

## Pastor's Lines

Dear church family:

I just want to say that we missed you last weekend. We deposited CJ at school and were exhausted upon our return home late Sunday night. I heard reports of a great Sunday service with great music and preaching. Congratulations to the Fontenot boys as they were baptized. It's great to be with you today!!!

Have you seen the first windows? The first windows are installed. What do you think? There is still trim work to do, but the first windows are installed so that we can get an idea of how the project will look upon completion. We are still receiving donations for the project. If you haven't given, now would be a great time to start. You can add a little to your tithe and indicate "windows" for the additional amount. Let's beautify our church!!

I was reading a book on evangelism and mission the other day, and the author was talking about the importance of "good deeds". We are called by the Bible to practice good deeds for our neighbors in need. But, what is the return? Well, here is a thought...good deeds leads to creating good will that leads to good conversations about the good news about Jesus. People matter to God. Let's be pursuing good deeds. It can make an eternal difference in a person's life.

Blessings,  
Dr. j

Ps. Please say a prayer for Molly McSorley today. She is the daughter of a high school friend. She suffered a stroke while swimming. I appreciate you.

Ps. Pray for Marian Cannon as Tommy went to be with the Lord

## Church News

### FOOD DISTRIBUTION MINISTRY

Food Distribution will resume on **Monday, August 21<sup>st</sup> from 3-5pm**. Individuals whose last name falls between **(I-P)** will be served. If you are interested in being involved, you are welcome to participate. Thank you for your prayers and service.



### Free Devotionals on your smart phone or tablet

For those of you who are using the electronic devotionals Devohub, these resources have expanded. Originally this started with the ladies and men's devotionals *Journey* and *Stand Firm* plus the traditional *Open Windows*. They have added the youth or student devotional *Essential Connections* and a devotional called *Family Journey*. This is geared for elementary grade children and parents to do Bible study together at the "family table". If you have not downloaded this app yet, please do when you are on the church campus. [You can sign up for free from this location.](#)

**Step one:** Turn on your "location" service on your device if turned off.

**Step two:** Go to the app store you use and search for Devo Hub.

**Step three:** Download free app.

**Step four:** Click activate.

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However God calls you to give, we are making it simple for you. Give online via our app or website. Setup automatic payments or reminders for when life gets hectic. For more information, or to give online, visit [fbcjennings.com/give](http://fbcjennings.com/give).



Join us September 22 -23 for a women's conference at First Baptist Church Jennings as we focus on transforming into the women God has called us to become. For more information please contact the church office or go to [www.fbcjennings.com](http://www.fbcjennings.com)

*the Deadline is...* Any articles or postings for the Sunday Bulletin need to be in the office by Wednesday.



Articles for the Newsletter need to be in the office by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month.

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### Student Ministry [students.fbcjennings.com](http://students.fbcjennings.com)

Fall schedules have arrived! We are excited to kick off our Wednesday night fall schedule which we will continue 5-7 pm in the Refuge. This year we are working to have dinner provided, message Sarah Laughlin (349-9936) or Sandy Landry (658-3396) to sign up and help provide dinner for our students.

Back to School Youth Lock - In:  
Join us on Friday, August 25th for our back to school Lock- In. This is an all night event from August 25th until Saturday, August 26th. Students will have food, games, worship, a time in God's Word, and time with lots of friends. The cost is \$5 per person. All students must check in upon arrival, and have an emergency contact form completed. We will have the forms when you drop off your student or you can visit the website and download the form.

Mark your calendars for See You at the Pole - September 27.

I look forward to another great school year with your students!  
Derrick Laughlin (356-6334)

To send a prayer need to the prayer chain, e-mail Liz Bollich at [bollich@bellsouth.net](mailto:bollich@bellsouth.net) text or call @ (337) 580-2896.



Sunday, August 20 - Saturday, August 26

**Sunday, August 20:**

9:15 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship  
5:00 p.m. Evening Worship

**Monday, August 21:**

4:30 a.m. FLC Open Exercise/Walking  
3-5 p.m. Food Distribution (I-P)  
6:00 p.m. First Place 4 Health

**Tuesday, August 22:**

4:30 a.m. FLC Open Exercise/Walking

**Wednesday, August 23:**

4:30 a.m. FLC Open Exercise/Walking  
5:00 p.m. Refuge  
6:00 p.m. Choir Practice

**Thursday, August 24:**

4:30 a.m. FLC Open Exercise/Walking

**Friday, August 25:**

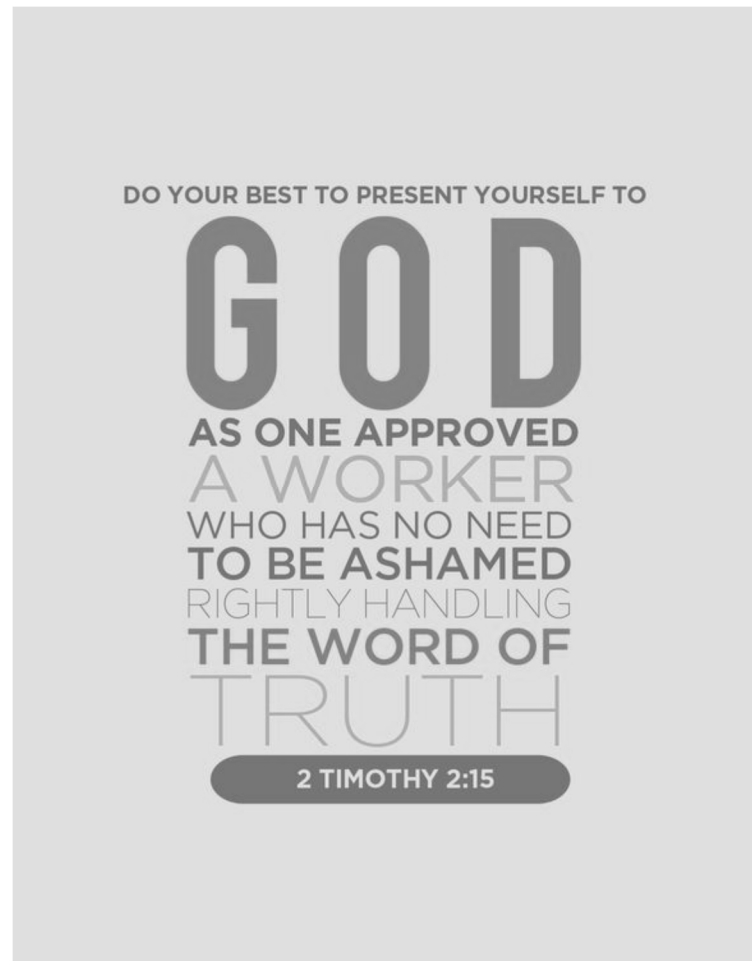
4:30 a.m. FLC Open Exercise/Walking

**Saturday, August 26:**



# Welcome to the worship services of First Baptist Church

Sunday, August 20, 2017



<b>Dr. jeff Cook</b> Pastor	<b>Brian Wells</b> Minister of Education & Sr. Adults	<b>Sean Bean</b> Minister of Music
<b>Derrick Laughlin</b> Youth Leader	<b>Eric Sonnier</b> CC Leader	

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## Morning Worship

*"I'll Fly Away"*

Welcome & Fellowship

*"The Solid Rock"*

*"Everlasting God"*

Scripture Reading & Offering  
Children's Dismissal

*"Cornerstone"*

*"Crown Him"*

Special  
*"Still"*

Sermon Dr. jeff Cook

Invitation  
*"Wherever He Leads I'll Go"*

## Evening Activities

**Evening Worship**  
**5:00 pm**

## Sermon Notes

**We are FREE to Know the Bible**  
**2 Timothy 2:1-11, 15**

When We Know the Bible...

- v. 1 We Can be Strong
- v. 2 We Must Teach Others
- v. 3-7 We WILL Endure Hardship
  - Soldier
  - Athlete
  - Farmer
- v. 8 We FIND Jesus
  - The Gospel Expressed
  - Unchaining the Word
  - Enduring "For Others"

Conclusion  
**2 Timothy 2:15 (NKJV)**

<sup>15</sup> Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

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 Nursery workers for extended session:

August 20 Judy Thomas  
August 27 Tina Goebel

**Window/Door Offering**  
March 19 - Aug. 13 \$29,530 received  
Offerings and pledges will continue to be received throughout the construction period.

**CHURCH FINANCES**  
Monthly Budget Requirements: \$39,993.17  
August 2017 Receipts to Date: \$25,386.00