

Visions Newsletter

Christian Fellowship Baptist Church

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Pastor Keith L. Reynolds

Greetings to our Christian Fellowship Baptist Church family, as we move forward into the springtime of another year. Surely, all of us, by now, are able to recognize what a special and significant time of the year this is as it relates to nature's unveiling itself once again. Springtime symbolizes the idea of what once was dead has now come to life.

Hopefully, too, we comprehend, as best we can, the marvelous and magnificent occasion of the Resurrection season. It is by no coincidence that God's hand on nature's renewal and rebirth, and God's hand on man's life through the crucifixion of Jesus and, in particular, the resurrection of Jesus, occur during the same time and season. God does not do anything just for the sake of doing something, nor does He do things by happenstance. God always has a purpose and meaning as He demonstrates His care and concern for His greatest creation, humankind. We can continue to say, "To God be the glory, for the great things He hath done."

Life does wear down the best of us. We need this season of renewal and rebirth to reclaim the energy and strength of life just as nature does. The resurrection season is, for sure, a defining moment as to what God has done through Jesus Christ in His efforts to give humankind hope and another chance at living life correctly as God deemed from the beginning with Adam and Eve. Whatever happens in our lives, we are to be thankful for the sun which surely will come out tomorrow and permeate the

earth, and will give us light to see other beautiful creations of God in nature, and then warm our human hearts as we start the newness of another day, season, or even year. We are to be thankful for the Son of God, Jesus Christ, and His resurrection that, in my opinion, confirms His deity and His power in being Lord and Savior of the world.

As we press forward, we will still remember the most important days of this past church quarter. We definitely want to thank and acknowledge the committed effort of our Media Committee members as they urged us to send President Barack and First Lady Michelle Obama off with a special salute and thank you from CFBC. The Obama's contribution to our country and the world, I believe, is first class. They did it with such style that I believe it represents the America that I want to believe in and live.

We have now moved to one worship service since our last Visions publication. Our goal for such an important move was to simply consolidate our efforts as one church family. Hopefully, we can, in a greater sense, collectively strengthen our lives and develop relationships with members through fellowship time in one service.

In February, we were blessed during our Winter Revival by Rev. Roi T. Johnson, Rev. Norman Thomas, and Rev. Dr. Wesley Greene. Each of them brought a message that, prayerfully, has revived and empowered our spirits for the journey ahead of us. Our celebration of African American Heritage Day was delightful. Those who wore native African attire looked beautiful.

February also allowed us to extend our outreach ministry to one of my most favorite causes. Whenever we can bring youth into our church facility, I believe

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that we are really in God's vineyard and doing His work. For the last three years or so, we have worked with North Clayton High School and hosted their Winter and Spring Athletic Banquets. This year, we were able to have the Winter Banquet and we were able to see for ourselves the strides many of the students were making in becoming strong student athletes. Their parents were just as proud, if not prouder, than we were. Also, we were asked by Ms. Lori Christian, Choral Director at Tri-Cities High, to host the Fulton County School System's District V Music Festival. Over a four-day period, we had over two thousand students in and out of our church and our sanctuary, as they sang their hearts out, showing the gifts that God had given them. Students from schools all over Fulton County were here with their parents and we were serenaded with their voices. It was not necessarily a performance for the general public as much as it was an opportunity for students to learn about making musical presentations in public. They were all over our church building and the reviews from the participants and other visitors were about how appreciative they were for those of us who served as hosts and about the beauty of our church facility. Christian Fellowship, just for the record, as your pastor, I think we did absolutely great. I want to thank our entire church family for the support we received in making the festival a reality for this event.

In March, we gave a farewell to our Fallen Soldier, Deacon Harrison Henry Whatley, Emeritus Chair of Deacons. Deacon Whatley will most definitely be missed and we must, for sure, carry the baton that he has passed on to so many of us. Our prayers of thanksgiving go forward to God in Heaven for giving us the opportunity to be influenced by such a Christian Soldier. Also, we will continue to pray for Vera and the Whatley family.

As April is now upon us, our spirits will be high as we prepare for Palm Sunday, Good Friday, and Easter. The month of April is firmly in our minds as we remember what Christ did for each of us, and, even more so, what He still does for us through His resurrection. On April 15, 2017, we are looking forward to doing something that we have not done in a while here at CFBC. We will evangelize one of the surrounding neighborhoods of our church. First, we are asking for God to bless our efforts in sharing the gospel. If, by chance, there are those who are

seeking a church home, we will definitely invite them to be a part of our church family. I ask for your prayers as a church family, that God goes ahead us and fertilizes the soil of souls we will come in contact with and make them receptive to us. I am thankful for the willing individuals who will go out with us on that day.

Before you know it, May will come and we will celebrate Older Americans Month. During this time, we will give recognition to those who are celebrating their 80th or 90th birthday as well as those who are celebrating their 50th, 60th or even 70th wedding anniversary. In March, Sister Mary Kate O'Neal celebrated her 97th birthday and Deacon Willie and Sister Mary Fanning celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary. These individuals are to be commended, and I am sure that they have many stories that they could share with us of how they got to where they are. God has truly been amazing in their lives.

We must also remember that on May 14, 2017, we will celebrate Mother's Day. Whether it is our natural mother or someone providing motherly support, we need to take a moment to tell them *Thank You*.

Our Twenty-Sixth Church Anniversary will be Sunday, May 28, 2017. We are now in the early planning stages as we, again, will express to God our thankfulness for our church family and ask for His hand in continuing to guide us through the ministries and mission of our church He has entrusted to us.

Our focus in June will be centered on our Vacation Bible School. Rev. Henry Thurston, Sister Debra Lee, and Sister Karen DeGannes will, for sure, have something special for us from June 12-16, 2017. Look forward to hearing more as we reach each of these aforementioned dates.

Absolutely nothing can be done in our church without His power and His people uniting in Christian love and fellowship. We ask for your continued support through your tithes and offerings and the Blessing In Giving (BIG) Campaign. Let us remember that we cannot beat God giving, and the more we give the more He gives to us.

May God Bless and Keep You.

Pastor Keith L. Reynolds

Meet Our Members



Deacon Vohn and Sister Tonia Miller

It was an extremely enjoyable few moments as I interviewed Vohnterrell (Vohn) and Tonia Miller. The Millers have been married for twenty-seven years and are grandparents to Goddess. However, they look as though they could still be students on a college campus. Maybe it is because of their

petite stature, which is completely in contrast to their giant personalities. They display an overall desire and effort in becoming all Christ would have them to be. Vohn is a native of Macon, Georgia and Tonia is from Wilmington, Delaware. The two met while Vohn and Tonia were students at Morehouse and Spelman Colleges. Vohn earned his Bachelor's Degree in Business from Shorter College, while Tonia earned her Bachelor's Degree in Business from Clayton State University, her Masters in Finance and Accounting from DeVry University, Keller School of Management. Vohn has been employed with Delta Airlines for twenty-three years as a Customer Service Agent. For twenty-seven years, Tonia has been an Assistant Manager of Financial Accounting Reporting for the Federal Home Loan Bank of Atlanta.

They have been members at Christian Fellowship since 2007. During this past year, Vohn was in training to become a deacon, which was realized in our Deacon's Ordination Service this past December. Tonia has been right beside him and even attended the training sessions for the yokefellows whenever wives were invited. They both understand it is a dual effort for them. In their latest Christian adventure, I am proud to announce that they have agreed to team teach a Young Adult Sunday Morning Bible Study class. I am very confident that the class will be quite interesting. I know that they will prepare and present the lesson in a way that will be uplifting to all. I encourage our young adults and others to step into their class and have the rewarding experience that will await them.

When I asked them what they most enjoyed about CFBC, they addressed the spirit of fellowship, which is a direct correlation to the people and personality of our church. They understand and appreciate our style of worship. They hope that our congregation will increase in spirit and number as our

church body adjusts to the transition that many churches are experiencing with a newer generation of worshippers who commit and dedicate themselves to Christ.

Deacon Miller also believes that the role of the deacon can have an effective impact in the church. The idea of serving others is significantly important. Along with his wife, he wants to be at the forefront of initiatives that support and uplift others. To that end, Vohn and Tonia have been doing that for some time in their community and at CFBC.

Vohn has been involved in a variety of youth sporting events, and we can truly believe Tonia has been right there with him. He works with our Finance Committee and with our Recreational Program. Tonia, on more than one occasion, has supported that particular ministry by securing financial contributions from her employer to assist in maintaining the high level of service to kids who come to CFBC each Thursday. Currently, she has committed herself to working on the Women's Prayer Breakfast Committee and we look forward to her input on that Saturday. These are just a few words about a very special couple that we all should come to know. Brothers and Sisters, meet the Millers, Deacon Vohnterrell and Tonia.

Paster Keith L. Reynolds

**PUT ON YOUR WALKING SHOES AND
JOIN WMU FOR THE CFBC**

HANDS-ON MISSION DAY

NEIGHBORHOOD WALK

SATURDAY - APRIL 15TH

Spread the gospel . . .

We will walk to pass out information about

Christian Fellowship Baptist Church

to neighborhood residents

- ♦ **Meet at CFBC -10:30**
- ♦ **Walk 11:00 - 12:30**
- ♦ **Debrief at the church - 12:30**



CFBC Men's Day Celebration



On Sunday, March 12, 2017, the men and Brotherhood led our morning worship service to support the ongoing objective of uniting our church with the community. The men and Brotherhood recognized that it is impossible for our community to move forward without a common effort from our church's mission through the support of community and county officials. To that end, as pastor, I invited the Clayton County Commissioner Chairman, Jeffrey E. Turner, to be our Men's Day speaker. Chairman Turner accepted our invitation. However, he quickly informed me that he was not a preacher. I had heard Chairman Turner speak previously and felt he could provide words of encouragement and wisdom for our entire church body for such an occasion. Chairman Turner clearly challenged us to look at ourselves in the mirror and determine if we liked what we saw. Were we pleased with ourselves in making a favorable difference for our community?

He acknowledged that our community, as other communities, has challenges and struggles, and it was up to us who have a genuine concern for others to take the necessary actions for our communities to be better. He not only asked if we liked what we saw in the mirror, but went on to inquire about our thoughts as to whether we believed that God likes what He sees in us. He left each of us to ponder these most appropriate questions and to honestly search our hearts and souls and determine what each of us can do to make our homes and communities the types of places that we and God would be satisfied. These are the questions that we must answer as we move forward, and look at the state of our youth, the educational system, and even the employment opportunities in our area. Needless to say, I am sure that we all recognize that we can, and must do better in working together to create an environment and atmosphere that is positive and productive. We thank Commissioner Turner for his time and words of encouragement for our special Men's Day at CFBC.

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A Trip To Washington, D.C.



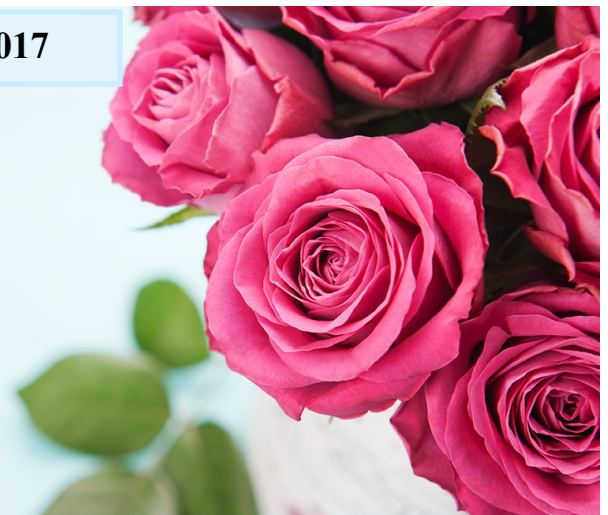
Sister Lena Jones

My name is Lena Jones. I am a fifth grader at Feldwood Elementary School in College Park, Georgia. I am the granddaughter of Deacon Leonard and Mrs. Effalena Jones.

On March 10, 2017, my class went on a field trip to Washington, D.C. I had so much fun! I had the chance to see the White House, the place where Martin Luther King, Jr. gave his "I have Dream" speech, the African America Museum, the Capitol where bills are passed, the Library of Congress and the Air and Space Museum, to name a few.

A highlight of the trip was eating at the **Chili Bowl**, one of President Barack Obama's favorite eating places. Thanks to my teachers, my parents, and my grandparents for making this trip possible. Much gratitude to you, CFBC, for praying for me while I was away.

2017



Mothers Day
What to write on a card?

- To the best mother in the universe. Happy Mother's day! You deserve all the love, care and support that you've lovingly given everyday of my life. I love you.
- Throughout the years, you've always been by my side. I couldn't have had a better mother to look up to. Happy Mothers Day!
- Happy Mother's Day I don't say it nearly enough but thank you for all you've done for me in my life and everything you still do.

MAY - Older Americans Month 2017

OLDER AMERICANS MONTH



AGE OUT LOUD: MAY 2017

At CFBC each May, we observe our annual celebration of Older Americans Month. The 2017 theme is ***Age Out Loud***. The aim is to give the aging a new voice - one that reflects what today's older Americans have to say about aging.

This theme gives us an opportunity to shine a light on many important issues and trends. More than ever before, we, as older Americans, are working longer, trying new things, and engaging in our communities. We are taking charge, striving for wellness, focusing on independence, and advocating for ourselves and others. We expect to continue to live our lives to the fullest, and we're insisting on changes to make that possible. What it means to age, has changed. Older Americans Month, for 2017, is a perfect opportunity to recognize and celebrate what getting older looks like today.

Celebrations are held across the country at the state and local levels through various ceremonies, events and activities. The most important and effective way for you to celebrate Older Americans Month is to do something direct and personal with the older Americans you know and love.

We, here at CFBC, start at home. Since 1998, we have recognized the aged in our congregation by celebrating "***Silver Threads Among the Gold***". We invite you to join us at our 11:00 a.m. service on Sunday, May 21, when we recognize those in our congregation, who, in 2017, reach the milestone of 80, 90 and above, as well as those who have been married 50 years or greater.

Submitted by Lucky McKinnie

Trust GOD in 2017

Faith ~ Hope ~ Love

Media Committee Tour

ANNOUNCING

The Annual Media Committee History & Culture Tour



SAM Shortline Express

All Aboard! Join the Media Committee for a tour of the Civil Rights Museum in Albany, Georgia and a ride on the historic SAM Shortline Excursion Train (Watermelon Express) departing from Cordele, GA (Watermelon Capital of the World). Members and Friends of CFBC are welcomed.

Our own CFBC bus will depart from the Church parking lot on Friday Morning, April 28, 2017 and return after a whirlwind tour on Saturday evening, April 29, 2017.

Itinerary details are available at the Greeter's Desk and Media Center. Sign-up now for two days and one night filled with fellowship, fun, good food and history information. Contact Karen DeGannes (trip coordinator) for additional trip info.



Albany Civil Rights Institute



New Members



Sister Loretta A. Phelps



Brother Timothy L. Ray

May all you wonderful
Dads enjoy a

Happy Father's Day

Hello From CFBC Senior Adult Ministry (SAM)

Our Senior Adult Ministry (SAM) continues to be on the move in various ways. We are encouraged by our health awareness and physical fitness leaders to keep moving. We are doing whatever it takes to help us be and keep healthy: We are walking, stretching, doing yoga exercises, dancing, etc.

We have been on the move with activities that started in October, 2016 with our annual apple outing to North Georgia for dining and shopping to our Prayer and Praise Brunch in November. We continued with our Christmas Celebration by dining and exchanging gifts at the Marietta Fish Market Restaurant, Marietta, Georgia, and our Black History celebration with the "Taste of our Heritage" Program in February. On March 14, we went to Newnan, Georgia to visit Sister Mary Kate O'Neal to celebrate her 97th birthday. On March 27-31, SAM sponsored a trip to Orlando, Florida to visit the Holy Land experience and points of interests.

We are continuing to move by doing ongoing missions, as well as starting new mission projects. An ongoing project is making "comfort dolls" for the children at the Atlanta Ronald McDonald House who are receiving or waiting to receive medical care. The dolls are also available to residents of nursing care facilities. A new project, we began this season, is remembering our members who are no longer able to attend church activities. We prepare and give them beautiful "We Care" gift baskets filled with items of love that we hope will be useful to the recipient.

If anyone knows of a member who, for whatever reason, is unable to attend church services, please give their name, and telephone contact number to any SAM member or give this information to the church office to Sister Lucky McKennie. We

will add them to our list to get a basket to them as soon as possible. We have been delivering these baskets around holiday. The first delivery was at Christmastime. The second was around Valentine's Day. The next will be as an Easter souvenir.

We continue to keep moving by preparing and delivering inspirational music at the 11:00 a.m. service on 5th Sundays (Blessing In Giving, BIG Sundays).

The Senior Adult Ministry meets on Tuesdays from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. in the McCall Conference Center. If you are blessed to have reached age 50, and can include this timeframe in your schedule, please consider joining us.

By Sister Eva Birmingham

Word Search Answer Key

11-2	16-5	5-5
CHRISTIAN	LORD	RISEN
2-4	12-4	7-2
CROSS	NAILS	
6-6	5-5	9-3
CRUCIFIXION	REBIRTH	THIRD DAY
16-2	9-2	8-2
JESUS CHRIST	RENEWAL	THORNS
4-1	1-12	5-15
LENT	RESURRECTION	TOMB

***"Planting Kingdom Seeds for
Future Generations:
Remembering, Rejoicing and Rededicating"***

ANDREW P. STEWART CENTER 100 YEAR CELEBRATION



On Sunday, March 19, 2017, the Andrew P. Stewart Center (The Stewart Center) celebrated its 100th birthday at Second Ponce de Leon Baptist Church. It was

a momentous celebration. The room was filled with past and present executive directors, participants, volunteers and supporters. The highlight of the evening, for me, occurred when past participants shared their memories of attending Summer Camp and the After School Program.

The Stewart Center was opened in March 1917, when a group of courageous and dedicated women from the First Baptist Church of Atlanta WMU, identified a need in the community for a Day Nursery. It was named in honor of Andrew Perry Stewart, by his wife, Frances.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart were prominent citizens of Atlanta. Mr. Stewart was a businessman, City Council member, and later a tax collector for Fulton County. He was also Sunday School Superintendent at First Baptist Church of Atlanta for over thirty years. Frances was an active member of WMU.

Christian Fellowship Baptist Church women became involved with the Stewart Center in 2002. We were asked by Alice White, the Director at the time, to do a week of Bible Study during the Summer Camp. Since then, we continued to be a supporter.

We provide paper items and a week of lunches for Summer Camp, make an annual monetary donation for the After School Program, and serve as volunteers at the Christmas Parties and Spring and Fall Festivals. I serve on the board of directors as the Atlanta Metro Baptist Association WMU Representative.

Although many things have changed over the years, including the location to 867 Metropolitan Parkway, SW (Pittsburg Community), Atlanta, Georgia 30310, the Center's mission remains the same. The Mission of the Stewart Center is to serve the children and families in that community by helping them to reach their full potential through educational and spiritual enrichment and opportunities in the After School Program, Summer Camp, Cooperative Food Program and the Youth Leadership Program.. We are very proud to be a supporter of the Andrew P. Stewart Center. We pray it will continue to flourish in its second 100 years.

By Sister Ester Grissom

THE RESURRECTION STORY WORDSEARCH

Circle the words describing the Resurrection of Jesus Christ.

CHRISTIAN	LORD	RISEN
CROSS	NAILS	SAVIOR
CRUCIFIXION	REBIRTH	THIRD DAY
JESUS CHRIST	RENEWAL	THORNS
LENT	RESURRECTION	TOMB

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Holy Land Experience

From the rising of the sun, until the going down of the same, He's Worthy. Jesus is Worthy, He's Worthy to be Praised. On Monday morning, March 27, 2017, we departed from Christian Fellowship Baptist Church. We traveled in a spacious, video and restroom equipped motor coach headed to Orlando, Florida for a five-day, four-night stay. Thanks to Dana Young, we enjoyed movies and brainteasers while traveling. We arrived in Orlando, at 4:30 in the afternoon. The group checked into the hotel after enjoying a leisurely dinner at the Ponderosa Steak House.

On **Tuesday**, we enjoyed a Continental Breakfast and departed for the **Holy Land Experience**. From the moment we entered the gate, we were taken back in Biblical times, experiencing re-enactments of Jesus's life and death. We walked through a created Jerusalem street market. How awesome it was to view the six-story re-creation of Herod's Temple; to witness live dramas of Moses and children of Israel in the Wilderness Tabernacle; and to see the world's largest indoor model of Jerusalem and enjoy breathtaking music.

On **Wednesday**, we enjoyed great fellowship during breakfast before departing for Florida's Natural Grove House. During the tour, we learned about Florida's orange juice and citrus industry and sampled fresh juices. Then, we continued on to the Amazing Bok Tower Gardens, a tranquil oasis on a beautiful estate, sculpted "Singing Tower" houses, a 60-bell carillon. It was an experience that would elevate your mind and spirit. Next, we toured the Davidson of Dundee Citrus Candy Factory. We returned to the hotel where we later enjoyed dinner and great entertainment by Carlene Mitchell. Oh, did we enjoy the music and dancing!

On **Thursday**, some enjoyed a second trip to the Holy Land Experience to see what they did not get a chance to see during the first experience. Others spent the day sightseeing and shopping at several outlet stores.

On **Friday** morning, we departed for Atlanta. We began the morning with time to enjoy a Continental Breakfast and chat with friends about all the inspirational and fun things we experienced!

We thank God for protecting our going and

returning. Thanks, Jackie Young, for coordinating the trip; Dana for her creative skills; Eva Birmingham for the wake-up calls, and special thanks to the bus driver, Mr. Chuck.

Submitted by Sister Emma L. Rivers

Please join us as we celebrate our Annual Women's Prayer Breakfast

*Cultivating Your Spiritual Self:
Refining, Refocusing, Renewing*

*"The Lord will guide you continually, and satisfy your soul
in drought, and strengthening your bones; you shall be
like a watered garden, and like a spring of water
whose waters do not fail."*

Isaiah 58:11 NIV

Saturday, April 22, 2017

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

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Ticket: \$50.00

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Ministry Highlight - CFBC Music Department

The Christian Fellowship Baptist Church Music Department, under the direction of John Johnson, strives to bless the church with rich musical experiences. Five choral groups, one instrumental ensemble, and one hand bell ensemble, offer CFBC congregants a wide array of musical selections.

As the primary church musician, Pianist Justin Pittman, is the linchpin for our choral and instrumental programs. His keyboard stylings are fundamental to the church's instrumental quartet. He lends support to the Youth Hand Bell Ensemble, directed by Valerie Carey. In varying degrees, He also works with the five choral groups.

The Sanctuary Choir, conducted by John Johnson, and the Inspirational Choir, directed by Dr. Oliver Greene, present music from all genres of ecclesiastical music: anthems, classical, contemporary/ traditional gospel, and spirituals. Likewise, the Women's Chorus, directed by Barbara Johnson, and the Singing Seniors and Children's Choir, both directed by Jackie Young, offer a wide range of Christian music.

We, the members of the musical wing of the church, rehearse steadfastly to learn and perfect the songs we lift in praise of God and therein lies the happiness in what we do. Throughout our weekly practice sessions, we, as musicians, reap the joy of inspired messages from God. How many times has God's presence "come in the room" while we honed our praise of his "grace and mercy"? The texts and tunes of spirit-filled compositions lift our hands and hearts to the throne of God and strengthen our weekly Christian walks. On Sunday mornings, we pray that the spirit in our music moves from "breast to breast," enveloping the entire church in the love of Christ.

Submitted by Sister Barbara Johnson

THE CFBC CHURCH COUNCIL

The Church is organized by units, programs, ministries and committees. The chairs of these entities make up the church council.

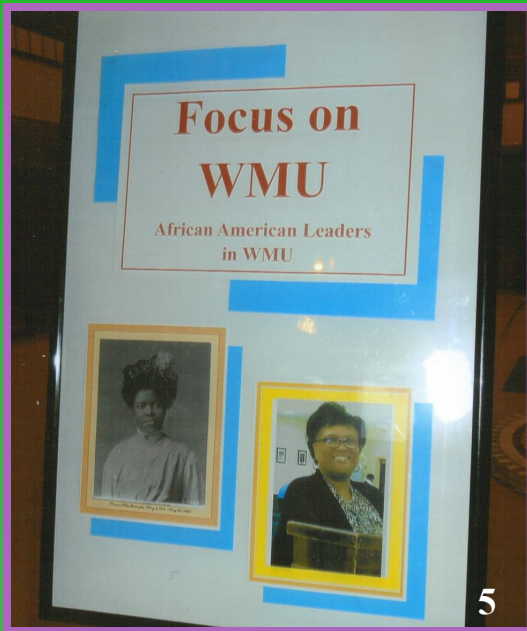
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Youth Ministry - Cynthia Davis, Chair



CFBC Photo Gallery



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LET NOT YOUR HEART BE TROUBLED

By Helen Steiner Rice

Whenever I am troubled and lost in deep despair
I bundle all my troubles up and go to God in prayer.

I tell him I am heartsick and lost and lonely too,
That I am deeply burdened and don't know what to
do.

But I know he stilled the tempest and calmed the
angry sea.

And I humbly ask if in his love, he'll do the same for
me.

Then I just keep quiet and think on thoughts of peace.
And as I sit in stillness my restless murmurings ease.
"Let not your heart be trouble, neither let it be afraid"

John 14:27

Submitted by Sister Doris Chennault

*Children's Church - 2nd & 4th Sundays
Royal Ambassadors - 2nd & 4th Sundays
Children's Choir Practice - 1st & 3rd Sundays
Mission Friends - 1st, 2nd & 4th Sundays
GA's - 1st, 2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays
Acteens- 3rd Sundays after 11:00 Worship
Hand Bell Practice - 1st & 2nd Wednesdays*

CFBC Nursery Schedule

*1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays
During the 11:00 a.m. service*

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William Atkinson

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and Horace McKennie

Christian Fellowship Baptist Church 2017 Calendar Highlights

April

- 1 Deacons' Meeting**
- 9 Fellowship Meal-Family Ministry Focus**
- 9 Palm Sunday**
Essay Contest Begins for High School Seniors
- 14 Good Friday**
- 15 Hands On Mission Day**
- 16 Easter Sunday /SMBS Easter Program**
- 22 Women's Prayer Breakfast**
- 23 Women's Day**
- 29 Media Center Education Tour**
- 30 B I G - Blessing-In-Giving**

May

- 5- 6 Deacons' Meeting**
- 13 Mission Conclave/Brotherhood**
- 14 Mother's Day**
- 21 Silver Threads Among the Gold - Older
Americans Month Celebration**
North Clayton High School Baccalaureate
- 27 SMBS Preparation Meeting**
- 28 CFBC Church Anniversary & Fellowship Meal**
High School Essay Contest Ends
- 29 Memorial Day**

June

Summer Youth Reading Begins June 3rd

- 3 Deacons' Meeting**
- 11 Academic Affairs Book/Scholarship Winner/
Graduate Recognition**
Fellowship Meal
- TBD Church Council**
- 12-16 CFBC Vacation Bible School**
- 17 Acteens Mother /Daughter Luncheon**
- 18 Young Adult /Youth Day Observance/
Father's Day**
- 20 Church Conference**
- 25 GA's and Acteens Recognition Service**