



First Bible Church

Dec. 6-13,
2018

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday Morning

Freedom: The Unexpected Logic of Blood-Bought Liberty
"The Gift of Marriage" - Exodus 20:14

Adult Bible Fellowships (8:00, 9:15 & 10:45a.m.), Student Ministry (9:15), preschool (both hours), Kdg. - 5th grade (both hours), & Field House Service at 10:45.



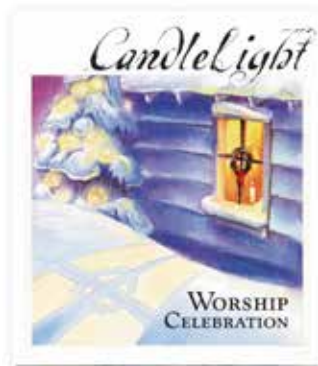
Equipping Classes to Begin in January!

Equipping Class Family Matters: God's Design for the Family! Join us for a 14-week conversation about the importance of the family and the uniqueness of its role in God's kingdom. For more information, contact Stratton & Lida Orr at lidaorr@gmail.com or Susan & Rodney Harney at MRSRWHMD@gmail.com 10:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Starting January 13th. Sign up online <https://bit.ly/2NUVko>



Please join us for light refreshments in the Coffee Commons after the concert.

Financial Peace Equipping Class: Monday nights starting January 7 and ending March 4. Join the Financial Peace group, and learn how to beat debt and make a plan for the future. Sign up online, fbc.org, under current registrations. \$99. per couple or for one registration, a \$50. deposit will hold your space. Please indicate childcare needs at registration. <https://bit.ly/2K1u9qY>



Sunday, December 16
Decatur Campus

5:00 p.m. (nursery available)
6:30 p.m. (no childcare)



The next **Discover Class** will be **January 6, 13, 20, 27, 2019** for both the Decatur & Madison locations. This four-week class

held on Sundays is for anyone who might have more questions about Christianity, our beliefs, and the ministry of our church.

Sign up on <https://bit.ly/2wNSsYz>



WOMEN'S CONFERENCE
featuring Linda Brucato
GUNTERSVILLE STATE LODGE

FEB 1 & 2 2019

therefore...

2 Corinthians 5:17

YOUR IDENTITY IN CHRIST What It Is & Why It Matters

Madison Ladies Christmas Party

Sunday, December 9, 12:30-3:00
At Heritage Plantation Clubhouse
(Across from James Clemens)

Collecting gifts for Mary Magdalene Ministry
for more info contact elaine@fbc.org
Register online <https://bit.ly/2Ejh299>

You can still register for the conference and book your room through Guntersville State Park. See Realm registration for details! <https://bit.ly/2RyEbr3>

Student Announcements

Middle & High School

Student Mission Trips:

- British Columbia: March 15-24. \$250 deposit
 - Italy: June 20-July 2, \$500 deposit
- Contact either Student Ministry office if you are interested and for more info.

Winter Retreat at Camp to Know Him, Pisgah, AL. , 2/1-3/19:

Registration is open <https://bit.ly/2Fbqyfl>

Early bird registration, \$100 through 12/16

Regular registration, \$125 after 12/16

Both campuses will be attending Winter Retreat. More info is on Realm under Registration Events.

Neighborhood Christian Center Toy Drive - (Decatur Campus)

now until December 9th, we will be collecting toys for the NCC Toy Store. We have a tree upstairs where you can place your UNWRAPPED toy (Decatur Campus). Below are guidelines from the NCC:

We Need:

- new and gently used toys (unwrapped) we tend to have a shortage of teen boy/girl gifts
- gift cards
- batteries: 9 volt, AAAs, AAs
- puzzles and games
- lotion, perfume, mirrors, superhero themed items, sports balls
- baskets
- monetary donations that will be used to purchase toys-stocking stuffers

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday, December 9

- 8:00a.m. Early Risers ABF (Decatur Campus)
- 9:15a.m. Decatur Sanctuary Service, ABFs both campuses
- 9:15a.m. Methodology of Biblical Counseling Class, Madison
- 10:45a.m. Madison, Field House & Decatur Services, Decatur ABFs
- Noon Madison W3 Christmas Party
- 5:30p.m. GIGAS Christmas Concert (Nursery childcare only)
Decatur Campus Sanctuary

Monday, December 10

- 6:00p.m. Hope Group (Decatur, Student Wing)

Tuesday, December 11

- 6:30a.m. Mens Prayer Breakfast (Madison & Decatur)
- 10:00a.m. W3 Ladies Prayer (Madison Office)

Wednesday, December 12

- 7:00p.m. Choir Rehearsal, Decatur Campus

Financial Update through 12/02/18

YTD Budget Need: \$3,051,696

YTD Contributions: \$2,914,741

Variance +/- (\$136,955)



<https://bit.ly/2NtgP3n>



<https://bit.ly/2uwYPhO>



<https://bit.ly/2uMcikV>