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MAKING AND MATURING DISCIPLES

FIRST BAPTIST

October 2025

FROM OUR PASTOR

Hey Church Family!!

In an unstable & unsettled world, I am thankful for a secure and safe Savior. September saw the assassination and martyr of a tremendous Christian and conservative, Charlie Kirk. Charlie took his last breath on earth and opened his eyes in Heaven in the arms of the Savior. We are sad at his passing, yet stronger in our beliefs because of Charlie's bold stance.

Please keep his wife, Erika, and their 2 small children in your prayers.

The mission does not change, the goal posts have not been moved: Fear God, and keep His commandments: for this is the whole duty of man. Ecclesiastes 12:13

I love you church – let's be **bold** in our faith and **confident** in our God – He is **faithful**!!

-Bro. Blake Anderson

Worship Ministry Worship Concert Alert!

Choir + Orchestra + Special Guest Angelique Kendrick

Sunday, October 19, 2025 | 6:00 p.m. | FBC Purvis Sanctuary

Great news, church family! We are thrilled to welcome the wonderfully versatile **Angelique Kendrick** for a night of worship you won't want to miss. She sings high, she sings low, and rumor has it she can even hit the notes only animals can hear (we'll let you decide).

Our very own choir and orchestra will also be raising the roof (in a very reverent Baptist-approved way). Together, they'll lead us in a powerful and joyful worship experience.

Mark your calendars. Set a phone reminder. Write it on your hand in permanent marker if you must.

And don't forget—this is the perfect chance to invite a friend, a neighbor, or that co-worker who thinks "worship" is just what you do at a coffee shop with good Wi-Fi.

Come ready to sing, smile, and maybe even clap to the beat. (We believe in miracles.)

Bro. Perry

SENIOR ADULT NEWS

Remember that we have two activities in October:

1. Trip to Foley, AL on Oct 16.

Leave at 8.

Lunch, shopping, buc-ees.

Air-conditioned bus

Cost: \$5 per person to tip the driver

Must sign up by Oct 12.

Bro Bob & Mrs. Angelique

2. Senior adult luncheon on Oct. 23 at Noon Special guest: The Visionaires Quartet.

CHILDREN'S NEWS

Hello Church Family!!

What a great month we had in the Children's Department!! The sermon notes clipboards have been a great hit during Sunday worship!! We've also excitedly started a new Bible Drills class for our 5th and 6th graders on Sunday nights. Our kids are steadily growing in Christ and bring their friends to learn, too!! What a testament to our hardworking teachers for being reliable, dedicated, digging deep in the Word, and being creative with their lessons!! These kiddos are our future and we are reinforcing their foundation with God's love, hope, and truth.

Please be in prayer with us as we prepare for our community outreach festivity, Hallelujah Night!! Come out and enjoy God's love, food, and fun on Friday, October 31st.

Mrs. Brittany



Ash, Stephanie, Ethan & Emilia Elkins

KENDRICK MINISTRIES

Annual **SHOEBOX** Drive FILL WITH TOYS, SCHOOL SUPPLIES, HARD CANDY

(deadline for shoeboxes is Sunday, Oct. 19) Line the box with Christmas tissue paper, put gender and age label on top and secure with rubber bands

Upcoming Events		
Oct. 7	Terrific Tuesday - FLC (3 yr old - Kindergarten)	
Oct. 9	Thrilling Thursday - FLC (1st - 6th grades)	
Oct. 16	Sr. Adult trip to Foley, AL	
Oct. 19	DEADLINE for Christmas Shoeboxes for El Salvador	
Oct. 21	Sr. Adult Game Night - 6PM FLC	
Oct. 23	Sr. Adult Luncheon Noon FLC	
Oct. 31	Hallelujah Night - 5:30-7:30PM	





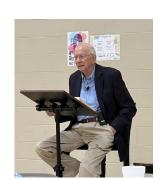
Meal Ministry Deliveries







Sr. Adult Luncheon Guest: Dr. Robert Hilbun



Chickens in GA Class





See You at the Pole









Children's Choir



Youth Worship Choir







