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A place to belong... a place to become.

FEBRUARY 19, 2012

OPPORTUNITIES

February 19 - 25, 2012

Deacon on Call: Mark Hatfield

Sunday, February 19:

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
(WBIP-AM 1400)
5:00 p.m. Youth Choir Supper/Rehearsal,
Ladies Bible Study
5:30 p.m. Mission Kids
6:30 p.m. Evening Worship

Belize Mission Team Testimonies (WBVV-FM 99.3)

- 7:30 p.m. Deacons Meeting

Monday, February 20:

- 1:30 p.m. G.R.O.W.
6:30 p.m. G.R.O.W.

Tuesday, February 21:

- 8:00 a.m. Ladies Handbells
6:30 p.m. Biblical Leadership Class ("21
Irrefutable Laws of Leadership")

Wednesday, February 22:

- 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Children's Choirs, Wednesday
YT, College Bible Study, Prayer Meeting,
Business Meeting, Bible Study
7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, February 23:

- 3:15 p.m. Young Musicians Handbells

Friday, February 24:

- 3:00 p.m. Leave for Young Ringers
Festival
8:00 p.m. Sunday Morning Worship
Service Broadcast (Cable 21,
www.ubntv.org)

Visit our church website (www.fbcbooneville.com)
for upcoming events, previous editions
of the newsletter, and sermons.



Above all,

each other deeply,
because
love covers over
a multitude of sins.

1 Peter 4:8

**"Trusting God means looking beyond what
you can see to what God sees."**

--Charles Stanley

Gone with the Wind

By: Dr. Lynn Jones

“There was a land of Cavaliers and Cotton Fields called the Old South. Here in this pretty world, Gallantry took its last bow. Here was the last ever to be seen of Knights and their Ladies Fair, or Masters and of Slaves. Look for it only in books, for it is no more than a dream remembered, a Civilization gone with the wind.”

Those are the opening lines of the film, “Gone with the Wind.” They are a memorial to the departure of a way of life that existed in the South prior to the Civil War. That way of life had seemed so sturdy and strong. The massive antebellum homes symbolized the seeming permanency of the period. But it was an illusion. It would not last. Within a few decades it was gone, “gone with the wind.”

I was reminded of that by a fire that occurred in Stockbridge, Georgia last Friday night. The fire did heavy damage to some storage buildings that held part of the collection of “The Road to Tara Museum,” which contains memorabilia about the film “Gone with the Wind.” The fire was a reminder of the impermanency of a lot of things that we try to hold onto.

Margaret Mitchell’s novel, *Gone with the Wind*, was published in 1936. It was made into a movie in 1939. The book and the movie chronicle the change that took place in the turbulent years of the Civil War. So many things that people had thought were permanent were not permanent at all. Within a few years they were gone, gone with the wind.

Margaret Mitchell and the people who lived through the Civil War in the South were not the first to

muse about the fleeting nature of many things. In the Book of Ecclesiastes, Solomon gave the matter deep thought.

Solomon wrote, “I have seen all the things that are done under the sun; all of them are meaningless, a chasing after the wind” (Ecc. 1:14). As he surveyed the ruins of his own personal life, that is the way it looked to Solomon.

A more contemporary expression of that feeling is seen in the words of the pop song “Dust in the Wind,” which was released by the group “Kansas” in 1977. They sang:

“Dust in the wind, all they are is dust in the wind/
Same old song, just a drop of water in an endless sea/
All we do, crumbles to the ground, though we refuse to see./
Don’t hang on, nothing lasts forever but the earth and sky./
It slips away, and all your money won’t another minute buy./
Dust in the wind, all we are is dust in the wind;/
Dust in the wind, everything is dust in the wind.”

Sooner or later the things that we value the most, even our most cherished relationships and possessions, vanish with the wind. But there is one enormous exception. It is your relationship with God and your investment in His work. God is the same yesterday, today and forever. When you tie yourself to this unchanging God, you can know lasting security. What you do for Him will last forever. It will never be “gone with the wind.”

--Sunday’s Sermons:

AM: “Hungering for the Blessing”
Psalm 1

PM: Belize Mission Team Report

COUNTING COMMITTEE:

JoAnn Long, Travis Browder,
David West

USHERS:

AM

Mark Pitner, Jerry Keeton,
Buddy Smith, Richy Harrelson,
Ernie McCoy, Jimmy Cobb

PM

Travis Browder, Jackie Smith

EXTENDED SESSION:

February Coordinator:

Sue Oaks (728-9241)

February 19:

Lee Boyette
Cheryl Ragan
Will Conn
Evan Akers

February 26:

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Don Lovell
Sue Oaks
Tammy Jackson

Pray For Our Homebound:

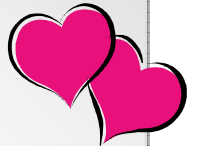
Mrs. Eunice Dickerson
Mrs. Wilda Fugitt

GIFTS RECEIVED

*Gifts have been received by
First Baptist Church in
memory of
Mr. Chester Grisham*

Women’s Heart Healthy Luncheon

Friday, February 17
noon until 1:00 p.m.
in the fellowship hall



Sponsored by
Baptist Memorial Hospital

Come and bring a friend!!

February 12, 2012	
Sunday School	260
Budget	\$ 8,591.75
Designated Offering	<u>2,888.50</u>
Total	\$11,480.25

MUSIC NOTES



Valentine Banquet 2012 *A Whirlwind of Love*

Many thanks to all who came out last Sunday for the youth-led Valentine Banquet. It was so wonderful having the church family together for food, fun, and fellowship. Thanks also to those who donated goods or services. Over \$5,000.00 was raised for the trip! God bless you all!!

You are invited to a
Bridal Tea Shower honoring
Wesley Goodwin
and

Erin Rebele

Sunday, February 26, 2012
1:30 until 3:00 in the afternoon
First Baptist Church
Fellowship Hall



Resurrection Celebration Sunday and Monday

Join us Wednesdays for rehearsal
7:30 p.m.



Young Ringers Handbell Festival

February 24 - 25
Camp Garaway in Clinton, MS

Sixth grade handbell students will attend this festival.



This Sunday night, come hear our **Belize Medical/Dental Mission Team** share about their recent mission trip!

Winter Bible Study will resume next Sunday night, February 26th.

EDUCATIONAL EVENTS

Mission Kids--February 19th

"The Story of Josh McDowell - God Changes a Boy Filled with Hate"

5:30 p.m. in the CLC Game Room
For ages 4 years through 6th grade

Children's Bible Drills resumes THIS Sunday night at 6:30 p.m. (4th - 6th grade)

"For God so lo**V**ed the world,
That He g**A**ve
His on**L**y begott**E**n
So**N**
That whosoever
Believeth **I**n Him
Should **N**ot perish,
But have **E**verlasting life."
(John 3:16)

Kid's Winter Bible Study will resume **NEXT** week!
This week we will learn about the Belize mission trip!

Announcing VBS 2012....



2nd week in June

Please be praying about how you can help with
This important evangelistic tool
of our church.
Mark your calendars now!

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**“Your companions are like the buttons on an elevator.
They will either take you up or they
will take you down.”**

*“He that walketh with wise men shall be wise: but a
companion of fools shall be destroyed.”*

Proverbs 13:20

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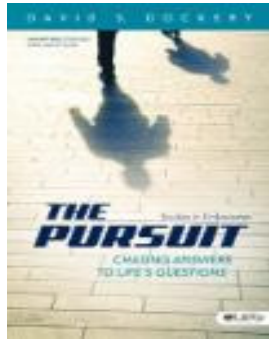
*“Don't let your concerns for tomorrow
keep you from making an impact on today.”*

--copied

WINTER BIBLE STUDY

“The Pursuit: Chasing Answers to Life’s Questions”

Studies in Ecclesiastes



**Sunday nights at 6:30 p.m.
Classes for all ages!!**

A limited number of books are available in
the front lobby for \$6.00.

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the Belize Medical/Dental Mission team testimonies.**

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