

Sunday, February 9, 2025

**CAROL KELLY  
MEMORIAL SERVICE**  
Saturday, February 15th  
2:00pm in the FBCA  
Sanctuary. Visitation follow-  
ing in the Family Life Center

**“HAVE A HEART...FILL  
THE CART”**  
GA girls are collecting  
Items for the food  
pantry: Household cleaning  
supplies and toiletries  
All donations are due  
by [March 2](#).  
Please place items in the cart  
near the family room.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT  
FAMILY MEAL**  
February 12th —Chicken  
Pasta, Bread & Salad.  
Please be sure to sign up each  
week to help with numbers  
and control costs. Donations  
are appreciated.

**EXPLORE FBC ALBA**  
Sunday, February 16th and  
Sunday, February 23rd  
9:30 in FLC Gym.  
Speak to Barry Emerson for  
more information.

**NEW YOUNG ADULT  
SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS**  
Starting Sunday, Feb 16th in  
the FLC Banquet Room.  
Teacher-Casey Kerry

**A LOOK AHEAD  
EASTER SONRISE  
SERVICE**—Sunday, April  
20th at Lake Fork Marina.  
SonRise breakfast will be  
available at FLC before  
Sunday School.

**ERWINS IN CONCERT**  
Sunday, March 2nd 10:45

**WEDDING SHOWER**  
For Megan Wallace and Evan  
Stepanian Saturday, February  
22nd 2:00 pm in FLC  
Registry: [https://  
www.amazon.com/wedding/  
registry/3JZBBWEPRCHA8](https://www.amazon.com/wedding/registry/3JZBBWEPRCHA8)

**WEDDING & RECEPTION**  
Magan and Evan – Saturday,  
March 8<sup>th</sup> 2:00 pm in Sanctu-  
ary.  
Reception to follow in the  
FLC. Church family is invited  
to attend.

**SUNDAY**  
SUNDAY SCHOOL  
9:30am  
WORSHIP 10:45am  
CHILDREN’S  
CHURCH

**WEDNESDAY**  
5:00pm - 5:45pm  
Family Meal  
5:30pm - 6:00pm  
Open Gym  
**6:00pm - 7:00pm**  
Pastor’s Bible Study  
In sanctuary

Mission Friends  
Primary Room # O1

RAs - Banquet RM FLC  
Royal Ambassadors

GAs -  
Girls in Action RM#A1

ABLAZE - Youth  
FLC

**BUDGET MONTHLY  
REQUIREMENT**  
\$41,262.00

**JANUARY BUDGET  
TO DATE**  
\$32,629.50

**FEBRUARY BUDGET  
TO DATE**  
\$7,104.00

**MINISTRY  
OPPORTUNITIES**  
Growing Youth Groups  
Mission Trips to Honduras  
Ladies’/Men’s Bible Studies  
Discipleship Groups  
Men’s Breakfast  
Ladies Brunch  
Vacation Bible School  
Family Ministry Center  
First Seekers - Outreach  
Biblical Counseling  
Alba-Golden Food Pantry -  
1st Friday of each month 9-11  
GriefShare—FLC  
SOS Ministry (Mondays FLC)

**FAMILY LIFE CENTER**  
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**Church Key/Alarm Access**  
Rick Gaddis—(903) 629-5630  
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**JANUARY  
BUILDING FUND  
TO DATE**  
\$15,910.00

**FEBRUARY BUILDING  
BUDGET  
TO DATE**  
\$125.00



**First Baptist Church Alba**  
Reaching Out - Growing Together

*An Honored Place Among the  
Faithful*

*Joshua 14:6-15*

*Sunday, February 9, 2025*



Dr. Kelly B. Burton *Pastor*

Brent Vaughan *Interim Student Minister*

John Revels *Minister of Music*

David Peterson  
Shane Reynolds

*Missions Coordinator*  
*Minister of Education*  
*Women’s Ministry Coordinator*  
*Men’s Ministry Coordinator*  
*Children’s Church Coordinator*  
*Outreach Ministry Coordinator*

Lucy Ussery  
Angel Wallace



## Thank you for being our Guest

Please print and return to our offering plate

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of a church? Yes No

### Decisions you may desire to make today:

I am interested in church membership \_\_\_\_\_

How do I become a Christian? \_\_\_\_\_

I am interested in these ministries of the church:

Children's \_\_\_\_\_ Senior Adult \_\_\_\_\_ Students \_\_\_\_\_

Single's \_\_\_\_\_ College/Career \_\_\_\_\_

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## An Honored Place Among the Faithful

Joshua 14:6-15

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After the conquest of Ai, a new generation of people stood at the edge of the Promised Land. Caleb and Joshua were the oldest men in the nation at that time. Forty-five years later Caleb remembers God's promise to him. When the people of Judah are called forward for the distribution of their land, Caleb speaks up. Instead of slowing down in his old age, Caleb amps up his faith and exhibits three necessary traits we should all embrace in our Christian journey: *Passion, Grit, and Blessing.*

### 14:6-9 Passion

What phrase is repeated three times in 6-15?

Wholehearted Following!

### 14:10-12 Grit

"I am 85 years old and still ready to fight!"

"I shall drive them out just like God said."

### 14:13-15 Blessing

What was so special about a "blessing"?

Blessing in God's name taps into His power and His resources.

***Sermon in a Sentence: Treasure God's promises.  
Wholehearted devotion will be rewarded.***

## Sunday, February 9, 2025

*I Will Bless The Lord*

**Welcome/Greeting** Mr. Slade Dougharty

*Great Is The Lord Almighty*

**Offering**  
**Children's Church Dismiss**  
**Scripture Reading**

*Higher Ground*  
*Goodness Of God*  
*How Great Are You Lord*

**The Message** Dr. Kelly B. Burton

## ***An Honored Place Among the Faithful***

*Joshua 14:6-15*

### ***The Invitation***

*Whatever It Takes*