

What's Next on God's Timeline?

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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.



FALL FESTIVAL

OCTOBER 29 🍁 **4:30 - 6:30 PM**

We'll have a free meal for every registered child donated by Johnson's BBQ

We Need Candy!
Donation bins are located in **The Commons**

Register at fbpc.com/events

- Great Music
- Inflatables
- Hay Rides
- Games
- Popcorn



Annual Women's Event

Saturday, November 4 | 2 PM | The Commons
Christmas trees silent auction at 1 PM

Devotional, special music, fashion show, craft demonstration, and wonderful refreshments.
Seating is limited.

Registration \$5 | fbpc.com/events

Kids Choir Concert

Sunday, October 22 | 6 PM | The Commons




This event is almost sold out!
Today is your last chance to buy tickets in The Commons.

November 9

with **Lysa TerKeurst**
and Dr. Joel Muddamalle
with special guest Hope Darst

YOU'RE GOING to MAKE it TOUR

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

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Learn To Defend Your Faith *A new class covering Christian Apologetics begins this Wednesday. Join us at 6:15 PM in room 110.*

IT'S TIME



Gathering for Young Adults Dessert Fellowship

Sunday, October 15 | 4 PM
In The Commons

Come find out why It's Time.
See the plans. Ask the questions.

Childcare is available through grade 2

It's Time prayer week is November 5-12.

To select your one hour time slot, go to fbcpc.com/pray and click on the "sign up" tab.

Vitals

IN MEMORY OF:

GEORGE SELF

*Billy & Pattye Starrett
Susan Eddlemon*

HELEN EVERIDGE

Renee Sparkman

JEANETTE COOPER

Bettye Jean Manee

BARBARA DAMRON

David & Betsy Sparkman

Giving

STATISTICS (10.08.2023)

Budget Rec'd:	\$ 74,777.82	Building Fund Rec'd:	\$ 2,759.00
Budget Req'd:	\$ 93,434.00	Building Debt:	\$12,377,787.82
To Date Budget Rec'd:	\$ 170,562.09		
To Date Budget Req'd:	\$ 186,868.00		



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).

What's next on God's timeline?

- 1. The Rapture of the Church.** *1 Thessalonians 4:13-5:3*
- 2. Tribulation.** (What is taking place on earth) *Revelation 5-18*
- 3. Judgment Seat of Christ.** (What is taking place in heaven while the Tribulation takes place on earth) (*Romans 14:10-12; 2 Corinthians 5:10*)
- 4. Second Coming of Christ.** *Revelation 19:11-21*
- 5. Millennium.** *Revelation 20:4-9*
- 6. Gog and Magog.** *Revelation 20:8-10*
- 7. Great White Throne Judgment.** *Revelation 20:11-15*
- 8. New Heaven and New Earth.** *Revelation 21:1-8*
- 9. Eternity Begins.** Any indications that the rapture may be near?

Four signs:

1. The Sign of Deception.
2. The Sign of Disputes Among Nations.
3. The Sign of Devastation.
4. The Sign of Deliverance Into the Tribulation.

Three challenges:

- 1. _____ ready.**
 - A. That Jesus is returning for His Bride, the Church, is a fact.
 1. The Bible tells us. *1 Thessalonians 4:15-17*
 2. God keeps His promises.
 - B. Are you ready?
- 2. _____ ready.** *Matthew 25:1-13*
 - A. Jesus repeatedly taught about the importance of faithfulness as we await His return.

What does it mean to be alert, to stay ready?

Four ways:

1. To live in such a way that the Lord would be pleased with you.
 2. To long for His return in such a way that He would reward you with a crown.
 3. To love in such a way that the Body of Christ is built up.
 4. To labor in such a way that the Kingdom of God is advanced.
- B. Though our Lord's return may tarry, do not be disheartened or dismayed or distracted.
- 3. _____ others get ready.** *Romans 10:1*
 - A. Paul knew the importance and imperative of being a witness for Christ.
 - B. Our privilege is to share Christ with as many people as possible.

Our Pastor
Dr. Brian Stowe



This Week

SUNDAY 010.08

8, 9 & 10:30 AM | Small Groups

9 & 10:30 AM | Worship Services

4 PM | Ukulele Class | Worship Center

4 PM | Dessert Fellowship | The Commons

MONDAY 10.09

6 PM | REACH | The Commons

TUESDAY 10.10

9 AM | KIT | Mod 3

6:30 PM | Mid-Week | The Landing

WEDNESDAY 10.11

5:15 PM | Kids Choir | 200

6 PM

Preschool

AWANA | Children's Church

Student Ministry | The Landing

Griefshare | Mod 6

6:15 PM

Women's Bible Study | 111-112

Men's Ministry | Mod 2

Core Beliefs for Daily Living | 113-114

Survey of the New Testament | 109

Christian Apologetics | 110

Orchestra Rehearsal | Mod 1

6:30 PM

Worship Choir Rehearsal | Worship Center

THURSDAY 10.12

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

FRIDAY 10.13

9 AM | Women's Bible Study | 111

9 AM | Moms Ministry | 213

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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