



How your gifts equip North American Missionaries

\$5 Bus fare for travel in the local community

\$25 Meal with an unreached person

\$85 Subscriptions for training resources

\$100 Anniversary gift for a missionary couple

\$175 Laundromat fees for a family of four

\$300 Training and conferences for a church planter's wife

Pray about how God would have you give.

Our Church Goal:

\$5,000

FROM THE DESK OF *Pastor Rich...*

There is a wonderful spirit in our church. God is at work and the spirit of joy and expectation permeates all that is happening.

*. The work on the sanctuary is moving forward. **YOU will be one of the first to know** when we will be able to meet back there for worship.

*. God is adding to His church. We are grateful for **those who have been saved** and are awaiting baptism. They will be some of the first to be baptized in the sanctuary. If you know of ones who should be included, let us know so we can visit about salvation, the profession of faith, and the preparation for the baptism.

*. The **Pastor Search Committee** is moving ahead with necessary steps for the discovery and calling of our new pastor. Please pray for the committee and our new pastor now.

*. The **Nominating Committee** is amazing as they are enlisting persons desiring to serve on our committees.

*. The response to our **Contact Ministry** has been astounding. Persons making the contact and those receiving the contact are testifying to God's blessing. Take a contact form from the tray on the counter in the worship area.

*. Our focus is prayer. **"50 Days of Transforming Prayer"** is God's tool to keep us on track during these days in seeking Him. Please participate each day with the rest of our church members by using our prayer calendar and do not miss one message on the Lord's Prayer on Sundays from now until Easter.

What a joy you are to Kay and me. It is a privilege for us to serve alongside you in our church.

I read and follow the newsletters, social media, and leadership guidance of many accomplished Southern Baptist leaders and thinkers. These include Chuck Lawless and Thom Rainer. In Rainer's latest Church Answers email I received, he was promoting a webinar on discipleship and made some profound statements that are worthy of repeating. Rainer said, "discipleship is the most ambiguous word in the church today." I whole heartedly agree with him. He goes on to say that discipleship includes a process and an established goal that is measurable. In our ministries here at FBC Lynn

Haven we have always established goals and evaluated our progress, and we will continue to do so as proactive leaders in the future. Discipleship is the catalyst for kingdom growth and Jesus made it his priority. In fact, one of his last commands (imperative) to his followers (disciples) was to "go and make disciples" (**Matthew 28:19**). Jesus invested in the lives of his followers who became disciples making disciples! Our staff and lay leaders are paving the way for this process in obedience to our Lord's command. The deacon body will be working with our Connection Group Teachers to model a discipleship

process. Our Student Ministry has a discipleship process, our College Ministry has a discipleship process, and several of our Connection Groups already facilitate a discipleship process. The process is simple: establish a relationship, read and study God's word together, serve on missions together, share the gospel with others together, fellowship together, and minister to those in need together. Then, duplicate the process. My challenge to our local body of believers is to follow the leadership and do the same (**1 Corinthians 11:1 Imitate me, then, just as I imitate Christ**). Join a Connection Group this week

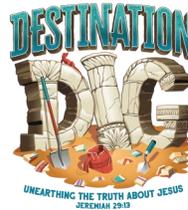


and grow as a disciple so that you can begin making disciples. See you this week!

Ephesians 4:1-6
Growing Together in Unity
Pastor Grady



Vacation Bible School: Destination Dig June 6th-10th from 5:30-8:00 p.m. Pack your bags and grab your gear, VBS 2021 is headed to present-day Israel where an epic adventure of discovery awaits. Discover long-hidden treasures, amazing finds, and exciting evidence that proves biblical events were not just stories. They really happened. At Destination Dig, kids will unearth more than just dirt. They'll discover real-life archaeological finds that have helped to uncover the truth about Jesus. Stories from the Bible will leap off the pages as kids explore where Jesus walked and examine artifacts that bring the world of the Bible to life. As junior archaeologists, kids will study tangible pieces of the past to learn the truth about who Jesus is and why He came. Along the way they'll discover the truth of Jeremiah 29:13 that God reveals Himself to us when we seek and search for Him with all our hearts. Please contact me at 850-624-4913 if you would like to volunteer.



Easter Egg Hunt

Our annual Easter Egg Hunt will be on Saturday, March 27th from 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. at A.L. Kinsaul Park 146 W. 5th St. Lynn Haven, FL 32444. Cookies and Punch will be served after the egg hunt. All nursery families, K - 5th grade families and visitors are welcome. ***Easter Egg Hunt will be rescheduled if there is bad weather.

Joyfully, *Leanne Krohne* Children's Minister



Notes from the Music Stand

It was exciting last month as FBC Lynn Haven's new grand piano was delivered. It was fascinating how it came in a box!

We all look forward to hearing and seeing it played, especially in a worship service! We have come along way. I remember this time a year ago we were pressing forward with our combined Easter Program. Worship Choir had been meeting for practice at Mosley High School but had just begun meeting on the church campus for practice on Wednesdays in the Glass Room. Finally! It was

a tight fit! Of course, we know what happened next in March. It was the COVID pandemic. But take heart and listen to this from "The Church Triumphant" by Bill & Gloria Gaither: "God has always had a people...Many a foolish conqueror has made the mistake of thinking that because he had forced the church of Jesus Christ out of sight, he had stilled its voice and snuffed out its life. But God has always had a people! The powerful current of a rushing river is not diminished because it is forced to flow underground; the purest water is the stream that bursts crystal clear into the sunlight after it has forced its way through solid

rock!....There have been times of affluence and prosperity when the Church's message has been nearly diluted into oblivion by those who sought to make it socially attractive, neatly organized, and financially profitable. It has been gold-plated, draped in purple, and encrusted with jewels. It has been misrepresented, ridiculed, lauded and scorned. These followers of Jesus Christ have been, according to the whim of the times, elevated as sacred leaders, and martyred as heretics, ...yet through it all there marches on that powerful army of the meek, God's chosen people, who cannot be bought, flattered, murdered, or stilled!

On through the ages they march. The Church, God's Church Triumphant, alive and well!" I tell you, God's people at First Baptist Lynn Haven are alive and well! The church is alive and well! God is working! Busy parents cast your cares on Jesus, there is rest in the Lord and the church is alive. Old saints, you are not alone and forgotten. Young adults and students, you are not alone in serving the Lord! Thank you, church, for SHINING through!

In His Service,
Pastor Daniel

Wednesday Activities



FBCLH Children's Building



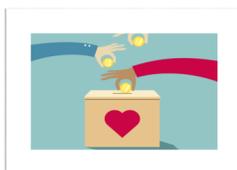
This special prayer emphasis for our entire church will be through April 4. Each church member can follow a daily calendar which includes a Scripture reading and specific prayer request. Imagine....every one of our church members praying the same prayer on the same day. Powerful! It will change your life and will change our church.

Our preaching series will be focused each Sunday on one of the petitions of the Lord's Prayer from Jesus. Matthew 6:5-13

Plan now to participate.

February 2021

Giving Totals



General Fund:	\$46,403.87
BFF Year to Date:	\$9,881.00
BFF Feb. Contributions:	\$7,360.00

Does not include Feb. 28 data.



- 2 - Verda Locke
- 3 - Beverly Demmerly
Mary Ann Cannon
- 4 - Mary Ruth McDonald
Butch Argenbright
Mystie Harper
- 5 - Michael Thompson
- 6 - Joyce Maynor
Hannah Blaich
Adam Warren
Gwen Soltis

- 7 - Anna Grace Krohne
- 8 - Violet Blount
Larry Headrick
Greg O'Neal
Katrina Hagler
- 9 - Billy Nale
Rebecca Skipper
Avery Adkison
- 10 - Patty Gano
- 11 - Carol Gray
Nan Pitman
Anne Ramsey
- 12 - Angel Pitts
- 13 - Lora Todd
Roman Massey
Desirae Lingafelter
- 14 - Cole Galbreath
- 16 - Maxine Mann
Bill Covington

- 17 - Marilyn Dykes
April Isenberg
Nikolai Hagler
- 19 - Ruth Spradley
Lester Oswalt
- 20 - Celia Massey
Kaitlyn Sorrells
- 21 - India Hagler
- 24 - Stan Strickland
- 25 - Randy Holt
- 26 - Eric Isenberg
- 27 - Wendy Mines
- 29 - Shelly Blaich
- 30 - Kay Lanford



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Hope Phan.....Church Secretary

Susan Covington.....Financial Secretary

Paul Durden.....Pianist

Terry Bryant.....Building & Grounds Supervisor

Your Child and Conversion

A guide to help parents lead their
children to faith in Christ



A Helpful Booklet now Available

We have available a booklet by our
Pastor entitled: "Your Child and
Conversion: A Guide to help parents
lead their children to faith in Christ"

Sections include (1). How to counsel children;
(2). Your Child's Salvation; (3). Follow Up, and
(4). Baptism.

Parents, children's workers, grandparents,
anyone(!), please get a copy. These are
available on the desk in the worship area,
online at the church website, in the church
office, and in the Children's area.