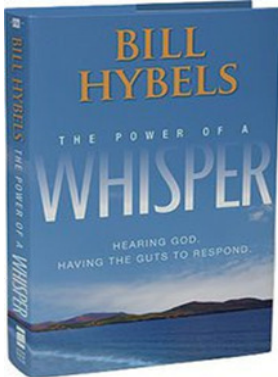




# Forerunner

First Baptist Church  
1024 E. Stuart Drive  
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## The Power of A WHISPER

Join us for Sunday School at 9:45 AM beginning May 1 as we embark on a new 4-week series—*The Power of a Whisper*.

In *The Power of a Whisper*, vision is cast for what life can look like when God's followers choose to hear from heaven as they navigate life on earth.

Whispers that arbitrate key decisions, nudges that rescue from dark nights of the soul, promptings that spur on growth, urgings that come by way of another person, inspiration that opens once-glazed-over eyes to the terrible plight people face in this world—through firsthand accounts spanning fifty-seven years of life, more than thirty of which have been spent in the trenches of ministry, Hybels promotes passion in Christ-followers' hearts for being wide open to hearing from God, and for getting gutsier about doing exactly what He says to do.

The hardback copy of *The Power Of A Whisper* and Participant's Guides are on sale now in FBG's Compass Bookstore/Library.

### NEW RIVER BAPTIST ASSOCIATION PRAYER CONFERENCE May 13-14, 2011



#### FRIDAY, MAY 13

6:00 pm - 6:45 pm Meal provided by the NRBA  
6:45 pm - 9:00 pm Session: Leader, John Franklin

#### SATURDAY, MAY 14

9:00 am - 12:00 noon Session: Leader, John Franklin

We will be hosting the Annual Prayer Conference and the theme this year is "Walking with God". John Franklin is a well-known inspirational speaker and the purpose of his ministry is to trumpet what it will take for the church in America to experience revival.

The conference and meal are free (courtesy of the NRBA), but they do ask that you make reservations by calling 237-7763, or by emailing [dbmccall@comcast.net](mailto:dbmccall@comcast.net), if you plan to attend.

### WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

#### Sundays

9:45 am-Sunday School  
10:00 am-Hispanic Sunday School  
11:00 am-Worship Service  
11:00 am-Hispanic Worship Service  
6:00 pm-Hispanic Bible Study/Prayer

#### Monday

5:15 pm-Pilates Class  
7:30 pm-Orchestra Practice

#### Wednesdays

5:00 pm-Creative Movement  
5:15 pm-Pilates Class  
6:30 pm Kids N The Kitchen  
6:30 pm-TruNorth (Youth)  
6:30 pm-Midweek Worship & Bible Study  
6:45 pm-SpiritSong  
7:30 pm-Sanctuary Choir  
7:45 pm-Youth Band Practice

#### Thursdays

12:00 pm-Men's Bible Study

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### May 1

12:00 pm—Quarterly Business Meeting

#### May 3

6:00 pm—Pastor Support Team Meeting

#### May 4

6:30 pm—Joint Worship/Baptism  
With Cornerstone Church

#### May 5

6:30 pm YFAM at Tlaquepaque

#### May 9

5:30 pm—MCC Meeting

#### May 10

11:00 am—Women on Mission

#### May 11

6:30 pm—Kingdom Kids

#### May 13

6:00 pm—NRBA Conference Meal  
6:45 pm—Conference Session

#### May 14

9-12noon—NRBA Prayer Conference

#### May 16

7:00 pm—Deacons' Meeting

#### May 18

5:45 pm—3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday Meal  
6:30 pm—Team Meetings

#### May 19

9:00 am—Sunshine Group  
Trip to Billy Graham Museum  
11:00 am—Preschool Commencement

#### May 22

11:00 am—Joint Service with Hispanic  
6:00 pm—Baccalaureate Service

#### May 25

6:30 pm—Kingdom Kids

#### May 30

Memorial Day—Church Offices Closed



## The Bible in One Year

### MAY 1

JUDGES 13:1 - 14:20  
JOHN 1:29-51  
PSALM 102:1-28  
PROVERBS 14:15-16

### MAY 2

JUDGES 15:1 - 16:31  
JOHN 2:1-25  
PSALM 103:1-22  
PROVERBS 14:17-19

### MAY 3

JUDGES 17:1 - 18:31  
JOHN 3:1-21  
PSALM 104:1-23  
PROVERBS 14:20-21

### MAY 4

JUDGES 19:1 - 20:48  
JOHN 3:22 - 4:3  
PSALM 104:24-35  
PROVERBS 14:22-24

### MAY 5

JUDGES 21:1 - RUTH 1:22  
JOHN 4:4-42  
PSALM 105:1-15  
PROVERBS 14:25

### MAY 6

RUTH 2:1 - 4:22  
JOHN 4:43-54  
PSALM 105:16-36  
PROVERBS 14:26-27

### MAY 7

1 SAMUEL 1:1 - 2:21  
JOHN 5:1-23  
PSALM 105:37-45  
PROVERBS 14:28-29

### MAY 8

1 SAMUEL 2:22 - 4:22  
JOHN 5:24-47  
PSALM 106:1-12  
PROVERBS 14:30-31

### MAY 9

1 SAMUEL 5:1 - 7:17  
JOHN 6:1-21  
PSALM 106:13-31  
PROVERBS 14:32-33

### MAY 10

1 SAMUEL 8:1 - 9:27  
JOHN 6:22-42  
PSALM 106:32-48  
PROVERBS 14:34-35

### MAY 11

1 SAMUEL 10:1 - 11:15  
JOHN 6:43-71  
PSALM 107:1-43  
PROVERBS 15:1-3

### MAY 12

1 SAMUEL 12:1 - 13:22  
JOHN 7:1-29  
PSALM 108:1-13  
PROVERBS 15:4

### MAY 13

1 SAMUEL 13:23 - 14:52  
JOHN 7:30-53  
PSALM 109:1-31  
PROVERBS 15:5-7

### MAY 14

1 SAMUEL 15:1 - 16:23  
JOHN 8:1-20  
PSALM 110:1-7  
PROVERBS 15:8-10

### MAY 15

1 SAMUEL 17:1 - 18:4  
JOHN 8:21-30  
PSALM 111:1-10  
PROVERBS 15:11

### MAY 16

1 SAMUEL 18:5 - 19:24  
JOHN 8:31-59  
PSALM 112:1-10  
PROVERBS 15:12-14

### MAY 17

1 SAMUEL 20:1 - 21:15  
JOHN 9:1-41  
PSALM 113:1 - 114:8  
PROVERBS 15:15-17

### MAY 18

1 SAMUEL 22:1 - 23:29  
JOHN 10:1-21  
PSALM 115:1-18  
PROVERBS 15:18-19

### MAY 19

1 SAMUEL 24:1 - 25:44  
JOHN 10:22-42  
PSALM 116:1-19  
PROVERBS 15:20-21

### MAY 20

1 SAMUEL 26:1 - 28:25  
JOHN 11:1-53  
PSALM 117:1-2  
PROVERBS 15:22-23

### MAY 21

1 SAMUEL 29:1 - 31:13  
JOHN 11:54 - 12:19  
PSALM 118:1-18  
PROVERBS 15:24-26

### MAY 22

2 SAMUEL 1:1 - 2:11  
JOHN 12:20-50  
PSALM 118:19-29  
PROVERBS 15:27-28

### MAY 23

2 SAMUEL 2:12 - 3:39  
JOHN 13:1-30  
PSALM 119:1-16  
PROVERBS 15:29-30

### MAY 24

2 SAMUEL 4:1 - 6:23  
JOHN 13:31 - 14:14  
PSALM 119:17-32  
PROVERBS 15:31-32

### MAY 25

2 SAMUEL 7:1 - 8:18  
JOHN 14:15-31  
PSALM 119:33-48  
PROVERBS 15:33

### MAY 26

2 SAMUEL 9:1 - 11:27  
JOHN 15:1-27  
PSALM 119:49-64  
PROVERBS 16:1-3

### MAY 27

2 SAMUEL 12:1-31  
JOHN 16:1-33  
PSALM 119:65-80  
PROVERBS 16:4-5

### MAY 28

2 SAMUEL 13:1-39  
JOHN 17:1-26  
PSALM 119:81-96  
PROVERBS 16:6-7

### MAY 29

2 SAMUEL 14:1 - 15:22  
JOHN 18:1-24  
PSALM 119:97-112  
PROVERBS 16:8-9

### MAY 30

2 SAMUEL 15:23 - 16:23  
JOHN 18:25 - 19:22  
PSALM 119:113-128  
PROVERBS 16:10-11

### MAY 31

2 SAMUEL 17:1-29  
JOHN 19:23-42  
PSALM 119:129-152  
PROVERBS 16:12-13



## FAMILY LIFE MINISTER NEWS

### Youth Fundraiser

The youth will be picking up trash in the city of Galax to help raise funds for future trips. Every youth who participates will receive credit. This is also an opportunity for our young people to serve their community, and believe it or not, they have a lot of fun doing it! We will meet at the church on **Wednesday, May 11th at 6:30 pm**, weather permitting.

### YFAM (Young Families and Adults Ministry)

There is a new group forming at FBG called YFAM that will focus on developing community among the young families and young adults in our fellowship. Under the leadership of the Hutchins and Hartt families, this group will meet on Sunday mornings at 9:45 in Room 259 beginning May 1 for teaching and discussion relevant to this stage of life.

YFAM's first social event is a **Cinco de Mayo** celebration at Tlaquepaque on **Thursday, May 5th from 6:30-8:30 pm**. Childcare will be provided at the church from 6-8 pm. Leave your children in the capable hands of our childcare staff and join us for a Dutch-treat Mexican dinner. OLÉ!

For more information on YFAM, please contact John Hutchins at [jhutchins25@gmail.com](mailto:jhutchins25@gmail.com)

### Sports Equipment Needed

Spring is here and we are ready to go outside and play! Unfortunately, most of our sports equipment is worn out. We could use **2 basketball backboards and basketballs; baseball bats, balls and bases; a volleyball net and volleyballs; and a couple of soccer goals and soccer balls**. If you are able to donate any sports equipment to our TruNorth youth group, please contact Elizabeth [edv@fbcgalax.org](mailto:edv@fbcgalax.org) or 233-2733.



## A Word from the Music Minister

"America! America! God shed His grace on thee, and crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea." These words written by Katharine Lee Bates are just as stirring today as when they first appeared in print in 1895.



In honor of our country and the men and women who have served, the Music Ministry invites you to be a part of our patriotic celebration on Sunday, July 3. Rehearsals are now underway for **"The Home of the Brave: a musical celebrating America's courage and commitment"** by Deborah Craig-Claar and David Clydesdale. Join us at 7:30 p.m. for an hour each Wednesday as we celebrate our freedoms and honor America's heroes. We look forward to seeing you!!

### Graduate Photos Needed

All high school or college graduates are asked to provide a photo along with any information regarding the school from which you are graduating and what your plans are, if known. The deadline for receiving your information will be Friday, May 20. You may email your photos and information to [secretary@fbccgalax.org](mailto:secretary@fbccgalax.org). Photos that are brought to the church office will be scanned and returned to you.



The Tri-Area Pregnancy Resource Center is a locally organized and funded pro-life ministry that offers resources for women in our community who are pregnant or think they may be. During 2010, TAPRC reported 1,091 visits with 55 births. This year with all the unemployment and economic downturn in our community, the need is greater than ever to help our moms and babies.

Christians from the surrounding area are bonding together to demonstrate the love of Jesus Christ by joining the 2011 Baby Bottle Campaign. Baby bottles will be distributed on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 8, and ends with the collection of the baby bottles on Father's Day, June 19. Please join in helping these moms, their babies and the expectant fathers.



## Memorials

Donor	Fund	In Memory of
Fred & Margaret Hensley		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Blue Ridge C.C. Ladies Golf Assoc.		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
James & Linda Riddle		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>The Flower Fund</i>
Joe & Kathy Killon		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Glennis Morris		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>The General Fund</i>
Bernie & Mary Margaret Rector		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Willing Workers Class		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Fran Cregar Fund</i>
Imogene Frye		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Annie Armstrong Easter Offering</i>
Gardner Brannon		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
John & Ella Lindamood		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Johnny & Lynne Zeh		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Winford & Margaret Boaz		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Dr. & Mrs. David Byers		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Jim & Diane Marshall		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Odell & Joanne Hamden		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Billy Gene Frost		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Jimmy & Sandy Moretz		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Dr. Mark Clemmons		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Inez Hess		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Mr. & Mrs. Roy Hill, Jr.		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Harvey Neff		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Elizabeth Manus		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Dr. & Mrs. Samuel Luague		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Ted & Phyllis Moore		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Norma Carr		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Wanda Petty		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Persinger & Co.		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
James Ward		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Lamar & Margo Hebert		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>

## Memorials Cont'd

Donor	Fund	In Memory of
Dick & Joyce Clark		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Lew & Jean Kyle Hedger		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
John & Ruby Lindamood		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Horace & Geneva Cochran		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Shirley Rosebaum		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Lemon's Jewelry		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Thomasine Lemons		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Billie Northcut		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Tony & Donna Quesenberry		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Royce & Martha Easter		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Jane Alderman		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Forest & Ardith Nuckles		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Robert & Barbara Leonard		Jimmy Ballard
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Joe & Sara Lindsey		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
William & Diane Lewis		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Joe & Susan White & Family		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
David & Sharon Ritchie		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>
Phil & Mary Ellen Lemons		Jimmy Ballard
		<i>Jimmy Ballard Fund</i>



We offer our deepest sympathy to...

... the family of **Juanita Jones**, who passed away April 9, 2011.

... Grace Smoot on the death of her sister, **Irene Johnson Lackey**, on April 18, 2011.

... Ann Carol Roberts on the death of her father, **Julian Fender**, on April 22, 2011.

... Gladys Catron on the death of her sister, **Agnes Bartlett**, on April 26, 2011.

Dear First Baptist Church,

Thank you for your prayers, cards, visits, thoughtfulness and the dinner after my dear husband, Bill Halsey's, funeral at the church. I love all of you!



Fran Halsey & Family

# **Nursery Schedule**

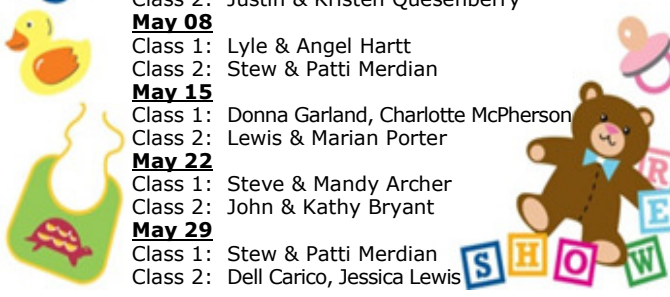
**May 01**  
 Class 1: Dana & Burgandy Bobbitt  
 Class 2: Justin & Kristen Quesenberry

**May 08**  
 Class 1: Lyle & Angel Hartt  
 Class 2: Stew & Patti Merdian

**May 15**  
 Class 1: Donna Garland, Charlotte McPherson  
 Class 2: Lewis & Marian Porter

**May 22**  
 Class 1: Steve & Mandy Archer  
 Class 2: John & Kathy Bryant

**May 29**  
 Class 1: Stew & Patti Merdian  
 Class 2: Dell Carico, Jessica Lewis



## First Impressions Team

**May 01** Steve & Debra Cone, Karen Stevens  
 Dale & Margaret Liddle  
**May 08** Kathleen Higgins, Mary Hutchins, Doug & Lora Williams  
**May 15** Gary Ballard, Donald Handy, Susan Honaker  
**May 22** Bob Leonard, Benny & Shirley White  
**May 29** Marty & Cathy Parks, Sue Holt



### CURRENT WORSHIP STATISTICS

	04/03/2011	04/10/2011
Wednesday	97	177
Sunday School	209	197
11:00 A.M. Worship	326	312
Hispanic Worship Service	55	43
Total Worship Attendance	381	355

BUDGET REQUIRED	\$ 8,896.81	\$ 8,896.81
BUDGET RECEIVED	8,570.62	9,033.96
REQUIRED TO DATE	124,555.34	133,452.15
RECEIVED TO DATE	124,615.13	133,649.09
DESIGNATED RECEIPT	2,379.00	2,222.50
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$ 10,949.62</b>	<b>\$ 11,256.46</b>

% Required Yrly Budget Rec'd	100%	101%
% Required Wkly Budget Rec'd	97%	102%

	04/17/2011	04/24/2011
Wednesday	230	—
Sunday School	227	—
11:00 A.M. Worship	297	456
Hispanic Worship Service	48	53
Total Worship Attendance	345	509

BUDGET REQUIRED	\$ 8,896.81	\$ 8,896.81
BUDGET RECEIVED	9,219.95	11,344.57
REQUIRED TO DATE	142,348.96	151,245.77
RECEIVED TO DATE	142,869.04	154,213.61
DESIGNATED RECEIPTS	2,974.60	1,851.00
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$ 12,194.55</b>	<b>\$ 13,195.57</b>

% Required Yrly Budget Rec'd	104%	102%
% Required Wkly Budget Rec'd	100%	128%



Kaylea, eye surgery (great-granddaughter of Jim & Janice Rourke); Employee at the Training Center injured by patient; Tracy McNichol's grandmother; Pauline Robertson; Sober House, need's insurance; Earlene Epperson having chemo (Debby Stringer's mother); Dennis Smoot, terminal cancer, (Grace Smoot's nephew); Dean Frost, cancer has returned and wife has Alzheimer's; Lois Billings; Kimberly Graham; Jessica Leonard & family; Rick & Susan Stark (Rick has lost job); Phillip, serious leg injury (Susan Stark's brother-in-law); James Hodge, stage IV cancer, (Cathy Testerman's brother); Clarence Davis; Frank Walker (friend of Jean Acencio); Aimee, for salvation (Daniel & Sharon Andrews' daughter); Ricky Alvarado and the Hispanic congregation; Bronson Mabe; Rayburn Martin; Jason Liddle, colon cancer (Dale Liddle's great nephew); Shirley Parsons; Donnie Meador & Pastor Doug (Hoskins Park Ministry); Jim Young (salvation); Desirae Alley; Betty Fender (Ann Roberts' mother); Lee Jones (Martha Dozier's son); John Stringer & Debby Stringer; Lisa Lewis, cancer; Jared Johnson for salvation (Angel Hartt's brother); Casa Betel; Karen Osborne; The Unemployed; Linda Johnson, cancer (Iva Ward's niece); Inez Hebert (Lamar's step-mother); Elizabeth Roberts, colon cancer (Ann Carol Roberts' mother-in-law); Robert Beasley, Alzheimer's (Bill Beasley's brother); Joan Baker (Donna Beasley's sister); Robert Bunn (Debbie Harris' father); Polly Painter; Viola Easter (Royce's mother); Jo Stringer (John Stringer's mother); **USA Military and other coalition forces**; Curtis Bartlett (Iraq); Chris Burnett; Christopher Littreal; Paul Ferguson (Afghanistan); and Joe Sizemore (Iraq).

**NURSING HOMES:** Westwood Hills - Harold Smith, Rm 700; Golden Living - Nannie Sizemore, Rm B-3 (Joe Sizemore's mother); RidgeCrest (Mt. Airy) - Jane Edwards, Rm 221; Waddell Nursing Home Tommy Adams, Rm 107-B; Elizabeth Hill, Rm 115-B; Dorothy Marie Horton, Rm 222; Wheatland - Hazel Lowe, Rm C-12; Grayson Nursing & Rehab Center, Independence, VA - Auralea Curtis, Rm 223; Benjamin Smith, Rm 146 (Dolly Moss' father).

## My Mother's Garden



A mother is a gardener,  
 Planting the seeds  
 Of faith, truth and love  
 That develop into the fairest flowers  
 Of character, virtue and happiness  
 In the lives of her children.

—J. Harold Gwynne

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 Ms. Joan Gillespie ..... Financial Secretary  
 Mrs. Nancy Hazelwood ..... Organist  
 Mrs. Patty Davis ..... Pianist  
 Mr. Chris Gennette ..... Creative Director  
 Mrs. Marian Porter ..... Weekday Preschool Director  
 Preschool/Extended Session  
 Mrs. Penny Adams ..... Bus Ministry Director  
 Mrs. Martha Easter, RN ..... Volunteer Health Nurse  
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# May 2011



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><b>1</b></p> <p>12:00pm Quarterly Business Meeting 6:00pm Hispanic Bible Study</p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p>5:15pm Pilates Class 7:30pm Orchestra Practice</p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p>9-12 Weekday Preschool 10:00am Staff Meeting 6:00pm Pastor Support Team</p>	<p><b>4</b></p> <p>9-12 Weekday Preschool 5:00pm Creative Movement 5:15pm Pilates Class 6:30pm Kids N The Kitchen 6:30pm Joint Worship/Baptism With Cornerstone 7:30pm Sanctuary Choir 7:45pm Youth Band Practice</p>	<p><b>5</b></p> <p>9-12 Weekday Preschool 12:00pm Men's Bible Study 6:30pm YFAM at Tlaquepaque</p> <p><b>NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER</b></p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p>9-12 Weekday Preschool</p>	<p><b>7</b></p>
<p><b>8</b></p> <p>1:00pm Hispanic Luncheon 6:00pm Hispanic Bible Study</p> <p><b>MOTHER'S DAY</b></p>	<p><b>9</b></p> <p>5:15pm Pilates Class 5:30pm MCC Meeting 7:30pm Orchestra Practice</p>	<p><b>10</b></p> <p>9-12 Weekday Preschool 10:00am Staff Meeting 11:00am Women on Mission</p>	<p><b>11</b></p> <p>9-12 Weekday Preschool 5:00pm Creative Movement 5:15pm Pilates Class 6:30pm Kids N The Kitchen 6:30pm TruNorth (Youth) 6:30pm Midweek Worship &amp; Bible Study 6:30pm Kingdom Kids 6:45pm SpiritSong 7:30pm Sanctuary Choir 7:45pm Youth Band Practice</p>	<p><b>12</b></p> <p>9-12 Weekday Preschool 12:00pm Men's Bible Study</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>9-12 Weekday Preschool 6:00pm Conference Meal</p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p>9-12 Conference Continues "Walking With God" Leader: John Franklin</p>
					<p>NRBA Prayer Conference</p>	
<p><b>15</b></p> <p>6:00pm Hispanic Bible Study</p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p>5:15pm Pilates Class 7:00pm Deacons' Meeting 7:30pm Orchestra Practice</p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>9-12 Weekday Preschool 10:00am Staff Meeting</p>	<p><b>18</b></p> <p>9-12 Weekday Preschool 5:00pm Creative Movement 5:15pm Pilates Class 5:45pm 3rd Wednesday Meal 6:30pm TruNorth (Youth) 6:30pm Kids N The Kitchen 6:30pm Team Meetings 6:45pm SpiritSong 7:30pm Sanctuary Choir 7:45pm Youth Band Practice</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p>9-12 Weekday Preschool 9:00am Sunshine Group Billy Graham Museum 11:00am Weekday Preschool Commencement (Last day of classes) 12:00pm Men's Bible Study</p>	<p><b>20</b></p>	<p><b>21</b></p>
<p><b>22</b></p> <p>11:00am Joint service with Hispanic Congregation 6:00pm Hispanic Bible Study 6:00pm Baccalaureate</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>5:15pm Pilates Class 7:30pm Orchestra Practice</p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p>10:00am Staff Meeting</p>	<p><b>25</b></p> <p>5:00pm Creative Movement 5:15pm Pilates Class 6:30pm Kids N The Kitchen 6:30pm TruNorth (Youth) 6:30pm Midweek Worship &amp; Bible Study 6:30pm Kingdom Kids 6:45pm SpiritSong 7:30pm Sanctuary Choir 7:45pm Youth Band Practice</p>	<p><b>26</b></p> <p>12:00pm Men's Bible Study</p>	<p><b>27</b></p>	<p><b>28</b></p>
<p><b>29</b></p> <p>6:00pm Hispanic Bible Study</p>	<p><b>30</b></p> <p><b>MEMORIAL DAY</b></p> <p><b>CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED</b></p>	<p><b>31</b></p>				



# Birthdays

**May 4**

*Tessa Meadows*

**May 5**

*Julio Cesar Servantes*

**May 6**

*Donna Beasley  
Paula Galvan*

**May 7**

*Joshua Brown*

**May 8**

*Jean Acencio  
Rhonda McMillan  
Daniel Wolford*

**May 9**

*Dale Liddle  
Daisie Reynolds*

**May 11**

*Daniel Andrews  
Jared Holiday  
Helen Porter*

**May 12**

*Mimi Pemberton  
Aletha Reavis*

**May 13**

*Tim Lewis*

**May 14**

*Sebastian Gomez*

**May 15**

*Coolidge Griffin  
Pansy Griffin  
Joe Lindsey*

**May 16**

*Amos McPherson*

**May 18**

*Thomas Adams  
Hayden Edwards  
Angel Hartt*

**May 19**

*Jane Robinson*

**May 20**

*Justin Quesenberry*

**May 21**

*Alexis Mittman*

**May 22**

*Chase Stevens*

**May 23**

*Judy Brannock  
Maggie Williams*

**May 24**

*Agape McPherson*

**May 25**

*Maria Isabel Moreno*

**May 27**

*Stew Merdian*

**May 28**

*Dee Morgan*

**May 30**

*Benjamin Alt  
John Crookshanks  
Robert Gordon  
Sharon Ritchie  
Jessie Turbyfill*

**May 31**

*Bryan Dillon*