

April 14, 2024

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
PLANT CITY



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Leading people beyond "just good enough" to experience L.I.F.E. in Christ.

SEMI-ANNUAL FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
BUSINESS MEETING

Today! | 4 PM | Worship Center

The Boards of Directors of the Baptist Towers of Plant City, Inc. and Christian Living Center, Inc. hereby announce a special business meeting of the corporations for April 14, immediately following the church's 4:00PM semi-annual business meeting. The purpose of the special meeting is to finalize the sale of Plant City Towers and Plant City Living Center, and determine disposition of the proceeds. The meeting will be held in the Worship Center



40th Anniversary

at First Baptist Church Plant City

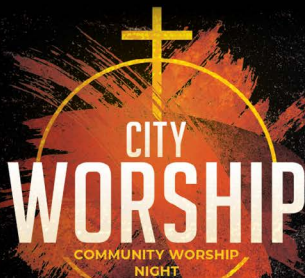
Today, we celebrate Pastor Tommy Warnock's 40th anniversary at FBCPC. A love offering is being taken to show our appreciation for the Warnock family. We thank the Lord for Tommy and Pam.

Vacation Bible School

June 3-7 | 6-9 PM

*Join us at Breaker Rock Beach,
where every day is an adventure!!*

Registration is now open!
Go to fbcpc.com/vbs.



SUNDAY, APRIL 28
6 PM

**UNITING WORSHIP MINISTRIES
FROM OUR LOCAL AREA**

THIS FREE EVENT IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
WORSHIP NIGHT TO BENEFIT THE PREGNANCY CARE CENTER

For more info on upcoming events,
please visit: FBCPC.com/events

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Summer Camp for 3rd-6th grade | July 15-18 and 7th-12th grade | June 24-28.
 Visit fbcpc.com/events for more information and to register.



Baby Dedication May 12 | Both morning services. A
 Baby dedication parent class will be held May 5 at 9 AM.
 Register on-line at fbcpc.com/events

Graduate Sunday Celebrate your high school or college graduate on Graduate Sunday, May 5th! To showcase their achievements, simply reach out to Chris Greenwood or Ed Raburn for guidance on submitting photos for the graduate program. Let's make this day extra special for our grads!

Thursday, May 2 | 7 PM
 Worship Center

The National Day of Prayer is an annual day of observance designated by the United States Congress when people are asked "to turn to God in prayer and meditation."



Giving

STATISTICS (04.07.2024)

Budget Rec'd:	\$ 138,795.04
Budget Req'd:	\$ 93,434.00
To Date Budget Rec'd:	\$ 2,881,061.21
To Date Budget Req'd:	\$ 2,616,152.00
Building Debt:	\$11,661,379.08

IT'S TIME

IT'S TIME RECEIPTS:	\$ 21,423.01
Pledges:	\$ 5,009,529.00
Receipts to Date:	\$ 1,276,683.69

Vitals

IN MEMORY OF:

VELMA THOMPSON
 Beverly Hoover

TRACY KNOX

Winfred & Sue Harrell
 Maxine Cato
 Paul & Margaret Coppage
 Dan & Pam Walden

OPAL ALBRITTON

Wally & Diane McDonald
LETT TOLAR
 Maxine Cato



Our love for God shows in many ways, including how we use the resources He has given us. You can give in the receptacles at each Worship Center entrance, on the church website (FBCPC.com), or through the church app (FBCPC.com/Get-App).

We are not raising children, we are raising adults. Our goal should be to help aim our children right toward the middle of God's will for their lives - whatever that should be. Two important keys and one great result when we ready our children to launch.

1.A mother's _____ vv 1-2

- A. Timothy's mother lived a faith that was contagious and convincing. 2 *Timothy 1:3-5*
- B. Parents, you are still the greatest influence on your children.

You influence them even when you feel like you may have blown it.

1. Say "I'm sorry" often and genuinely.
2. Live for Christ inside the walls of your home.
3. Do not hide your struggles from your children, but let them see that you are seeking the Lord and trusting him even, and especially, in the waiting.
4. More than just taking your kids to church, let them see you genuinely worshipping and growing in your walk with Christ in that setting.
5. More than just challenging your kids to excel in a sport or activity, challenge them to grow in their walk with Jesus most
6. Consider this question, "If Paul came to your house tomorrow, would your son or daughter be considered to go on mission with him?"
7. Tell them that you believe in them and are praying for them and want God's best for them.

2.A mentor's _____ vv 3-4

- A. Paul led Timothy to make the right decisions - all for the sake of the gospel.
- B. Pray that you and your children will be influenced most by those that help to show the big picture for their life. What will that entail?

1. _____.
2. _____.
3. Much _____ in the midst of the challenges.

3.A _____ furthered v 5

- A. Churches were strengthened and more won to Christ daily!
- B. Nothing is more important for us, our children, or our church than doing God's will.

One Step Further

In my walk with Christ I will

1. Say _____ to the will of God for my life.
2. Seek His _____ and _____ to be a godly and humble example of a Christ follower to those closest to me - my family.

In my walk with others I will

3. Seek to be a godly mentor to those God leads to me.
4. Care enough to share and care are enough to listen.
5. Care enough to do what it takes for someone else to come to Christ.

Our Pastor



Dr. Brian Stowe came to First Baptist in 2013. He and his wife Bonnie have four children: Sarah, Hannah, Andrew, and Elizabeth. Pastor Brian earned his Doctorate in Ministry from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. He also holds a Master of Divinity from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from Georgia Institute of Technology.

This Week

SUNDAY 04.14

8, 9 & 10:30 AM | Small Groups

9 & 10:30 AM | Worship Services

8:30 AM | New Members Class | 213

4 PM | Semi-Annual Business Meeting

| Worship Center

MONDAY 04.15

6 PM | REACH | The Commons

WEDNESDAY 04.17

5:15 PM | Kids Choir | 200

6 PM

Preschool

AWANA | Children's Church

Student Ministry | The Landing

6:15 PM

Women's Bible Study | 111-112

Men's Ministry | Mod 2

Adult Classes | Various Locations

Orchestra Rehearsal | Mod 1

6:30 PM

Worship Choir Rehearsal | Worship Center

THURSDAY 04.18

6:30 PM | English Bible Study | (John Foxx)

FRIDAY 04.19

9 AM | Mom's Ministry | 213

9 AM | Women's Bible Study | 111-112

MINISTERIO HISPANO

LOS DOMINGOS:

9 AM | Servicio en Español*

11 AM | Escuela Dominical*

LOS MIERCOLES:

6:15 PM | Estudio Biblico en Español*

* = 105 E. Baker St. (El Aposento Alto)

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"Let the elders who rule well be considered worthy of double honor, especially those who labor in preaching and teaching." 1 Tim 5:17

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