

## Ministries at Fellowship

Army of the Lord Youth Choir  
Army of the Lord Youth Group  
Busing for Jesus  
Children's Mid-Week Bible Study  
Children's Worship—Grades 1-6  
Wee Church—Preschool  
Nursery—Infants & Toddlers  
Deaf & Hearing Impaired  
FLAMES Puppet/Mime Ministry  
FBC Web Site  
Greeters  
Health Care Sunday School  
River Oaks Place  
Missions  
Monthly Newsletter  
Quilters  
WLIL Radio Broadcast  
AM 730 on Sundays at 1:00 P.M.  
Secret Pals  
Senior Saints  
Shut-Ins  
Visitation  
Widows 1st Sunday @ 4:30 P.M.



### Weekly Opportunities of Service & Worship

#### Sunday

Sunday School at  
River Oaks Place.....9:00AM  
Sunday School.....9:45AM  
Morning Worship.....11:00AM  
Children's Worship &  
Wee Church.....11:00AM  
WLIL Radio Broadcast  
AM 730 .....1:00PM  
Evening Worship.....6:00PM

#### Wednesday

Mid-Week Bible Study...7:00PM  
AOL Youth Bible Study.7:00PM  
Children's Awana Bible Club  
(September-May).....6:30PM

#### Saturday

Bus Ministry Visitation..9:00AM



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concerning the newsletter, please call me  
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# Fellowship News



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Keith Price, Pastor

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## Awana CLUBS

Kick-Off & Registration  
at Lenoir City Pool

Wednesday, August 19  
6:00 - 8:00 P.M.

(See Angela Keathley if you have questions.)



Awana Bible Club  
classes begin  
Wednesday, August 26  
6:30 - 8:00 P.M.

**A**pproved  
**W**orkmen  
**A**re  
**N**ot  
**A**shamed

Watch for the  
Theme Night Calendar  
and more information online at  
[WWW.fellowshipbaptistic.org](http://WWW.fellowshipbaptistic.org).

Read more about the  
Awana program at  
[WWW.awana.org](http://WWW.awana.org).

II Timothy 2:15

The following thank you card has been received.

June 23, 2009

To: Members of Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church:

On behalf of the Gainesboro Church of Christ, we wish to thank you for the contribution you made as a memorial for Helen Forkum. We will deposit this into our benevolent fund per the family's request. We can assure you that this will be used for a worthy cause as we have so many requests for financial help since the economy crisis.

Again, many thanks to you for your contribution.

In Christ,  
GAINESBORO CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Elders:  
John R. Fox  
Gary Gill

### Knee-Mail Prayer Ministry

Bro. James Craig receives and sends out requests for prayer by email.

If you would like to join this e-prayer ministry send Bro. James an email requesting to be included on the Knee-Mail list.

Email: [jcarlcraig@aol.com](mailto:jcarlcraig@aol.com)

### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



By Baptism: Jamakas McClellan  
Hope Delp

# Nursery Helpers

## Sundays @ 11:00 A.M.

**July 5**

Brad & Carrie Standifer

**July 12**

Shirley McNabb / Sandra Pace

**July 19**

Crystal Dishner / Jane McNabb

**July 26**

Gerry Breeden / Peggy Sensing

### Sunday School Statistics for June 2009

Average Attendance: 189

	June 7	June 14	June 21	June 28
Present	178	175	223	178
Contacts	58	86	39	104
Attend. Last Yr	188	183	194	203

Fellowship has a new email address:  
[fellowshipblc@att.net](mailto:fellowshipblc@att.net).

It is very similar to the previous one.

The difference is the @att.net.



### Remember our shut-ins in your daily prayers.

If you know of anyone who has been missed, please tell Bro. James Craig.

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|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Sis. Mary Allison     | Kermit & Bo Arp    |
| Sis. Jessie Burns     | Bro. Dwight Davis  |
| Sis. Patsy Burrell    | Bro. Ralph Grubb   |
| Sis. Gertrude Harvey  | Bro. Leeree Hicks  |
| Sis. Marie Housley    | Bro. Johnny Knight |
| Sis. Dena Lindner     | Bro. Tommy Lyles   |
| Sis. Mary Marcum      | Bro. Jess Newman   |
| Sis. Jeanette Fleenor | Sis. Virginia Tate |

## August / September Events

**August 1** - Senior Saints Fellowship Outing at Melton Hill Park, Pavilion #1 beginning at 2 pm. Please bring a covered-dish. Bro. Steve Hobbs will be cooking hot dogs and hamburgers.

**August 2** - Widow's Meeting @ 4:30 pm


July Honduras Mission Trip  
Presentation in the 6 pm service

**August 5** - Business/Prayer Meeting @ 7:00 pm

**August 8** - Bethany Shown & David Vincil  
Wedding at 2:00 P.M.

**August 15** - Day Quest at Doe River Gorge  
Ministries in Elizabethton, TN  
An all day adventure of activities for the youth.  
See Craig Price for more information.  
[WWW.doerivergorge.com](http://WWW.doerivergorge.com)

**Aug. 19** - Medic Blood Mobile, 1-7 pm

 Awana Kick-off from 6:00-8:00 pm  
at the Lenoir City Pool

**Aug. 23** - Special Music by Cross Connection,  
6:00 P.M.

**Sept. 18** - Sherlake Events Lock-in, 9pm-9am  
An indoor playground of huge inflatable games for the children. See Cathy Arms or Selena Jackson for more information.  
[WWW.eventsatsherlake.com](http://WWW.eventsatsherlake.com)

**Sept. 19** - Awana Area Meeting at First Baptist Church, Lenoir City for anyone interested in learning more about the Awana program. Registration is required. Watch for more details.

**Sept. 20** - Special Music by Terry Terrell at  
6:00 pm

## 2009 Fall Community Connection Project



More details in the coming days!

## Children's Worship & Wee Church Sundays at 11:00 A.M.

	Attendance	Offering
June 28		\$ 14.00
July 5	40	\$ 6.22
July 12	57	\$209.00
July 19	52	\$208.00



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

## August Birthdays

- 2 Becca Wiggins
- 4 Kenny Shelton
- 18 Kenslee Thomas
- 22 Cesar Gonzalez
- 23 Tanner Pranger
- 23 Cassandra Watts
- 23 Cody Wright

Pray for our schools (staff & students) as classes will be back in session on:



**Lenoir City Schools**  
Friday, August 7th

**Loudon County Schools**  
Monday, August 10th



Whitney  
Jose' Paris  
Kenny Shelton  
Tyler Raymond  
Jamakas McClellan

Isabel Guerrero  
Dreama Torres  
Jenna Butler  
Kenda Shelton

The children receive touchdowns by moving the football with their name on it on a board marked like a football field. For any or all of the following, 10 yards can be gained :

- bringing a friend that hasn't been to Children's Worship before
- their attendance each week
- bringing their Bible

A prize is given for every touchdown.

**GOD EXPECTS—WE DELIVER!**



*From the Pastor...*

## **NEVER ANOTHER LIKE THE LORD JESUS CHRIST**

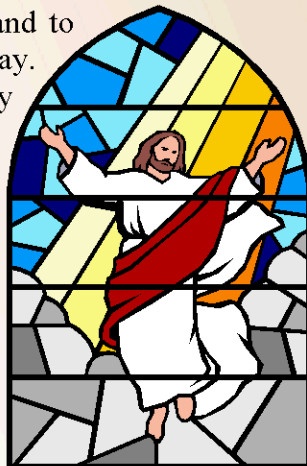
I love the verse of Scripture in *Hebrews 1: 10* that says, "And, Thou, Lord, in the beginning hast laid the foundation of the earth; and the heavens are the works of Thine hands." There is nobody like Jesus Christ!

Nobody knows the exact date of Jesus' birth, and yet His birth has divided all of history into B.C. and A.D. As far as we know, He never wrote a book, and yet more books have been written about Him than any other person. As far as we know, He never painted a picture or composed any music or poetry, and yet He has been the inspiration of the greatest art, music, and poetry that the world has ever known. As far as we know, He never had any formal education, yet more schools, colleges, universities, and seminaries have been founded in His name than any other person who ever lived. That's who Jesus is and the impact He has had on this world. There never has been, and never will be another like Jesus Christ!

He came down the stairway of heaven. He was born in Bethlehem. He was baptized in Jordan. He was tempted in the wilderness. He performed one miracle after another. He healed multitudes without medicine, and charged no fee for His service. He conquered everything that came against Him. He went to Calvary and died for the sins of the world. He was placed in the grave, and yet by the might of His own power, He rose from the dead with every form of His power. There never has been, and never will be another like Jesus Christ!

The thing that thrills my heart is the fact that you and I have the wonderful opportunity to have an intimate relationship with Jesus Christ. We have the wonderful opportunity to live for Him and to serve Him with our lives each day. Let's don't take that opportunity lightly! Remember, there never has been, and never will be another like Jesus Christ!

Unworthy but His,  
Brother Keith



The other day I was thinking about some of my friends who have had the greatest influence on me in recent years and why that is. I thought it might be fun to pass along some of the things about them that are (at least I hope) beginning to rub off on me.

### **The Ability To Ask Good Follow-Up Questions.**

I have a couple of friends who are great at digging a little deeper, asking a question that brings the real issue to the surface, etc. The ability to ask good follow-up questions makes conversation rich and makes people feel valued and important.

### **The Ability To "Stop Time".**

I have a friend who is extremely busy and everybody knows it. Yet, when he stops to talk to you, even in a spontaneous hallway encounter, it's as if time stops and you become the sole focus of his attention. There aren't many things that make me feel better than when somebody who is obviously super busy can hit the pause button and make it seem as if they have nothing better to do than talk to me.

### **The Ability To Prop Up.**

One of my lifelong friends is the master of encouragement. I honestly can't remember ever spending time with him, whether it was 5 minutes or 5 hours, without walking away at the end of our time together feeling better about myself.

### **The Ability To Inspire.**

I love being around inspiring people. I have a buddy who is constantly dreaming of a new idea, a better way, a bigger opportunity etc.

If you have never done so, I'd encourage you to think about some of your friends and other people who have had a great impact on you. What is it about them that you appreciate? What do you see in them that you need to let rub off on you and your relationships with others?

Alive in Christ,  
Craig,  
Youth Pastor

# August: SUMMER HARVEST

As we near the end of summer, there are many tasks that call for our attention. Many things that we have been slow to take care of will find us in a rush to complete before fall starts. Such as: getting the lawn ready for the winter months, painting those little items that will be more difficult to get to later, checking the roof while the sun is still warm enough to settle the tar of any needed repair, and any other number of things could be listed. These tasks should be a reminder of the Lord's Harvest and be done on time. Isaiah 17:11, *"In the day shalt thou make thy plant to grow, and in the morning shalt thou make thy seed to flourish: but the harvest shall be a heap in the day of grief and of desperate sorrow."* Are we laborers in the Lord's Harvest as we should be? If we are not about the Father's business (when it is to late) we will have much grief and of desperate sorrow. Jeremiah 8:20, *"The harvest is past, the summer is ended, and we are not saved."*

The Lord Jesus spoke about the harvest of souls that should be our main business. Matthew 13:30, *"Let both grow together until the harvest: and in the time of harvest I will say to the reapers, Gather ye together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn."*

Luke 10:2, *"Therefore said he unto them, The harvest truly is great, but the labourers are few: pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he would send forth labourers into his harvest."*

John 4:35, *"Say not ye, There are yet four months, and then cometh harvest? behold, I say unto you, Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest."*

Then we read about the final Harvest.

Revelations 14:15, *"And another angel came out of the temple, crying with a loud voice to him that sat on the cloud, Thrust in thy sickle, and reap: for the time is come for thee to reap; for the harvest of the earth is ripe."*

Will the final Harvest find us failing to have done the work the Lord has given unto us to be witnesses taking the Gospel to our Judea and in our Samaria unto all the world as he has commanded?

Mark 16:15, *"And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature."*

And be as Paul ready to take the gospel anywhere.

Romans 1:15, *"So, as much as in me is, I am ready to preach the gospel to you that are at Rome also."*

There are promises to those that work in the Lord's Harvest.

John 6:27, *"Labour not for the meat which perisheth, but for that meat which endureth unto everlasting life, which the Son of man shall give unto you: for him hath God the Father sealed."*

1 Corinthians 3:8, *"Now he that planteth and he that watereth are one: and every man shall receive his own reward according to his own labour."*

2 Corinthians 5:9, *"Wherefore we labour, that, whether present or absent, we may be accepted of him."*

Hebrews 6:10, *"For God is not unrighteous to forget your work and labour of love, which ye have shewed toward his name, in that ye have ministered to the saints, and do minister."*

MAY THE HARVEST AND REWARDS BE GREAT  
FOR THOSE OF  
FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH



# Come join us in Children's Worship

## Sundays at 11:00 A.M.

Everyone is welcome!

Each Sunday morning is a special time to worship with children ages 1st-6th grade through music, singing, prayer, object lessons, memory verses and a message.



plus

Prizes and awards for Bible Trivia, Games, Football Touchdowns, weekly activity flyers, Birthday recognition, Attendance, etc.

Some exciting events and activities are coming up  
you will not want to miss!



### Corn Maze

### ICE SKATING

### Lock-ins

## THANK YOU TO FBC Church Family

Dear Pastor Keith and Church Family,

Hello from Honduras! I pray this note finds you enjoying God's blessings.

I wanted to write to thank you, each team member, and the church family for the blessing that you were to me and to our people here. I am so grateful for the sacrifices that each of the team members made in order to be able to come and serve in the work God is doing, but I also know it would not have been possible without such a precious church family praying for all that God was going to accomplish through you.

Those prayers were evident from day one, and throughout the time you were here. I was concerned about the political situation, as well as my not having my car available. As you saw, God took care of both of those problems... and they ended up not being problems at all.

Pastor Gabriel is still talking about the blessing you all were in the village of El Diviso. The children so rarely have celebrations like what you did for them with the piñatas. It meant a lot to them that you would care enough to take the time to visit the work there.

The impact that you were able to have at the hospital with the children is also something that cannot be measured. Those children are so easily forgotten with all the other needs there are in this country. What a blessing it was to me as a missionary to see our team so selflessly minister to those hurting children and their families.

Your sermons in our church in San Pedro will not soon be forgotten. The young people are still sharing your messages with those who missed them! I especially enjoyed getting to hear my pastor preach here to our people.

And then Vacation Bible School... there are not words enough to thank you for being a part of everything last week. From the moment you went out into the neighborhoods to give out the flyers for VBS, there was no doubt in the minds of our people that you were committed to partnering with them in what God was going to accomplish.

The bus drivers so appreciated your help on the buses when they would pick up the children, and the relationships that were forged between you and the children will not soon be forgotten. I'm sure that the boy you kept telling to "sit down" will not soon forget you! :-)

On Friday, the teachers were lamenting how much they missed their helpers! Your absence was clearly felt! We had 282 kids, so with workers there were over 300! The average attendance for the week was 275 kids each day. There were a total of 85 kids saved between Thursday and Friday! PRAISE THE LORD!

Friday night we organized the prizes for the children so that the teachers would all have what they needed for their classes. Saturday was a busy day -- getting a very sleepy Joe and Chapel to the airport, and then getting back to finish organizing the prizes for the kids. We had over 300 kids on Saturday (there are always extra kids that come looking for prizes!), and had close to 40 parents come. The parents all heard a clear presentation of salvation. My next-door neighbor, Viena, came with her kids. The kids want to come to Sunday school, so I am praying this will be a start to being able to reach the whole family.

The program Saturday was a huge success. Each of the classes either sang a song or recited the verses they had memorized so that their parents could see what they had learned during the week. The kids were thrilled with their prizes, and their diplomas for attending VBS. What a joy it was to see the excitement on their faces, and to see the surprise and satisfaction on the faces of the parents that attended. All in all, it was a HUGE SUCCESS, and though we know that it is God that gives the increase, it would not have been possible without your help and the prayers of our church family. Sunday morning the buses were FULL TO OVERFLOWING with kids from VBS who came to Sunday School. Now we need your prayers that God will provide more Sunday School teachers. We pray that these children will continue to come, which means the classes will soon have to be divided. That's a good problem to have!

As for me personally, I want to thank you and each team member for the special blessing you were to me. Through the years I have had many groups come down, but your group was a very special group. I heard not one complaint (wouldn't it be nice if we could all be like that more often!), and you all were so easy to accommodate. The thing that impressed me the most was the relationships that you formed with our Honduran workers. They are still talking about you all, and asking if I have heard from you. You touched their lives in a special way, which in turn fills my heart with thankfulness.

You were wonderful representatives of our Lord and of Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church. Thank you again for all that you did in allowing the Lord to work through you. May God continue to bless each of you, and our church family in a special way.

Love in Christ,  
Pam Rather



The July Honduras Mission Team will share their trip in a presentation on Sunday, August 2 in the 6:00 pm service.

# MISSION REPORT AUGUST 2009

**BAPTIST BIBLE FELLOWSHIP INTERNATIONAL**  
San Pedro Sula, Honduras

Please thank the church family for their support and for all their prayers for the group that came down to help us with VBS. I don't have the words to truly express the blessing they were to me and to our people. Because of their efforts and God's blessing, we were able to impact the lives of close to 300 children, and saw 85 of them accept Christ as Savior.

The effort the group made to get to know our Honduran workers is something that will stay with me for a long time. What a blessing they were, and what wonderful representatives of Fellowship Baptist Church. I know it would not have been possible without so many of you praying, and I thank God for such a precious, praying church family.

May God continue to bless you all.

Love in Christ,  
Pam Rather

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[www.bbf.org](http://www.bbf.org)

*It is with great honor that I present Fellowship's newest three missionaries that we have taken on to sponsor on a monthly basis. Remember these missionaries and their mission when you pray.* *Sis Judy Smith*



## **World Wide New Testament Baptist Missions**

[WWW.WWNTBM.COM](http://WWW.WWNTBM.COM)

EDGAR AND ROSANN FEGHALY

MIDDLE EAST OUTREACH

Church Planting, Education, Radio Ministries

Dear Pastor,

Bro. Feghaly is overseas in Iraq right now and he has asked me to open his emails while he is away.

Thank you so much for your vote of support. I am just thrilled at how the Lord is providing for our ministry and Edgar will be very happy too.

Please continue to pray for Bro. Feghaly as he is preaching revival at our church in Baghdad right now. Pray for his safety. On Sunday morning several bombs went off in front of churches around the city and 5 people were killed. There was a bomb that went off near our church too but no one was hurt. Praise the Lord, after the revival meeting on Sunday evening, 5 souls were saved.

Also please pray that Bro. Feghaly will be able to leave the country this Thursday, as there is prediction of sand storms and the planes may not be able to fly. He is scheduled to be in Damascus to preach this coming Sunday. Thank you for all your prayers and support and greetings to all our friends at the church.

May the Lord bless you all,  
Rosann Feghaly

## Wings Bearing Precious Seed

[www.wingsbearingpreciousseed.org](http://www.wingsbearingpreciousseed.org)

ALLEN JOHNSON & FAMILY



Dear Pastor Price and church family,

Thank you for taking us on for support as your missionaries to the world with Wings Bearing Precious Seed. We are excited about partnering with you for the furtherance of the gospel, the discipleship of converts, and the glory of God through world-wide Scripture distribution.

In addition to your financial support, we hope to count on your prayers as well. We will continue praying for you and if there is anything we can do for you please let us know. Thanks again and may the Lord richly bless you as you faithfully serve Him.

Sowing the seed and serving the Savior,  
Allen, Dema, Brittney, and Nathaniel Johnson



### International Partnership Ministries

[www.ipmworld.org](http://www.ipmworld.org)

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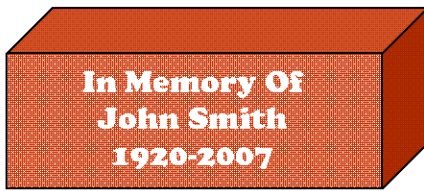
South India Baptist Bible College was founded in 1983 by Dr. P. D. Cherian, under the guidance of Dr. J. L. Chelli the President of Berean Baptist Bible College & Seminary. In 1983 Dr. Chelli helped SIBBC&S to become an independent institution. SIBBC&S started its ministry in Marthoma Nagar, in the Nilgiris, Tamil Nadu.

The SIBBC&S opened its door with seven students and three faculty members, and it has grown to a student body of 630 students and 20 full-time faculty members and 6 visiting faculty members. More than 1000 students have received diplomas. All of these graduates are serving God today, many in church-planting ministries or as teachers in Bible colleges. God's hand of blessing has certainly been upon this ministry of training men and women to plant fundamental Baptist churches in the remote rural villages and cities of India.

God, in His mercy, helped us to construct a beautiful dormitory for men that houses 250 students, a dormitory for women that houses 150 students, a kitchen and dining hall to accommodate 600 students, a church with seating capacity of 650, and spacious classrooms, making the campus an ideal location for studying.

A Christian school was established on the same campus in May 1996.

Home of Hope Orphanage was established in 1998, and today there are 19 precious children growing in the knowledge of Christ in this family.



The Brick Paver Building Fund Project  
is an ongoing fundraiser.

Orders are open to anyone who would  
like to donate \$150.00 per brick.

An engraved message could be  
in memory or in honor of a  
special person or a business name, etc.

The message may be three lines with  
14 spaces per line.

Order forms are on the foyer table in a  
display holder. Please give them to Virginia  
Evans, Faye Everett or mail the forms along  
with your donation to the address below.

The engraved pavers will be placed in  
the courtyard between the buildings.

## How to experience New Life in Christ

**Everyone is a sinner and is separated from God.**  
*"For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God"*  
*Romans 3:23.*

**God loved us all so much that He gave  
His son to die for our sins.**

*"But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while  
we were yet sinners, Christ died for us: Romans 5:8.*

**Death means separation forever from God.  
Eternal life comes by trusting Jesus Christ.**

*"For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is  
eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord"*  
*Romans 6:23.*

**In order to begin your new life in Christ [be  
saved], you must believe that Jesus died  
for your sins and declare that you  
accept Him as Savior.**

*"If thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and  
shalt believe in thine heart that God hath  
raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved"*  
*Romans 10:9*

**This is God's promise to you—if you accept  
Jesus, He will accept you.**

*"For whosoever shall call upon the name  
of the Lord shall be saved" Romans 10:13.*

## FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH

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## Our Mission Statement

A **Great Commitment** to the **Great Commandment** and  
the **Great Commission** will Determine a **Great Church!**