



The Lighthouse: Quick-Glance Ministry Updates

Please contact our Ministry Team Leaders and let them know how you can help



New Sunday Schedule



9:00 am – Fellowship Sunday

9:15 am - Praise and Worship

10:45 am - Sunday School

Our Vision

“Growing in our relationships with Christ and using our gifts to bring Christ to the World”

<p><u>Discipleship Ministry</u> Team Leaders:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shirley James • Dan Denston  <p>God Is Love.</p>	<p>*For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life. John 3:16</p> <p>DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRY: SUNDAY SCHOOL, VBS, ARK, ADULT BIBLE STUDIES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jesus said to His disciples: Go, and tell, teach and baptize. A healthy faith is a growing faith, a faith of action. • Our Discipleship Ministry at FBCCB is a place we can grow in faith through our Sunday School groups, starting with our Children through Senior Adults. Our Sunday School groups are where friendships/relationships are formed, prayers and praises are shared and our lives are shaped. Discipleship Ministry is so valuable to our Christian faith, it helps raise up Disciples of Jesus Christ. Come and join us on Sunday mornings for Sunday School, we have groups for all ages. • Vacation Bible School to start in July. • We invite you to join us on Wednesdays at 6:15pm for Adult Bible Study. • Be More Ladies Bible study to begin the middle part of February. <p>Prayer request for February: God’s will be done in all we do and also pray for our Church families and friends that have prayer concerns.</p>
<p><u>Evangelism Ministry</u> Team Leaders:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paul & Maria Agrillo 	<p>*John 3:16 New International Version (NIV) For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.</p> <p>*Share the love of Jesus Christ with someone new this month in word and/or deed.</p>
<p><u>Worship Ministry</u> Team Leaders:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wes Moore • Jeannie Arnold • Mandy Davis • Sherrie Hiatt • Jim Wind 	<p>* Thank you to all who participated in the music survey. *The music surveys will be compiled and studied by the committee in January. *The sanctuary choir welcomes Robin Bolton and Savannah Miller! *All singers and instrumentalists are encouraged to be a part of our worship services. *New music has been purchased! Song selections can be prepared at home in advance! Thank you!</p>
<p><u>Helping Ministry</u></p>	
<p><u>Fellowship Ministry</u></p>	<p>* Fellowship Meals are on Wednesdays at 5:30 pm.</p>
<p><u>Facilities Ministry</u> Team Leaders:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tommy Tucker 	<p>*Handymen/Women Needed!! There are many items that need attention. See Tommy Tucker to help</p>
<p><u>Other Needs in our Church</u> <u>This Month</u> Please call the Church Office 910-458-5134 or church@fbccb.org</p>	<p>*Our Safety and Security Team needs you! *We are in need of volunteers to work in the Nursery with our precious babies and children. Please call Dianne Tucker.</p>

Thoughts on a Vision for our Future

I was recently asked about my “Vision” for our Church so I wrote down some thoughts to share in response. This is an edited version but will give you an idea of my heart-cry for us as a Church in Ministry together...

1. A passionate, Spirit-filled Ministry: 1 Corinthians 2:4 “My message and my preaching were not with wise and persuasive words, but with a demonstration of the Spirit’s power”

...It is ONLY by the power of the Holy Spirit that real Ministry is accomplished. We can always “do things” that appear useful in building the Body of Christ, however at the core of our decisions, plans and purposes must be the clear presence of the Holy Spirit’s power to provide the impetus for Spiritual growth. It is vital that we understand this process and know that what God sees and is doing is often much different and always much greater than what we see or understand. This takes a vigilant commitment from all members of the Body to never assume we have the “full picture” of what God is doing. ALL of us in Leadership must be in-synch with the prevailing movement of the Holy Spirit’s presence. This is difficult because our human tendency will always seek to interject a skewed human understanding into our decisions and plans. Submission, boldness, and steadfastness will be required for a lasting future in Ministry.

2. A constant prayer for the raising of Godly Men and Women to carry out His Mission: Hebrews 13:7 “Remember your leaders, who spoke the word of God to you. Consider the outcome of their way of life and imitate their faith.”

...Our Church will grow stronger as this prayer is answered. As He brings His “hand-picked” workers into this vineyard we will see an increase on every level of Ministry. It is always encouraging to me when I see the Lord positioning His people in Ministry service through our Church. All Churches ALWAYS have a definite need for Spiritual Leadership. As this Leadership is established and our Ministries mature, there will be more avenues of participation which creates a healthy and sustained growth. We all should continually pray in this regard.

This is also why I continually teach and preach on the topics of Spiritual Gifts and using those gifts in our Body. We must always be encouraging people to evaluate and use their gifts and passions in Ministry through all FIVE of our Ministry areas.

3. A Joy in Ministry to carry-on with strength of Mind, Soul and Body: Romans 15:13 “May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.”

...Joy in Ministry is absolutely vital for a changing, growing church that is moving in God’s Direction. Ministry is physically tiresome and challenging on every level. But when we understand and draw on the energy of Christ who lives in us we can stay constantly charged and ready to go and accomplish His good purpose! My prayer is that this persevering joy and the resulting peace become so obvious that we never grow weary of well doing, (Galatians 6:9). This will allow us to soar on wings like eagles, (Isaiah 40:31), as we stay above the fray of the world’s divisions and entanglements that so many Churches constantly struggle with.

ALL Because He Lives!
Pastor Hal



Bibles Study and Dinner on Wednesday’s

We start with Dinner at 5:30 pm and the Bible Study at 6:15 pm. Don’t forget to make your reservations through the Church Office for Dinner or in the bulletin on the tearout)



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9:15 am Service

- 3 – George Pinkston & Barbara Bigley
- 10 – Special Disciples Sunday School
- 17 – Brian Dew & Peggy Creech
- 24 – Paul & Maria Agrillo



NURSERY

9:15 am Service

- Hostess: Jane Walker
- 3 – Beverly Lovingood
 - 10 – Peggy Creech
 - 17 – Tammy Dew
 - 24 – Melissa Story



CHILDREN'S CHURCH

9:15 am Service

- 3 – Jason Story
- 10 – Jason Story
- 17 – Jason Story
- 24 – Jason Story



February 20 - David and Sheila Long

WMU Ladies of All Ages are Invited

The second Monday of each month come join the Vera Harris Circle of the WMU as it focuses on missions education and prayer and plans missions projects in our community.

WMU NEWS...

The Vera Harris Circle met January 14 with 8 members present. Several projects were discussed with no decisions made. Marj Colman told about a fundraising event for the Help Center on February 28. Proceeds sold that day at the Carolina Smoke House on the boardwalk will go to the Help Center. Our next meeting will be February 11 with Barbara bringing the program and Debra serving as hostess.



S.A.L.T. Group –

Senior Adults Loving Together

Watch the bulletin for more exciting events!!!
Call Brenda Lemmonds for any questions,
704-242-2196.

Music Notes



If you would like to listen to music the praise team will be sharing during February/March, you can go to YouTube.com and enjoy!

- The River by Jordan Feliz
- When We Pray by Tauren Wells
- Known by Tauren Wells
- Reckless Love by Cory Asbury
- The Lion and the Lamb by Big Daddy Weave
- Death Was Arrested by North Point
- Give Thanks to God by Housefires

Needs for the Help Center

The Federal Point Help Center needs are the following items: Canned meat, soup, small Mayonnaise/Miracle Whip, canned fish or any other canned or dry goods (not out of date), and toiletries. Please place your items on the table in the sanctuary.

THE HELP CENTER OF FEDERAL POINT FUNDRAISER

**@ Carolina Beach Smokehouse on the Boardwalk in Carolina Beach
Thursday, February 28, 2019
11:00 a.m. till close**

**Stop in for lunch, dinner or in between
A percentage of sales on this day will be donated to The Help Center***

*excluding alcohol

Kairos Prison Ministry

Kairos Prison Ministry is currently planning a weekend prison outreach this coming March 14 to 17 at the Pender Correctional Facility. Kairos is a lay-led, interdenominational Christian ministry in which men and women volunteers bring Christ's love and forgiveness to prisoners and their families. Information about Kairos is available at <http://www.kairosprisonministry.org/about-kairos-prison-ministry.php>. For anyone interested in learning more about Kairos or how to support the upcoming weekend event, please contact Michael Cavanaugh from our Church at 910-707-3334.



Grounds Committee

Please contact Dianne Tucker or Brenda Lemmonds for any suggestions or concerns regarding the church grounds. Thank you.