of hockey with your First Family at the Pelham Ice Arena!

## Coming Up

- **Passion 2024*** (Young Adults)
  **January 3-5 • $225 -** Earlybird sign-up continues through February 28!
- **Financial Peace University**
  **Wednesday, March 1 • 6:00pm**
  Indicate interest on today's tear off!
- **Conservatory Recitals**
  **Sunday, March 5 • 1:30 & 3:30pm**
  An afternoon of sacred praise and worship, held in the Worship Center!
- **Annie Armstrong Tea*** (Missions)
  **Sunday, March 5 • 3:30pm • A200**
  We'll have tea while celebrating the life and ministry of Annie Armstrong! *($15 per person, or $150 per table)*
- **M3 Fall Prevention*** (Sports/Wellness)
  **Tuesday, March 7 • 11am-2pm • $35**
  Movement, quality of life and fall assessment/prevention for those 65+.
- **Edible Education*** (Sports/Wellness)
  **Friday, March 10 • 11:30am • $6**
  Kendell Jno-Finn joins us in the Fellowship Hall on personal wellness.
- **Science & God's Creation**
  **Sunday, March 12 • 4:30 & 6:00pm**
  Two presentation times now offered for this look into deep space with Hubble Telescope project manager and NASA alum, Jim Odom! Get/swap tickets at the Event Center!

***Register: fbctrussville.org/events**

# On Today's Tear Off...

## SAM Luncheon Reservation

Please plan on me at this Thursday's luncheon.

Name:_____

Phone:_____

Email:_____

Total # in my party: _____

## Stephen Ministry

I would like to talk with someone about what I'm going through.

Name:_____

Phone:_____

Email:_____

## Financial Peace University

I am interested in attending this Midweek class, beginning Wednesday, March 1st.

Name:_____

Phone:_____

Email:_____

## Get The App!

Search "FBC Trussville" in your phone's or device's app store and get connected today!

For SAM Luncheon reservations, please contact: darrington@fbctrussville.org

For Stephen Ministry inquiries, please contact: stephenministry@fbctrussville.org

For Financial Peace University information, please contact: info@fbctrussville.org

# ALASKA
## is calling.

## (And we're going!)

**Alabama Baptists** have entered into a **five-year** missions partnership with **Alaska Baptists.** Now, we at FBCT have the opportunity to be on mission in Alaska, along with other Alabama churches! Over the next several years we will serve and encourage the **13 church planters** and help spread the Gospel to **70 unreached villages.**

**Our multiple trips to Alaska will include a variety of needs, skill sets, passions and abilities. If you'd like to be a part of one of these trips indicate your interests below and we'll be in contact!**

**Yes, I'm interested in learning more about a mission trip to Alaska!**

**Name** _____

**Contact Info** _____

**Years I would consider at trip** ☐ **2023** ☐ **2024** ☐ **2025**

**I would consider a trip to do work with: (check all that apply)**

___ Vacation Bible School
___ Sports Camps
___ Light Construction
___ Outdoor Activity Outreach
___ Door-To-Door Evangelism
___ Church Planter Support (1-month commitment)
___ Medical/Wellness Clinics
___ The Homeless
___ Community Engagement (Ex: at the State Fair)
___ Park Evangelism

Seward, Alaska

Anchor Church
Kenai, Alaska

First Baptist Church Trussville

Kenai River

## Obey the call...

Indicate your interest at info@fbctrussville.org