



First Baptist Church West Columbia

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BAPTIST WOMEN'S DAY

Sunday February 17

in morning worship

Guest Speaker: May Dixon

retired IMB Missionary to Peru

Women of our church will be leading

in our worship service as

well as filling the choir.

Missions Groups will be recognized.

Don't miss this special service.

CHARLTON BOZARD
MUSIC/ADULT ACTIVITIES

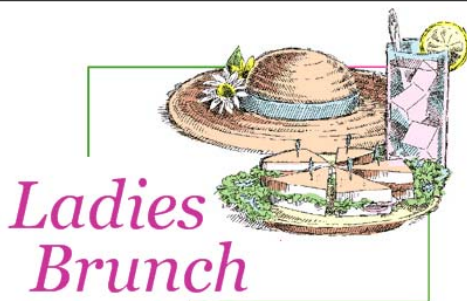
REN BRAY
EDUCATION/YOUTH
MINISTRIES

DR. LONNIE SHULL
PASTOR EMERITUS



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Ladies Brunch

*For all women and girls
of First Baptist Church*

*Saturday, February 16
11 a.m. Burriss Hall*

*Guest Speaker:
Melanie Ratcliffe*

*Bring canned goods to be donated
for hunger needs in our area.*

Sunday

9:30 am Library open
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Morning Worship
5:30 pm Library open
6:00 pm Evening Worship

Wednesday

5:30 Supper/ Library open
6:00 pm Children/Youth
Activities start
6:30 pm Prayer Meeting
7:30 pm Sanctuary Choir



February 10-17



...has long been recognized as a vital ministry in Southern Baptist churches. Established as an auxiliary to the Convention, it's initial task was to raise money for missionary support. It has grown into an organization that provides mission education for all ages of the church, as well as opportunities for Bible Study, Prayer, and Mission Action.

Our church has had a long history of Mission Involvement and an active WMU. Listed below are our current leaders. Remember these ladies in your prayers this week and throughout the year as they provide leadership in this great task and important ministry.

WMU Director: Joyce Crider

Women-On-Mission Facilitator: Evelyn Dunlap

Church wide Mission Coordinator: Brenda Brown

GROUP LEADERS

Gertrude Ross Group: Mayo Bryant

Mildred Taylor Prayer Group: Joyce Crider

Josephine Hair Group: Grace Shepherd

Martha Hawthorne Group: Brenda Hyatt

Faith In Action: Dina Taylor

Girls In Action: Cheryl Simpson, Julie Barfield

Mission Friends

Babies: Wanda Gunter, Dawn Kimura

2-3 year-olds: Sallie Bozard

4-5 year-olds: Allison Jeffcoat, Marie Broadwater,
Rachel Simpson



DEACON ORDINATION SERVICE

Sunday, February 17 6:00 p.m.

We will ordain Rich Wandover to the Deacon Ministry.
Join us for this special service.



Notes of appreciation received from the following and are posted on the bulletin board outside the church office:

The Ratcliffe family

The Hope Bridge Gang

The family of Thomas Merchant

MEMORIALS

For Such A Time As This

In memory of Marie Nichols

Given by: The In Home Ministry, Mrs. Cornelia Hutto, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Cox, Mr. John D. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Fowler, Mrs. Princa Wright

In memory of Mr. Thomas Merchant

Given by: The In Home Ministry

In memory Mrs. Mildred Taylor

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Eric Fowler

In memory of Mrs. Evelyn Brown

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Waldrop,
Mr. and Mrs. Eric Fowler

In memory of Mrs. Mildred Swindler

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Clyde Blackburn

LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING

In memory of Mrs. Marie Nichols

Given by: The Dorcas Love Class,
Rev. & Mrs. Lonnie Shull, Esther and Lena Mooneyhan,
Mrs. Miriam King, Sue Shealy

In memory of Mr. Thomas Merchant

Given by: Mrs. Miriam King

In memory of Mrs. Evelyn Brown

Given by: Mrs. Joyce Crider

PURE WATER, PURE LOVE

In memory of Mrs. Evelyn Brown

Given by: Mrs. Iris Wellborn

HONORARIUM

PURE WATER, PURE LOVE

In Honor of Mrs. Cora Lee Sribnick

Given by: Mrs. Mildred Wood

MEN'S MINISTRY NEWS!!



Friday, February 15
8:00 a.m.

Colonial Restaurant

(on Old Two Notch Road next to
the Lexington Baptist Association office)

All men are invited!

TUESDAY MORNING PRAYER TIME

Don't forget to come join us each Tuesday morning for a devotion and prayer time. We have a wonderful time of fellowship... come on over and join us.

Lee Matthews
Men's Ministry



**LADIES
YOUR TURN IS HERE!!**

Sunday, February 17

As part of Baptist Women's Day, a Women's Choir will sing in morning worship. You all are invited to meet in the choir loft at 9:30 a.m. and/or the choir room at 10:40 a.m. to rehearse for the service. We will sing something familiar (just like the guys did), so don't be afraid to join us!! Make you plans now!

**LITTLE WOMEN
NEWBERRY OPERA HOUSE**

Monday, February 18

Our group includes folks from Green Hill and Broadacres Baptist Churches.

Departure time is 1:30 p.m. The show is at 3.



Thursday, February 21
Guest Speakers:
Jody and Melanie Ratcliffe

Jody and Melanie will be sharing pictured and testimonies from their three years of missionary service in Russia. Join us for this special presentation!

Charlton

CHURCH COUNCIL NOTICE!

Church Council will meet on **Sunday, February 24 at 5 p.m.** Please note this change of date and plan to attend.

Sunday, February 17
at First Baptist Church
Morning Worship - Baptist Women's Day
May Dixon, retired missionary

Deacon Ordination Service
6:00 p.m.
"God's Special Servant"
Pastor Emeritus Lonnie Shull



The First Baptist Church Family and Staff extend Christian love and sympathy to:
... Glenn Duke and his family in the loss of his aunt, Mary Duke of Manning, SC.



**LIGHTHOUSE
STUDENT MINISTRIES**

WHAT is "GROUNDED at the PAVILION"?

By now you may have seen our students wearing t-shirts or giving out cards with the slogan "grounded at the pavilion". The fact that you are asking about this already shows that this is working. For the longest time it has bothered me that many students in our area do not know Jesus and will not set foot in a church for any reason. These students are lost and we must become creative to reach them. No matter what new programs we offer within the church they will not come. The Pavilion Coffee House is owned and operated by a wonderful Christian man and his family. They are located across the street from Brookland-Cayce High School. They serve great food and drinks and try to support our local ministries. Because they are across the street from the high school, many students hang out there and consider other local churches and decided that we should take our ministry to these students instead of waiting on them to come to us. Every Wednesday from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. we meet with other local churches and have a time of worship and fellowship together. We encourage our students to wear their t-shirts to school on Wednesdays and use this opportunity to invite other students. We believe that our students will develop relationships with these students and eventually invite them to come to church on Sunday. This is relational evangelism at its best.

Please pray for this ministry and let me know if you would like to become involved. In His Grip, *D. Dy*



Easter Lilies

This year, you will have the opportunity to place Easter lilies in the church in honor or memory of a loved one. The cost is \$12.50. Please complete this form and return it to the church by Sunday, March 9. Forms will also be available at sanctuary entrances.

_____ Number of lilies

In honor of _____

In memory of _____

Given by _____

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE

February 17-23, 2008

Sunday, February 17

- 9:30 to 9:45 a.m. B P Screening
- 9:30 a.m. Library Open
Ladies Choir in Sanctuary
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
Baptist Women's Day
- 4:00 p.m. Finance Committee
Polity Committee
- 5:00 p.m. Deacon's Meeting
- 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship
Deacon Ordination

Monday, February 18

- 1:30 p.m. Depart for Newberry Opera House and *Little Women*

Tuesday, February 19

- 8:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Time
- 9:00 a.m. Life Exercise

Wednesday, February 20

- 4:30 p.m. Piece Makers
- 5:30 p.m. Supper
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Lighthouse
- 6:00 p.m. Children's Choirs
- 6:30 p.m. Missions Friends Birth—2
- 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting
Church Conference
- 6:45 p.m. Missions Friends 3,4 & 5
- 6:45 p.m. RA's & GA's
- 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, February 21

- 9:00 a.m. Life Exercise
- 11:00 a.m. Best Yet to Come

VITAL SIGNS

February 3, 2008

Sunday School	181
In-Home	21
Helping Hands	73
National Health Care	23
Total in Bible Study	298

SPECIAL MINISTRIES

February 10, 2008

HEALTH MINISTRY

Brenda Brown

EXT. TEACHING CARE

Coordinator: Renee Shaffer

11:00 a.m. Worship

Babies and Ones

Nick and Jill Zueger
Betty Threatt

Twos and Threes

Ann and Larry Brown

SOUND

Rich Wandover

SUNDAY SCHOOL GREETERS

Snyder Building

Dorothy Thompson, Ruby Clamp

Burriss Building

Rich and Melissa Wandover

Front Lower Level

Andrew & Colette Hutto

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**DATED
MATERIAL
DO NOT DELAY!**



**Pray for These
Hospitalized
Members:**

Providence Hospital

Andrew Hutto

as of Tuesday,
February 12

Milford Taylor has moved to Heartland
of Lexington on Sunset Blvd.

**REMEMBER OUR
TRANSITION
COMMITTEE
IN PRAYER**

- Bob Hazel
- Jack Hill
- Len Hill
- Bob Price
- Greg Shepherd
- Terry Smith

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER

Served from 5:30-6:00 p.m. in Burriss Hall
Deadline for reservations and cancellations
is noon Monday.



- February 20**
- Roast Beef
- Rice/Gravy
- Green Beans
- Rolls and Dessert

Adults (10 & Up) \$4.00 Children (5-9) \$3.00
Children 4 & under FREE

Pray every day for our church!