

# PINEVILLE POSTSCRIPTS

Volume: LXXIV Number: 1  
January 8, 2019



*We do life together.*



901 Main Street  
Pineville, LA, 71360  
(318) 448-8221  
www.fbcpineville.net  
**Intercessory Prayer Line**  
(888) 308-7729

## Staff

C. Stewart Holloway  
*Pastor*  
sholloway@fbcpineville.net  
Thomas Martin  
*Associate Pastor*  
*of Education & Administration*  
tmartin@fbcpineville.net  
Kevin Boles  
*Minister of Music, Outreach & Missions*  
kboles@fbcpineville.net  
Zach Fleming  
*Student Minister*  
zfleming@fbcpineville.net  
Kimberly Aguiard  
*Children's Minister*  
kaguillard@fbcpineville.net  
Danny Nation  
*Minister of Media and Maintenance*  
dnation@fbcpineville.net  
Jenise Jeansonne  
*Day School Director*  
jjeansonne@fbcpineville.net

## Marriage & Family Counseling

Dr. Sandra Gilliland  
*Marriage & Family Therapist*  
(318) 880-8746

## Deacon on Call

**January 5 - 11**

Chip Turner - 704-3040

## January 12 - 18

Jimmy Williamson - 229-6414

## January 19 - 25

Roger Wise - 446-1826

## January 26 - February 1

Wes Aguiard - 970-370-3223

## February 2 - 8

Sidney Austin - 318-359-1003

# STATE

★ OF THE ★

# CHURCH

*~ Sunday, January 12 ~*

*Home Groups Begin Sunday, February 9*

THE  
POWER OF  
JESUS'  
NAMES

TONY EVANS

## BE F.I.R.S.T.

Focused on God, Involvement in ministry, Respected by peers, Strengthened in faith, and Transformed by Christ



The '20s are here! Ever since the year 2000, when the world did not end due to a computer catastrophe, it seems our eyes have been fixed on this year, 2020, and this decade of the '20s. In fact, as I looked back at my *Postscripts* article for the beginning of the last decade, I didn't even mention that a new decade was starting! Apparently, it was a non-event to me. For some reason, though, this decade stretches out before me like a sea of hope and opportunity.

I am excited about what God can and will do in our church in the next decade. Typically, we overestimate what can be accomplished in a year but underestimate what can be accomplished in a decade. Think about what all we accomplished in the '10s as a church, especially the \$5.5 million renovation of our facilities. I assure you, as we turned the calendar to 2010, no one thought we would be able to do that. We hoped we would, but we weren't too sure. However, that should remind us what can happen in a decade.

As I look ahead, I also find myself looking back and asking, "What were the 1920s like and will the 2020s be anything like that?" As you know, the 1920s in America were known as the Roaring Twenties. It was a time of growth, prosperity, and distinctive culture. A similar thing was true for FBC Pineville. Founded in 1911, the second decade of our church was one of amazing growth. In 1919, the church moved into its first permanent building, a multi-story structure with an 800-seat auditorium. This building sat where the Cowley building does today. With bold faith, the church took on enormous debt to build the building, however, by 1926, the building was paid off. As the twenties roared on, the church experienced explosive growth in membership, especially through new converts. The quickly changing culture proved challenging to the church, but also provided a field that was ripe unto harvest. One revival in 1928 saw crowds of 1500-2000 people and 250 new additions to the church. In total the church membership grew by 73%!

As we look ahead to our own '20s, what could happen? We too have a large debt to be eliminated so we may move forward with other projects. Could we eliminate ours by mid-decade like our predecessors? We too minister within a culture that is rapidly changing. Will we see that as an obstacle or as an opportunity? Could we see a 73% increase in membership, largely from new converts? What a joy it would be to see such life transformation happening!

As we begin a new decade, begin praying now about all God will do among us as a church family. As I look around at what God has done and is doing in our church, I have to say, "It's a great time to Be F.I.R.S.T.!"



Dr. C. Stewart Holloway, Pastor

## CHURCH-WIDE

Dear FBC Pineville,

We just wanted to thank you for your continued support of Main Street Mission. You guys are awesome! We really do appreciate everything you do for us. The Angel Tree gifts truly helped all of the families who received them, so thanks so much for giving! We also appreciate the many ways you support us throughout the year. From your financial gifts to snack bags and everything in between - we couldn't do it without you. Thank you for sacrificially giving to help reach canal for Christ. We are looking forward to seeing what God has in store for 2020.

In Christ,  
Sam West and Main Street Mission

Dear FBC Family,

Thank you for your love, prayer, and support during the homecoming of my brother, Barnes Funderburk. Your actions have helped encourage and sustain me during this difficult time. A special thank you for Dave McGraw for the kind words you shared during the service. Thank you pastor for everything! I am so blessed by your love and compassion!

Karen Funderburk Lafargue

### Precept Class: PHILIPPIANS (9 Lessons)

How do I live the Christian life joyfully regardless of people or circumstances? What is the purpose of suffering and the Christian perspective on death? Do I have "the mind of Christ"? Discover true, deep-down joy in your life that the world cannot take away!

STARTS: Wed., January 8, 2020 (Lesson One)  
PLACE / TIME: Room 112; 9:30 - 11:50 A.M. or 5:15 - 7:10 P.M.  
RSVP: Pam Tullos at [pgtullos@gmail.com](mailto:pgtullos@gmail.com) or 318-451-0097



### Men's Breakfast Tuesday, January 14

Join us in the Fellowship Hall as we enjoy a hearty breakfast together as we hear a heart felt devotion to encourage us. We will have Brian Gunter from FBC Pollock as our speaker.

# Senior Adults

## Piccadilly Thursday, January 16

Meet for lunch at 11:30 A.M. at Piccadilly.



## Angola Prison Rodeo Saturday, April 18

Join us for a day trip to Angola for their spring rodeo. A deposit of \$25 is due by Sunday, February 2.



## Glenn Miller Orchestra Concert Jackson, MS Monday-Tuesday, February 10-11

The senior adults will be going to Jackson, MS, for one night to see and hear the Glenn Miller Orchestra Concert at Thalia Mara Hall.

A deposit of \$75 is due by Sunday, January 12.

## St. Francisville Tour of Homes Thursday, March 26



The senior adults will be taking a day trip to tour the homes in the area.

## Jubilee Sr. Adult Conference in Branson, MO Tuesday-Saturday, April 21-25



There will be singing, laughing, and preaching with America's top gospel artists and preachers. This trip will be four nights. A deposit of \$100 is due by Sunday, February 2.

*\*If you have any questions, please call Cynthia Woodward at 641-9152.*

# CHILDREN



## Upward Games

Upward games will begin on Saturday, January 11. The final Upward basketball game will be on Saturday, February 29. Come support your church ministry, favorite basketball player, or your favorite cheerleader!



## New Believer's Class for Children Beginning Sunday, January 26

If your child has made a profession of faith and has not yet attended a new believer's class, please contact Kimberly at kaguillard@fbcpineville.net. This is a 4 week class that begins Sunday, January 26 and ends on Sunday, February 16. There is no cost for this class. The class will meet in Room 201 during the Sunday School hour.

## Kid's Staff Sunday, January 12



Kid's Staff is for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders who have completed the application process to be a part of this special leadership team that has the opportunity to help plan events, complete mission and ministry projects, and study God's Word together!

## Daddy Daughter Date Night Friday, February 7



Come join in the fun for preschoolers through sixth grades. Dads and daughters will have a fun night out together and return to the church for dessert. Register online for this fun event! Cost is \$8 per family.

# YOUTH

DNOW

## Friday - Sunday, January 17-19



Large group sessions will be held at Calvary Baptist Church. Small group sessions will take place at host homes where we will be sleeping. Please sign up on the sign-up sheet located on the back table of the Youth Room or register online. The total cost is \$50.00. The deadline to sign-up is Wednesday, January 15.

Please contact Zach if you have any questions at 225-747-5844.

# CHURCH-WIDE



## Homebound Member of the Week:

**January 5 - 11**  
Peggy West  
122 Azalea Court E  
Pineville, LA 71360

**January 12 - 18**  
Alma Jo Wilkerson  
Brookdale  
2120 Enterprise Dr.  
Biloxi, MS 39531

**January 19 - 25**  
Vyrdis Cox  
Hilltop # 24  
336 Edgewood Dr.  
Pineville, LA 71360

**January 26 - February 1**  
Melva Fairbanks  
606 Pearce Rd.  
Pineville, LA 71360

**February 2 - 8**  
Lula Hale  
Tioga Manor #A-16  
5201 Shreveport Hwy  
Pineville, LA 71360

\*Please consider praying for and sending a letter to our Homebound Members.

## Love and Sympathy Extended:

- Sheryl Neal's family on the loss of her daughter in law's brother, Chip Smith.
- Barnes Funderburk family.
- Angela Mahfouz on the loss of her brother.
- Ronda Roberts on the loss of her mom.
- Juliana Meeker on the loss of her grandfather.
- Donnie Griffin family. Cindy Griffin's brother-in-law and Savannah Forester's uncle.
- Leslie Moore on the loss of her grandmother.

## Sunday School Report



Date	12/8	12/15	12/22	12/29	1/5
Members Present	380	345	345	261	356
Guests Present	10	5	12	23	12
Total Present	390	350	357	284	368

**Louisiana Baptist**  
FOUNDATION

## Giving Options

Gifts of stock, estate stewardship, and more can be handled efficiently and inexpensively by the Louisiana Baptist Foundation. See Thomas Martin or Pastor Stewart for more information. Visit [lbinfo.org](http://lbinfo.org).

General Budget	12/8	12/15	12/22	12/29	1/5
Weekly Goals	30,639.43	30,639.43	30,639.43	30,639.43	29,870.64
Weekly Gifts	30,130.55	21,303.50	29,990.03	57,384.00	32,744.09
Goals to Date	1,501,332.07	1,531,971.50	1,562,610.93	1,593,250.36	29,870.64
Gifts to Date	1,343,507.90	1,364,811.40	1,394,801.43	1,452,185.43	32,744.09
<b>Making Way Building Fund</b>	<b>12/2-12/8</b>	<b>12/9-12/15</b>	<b>12/16-12/22</b>	<b>12/23-12/31</b>	<b>1/1-1/5</b>
Weekly Gifts	1,205.00	765.00	5,781.00	1,050.00	2,282.00
Total Gifts (Since 2015)	1,754,371.75	1,733,654.94	1,744,665.94	1,745,714.94	1,747,996.94



**On-Line Giving - Visit**  
[fbcpineville.net](http://fbcpineville.net)  
and click on the link that says "Give."

## Birthday Blessings

Please pray for our friends on their birthday.

### January

10 - Jenny Corley, Jack Stevens, Sara Toal  
11 - Kathy Carpenter, Kaden Hogg, Lance LaGrange  
12 - George Hughes, Olivia LaBorde, Margaret Mertens, James Rachal  
13 - Aimee Kelley, Larry Morgan,  
14 - Adam Jaques, Molly Plaque  
15 - Richard Chaisson, Becky Cook, John H. George, Lynn Hudgens, Fran Kemper, Tracy Liotta, Megan Redmon  
16 - Rose Girlinghouse, George L. Higgins  
17 - Terry Spruill  
18 - Sarah Price, R. Chip Turner  
19 - Zack Bryant, Nell Johnson, Robert Spruill Jr.  
20 - Sue Juneau, Tommy Moore, Kathy Munger  
21 - Erika Carmouche, Perry Fleming, Angie Rizzo, Angelia Waters  
23 - Ivy Dawson, Sondra Joiner, Jessica Landry  
24 - Lynn Cavanaugh, Butch Morrison, Ryan Perkins, Amy Wagon, Pat Wilson  
25 - Harold Granger, Barbara E. Matthews, Thomas Aaron Nation

### January

27 - Linda Ashe, Brenda Fletcher, Damien Jackson  
28 - Robbie Martin, Bill Taylor  
29 - Emma West, Kon Taek Yi  
30 - Jane Graves  
31 - John Bond, Karin Cripps, Cheryl Lafargue, Amye Mason

### February

1 - Dorothy Morris  
2 - Sally Cavanaugh, Kay Peart  
3 - Chris Bates, Matt Bates, Vernon Pittman, Samantha Winter  
4 - Rachel Cripps, Vanessa Hogan, Daniel Martin  
5 - Hanna Toal, Hayden Toal  
6 - Cathy Neal, Alvin Perkins, Siv Uk, Lois Vance, Mary Williams  
7 - Carol Gunter, Brenda Mills, Sandy Munsterman  
8 - Doug Ashe, Rita Bennett, Lamar Holcomb, David Marcuse, Brian McLaurin  
9 - Bryann Cain, Pansy Morgan, Billye Mulanax

# LifeShare CHURCH-WIDE

## Lifeshare Blood Drive Saturday, January 18

The blood drive will be from 10:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.



## Deacon Installation Sunday, January 19

Please join us for our Deacon Installation Service at 6:00 P.M. We will recognize our outgoing deacons as well as install our 2020 deacon body.



## LAP Night Sunday, January 26

All leadership at FBC Pineville of any level is invited to join us for a night of Leadership, Achievement, and Preparation. We will also have a gumbo cook off.



## 2020 Evangelism Conference Monday and Tuesday, January 27 and 28 First Baptist Church Lafayette

This two-day event will include worship led by the Jason Lovins Band. A senior adult luncheon will be a special emphasis at noon on Tuesday, and there will be breakout sessions on a variety of topics on Tuesday afternoon. For more information contact Keith Manuel at the Louisiana Baptist Convention at 1-800-622-6549.

## Life March Cenla Saturday, February 1



Show your love for moms and babies! Join the thousands of Louisianians who raise their voices, hearts, and feet for LIFE! Meet at Louisiana College before 10:00 A.M.



## Super Bowl Outreach Sunday, February 2

If you are planning on hosting, why not make it an outreach? Yard signs and other material will be available after the morning service on January 26.

Be sure to use #superfbcp whenever you post pictures.



## Monday, February 3 at Noon

RSVP to Lori Pruitt at  
lpruitt@fbcpineville.net.

The cost is \$10.00.

**Guest Speaker: Brian Sanders**  
*Author of Leadership Endurance*

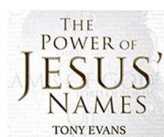


## Together Tuesdays Tuesday, February 4

Together Tuesdays



If you are interested in volunteering for this initiative, please call or email Kimberly for specific times and locations. There are opportunities all day long at several schools. [kaguillard@fbcpineville.net](mailto:kaguillard@fbcpineville.net)



## Sunday Night Home Groups Begin February 9

Our home group series begins Sunday, February 9, at 5:30 P.M. This year, we will explore Tony Evan's *Power of Jesus' Name* in a six week study. Childcare will begin at 5:00 P.M.

If you can host a group, please contact Lori Pruitt at  
[lpruitt@fbcpineville.net](mailto:lpruitt@fbcpineville.net).



## New and Prospective Member Class Sunday, February 23

Are you a new or perspective member? Join us Sunday, February 23, from 5:30 - 7:00 P.M. for F.I.R.S.T. Step in the Fellowship Hall. Dinner and childcare will be provided. We began this class with two groups in mind; those who are our new members and those who are interested in knowing about membership at FBC. This is a non-threatening way for you to have an opportunity to ask questions as well as get to know the ministry staff and other members and worshipers.

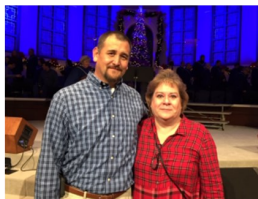
### Goals of F.I.R.S.T. Step:

- Orient you to the purpose, values, vision, and strategy of FBC Pineville
- Describe how membership can be meaningful at FBC Pineville
- Discuss what makes us who we are
- Introduce you to FBC Pineville Ministries & Staff
- Allow for a time of Q & A

If you are a prospective member, you will have an opportunity to join the church at the conclusion of the class.



## PostScripts



Fred and Misty  
Dickinson



Capp, Candace,  
and Ava LaCour



Melody Morales



Stephen and Jill Summers  
(Delaney, Emma, and Landry)

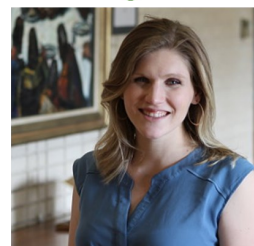


Carter Bentley Morrison was born to Blake and Liz Morrison on December 12, 2019. He weighed 6 lbs 2 oz. and was 19 3/4 in. long. Proud grandparents are Butch and Liz Morrison.

Happy  
Anniversary



**Congratulations to  
Danny Nation on  
his 28 year staff  
anniversary!**



**Congratulations to  
Hailey Fleming on  
her 1 year staff  
anniversary!**

If you have information to include in *Postscripts* or the weekly worship guide, please email the information to Lori Pruitt at [lpruitt@fbcpineville.net](mailto:lpruitt@fbcpineville.net) or contact the church office at 448-8221.