e are so thankful that you have chosen to worship with us today. If you are visiting let me welcome you and ask that you please fill out a Connection card found in the pew and return it to an usher at some point today. This week is Valentine's Day, which brings good news because—whether single, married, divorced, separated, or any other sort of status—people

can connect to the best kind of love, God's love. Instead of mentioning romance in 1 Corinthians 13, the great love chapter teaches about the love of God: agape love, everlasting love, unconditional love, unselfish love. The Bible teaches that God is love. In the language of mathematics, God = love. In a philosophical sense, God is so wrapped up in love that He is one with love itself. Unlike a lovesick admirer, God does not simply profess His love in words. God proves His love in action. The Bible says, "But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8). Jesus Christ's sacrifice represents the ultimate act of love because it shows God's grace. Christ died in order to bring people closer to God. Billy Graham says, "The fact that God is love does not mean that everything is sweet, beautiful and happy and that God's love could not possibly allow punishment for sin. God's holiness demands that all sin be punished, but God's love provided a plan of redemption and salvation for sinful people. "The Bible says, "If I give all I possess to the poor and surrender my body to the flames, but have not love, I gain nothing" (1 Corinthians 13:3). In speaking of love, 1 Corinthians 13 challenges people to do everything out of love, specifically the kind of love that God has shown through Jesus. Love is the motive. That means loving friends, enemies, neighbors, co-workers, spouses, children, parents, and even strangers with the merciful and selfless love that comes from God. What a great challenge!

For His Glory, Pastor Justin



Hershel Runions and his family on the death of his wife, Virginia "Ginger" Runions

Shelia Ward and her family on the death of her mother, Rose Clark. Virginia Smithson and her family on the death of her brother-in-law.



On Tuesday, February 20, a group will be leaving the church at 6:00 PM to go to South Fulton Baptist Church to hear evangelist, Junior Hill in their revival. Sign up at the Welcome Center or call Jeff Ross 731-446-7834.

Come visit our Welcome Center! There you will find information on events, sign-up sheets, items for purchase such as coffee mugs, devotional books (for adults and children), books by Dr. Gregory Frizzell, and if you have misplaced your Bible or other items, you may find it here.

Weekly bulletins may be viewed by visiting: www.secondbaptistuc.com and clicking on Resources, Weekly Bulletin then the lines to the right of the page.



FINANCIAL MATTERS

Online giving is now available. To give online, visit www.secondbaptistuc.com and click on the tab at the top (Giving). Simple instructions are located in the middle of the page. You may give a one-time gift or set up regularly scheduled offerings from your checking account.

2018 Offering envelopes have been put back on the table next to the Welcome Center. If you have not picked up your envelopes, please do so as soon as possible. They will be there for the next two weeks only. Contribution statements for 2017 were mailed Wednesday, January 31. If you do not receive yours by the middle of the month, and need it, please call the church office.



BACKPACK PROGRAM

The local schools' Backpack Program, which provides food for at risk children on weekends and school holidays, is in need of help. Under the leadership of our WInGS group, Second Baptist Church is "adopting" a local elementary school for the rest of the school year. Items needed: Pop Tarts, instant oatmeal, 14.5 oz. cans of ravioli, spaghetti, etc. with

pop tops, instant mac & cheese cups, microwave popcorn, fruit snacks, pudding or applesauce cups, Yoo-Hoo drinks, juice boxes or Gatorade (small size, no glass), cheese and crackers, and cereal bars. Monetary donations may be given to Shelly Arnett or Lorraine Gossett. Bring items any Sunday during February and place them at the display located on the left side of the sanctuary stage.



YOUNG AT HEART LUNCH

Tuesday, February 13 • Wall Street Grill, Humboldt Bus leaves at 10:30 AM. Sign up at the Welcome Center.

NURSING HOME

Wednesday, February 14 • 2:00 PM •OC Nursing Home



LADIES NIGHT OUT

Friday, March 9 • Chapel Hill Baptist Church, Milan 7:00 PM (Doors open 6:15 PM)
Church bus will leave Second Baptist at 4:45 PM.

Be sure to eat before you come.

Tickets have been purchased. If you turned in your name and have not paid for your ticket, please do so as soon as possible. Tickets are \$24 and checks can be

made to Second Baptist and turned in to the church office.

MISSIONS

Africa: Randi Lynn McBride

Randi Lynn's blog: itiswell994.wordpress.com/ Asia: Chad, Leslie, Joeli, Eden & Phoebe Segraves India: Pastor Needi & Esther



Monday-Saturday, March 5-10 • Lumberton, Texas Project: hanging and finishing sheet rock

If interested, please sign up at the Welcome Center or contact Jeff Ross 731-446-7834, Sam Stephens 731-335-0286 or Maurice Carroll 731-592-0587.



Tonight • 7:00 PM • Conference Room We ask that you pray for the Phase 3 Committee as they meet to evaluate and recommend plans for the future of the church campus.



UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS

March 2-4 ● DNOW with Acton Bowen and TruStory \$25/student ● Sign up in the Upper Room

May 30-June 4 • Student Life Camp • Talladega, AL Grades 6-8 • \$300

June 18-22 • Global Camp • Chatsworth, GA Grades 9-12 • \$285

May 20 • Graduate's Day • 10 pictures on CD or jump drive are due by April 29 (HS) and May 6 (College). Lunch for graduates and immediate family will be held in the Fellowship Hall following the morning service.

BREAKING FREE

Join us tonight at 6:00 PM for a new study on Breaking Free. In a world of darkness, sin and temptation, how do we walk in freedom? Discover the steps to breaking out of spiritual bondage and walking in God's marvelous light.



Monday	February 12	Exodus 39-40
Tuesday	February 13	Leviticus 1-4
Wednesday	February 14	Leviticus 5-7
Thursday	February 15	Leviticus 8-10
- -riday	February 16	Leviticus 11-13
Saturday	February 17	Leviticus 14-15
Sunday	February 18	Leviticus 16-18



10:15 AM

WORSHIP

PRELUDE TO WORSHIP

"The Lily of the Valley"

SONGS OF PRAISE

"The Lily of the Valley" "Sing to the King!"

MUSICAL PRAISE

"Mighty Savior" Medley Worship Choir

PRAYER AND PRAISE

WELCOME TO FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Children's Church Dismissal (K-2nd Grade)

SONGS OF PRAISE

"Forever

"Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)" "I Love to Tell the Story"

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

Deacon of the Week—Richard Arnold

SPECIAL MUSIC

"His Life for Mine" Wendy Tate

MESSAGE

Love: More Than Words

TIME OF DECISION "Just As I Am"

CLOSING CHORUS

"We Will Stand"

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Sunday, February 11

9:15 AM: Life Groups 10:15 AM: Worship

4:30 PM: Children's Choir • Children's Wing 5:00 PM: Middle School Choir • Choir Room 6:00 PM: Preschool Choir • Children's Wing 6:00 PM: Little Hands of God • Children's Wing

6:00 PM: Worship

7:00 PM: Phase 3 Committee Meeting

Conference Room

7:20-8:30 PM: Signs of Wonder • Fellowship Hall

Monday, February 12

7:00 PM: New Beginnings • Choir Room

Wednesday, February 14

2:00 PM: Nursing Home Visitation • OC Nursing Home

5:00-5:45 PM: Supper • Fellowship Hall

5:15-6:00 PM: Bible Drillers • Grades 4-6 • Sanctuary 6:00 PM: Prayer Meeting • Fellowship Hall

6:00 PM: C H A O S • Grades 6-12 • Upper Room

6:00 PM: RAs, GAs & Mission Friends • Children's Wing 7:10-8:30 PM: Worship Choir • Choir Room

Thursday, February 15

Week of February 4

Designated Offering

Budget Actual

Journey of Faith

Budget Goal

Lottie Moon

Year-To-Date

Budget Actual

Budget Goal

Lottie Moon

Journey of Faith

6:30 AM: Men's Prayer Breakfast • Fellowship Hall 9:00 AM: Bag Ladies • Fellowship Hall

USHERS Luke Lannom

Mark Hazlewood **Bradley Harris** Henry Inmon

Steve Beachum Jonathon Brown

Steven Crews

Dennis Mires Michael Cole

Stevie Brown

H.B. Dodd

PRESCHOOL VOLUNTEERS Bed Babies

Jeff, Jessica & Jill Caldwell One's

Mary Nell Roberson, Vickie Robinson

Two's

Pandy Phillips, Janice Huey

Three's DeAnna Bell, Carolyn Dickson

Four's

Joni Williams, Ronda Brewer Floater

Kim Watts

Wednesday Supper • February 14 • 5:00-5:45 PM • \$4 Adults/\$3 Kids (Under 10)

Spaghetti • Green Beans • Slaw • Roll • Dessert Reservations must be made/cancelled no later than Tuesday 4:00 PM.

CHURCH GIVING

\$ 32,689.47 \$ 30,975.21

\$ 3,864.50

\$ 7,654.17

\$ 698,821.36

\$ 712,429.83

\$ 106,330.67

\$ 25,671.00

10.00

CHURCH GROWTH

Life Groups (2/4/18) Gospel Conversations(2/4/18) 6 *Salvations YTD 89 Baptisms YTD 20 Membership YTD 20

> *All professions of faith through direct church ministry and missions. YTD 9/1/17-8/31/18

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