

Today is Sunday, March 11, 2018

Serving Today

MORNING SERVICE

EVENING SERVICE

Prayer for the Sick
 Preparation Prayer
 Lord's Table
 Assist
 Assist
 Assist
 Read Scripture
 Worship Prayer
 Closing Prayer
 Announcements
 Greeters Before Services
 Greeters after Worship
 Oversee Men to Serve
 Song Leader
 Count Contribution
 Prepare Communion
 Prepare Communion (Apr)
 Friendship Bread
 Friendship Bread (Apr)
 Host Youth Devo
 Sound Booth
 Building Lockup
 Communion for Shut-ins
 Next Sunday
 Building Security

Randy Turner
 Mark Dawson
 Jason Akins
 Bradley Green & Richard Green
 Jim Couch & Bob Fasig
 Shawn Wheat & Derek Burke
 Wade Smith
 Bob Strickland
 David Martin
 Ken McDonald
 Tommy Laney
 Everyone
 Derek Burke
 Tommy Laney
 Shane Wright & Chris Travis
 Carole Rasbury

 Peggy Williams
 Haley Travis
 Chris & Haley Travis
 Chris Travis
 Chris Travis
 Tommy Laney
 Jim Campbell
 Bob Strickland
 Wade Smith

Randy Turner

 Derek Burke

 John David Martin
 Jim Couch
 Bob Strickland
 Ken McDonald

 Derek Burke
 Tommy Laney

 Chris Travis
 Chris Travis

 Bob Strickland
 Wade Smith

Wednesday, March 14, 2018

Invitation
 Song Leader
 Closing Prayer
 Sound Booth
 Building Lockup
 Building Security

Charles McDonald
 Garrett Akins
 John David Martin
 Chris Travis
 Chris Travis
 Bob Strickland
 Wade Smith

Record of Attendance March 4, 2018

<i>Bible Class</i>	<i>72</i>
<i>Sunday Morning Worship</i>	<i>103</i>
<i>Sunday Evening Worship</i>	<i>86</i>
<i>Hispanic Evening Worship</i>	<i>12</i>
<i>Wednesday Bible Study</i>	<i>62</i>
<i>Contribution</i>	<i>\$4490</i>

FPCOC On The Air

WFTP-LP FM103.9
 — Fort Payne Christian Radio
Sunday Morning Worship
 — Live on Radio 11am— 11:30am
 Live Streaming on  
 — All Worship Services and Bible Studies

Billy Lambert - FTC TV - Channel 6



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Schedule of Services

Sunday:

Morning Bible Study	9:30am
Morning Worship	10:30am
Evening Worship	6:00pm
Culto Español Tarde	4:00pm

Wednesday:

Evening Bible Study	6:30pm
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5th Sunday Fellowship

A fellowship meal will be held on each 5th Sunday. Following the meal, the Evening Worship service will be held at 1:00pm.

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Congregation at Work

Childhaven Children's Home
Rainbow Omega
Hispanic Ministry
Lads to Leaders
World Video Bible School
Sponsor of House to House/Heart to Heart
Bible Correspondence Course
Home School Cover Church
Gospel Broadcasting Network
Radio Station WFTP-LP FM103.9
FTC Channel 6 — Billy Lambert
The Gospel of Christ
Sew-Adorable — Dress Sewing Ministry
Getting To Know Your Bible

Monthly Activities

Young At Heart Luncheons
5th Sunday Fellowship Meal
Youth Group Devotional
Sunday Night For The Master
Singing at Crowne Health Care

How Secure Is Your Soul?

Safety and security are major concerns for most of us. Unfortunately, we live in a time of uncertainty. Things like terrorism, crime, economic instability, or sickness cause us to question our safety and security. Most of these things are beyond our control. There are only so many things that we can do to “ensure” our security.

Spiritually speaking, many are going through life worried about their security. They live in constant fear of what will happen when their life is over. They say things like, “I sure hope I make it to heaven.” However, God does not want us to go through life “worrying” about our spiritual security. He wants us to go through life with confidence of where we will spending eternity. In 1 John 5:13, John writes: **“I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God that you may know that you have eternal life.”** So, how do we go about obtaining this level of confidence in our spiritual security?

1) Be in Christ (1 John 5:11)

Salvation is in Christ and only in Christ. One may ask; “how do I get into Christ?” Paul tells us in Galatians 3:27 that **“as many have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ”**. To be in Christ is to be in His body, the Church (Colossians 1:2-14). Paul later tells us in Ephesians 1:3 that all spiritual blessings are found only in Christ. This would include redemption from sin and eternal. If one is not in Christ, one does not have any of the spiritual blessings.

2) Remain obedient to Christ (1 John 2:3-5)

Jesus expects us to do what HE has commanded. In John 14:15, Jesus informs us that to love Him is to obey Him. One cannot get into Christ if that person refuses to obey the commandments of Jesus. One cannot remain in Christ by refusing to continue to **“walk in the light as He is in the light.”** Obedience is not optional. We must remember the warning of Jesus in Matthew 7:21.

3) God’s word must dwell in the saint (1 John 2:14).

God’s word serves as protection against the threats of the world (Psalm 119:11). Paul said that the word of Christ must **“dwell in us richly”** (Colossians 3:16). If the word is going to dwell in us, then we must desire the word. We must study the word. And we must obey the word. Without this attitude towards God’s word, we will never be motivated to learn it or keep it.

4) Righteousness must be a way of life (1 John 3:8-10).

The acid test of discipleship is righteousness in life. William Barclay once said: *“the profession of a man’s lips will always be proved or disproved by the practice of his life”*. James put it this way: **“show me thy faith without thy works, I will show you my faith by my works”** (James 2:18). Christianity is not merely worshipping one day per week. It is a way of life. We must practice righteousness (right doing) in every aspect of life. Someone told me recently that they were accused of taking their “religion too seriously”. This is a sad statement to have been made. If we are not serious about living righteously every day, then we will miss out on heaven.

I pray that each and every one of us is striving towards spiritual security. There will be nothing greater than getting to spend eternity with God. However, there will be nothing more terrible than for one to lose their soul. God has made salvation and security attainable for all. May we take advantage of that great gift.

— Jimmy

Today’s Sermon Topics

Morning Sermon:

“The Need For A Nathan”

— Galatians 6:1

Evening Sermon:

“How Does God Talk To Me?”

— Hebrews 1:1-2

Brochure Mailing List



Introduce your friends & neighbors to FPCOC with our new brochure. Submit up to 5 names a month and we’ll mail them out for you. Forms in the foyer.

The Big Blue Box

We, as Christians, need to show concern for our brethren and others. If you know of someone who needs checking on, has problems in their life, etc. write out the information and put it in the **Blue Box** in the foyer. David Martin is overseeing this good work.

Welcome Visitors

We Welcome You and *Thank You* For Coming. We are honored by your presence. Please be sure to fill out a *Visitors' Card* and sign our *Guest Register* in the foyer so that we may have a record of your attendance.

March 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
11 <i>KidSing — 5:45pm</i> <i>Grief Session — 3pm</i> <i>Singing @ Crowne— 3pm</i>	12	13	14 Bible Study	15	16	17
18 <i>KidSing — 5:45pm</i> <i>Grief Session — 3pm</i> <i>Q & A Tonight</i>	19	20 	21 Bible Study	22	23	24
25 <i>KidSing — 5:45pm</i> <i>Worship in Song & Prayer</i>	26	27	28 Bible Study	29	30	31 <i>Lads-To-Leaders — Atlanta</i>
April 1 <i>KidSing — 5:45pm</i> <i>Lads-To-Leaders — Atlanta</i> <i>Sunday Night for the Master</i>	2 <i>Lunch for the Teachers of Wills Valley Elementary School</i>	3	4 Bible Study <i>Young @ Heart — 11:30am</i>	5	6	7

Check the Wall Calendar for Future Events at FPCOC

<i>March Birthdays</i>	
Aaron Wright	1
Melissa Kirby	1
Patricia Stubblefield	1
Lynn Strange	2
Ron Whigham	5
Chris Travis	6
Josephine McDonald	10
Donna Sharp	12
Joyce Woodall	18
Bill Ritenour	21
Buck Roebuck	22
Haley Martin	26
Jerry Sharp	27
Dereck White	27
Charles McDonald	28
Maureen Brewer	30
Amy Smith	31

<i>March Anniversaries</i>	
Rickey & Robbie Medley	10

Sign-up Sheets for 2018
Prepare Communion Youth Devotionals
Please see sign-up sheets on the table in the foyer.

Prayer Request

REJOICE!
Cody Dawson was baptized last week.

- ** Wade Adams — back issues
- ** Jo Bailey — health issues — loss of Jim — daily struggles
- ** David Bellomy Jr. — health issues
- ** Max Burke — health issues — loss of Flo — daily struggles
- ** Jackie & Myrtle Dodd — health issues
- ** Charles & Josephine McDonald — bronchitis
- ** Bill Ritenour — health issues
- ** Ron Whigham — hip problems — waiting for surgery to be scheduled
- ** BM Woodall — health issues — very weak
- ** Gaynell Woodall — health issues — arthritis — taking therapy
- ** Thomas & Margaret Campbell — Jim's brother & sister-in-law — Margaret is in a Nursing Home and in stable condition
- ** Mona Harrell — Derek Burke & Peggy Williams sister — cancer
- ** Elaine Hatch — Howard Hinkelmann's sister — loss of her husband, Brian — daily struggles
- ** Lou Holland — Jimmy's Mother — health issues — losing blood, doctor's cannot find where — very weak
- ** Terry Sprinkler — Howard & Susan Hinkelmann's daughter-in-law's sister — cancer
- ** Kim Bolin Tippy — Gerald & Evelyn's daughter — stroke — is at her Mother's house

** For the complete list of Prayer Request, please see list on the table in the foyer. **

Kid's Newsletter 

Get your copy in the bulletin rack in foyer.

“And you shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might.”

PANTRY ITEMS THIS WEEK

Canned White Chuk Chicken
Easy Skill. Fettuccini Ckn Dnr
Crackers
Fam Sze Chicken Noodle Soup

Special Prayer Request
 Pray for our country that God will not turn His back on us; that good, God-fearing leaders will lead us back to Him!