



THE BUILDER



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Sunday School Teachers and Leaders Meeting

Sunday, August 1, at 9:45 – 10:00 a.m., Dr. Barlow would like to meet with all Sunday School teachers and department directors in the Athenian Classroom. Please make your plans to attend.

PRAYER MEETING: Dr. Ferris Jordan will teaching from the book of 1st John Wednesday night, July 28, and Wednesday night, August 4.

FIRST SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP: Sunday, August 1, from 9:15-9:45, join us as we meet in the Fellowship Hall. This is a great time to get together and enjoy good food while catching up with friends. **CAR CLINIC:** Saturday, August 7, from 8:00 – 11:00 a.m.

JEFFERSON TERRACE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: With school less than three weeks away, you are asked to begin now praying for the teachers as well as the students who will be attending Jefferson Terrace. As a partner with Jefferson Terrace, we will be seeking ways to help them during the opening of school. Please volunteer when we call upon you to help us with this important venture.

CLOTHES CLOSET: Men, check your closets especially for pants and shoes and bring them to the Clothes Closet. We have had to resort to giving out pants every other week since we have so few pants. We need large and small sizes and all sizes in between.

REALITY HOUSE BIBLE STUDY: Lorinda deVries and Gwyn Baddley are coordinating the weekly Wednesday Bible study for the Reality House. They could still use volunteers for one Wednesday a month to facilitate the study, which is not an in-depth Bible study. They anticipate having two people each week for the ministry. If you can volunteer once a month, please call Lorinda at 924-2990 or Gwyn at 766-3699. You will enjoy getting to know the ladies and sharing the love of Christ.

REMINDER: The children at Reality House are in need of school supplies. As you go to the store, please get pencils, crayons, notebooks and notebook paper, notebooks with binders, and anything else you think elementary children can use, and put the supplies in the hall closet marked Reality House.

PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE: Please continue to remember the Pastor Search Committee in your prayers. They covet your prayers for themselves and for the one whom God has chosen for FBC.

Nell Meriwether, Ministry Coordinator

Young Adults AND Youth Fellowship!
Sunday, August 8
6-8 pm, Family Life Center



Dear Church Family,

What a privilege to be able to call you family! We thank you for your prayers, your encouragement, as well as your generous financial support. Much has been accomplished on our trips to Romania; you have had a big part in what we are able to do. This last trip was a big success; everyone stayed well, no trouble with luggage (except on the return trip); no extra fees for medicines, but paid extra for 2 suitcases.

We purchased lots of medicines, as well as a "Ben-Gay" type of ointment, for which the patients beg! There were special areas of financial need that we observed with which we were able to help because of your love and support. Thank you for being Family!

Lynn and Frances McCord



"WELCOME BACK" COLLEGE STUDENTS

Church-wide Lunch on Sunday, August 22, Noon —more info to follow



Sunday, September 19th at 4:00 p.m., First Baptist we will have the honor of hosting a special hymn festival entitled *Come, Christians, Join to Sing* under the direction of Dr. Benjamin Harlan. This event will be an ecumenical gathering of Christians celebrating the hymn, which has been a time honored medium used to express our love, heritage, and faith in worship throughout the generations. This celebration will include piano, organ, brass quintet, percussion, and various other instruments as we are lead by Dr. Harlan.

Cancelled



Young Adults & Youth Fellowship
Movie Night will be rescheduled at a later date.