

## DISCOVERING CHURCH MEMBERSHIP CLASS

If you are interested in learning more about FBCLS ~ it's history, what we believe, and how YOU can get connected ~ come to the next DCM class on Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. Join us for coffee at 9:00 a.m., class begins at 9:15 a.m.

## STAFF ANNIVERSARY

Please join us as we celebrate Maria Southerland. She has faithfully served our church over the last 14 years as part of our custodial staff. Her attention to detail and neatness is a big part of why FBCLS consistently looks its best. Thank you Maria for your dedication to our church and to our God.

## PRAISE BAND

We are in need of an experienced *Bass Guitarist* for our Praise Band. If you are interested or know of someone, please contact Mark Witham at [music@fbcls.org](mailto:music@fbcls.org) or Karl Lashley, Praise Band Leader.



## CHILDREN'S COORDINATOR NEED

Personnel Committee is looking for someone who has a calling to work with our children in the role of Children's coordinator. If you are interested please email your resume to [Personnel@fbcls.org](mailto:Personnel@fbcls.org).

## 2016 GA BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME TRUCK LOADING

Together, we can make a difference in the lives of children by helping with the annual truck loading. Deadline - September 18<sup>th</sup>.

Please start shopping for the items listed below:

<u>Canned Goods:</u> Mixed Veggies, Pintos, Green Beans, Corn, Diced Tomatoes, etc.	<u>After School Snacks:</u> Pudding & Fruit Cups, Individually wrapped Snack Bars, Granola Bars, & Crackers	<u>Paper products:</u> Paper towels, TP, Facial Tissue, Napkins, Plates, & Bowls
<u>Drink Mixes:</u> Punch, Lemonade, Kool-Aid	<u>Other:</u> Tea Bags, Forks, Spoons, Bottled Water	



## ACCESS ACS = YOU CAN GET CONNECTED!

Access ACS is a Web-based companion connected to our church's membership database. Consider it an online Church Directory and much more! With Access ACS, we can:

- Allow members to view and update their personal information, see their Sunday School class information, and other data.
- Allow anyone to register for events and pay for them online.
- Connect people with our various ministry opportunities.

Go to the FBCLS website MEMBERS tab and select **Access ACS**. You will then be able to register or log in to your online church account. Follow the *Step-by-Step Guide* on setting up your online account. If you have any problems, please contact the Church Office.

# The Church in Worship

September 4, 2016

10:30 a.m.

Prelude		
Song	<i>Come Thou Fount, Come Thou King</i>	
Welcome		Maina Mwaura
Prayer		
Choral Praise	<i>So Great</i>	The Lithia Singers
Songs	<i>Your Name</i> <i>Stronger</i>	
Message		Kevin McKoy
Song of Commitment	<i>Lord, I Need You</i>	
Church Scripture for Giving		Psalm 1:2-3
Offertory Prayer		Rick Martin
Offertory		
Announcements		Danny Anderson
Departing Chorus		
Postlude		

## SO IT'S #TRENDING

### MINISTERIAL STAFF

Kevin McKoy, Senior Pastor  
Marion Beaver, Associate Pastor to Senior Adults  
Danny Anderson, Associate Pastor to Students  
Barry Thompson, Interim Assoc. Pastor of Education  
Maina Mwaura, Interim Assoc Pastor to Children & Families  
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Connecting...

People to God

People to One Another

People to Ministry and Missions



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**WALK THRU THE BIBLE ~ OLD TESTAMENT**

*Experience the Bible Like Never before!*

**SEPTEMBER 11, Morning Worship and Evening Events**

Join us for an interactive, memorable, relevant, exciting, and fun **Walk Thru the Bible, Old Testament Live Event!**

Using the exclusive Walk Thru the Bible memory system, Brian Johnson, a certified Walk Thru the Bible Instructor, will guide us through the Old Testament in a way you have never experienced!

More than 2 million people in the United States and over 10 million people worldwide have attended a Walk Thru the Old Testament Live Event, making this one of the most attended learning events of all times. We can help you embark on an adventure that is fun, dynamic, and easy.

The Old Testament comes to life in your knowledge of its people and the storyline. You will see the big picture better than ever before.

Like many others, you may walk away saying, *"I never understood the Bible like this before!"*

**The free morning worship message** will creatively walk everyone through Genesis - a biblical learning experience you will treasure for years.

**In the evening, Registrants will receive printed information and knowledge of the rest of the OT storyline** that you will remember by using 40 key words and hand reminders to help you be able to talk through the Old Testament. **This event engages adults, students, and children 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and up.**

**Sign up in the Worship Center Lobby today** for the 4:30-6:40 p.m. Evening Session (there will be a break) that includes free childcare for birth to 2<sup>nd</sup> grade.

**Register by TODAY for discounted printed resource material at \$10.**

After today, registration is \$13.00.

A resource table with other biblical learning tools will also be available.

Walk Thru the Bible Ministries produces training and resources in over 120 countries.



**WALK FOR LIFE**

The PRC Medical annual *Walk for Life* is Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, in downtown Douglasville. Last year FBCLS raised \$1591 and had 2 walkers represent our church. Please help us make a larger impact this year by having more walkers, and by exceeding last year's financial donations.

Sunday School classes can work together as a team! The Walk is at your own pace and takes less than 1 hour.

Please sign up to walk, make donations or pledges at the Walk for Life table in the Worship Center Lobby. Contact Yvonne Taylor if you have any questions.



**FAMILIES WORSHIPPING TOGETHER**



Parents, YOU are the #1 role model in your children's lives. Because of this important truth we want our children to be raised knowing and seeing how we worship and praise God, and how we listen and learn from sermons and testimony. *Kidstyle Worship* will be offered on the first three Sundays of each month, but The FOURTH Sunday will be a time for Family Worship.

Parents please pick up your children from Sunday School and bring them to the Worship Service with you. *Sermon Notes for Kids* are available in the Worship Center Lobby to help your child stay engaged during the service. We encourage you to talk with your children about the service. Most of all, remember...

*Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it.* Proverbs 22:6

**OCTOBER SPECIAL SERVICES**

We will have a Baptism and Baby Dedications and Parent Commissioning service in October. If you or a family member is interested in participating in either of these special services, please contact Antonette in the Church Office or email [Antonette@fbcls.org](mailto:Antonette@fbcls.org)

**VICKIE THOMPSON FUND RAISER CAR SHOW**

Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. in the FBCLS Parking Lot. The Fundraising Team will be hosting a Car Show to help attain the initial \$10,000 goal for Vickie's Georgia Transplant matched fund. Funds will help with Vickie's post transplant medical needs.

*Come join us for a day of family fun and fancy cars,* as we help Vickie and her family. This event is free to spectators, concessions will be available for purchase.

If you have a car you would like to show, entry fee is \$20.00 per car. Register the day of the show. Contact person: Mike Strow.



<http://client.gatransplant.org/>



**SEASONS OF PRAYER**

Beginning September 7<sup>th</sup> our Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting '*Seasons of Prayer*' will meet in Balcony #4.

**MINISTRY THROUGH GIVING**

<u>August 28th</u>	
Sunday School	274
Budget Needs Per Week	\$ 18,814
Budget Receipts for Week	\$ 9,173
Budget Needs YTD	\$658,492
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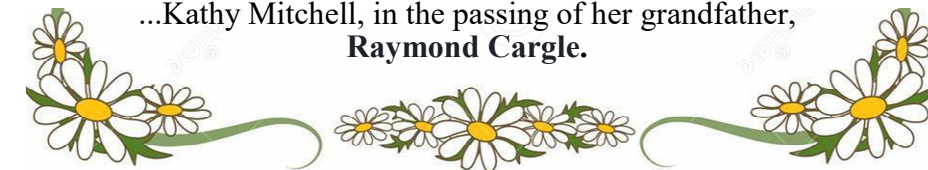
**JTT ~ Just \$11,010 needed to complete our Parking Lot Campaign!**



**SYMPATHY IS EXPRESSED TO**

...Dot Davis and family, in the passing of **Reggie Davis.**

...Kathy Mitchell, in the passing of her grandfather, **Raymond Cargle.**



**WEEK AT A GLANCE: - SEPTEMBER 4 - 11**

**MONDAY, September 5**

Labor Day - Church Office and Activity Center Closed

**TUESDAY, September 6**

7:00 Praise Band Practice

**WEDNESDAY, September 7**

6:30 Prayer Time, iQuest, ESL

Youth Frontline, Discipleship Classes, Choir Practice (*The Lithia Singers*)

**FRIDAY, September 9**

10:30 Ruth Sunday School Class Gathering

**SUNDAY, September 11**

7:00 Praise Band Rehearsal

8:50 Pre-Service Prayer with Pastor

9:15 Sunday School

Adult 5.5 Breakfast

10:30 Worship Service with

Walk Thru the Bible ~ am session

4:30 Walk Thru the Bible ~ pm session

**SERVING IN MINISTRY**

MINISTRY	SEPTEMBER 4	SEPTEMBER 11
<b>DEACON VISITATION</b>	Wayne Bearden Stephen Rose Rick Martin	Jeff McGuire Jeff Mitchell Duncan Powell
<b>KIDSTYLE WORSHIP SEPTEMBER</b>	Kathy Boyd Lynn Cumby	
<b>NURSING HM VISITOR SEPTEMBER 5-10</b>	Bobbie Lamb Jeanette Hindman	
<b>PRAYER WARRIORS</b>	Rick and Adrienne Martin	Yvonne Taylor Emily McGuire
<b>PRESCHOOL MINISTRY</b>		
◆ Desk	Mary Scott	Lisa Hawkins
◆ Babies	Jenny Mahan Sandy Stanger	Wren Pirkle Barbara Mayeske
◆ Toddlers	Woody Mahan Kenya McGee	Collene Deal Bobbie Lamb
◆ Preschool	Richard Raines Dana Raines	Judy Johnson Kris Buckalew
<b>TECHNICAL MINISTRIES</b>	Wayne Bearden Andrew Lane Michelle Sampson Mark Sampson Michael Bankole John Horton Brett Beasley	Blake McMichen Seth Redwine Mike Strow Mark Sampson June Strow Brett Beasley
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