



# First Bible Church

## NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS



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WEEK OF MARCH 7-14, 2019

### Sunday Morning - New Series

**Because Christ is Raised: How the Resurrection Changes Everything** - *Because Christ is Raised, We Will Go and Tell* - Mt. 28:7 & Acts 8:26-40

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

### Sunday Night - New Series, 5:15 p.m. "The Enduring Church"

An Exposition of 2 Thessalonians

Steadfast: Responds to Suffering In View of Christ's Return 2 Th. 1:1-12

Evening Ministries: AWANA, GIGAS (3-5th grade girls), Sportsters (3-5th grade boys) & Middle School.

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

### Sunday, March 10

- 8:00a.m. Early Risers ABF, Decatur Campus
- 9:15a.m. Decatur Sanctuary Service, ABFs Decatur & Madison Campus
- 10:45a.m. Madison, Field House & Decatur Services, Decatur ABFs
- 10:45a.m. Family Matters Equipping Class, Decatur Campus
- 5:15p.m. Evening Worship Service, AWANA (Puggles, Cubbies, Sparks), GIGAS (3rd-5th Grade Girls), Sportsters (3rd - 5th Grade Boys) & Middle School

### Tuesday, March 12

- 6:30a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast, Madison & Decatur Campus
- 10:00a.m. Madison W3 Prayer, Madison Campus
- 6:00p.m. W3 Bible Study - Psalm 23, Madison Campus Office
- 6:30p.m. W3 Bible Study - Psalm 23, Decatur Rm. 202

### Wednesday, March 13

- 9:15a.m. W3 Precept Bible Study, Galatians, Decatur Rm. 209
- 9:30a.m. W3 Bible Study God of Covenant, Decatur Rm. 202
- 5:30p.m. Bible Journaling Class, Decatur Rm. 202
- 6:00p.m. Decatur Student Ministry
- 6:30p.m. Madison Student Ministry
- 7:00p.m. Choir Rehearsal, Decatur Campus Choir Room

### Thursday, March 14

- 10:00a.m. W3 Bible Study, Psalm 23 - Madison Campus Office



## LOCAL MINISTRIES OPPORTUNITIES



The next **Discover Class** is April 28, May 5, 12 & 19 for both the Decatur & Madison locations (9:15 in Madison, 10:45 in Decatur). 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. If you are a member of FBC, this is a great opportunity to invite someone new to attend with you. Sign up at the HUB or <https://bit.ly/2wNSsYz>



⇒ **Habitat Build** - Saturday, April 6, 7:45 am - 4:00 pm  
To get more information or to sign up, please go to the HUB in the lobbies.

⇒ **First Priority** Greater Decatur 5K Race (& 1 mile fun run). Saturday, 3/30, 8:00 a.m. Fundraiser for First Priority. Register at <http://fpdecatur.org/>

⇒ **Sav-A-Life Pregnancy Resource Center** Garden Party Fundraiser - April 6, 11 am - 1 pm. For details call 256-355-3828, [decaturpregnancy.com](http://decaturpregnancy.com)

**Reminder: Daylight Saving Time Begins!**  
**The clocks spring forward at 2 a.m. on Sunday March 10**

# MISSION TRIP INFORMATION

Trip: **Honduras, June 8-15** with new FBC Missionaries, Jorge & Savanna Madrid  
Leader: Alexander Roberts [alexander@fbc.org](mailto:alexander@fbc.org)  
Purpose: VBS, construction, sports camp, evangelism/ outreach and possibly medical (if doctor or nurses are on the team).

Trip: **Peru, June 8-16** with Not Forgotten Ministires  
Leader: CJ Jacobs [byrdjacobs@gmail.com](mailto:byrdjacobs@gmail.com)  
Purpose: purpose of our work teams is to support, encourage, serve, and love the children and staff of Not Forgotten as well as share the hope of Jesus Christ through both word and action to all we meet along the way. Various construction projects, organized crafts and games, educational activities, special excursions, conversations, laughter, and the building of long-lasting relationships.

**Katovu Sponsorship Program** (ongoing partnership with the Africa Renewal Child Development Program.) It is exciting to report that during the Missions Conference, the ten children that were available for sponsorship were sponsored. So grateful to the Lord for this provision. Ella will be in touch with ARM to find out about additional children, so if you are interested, please stop by the HUB to pick up important information, or contact Ella Martin, [ella.martin@charter.net](mailto:ella.martin@charter.net)



**2018 Giving Statements** - may be accessed on your Realm page on a laptop or desktop. Look for the blue button. If you need assistance, please stop by the HUB or email [ronne@fbc.org](mailto:ronne@fbc.org)

### Updated numbers through March 3:

YTD Budget Need: \$586,215  
YTD Contributions: \$521,484  
Budget Variance YTD: **(\$64,731)**

## W3 Information Women Walking Worthy

**Bible Journaling Class** will meet Wed. 3/13 at 5:30. Decatur Rm. 202. Beginners welcomed. This month's devotional and artwork is from John 15:1, "I am the Vine."

## Student Ministry Middle & High School

Wed. nights, 6:00 p.m. Decatur, 6:30 p.m. at the Madison Office.  
Both groups meet on 3/13, but will not meet 3/20 - Spring Break week.

**Piano & Voice Lessons available at the Decatur Campus:** If you are interested in learning to play the piano or voice, or if you want to return to taking piano or voice, Emily Williquette, FBC's Worship Ministry Assistant, is currently enrolling piano and voice students (children & adults). Please contact Emily at (770) 713-6179, [emily@fbc.org](mailto:emily@fbc.org). It's never too late to too early to start learning music.



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