

# THE CARILLON



Dear Church Family,

As we continue into the new year, I wanted to highlight for you some of our current and upcoming Sunday morning, evening, and Wednesday evening sermon and/or teaching series with you.

As you know, throughout January we have been working through the vision statement for our church (**Love. Grow. Commit. Go.**). This series is scheduled to conclude the first Sunday in February. It is my sincere prayer this series has helped to deepen your understanding and commitment to the vision of our church as we seek to **Grow in the word, Commit to one another, Go share the Gospel, and Love God.** In addition, I hope the goals we have listed for the 2019 year (you have likely seen this in the bulletin) will serve as a helpful guide to you as we Love, Grow, Commit, and Go as a church.

## 2019 - FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH GOALS - 2019

### † GO SHARE THE GOSPEL †

*Invite ten people to church. Have five gospel conversations.*

### † COMMIT TO ONE ANOTHER †

*Have at least two specific times a week to pray for our church and specific members.*

### † GROW IN THE WORD †

*Establish one quiet time in the word a day.*

*Join a Sunday School class if you are not already attending.*

Additionally, beginning on Sunday mornings in February, we will start a new sermon series through Paul's letter to the **Philippians**. This series will focus on the joy we experience when we put our faith in Christ. Please be in prayer for this series, for me as I prepare, and for how this series might speak to our church and guests that may attend with us during this time.

I am also excited for our Sunday Evening services at First Baptist. Bro. Carl and myself have sought to subtly add more substance to this special time in which we gather as a faith family. We feel our time has been enhanced as we have added concentrated prayer times in which we ask the Lord to intercede for physical needs, petition God for spiritual need, and offer praise for answered prayers and the blessings we have received from God. In concert with this, we have begun a study through the books of **Ephesians** (continuing through February 10) in which we are examining Paul's command to "walk worthy" of the calling that we have received. This time together as a faith family - gathered with you and joining in song, prayer, and the Word of God has been a precious time for my soul and I pray it has been the same for you. Be on the lookout for a **new Sunday evening series beginning in March** and please make plans to join if you are not already attending.

Lastly, I want to highlight for you our Wednesday evening adult Bible Study. For several weeks we have been going through various topics related to our Christian faith (**Study of God, the Bible, the Trinity**, etc.). In the future we will examine more topics like **angels, Satan, and demons, study of mankind, sin, Christ, the Atonement, the Resurrection, death and what happens when we die, the church, heaven**, etc. While we each may know a fair amount about some of these topics above, it is always good and helpful to 'brush up' or take a closer look at these topics. If you are not otherwise obligated on Wednesday evenings, please make plans to join us.



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Because He Lives,  
*Pastor Chance*

# WORSHIP

When someone mentions the word worship what is the first thought that pops into your mind? I would venture to say if you are like most church going people you would say "singing" or "music" comes to mind. These are perfectly acceptable thoughts. All throughout scripture we see music being used as a method of worship. Lydia worshipped with a tambourine as the Hebrew Children crossed the Red Sea.

David sang and danced as the Ark of the Covenant found its way back into the Jerusalem. The New Testament Church sang together as they worshipped in the book of Acts. All through scripture we find that being musical is a part of the worship experience.

I understand, some folks are not musically gifted. My father was one of those people. He could sing, but it was not pleasant to the listening ear. His desire however was to make a joyful noise unto the Lord. And I truly believe he succeeded in the endeavor.

You see, my dad came to know the Lord at an older age. He experienced a radical change in his life when he finally submitted to the authority of Christ in his life. Dad experienced God's work in his life so vividly to the point he could not keep silent.

So, I ask you, as you read this short article, why do you sing? Why do you make music? Why do you worship?

If you are like me, your testimony may not seem very dramatic. You grew up in church, you never really struggled with "big sins". Your life did not have radical changes when the Lord took over control. But I caution you, do not take for granted the good upbringing and less sinful life you have been blessed with. God is just as gracious in placing us in stable Christian homes as he is to pull us out of reckless sinful lifestyles. Both instances are causes from tremendous rejoicing.

*Sing praises to the Lord, O you his saints, and give thanks to his holy name.*

PSALM 30:4

*Bro. Carl*

## *Victory Road & Hillstop Trio*

In Concert

Sunday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church



# SEND A GREAT REVIVAL IN MY SOUL

Coming now to Thee O Christ my Lord,  
Trusting only in Thy precious word.  
Let my humble pray'r to Thee be heard  
And send a great revival in my soul.

The spring revival will be held on March 24-27<sup>th</sup>. Reverend Mark Williams of Walnut Street Baptist Church will share the word of God in each service. Mark is a native of Shelbyville, Kentucky. In 2006, Mark graduated from Boyce College, a school of The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. In 2010, he earned his Master of Divinity degree at Southern Seminary. In July 2014, Mark was called as Pastor of Walnut Street Baptist Church. He and his wife Jessica have two children, Madelyn and Noah.



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Leading the music for revival will be Reverend David Scott of Ormsby Heights Baptist Church in Louisville. David, a native of Evansville, Indiana has served churches in Indiana, Kentucky and Tennessee. He earned his Bachelor of Music Education degree at The University of Evansville and his Master of Church Music degree at The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. He and his wife Karen have two grown children, Emily and Ben.

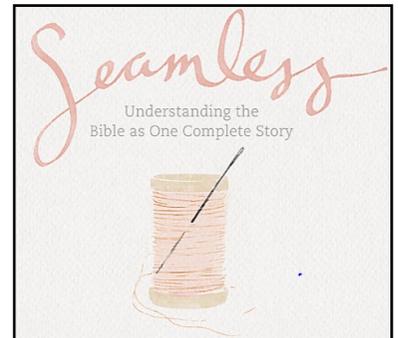


In the time leading to the Revival, please begin to pray for the Revival Team and Services. The spiritual focus this month is **"Personal Preparation for Revival"**. That we, with God would begin now to prepare our hearts for what God will do personally and within our church - what He would reveal to us and how we might be responsive.

Send a great revival in my soul (in my soul)  
Send a great revival in my soul (in my soul)  
Let the Holy Spirit come and take control  
And send a great revival in my soul.

# WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

In seven sessions, **Seamless** covers the people, places and promises of the Bible, tying them together into the greater story of Scripture. Participants will gain an overarching understanding of the fundamental layout and meaning of God's Word. Seamless helps replace insecurity that holds participants back with clarity and helping them move forward with confidence in their understanding of Scripture. Each week of study features key information that ties all of scripture together into the seamless truth of the gospel message and is accompanied by maps, general Bible facts, and word studies.



All women are invited to join on Mondays at either 9:15 a.m. or 6:30 p.m. for this inspiring study! The first session begins on February 11th and will meet in the Media Room located on the second floor of the Education Building. For more information, please contact Charlotte Nedros.

# C-O-N-G-R-A-T-U-L-A-T-I-O-N-S

Congratulations to Carma Cole for winning the Taylorsville Elementary School Spelling Bee!

Carma represented TES in the school district competition. She placed runner up to a Spencer County Middle School Student in the 8th Grade! Carma is a Fourth Grader at TES. She is the daughter of Chelsea and Colin Cole and the younger sister of Caden Cole who won the TES Spelling Bee last year!



Carma is pictured with Sarah Jump, Taylorsville Elementary School Instructional Coach and granddaughter of First Baptist members Hobert and Edie Judd.



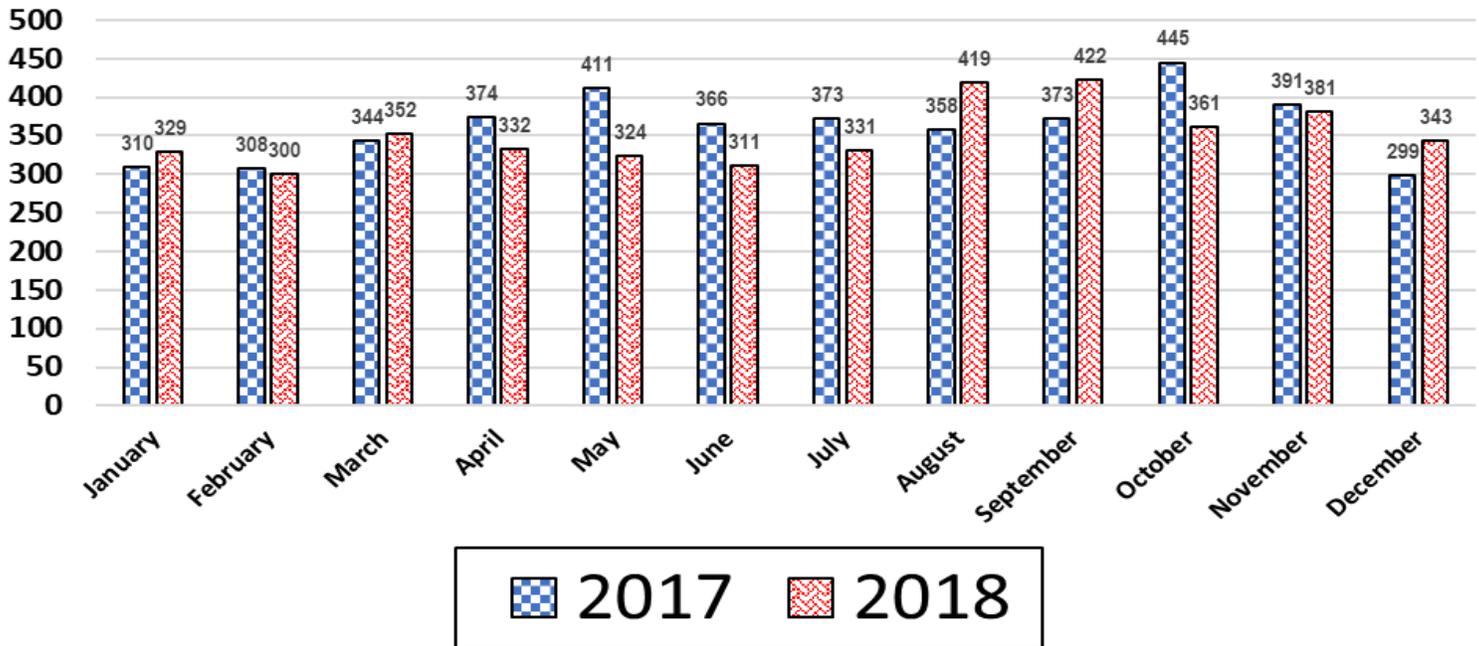
# LOVE + GROW + COMMIT + GO



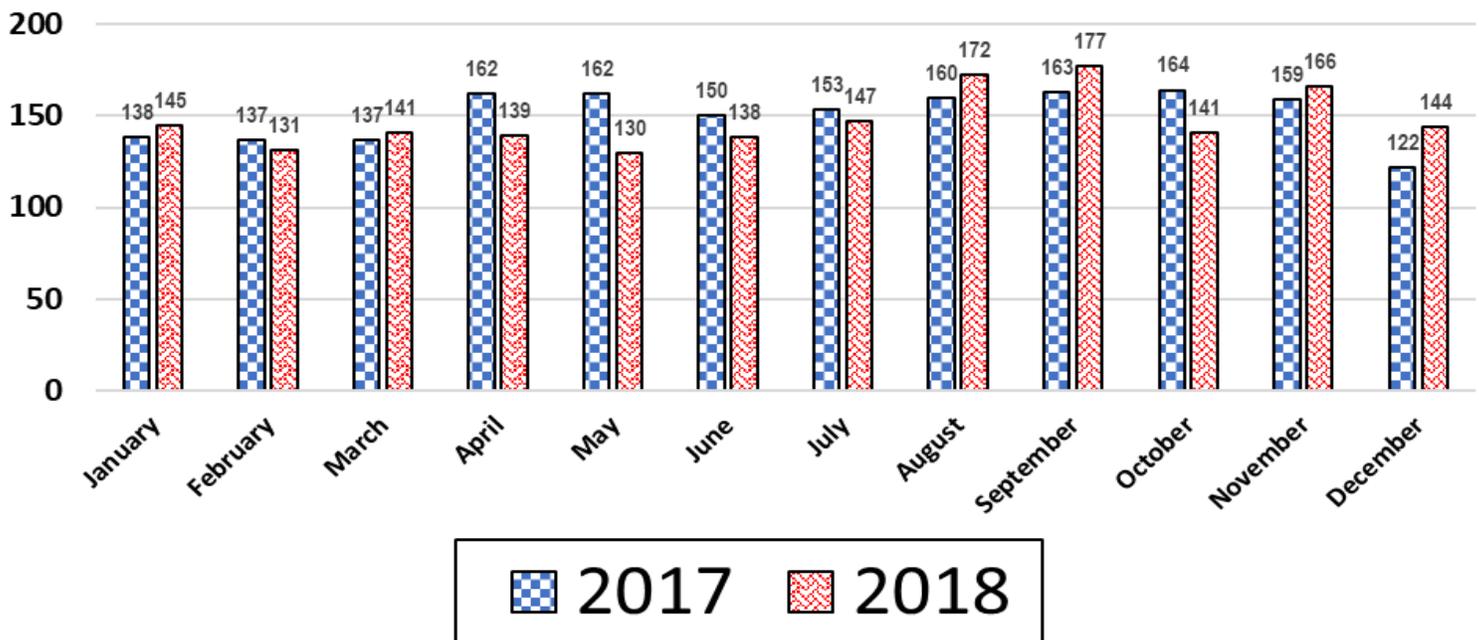
The Dare To Care Ministry had a busy 2018! **A TOTAL OF 1,771 BASKETS OF FOOD WAS DISTRIBUTED TO 4,205 PEOPLE!** This is slightly less than the totals for 2017 which included 1,807 baskets of food distributed to 4,352 people. Many thanks to everyone who volunteered to pick up and shelve food, prepare boxes, assist with distribution, and donate financial resources.

Dare To Care Food Distribution is held on the last Thursday of each month. Volunteers are always welcomed and greatly appreciated! Contact Bob Gilbert if you would like to help. Please continue to pray God's blessing on this ministry and for the families who receive the baskets of food.

## Dare To Care People Served



## Dare To Care Boxes Distributed



# YOUTH CORNER

## Save The Date!

First Baptist Youth will once again be participating in the Kentucky Changers Mission Program June 15 - 21st in Russellville, Kentucky.

Students must have completed the 7th grade to be eligible for this missions opportunity. The fee for Kentucky Changers is \$200 per student. Fun raisers will be held to reduce the cost for the students who participate.

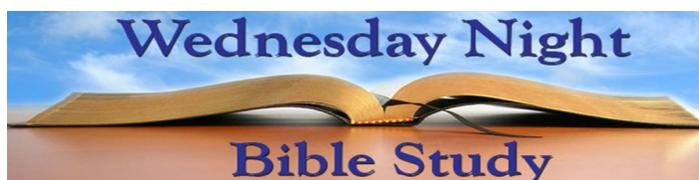
Adult chaperones will be needed! If you are interested, please contact Bro. Carl.

This is an exciting time for students to experience missions first hand and to grow in their walk with the Lord at the same time.



**February 18, 2019**

Fee - \$20 for 3 hours of snow tubing plus money to eat one meal at Fast Food Restaurant.  
See Bro. Carl for more information!



**THE BOOK OF MARK - YOUTH ROOM 7:00 P.M.**

## THE BOOK OF GENESIS

**The Life of Abraham  
Bible Study  
Youth Sunday School Class**



An energetic group of youth and adults attended the Edge Student & Leader Conference in Gatlinburg, Tennessee January 19-21, 2019. Bro. Carl reported the retreat was a great experience for all who attended! Please continue to pray for our youth and leaders.



## Vicki's Pretzel Salad

2 ½ c. crushed pretzels  
3/4 c. melted butter  
Sugar  
1 - 8 oz. package cream cheese, softened  
16 oz. cool whip  
1 - 6 oz. package strawberry Jell-O  
24 to 32 oz. frozen strawberries

Mix pretzels, butter and 3 tablespoons sugar. Press into 9 x 13-inch baking dish. Bake at 375 degrees for 10 minutes. Cool completely. Combine cream cheese, cool whip and 1 cup sugar in bowl; blend well. Spread over pretzel crust. Refrigerate for 4 to 6 hours or overnight. Dissolve Jell-O in 2 cups boiling water. Add strawberries; stir until strawberries separate and Jell-O is thickened. Pour over cream cheese layer. Chill for 2 to 3 hours.

From The Kitchen Of  
Vicki Edwards

## Cherry Delight

20 Graham Crackers  
1/2 c. confectioners sugar  
1/4 c. melted butter  
1 - 8 oz. package cream cheese, softened  
1 - 8 oz. cool whip  
1 c. confectioners sugar  
1 - 12 oz. can cherry pie filling

Mix graham crackers, confectioners sugar and butter together in a bowl. Press crust mixture into a 9 x 9 in. pan.

Mix cream cheese, cool whip, and 1 cup of confectioners sugar with mixer until smooth or beat by hand. Spread over graham cracker crust. Top with cherry pie filling. Refrigerate until firm.

From The Kitchen Of  
Lillie Shelburne

## Weight Watchers Crustless Strawberry Pie

4 cups strawberries, sliced  
1 (5/8 ounce) box sugar-free strawberry gelatin  
1 (1 1/3 ounce) box sugar-free vanilla pudding mix  
2 cups water

### Preparation

Mix together the water and sugar-free pudding mix. Bring to a boil. Remove from the heat and mix in the gelatin. Place the strawberries in a glass pie dish. Pour the pudding/gelatin mixture over the strawberries and chill for at least an hour before serving.

Serves 6. Calories per serving - 38.

*Note: Can use other fruit and gelatin flavors such as peach or blueberry. Can pour mixture into individual bowls instead of pie dish.*

From The Kitchen Of  
Ruth Ann Sweazy

# FEBRUARY

							
<b>WEEKLY SUNDAY SCHEDULE</b> 8:30 a.m. - Worship Choir Rehearsal 9:15 a.m. - Men's Prayer Group 9:45 a.m. - Sunday School 11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship 6:00 p.m. - Evening Worship			 <b>Weekly Wednesday Schedule</b> 6:00 p.m. Kids Choir 6:30 p.m. Fellowship Meal 7:00 p.m. Fishin' Friends Youth & Adult Bible Study		1	2	
3	4	5 Coffee With Carl 6:30 a.m. The Tea Cup  Love My Neighbor	6	7  10:00 A.M.  Church Directory	8 	9 	
10  Deacon's Meeting	11	12 Coffee With Carl 6:30 a.m. The Tea Cup Grossman WMU Love My Neighbor Trustees' Meeting	13 	14	15	16	
17  Business Meeting	18  Youth Snow Tubing Women's Bible Study	19 Coffee With Carl 6:30 a.m. The Tea Cup  Love My Neighbor	20 	21	22	23	
24  Victory Road Hilltop Trio Concert 6:00 p.m.	25  9:15 a.m. 6:30 p.m.	26 Coffee With Carl 6:30 a.m. The Tea Cup  Love My Neighbor	27 	28 	<b>INCLEMENT WEATHER</b>  All Programs & Services on <u>Faith &amp; Family Wednesday</u> will be cancelled if <u>Spencer County Schools</u> are closed on Wednesday due to weather.		

February  
Sermon Series

Paul's Letter to the

# Philippians

**Sunday Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.**  
NURSERY & CHILDREN'S CHURCH AVAILABLE



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