

Calendar Events Church and Community

December

- 1st Washington Christmas Parade - 10:00AM
- 2nd Christmas Dinner 6:00PM. Get tickets for your family asap. Available at various times and places. FLC, Media Center, Welcome Center & Office
- *No Breakfast Sunday morning, December 2nd, due to Christmas Dinner preparations. Thank you!*
- 9th Christmas Festival Concert - 6:00PM
- 16th Christmas Caroling and Dinner - 4:00PM
- 23rd No Evening Activities
- 24th Christmas Eve Candlelight Worship - 5:30PM
- 30th One Worship Service - 11:00AM

First Baptist Church's Relay 4 Life team (Christ Crusaders 4A Cancer Cure) will be honoring the memory of Susan Connard this year. Susan was a member of our team last year and a spirit filled friend to all she knew.

Mark Your Calendars for our Upcoming Fundraisers:

- ◆ **This Sunday, November 18th: Bake Sale in FLC (Baked goods, casseroles and much more)**
- ◆ Sunday, **February 10th:** Bake Sale in FLC
- ◆ Sunday, **March 2nd:** Yard Sale in FLC (Please hold donations until after Christmas)

Youth Progressive Dinner

Friday, Dec. 7th and Saturday, Dec. 8th

7th grade - College students invited

pick a date by signing up on the Youth Bulletin Board.

Bus will leave church at 5pm

Calendar Events For the Week of November 18

Sunday Morning, Nov. 18

- Relay 4 Life ~ Bake Sale/ Casserole
- 8:30 AM Worship
- 9:15 AM Continental Breakfast
- 9:45 AM Bible Study
- 11:00 AM Worship

Sunday Evening, Nov. 18

- 3:15PM Adult Handbells
- 4:30PM Youth Choir Practice
- 5:30PM Snack Supper
Youth & Children
- 6:00PM Experiencing God Study
*Adults, Youth 7-12, Children
4-6th & Nursery 3yr. - birth*
- 6:00PM Recovering the Power of
Prayer in the Sanctuary

Wednesday Nov. 21

No Evening Activities

Thursday, Nov. 22 & Friday, Nov. 23

Happy Thanksgiving!
Church Office Closed

Sunday Evening, Nov. 25
No Sunday Evening Activities

Wednesday Night Supper/Fellowship

No Meal on November 21st
Happy Thanksgiving!

Manager's Choice / November 28th

Please sign up by Tuesday at Noon!

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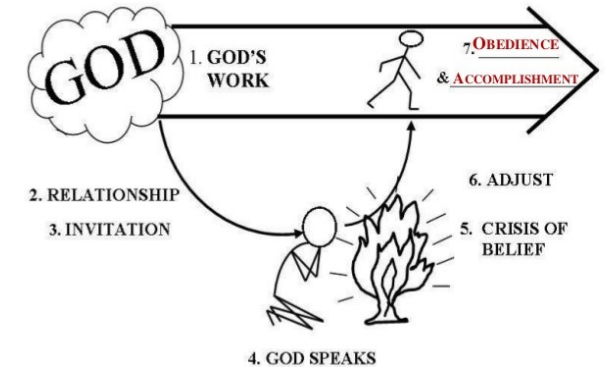
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Seven Realities of Experiencing God Celebration

Sunday, November 18th

8:30 and 11:00 Worship Services

Our church-wide Bible Study on Experiencing God is coming to a close but will not be forgotten.

Sunday, November 18th, our morning worship will be full of worship, testimonies, and thankfulness. On the evening of November 18th, the Sunday Night Bible Study groups will have their last gathering.

Christmas Dinner

Sunday, December 2, 6:00pm

No BREAKFAST on this day due preparations

The church family has traditionally shared a Christmas dinner together with all the great holiday foods and some fun entertainment. We look forward to fellowshiping together again this year! Every year the deacons fine tune and tweak ways to feed increasingly large numbers of people with limited facilities. It is a challenge, but they do a wonderful job. This year we have another added challenge and opportunity to be gracious hosts, but it requires us to think outside the box. We will still have VA Baptists on site and space will be a little more limited. This year the number of people that can be accommodated in the FLC will be determined and then we will sell that number of tickets. Tickets will be on a first come basis so get your tickets early. Conditions require thinking a little differently this year, but we will still have our Christmas dinner.

CHRISTMAS DINNER TICKETS

Tickets are selling fast, get your tickets asap!

Church Office - Mon. - Thurs. 8am-4pm / Fri. 8am-12noon

Wed Nights - FLC & Media Center

Sun Morning - FLC, Media Center and Welcome Center

Sun Evening - Welcome Center

Large Dinner \$8 - Small Dinner \$5

Children 4 & under - meal provided in the Nursery

Widows & Senior Singles Brunch

Thursday, December 13th in the FBC ~

Family Life Center, 9:30AM to 11:00 AM

Please sign up outside the church office by December 12th



GOOD NEWS. GREAT JOY.

Many thanks to all who helped support the ministry of Operation Christmas Child for 2018. We are grateful for those who purchased shoebox items, hand made items, gave money for shipping, packed shoeboxes and prayed over the shoeboxes. I also want to thank the Washington High School Key Club for helping me to order shoebox items at a discounted price. This ministry requires many hands to help the shoeboxes reach children around the world. Some additional thanks to Acteens for folding the shoeboxes, the GA's for helping sort and take tags off of the items and the Challengers for loading up the shoeboxes and taking them to Harvest Church. Please continue to pray for the shoeboxes as they begin their journey to the hands of precious children.

We packed a little over 300 shoeboxes this year and we were able to cover the shipping costs for 100 of those boxes!

FBC will be in the Washington Christmas Parade on Saturday, December 1st and we want everyone to join in! We are going to continue with our Operation Christmas Child theme. If you have a costume that matches a Shoebox item, please contact Joy. (Example: toothbrush, rubix cube, paper, crayon, dolls, etc.) Or you can wear your FBC t-shirt!

Date: Saturday, December 1st

Parade Time: 10:00am

Meet at FBC at 9:00am under the covered entrance or meet us on the waterfront.

**CHRISTMAS
PARADE**

Cookies, Cookies, Cookies, we need lots of Cookies!

Please signup to make cookies for the Widows & Senior Singles Brunch. We need them brought to the church by Wednesday night, December 12th.

Serving the Week of November 18th

Nursery Workers - Joan Harris, Beth Coats, Lisa Silva, Patty Lewis, Stan & Julie Edwards (Sun. or Wed. Night), Karen Moore (Sun. or Wed. Night)

NO Children's Church - worship bags will be provided

Ushers - Stan Edwards, Keith Mitchell, Kevin Mitchell, Kelly Spivey

Coffee Break Team - Connell Purvis, Alan Hill, Robert Gautier, Jimmy & Debbie Harris, Danny Swain, Tom Anglim, Bill Moore, Matt Renfrow

Deacon of the Week - Paula Jacques

Deacon Team Members - Jerry Blair, Wesley Adams

FBC ~T-Shirts

**FOR
SALE**

Come by the **Media Center** and purchase your FBC t-shirt. Be sure to wear your shirt for VBS, Trunk or Treat, parades, other group outings or outreach events.

2T - 4T / YXS - YL/Adult S - 4XL \$10 EACH

Financial Report for

November 11, 2018

YTD Budget Requirement (WK 6)	\$	73,369.92
YTD Budget Receipts	\$	64,821.61
Budget-Over/ <u>Under</u>	\$	8,548.31
Weekly Budget Requirement	\$	<u>12,228.32</u>
Actual Budget Offering	\$	9,787.40
First South Loan	\$	1,097,841.81
Loan Balance	\$	183,431.12
Widow's Mite Receipts	\$	2,403,746.51