

**CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES**

*Week of May 9, 2010*

*~ Happy Mother's Day ~*

**Sunday**

- 8:50 AM Worship (FLC), Junior Church
- 10:00 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Worship (FLC), Junior Church
- 5:00 PM Youth Flag Football
- 5:30 PM Awana
- 6:30 PM Evening Worship/Parent-Child Dedication (FLC), BYF

**Monday**

- 8:30 AM FB Academy
- 12:00 PM FBA Staff (FLC)
- 1:00 PM VIP's to Nursing Home
- 6:30 PM Scouts
- 6:45 PM Cub Scouts
- 7:00 PM HLBS (Daniel)

**Tuesday**

- 8:30 AM FB Academy
- 10:00 AM TV Ministerial Association Pastors (Library)
- 5:30 PM FOCUS Circle (Fidelis Classroom)
- 6:30 PM CE, Deacon, Mission & Trustee Boards

**Wednesday**

- 8:30 AM FB Academy
- 9:00 AM FBA (Four-Year Olds to West Teays Elementary)
- 6:00 PM Prayer Time, Finance Committee
- 6:15 PM Outreach Visitation
- 6:30 PM Bible Study (FLC), BYF, yoUr Turn
- 7:30 PM Celebration Choir

**Thursday**

- 8:30 AM FB Academy
- 9:00 AM VIP Golf
- 6:00 PM Softball

**Friday**

- 7:00 AM VIP "Cruise" Trip
- 8:30 AM FB Academy
- 5:00 PM Youth to Cowen

*Next Sunday evening will feature the AWANAs.*

*Who can find a virtuous woman? For her price is far above rubies... Her children arise up, and call her blessed...*

*No Love Like a Mother's Love*

*There is no love, like a mother's love,  
No stronger bond on earth...  
Like the precious bond that comes from God,  
To a mother, when she gives birth.*

*A mother's love is forever strong,  
Never changing for all time...  
And when her children need her most,  
A mother's love will shine.*

*God bless these special mothers,  
God bless them every one...  
For all the tears and heartache,  
And for the special work they've done.*

*When her days on earth are over,  
A mother's love lives on...  
Through many generations,  
With God's blessings on each one.*

*Be thankful for our mothers,  
For they love with a higher love...  
From the power God has given,  
And the strength from up above.*



*—Jill Lemming*

**WORSHIP  
~MOTHER'S DAY~  
May 9, 2010**

**AM**

**"SUCCESS GOD'S WAY"**  
Joshua 1:5-9  
~Dr. Sandra Garrett Lutz~

**PM**

**"PARENT-CHILD DEDICATION"**  
~Dr. James E. Lutz~

First Baptist Church  
Phone: 304-562-9281 • Fax: 304-562-2061  
Radio WIHY • 1110 AM • 11:00 O'Clock

**DATED MATERIAL**  
Non-Profit Organization  
**US POSTAGE PAID**  
Permit 7  
Hurricane, WV 25526

**BEACON**

First Baptist Church  
2635 Main Street, Hurricane, WV 25526  
**Address Service Requested**

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**Beacon**



May 4, 2010

**"REJOICING IN GOD'S BLESSINGS  
AND PROMISES"**



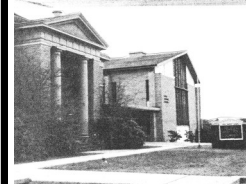
A small band of twenty-four local residents met for the purpose of establishing a church. They met in the home of one family to discuss this possibility. A few thought it hasty to have that as an immediate goal. Most, however, were enthusiastic. By the end of 1860 a small log church (which also served as the schoolhouse) was erected. The group met there until the building fell victim to fire during the war in 1863.



In May 1950 the church celebrated the 90<sup>th</sup> anniversary of this occasion. In May 1960 the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration included a drama and a message by the Governor.



The church's 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary, a week-long celebration including all areas of ministry of the church, was held in May 1985.



Now it is our pleasure as a church body to again recognize this special day as together we celebrate the 150<sup>th</sup> year of First Baptist Church of Hurricane. We hope that the entire church body will be present for all the activities that will be held here on Sunday, May 23 and Wednesday, May 26.

**~ MAY 23, 2010 ~**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL ~ 9:30 AM**

**SUNDAY WORSHIP CELEBRATION ~ 10:30 AM**

Guest Speaker ~ Dr. Jeffrey Johnson, Senior Pastor  
Mt. Vernon Baptist Church

**PIG ROAST ON THE GROUNDS~ 12:00 PM**

Picnic & Singing  
(No Evening Service)

**~ May 26, 2010 ~ 6:30 PM ~**

**ANNIVERSARY DAY**

Short Historical Drama  
Birthday Party in FLC



**CAMC TV:** Judy Lilly  
**CAMC Memorial:** Jesse Whited (Nora's husband)  
**St. Mary's:** Kathryn Stewart (LeAnne Lowe's mother)  
**Sunbridge:** Freeda McGehee  
**Health South:** Kathleen Burford (Twyla Donathan's mother)  
**Bluefield Medical Center:** Roy Riffe (Marcia Craddock's father)

**Betty Johnson** is back home at 442 Conner Street, Hurricane, after an extended stay at Regency Place. Dr. Lutz' mother, **Eva Lutz**, remains in a nursing facility after having hip replacement surgery. Her address there is: Atrium Health Care Center—Village at Penn State, Room 214, 160 Lion's Hill Road, State College, PA 16803.



*"To our loving church family...Thank you for your cards of Christian love and concern which have lifted us up during our continued struggle with health issues. We cannot thank Argatha Scarlato enough for all the acts of kindness she has done for us. She is a true angel. Marlen is back home after another extended stay in the hospital. Please continue to pray for both of us."*

—Estelle & Marlen Brown

*"We again want to thank our church family for remembering us with their visits, cards, and many other expressions of love. A special thanks goes to Jesse & Ruth Lazear, Keith & Elsie Bias, Argatha Scarlato, Geneva Bishop, Doug Boehm & Bob Anderson. We were also blessed with flowers from the June Peters Circle, delivered by Mary Ann Beckett. We thank Ed Zuberbuehler for bringing Trey Renick and Jonathan Harrison to mow our lawn. We watched these boys grow up and now they are young men preparing for their upcoming mission trip."*

—Blessings on all, Royal & June Davis

**OUR CONDOLENCES...**

...to Danny & Diana Brillhart & Family in the May 3rd loss of Danny's cousin, Trilla Wilkerson.

**YOUTH NEWS**

We wish to thank all those who came out last Sunday for the Mother's Day Spaghetti Dinner and supported the youth mission trip with your donations. We appreciate you!



Have you joined us for a time around the campfire? It's a fun time for making smores and enjoying the open air. This takes place on Sunday evenings during our 6:30 youth fellowship. Better still, why not come at 5:00 for **flag football** before the service? It's open to anyone in grades 6-12.

Want to help get **Cowen** cleaned up and ready for summer? Then join us on Friday, May 14! We'll return on the 15th. You'll need work clothes, gloves, old shoes, hygiene items, and a sleeping bag.



*Our graduating seniors are asked to submit pictures to be used during the Senior Service on Sunday, May 30. If you have any questions, contact Molly Witte @ 304-562-1717.*

Saturday, May 22, is the next **Youth Work Day**. If you would like our youth to do a special project around your house that day, please call and get your name on the list. Donations will be accepted and will go toward the mission trip.

**FB Academy & Summer in the Son**

Don't miss the opportunity to enroll your child in the programs being offered. Whether it's Mother's Day Out, Pre-school or Aftercare, your child will have the best of training and care.



The Summer in the Son program is geared for preschool children, ages 3 (potty trained) - grade 5 and offers a variety of activities. Call the office for more information on both programs.

**Happy Anniversary!!!**  
**RUSS & LUCILLE DAVISSON**  
 66 Years ~ May 12

**Shut-Ins Of The Week**  
**DON & MARION CALL**  
 1640 Central Drive, Culloden 25510

**WANTED...**

Names of all 2010 graduates—high school, college & university. Call the church office if you are one of these.



**SUNDAY SERVICES IN FAMILY LIFE CENTER! WORKERS NEEDED!**

**This coming Saturday, May 8, will begin the Sanctuary project—that of installing new and much-needed carpet. Our Sunday service this week (and possibly the next) will be held in the FLC. Hands are needed to set up chairs. If you can help, be here at 8:00 a.m. this coming Saturday.**

**VIP MINISTRY**

**BIGGEST LOSER CONTEST**

*And the Winner Is...*

**DAVID WOOD**

*Congratulations, David!*

**Sight & Sound Theatre**

*"Joseph"*

June 4-6 ~ Cost \$175 (Double)

**More Cancellations!**

**Five(5) Seats Available!!!**

**Dinner Theatre**

**"Church Basement Ladies"**

Thursday, July 1 ~ 6:30 AM

Cost \$42 (Limit 40)

**Honey in the Rock**

Theatre WV ~ Beckley

Saturday, July 10 ~ 3:00 PM

\$20 & C-D Picnic Dinner

**Visit the Amish Country**

Saturday, July 24 ~ 5:30 AM

\$65 (Chartered Bus)

**Creation Museum**

Cincinnati, Ohio Area

Saturday, August 28 ~ 8:00 AM

Cost \$25 Plus Lunch

**National Quartet Convention**

September 16-19

Cost: \$400 Per Person (\$50 Deposit)

Chartered Bus/Lodging/Breakfasts/

Dinner/Convention Admission/

Sightseeing/Shopping

**VIP Retreat**

October 6-8 ~ Heritage Farm

Only 12 spots left!

*More information on these outings can be found at the Info Booth.*

**FAMILY NEEDS HELP**

A local family recently lost their home to fire. They have relocated, but need clothing, a half bed & possibly bunk beds.

**Father:** 32x34 Pants; Shirts L-XL

**Mother:** 20-26 Jeans; Tops 3X-4X

**Son:** 36 Jeans; Shirts 2XL

**Daughters:** Size 6-8; Shoes size 2.

Bring donations to the church office.

**VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE**

*Sunday, May 9, 2010*

**DEACON OF THE WEEK:**

*Doug Boehm*

**CHILDCARE:**

**Nursery:**

*(8:40): Nancy Carte, Ollie Dailey*

*(9:40): Kellie Boehm, Rebecca*

*Bennett*

*(6:15): Donna Belfield, OPEN*

**Early Childhood:**

*(8:40): Susan Hayslett, Erin Goheen*

**Orange Room:** *Rebecca Bennett*

**Red Room:** *Tim & Jennifer Burns*

**DOOR GREETERS:**

*Doug & Kellie Boehm*

**NURSE ON DUTY:** *Veda Freeman*

**Wednesday, May 12**

**NURSERY (6:15):** *Mary Lou Turner,*

*Rachael Copley*

**OUTREACH VISITATION:**

*Donetta Shirkey, Jim & Joy McGehee,*

*Shirley Casto, Doug Boehm*

**BAGS OF SMILES**



The collection of women's personal and hygiene items for distribution at the Christian Community Cupboard continues. Donations can be left in the tub in the Fidelis Classroom.

**BUNDLES OF JOY**

Last October, Bundles of Joy was able to help many families in our community by supplying them with basic baby needs but most importantly, the message of the Gospel. Please continue supporting this ministry as we once again begin our collection. For the month of May, we will be collecting diapers and wipes.



**RED'S GAME**

The Red's Game on Thursday, June 17, is open to anyone who might want to go. Cost is \$25, payable when signing up.

**STEWARDSHIP**

*Week of May 2, 2010*

**ATTENDANCE**

Early Worship	228
Sunday School	313
Worship	374
Evening Worship	157
Wednesday, April 28	136

**FINANCIAL REPORT**

*(18th Sunday of 2010)*

**Unified Budget**

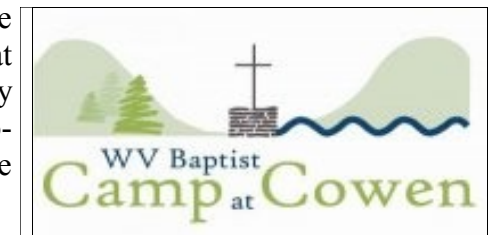
This Week	\$ 19,739.40
Goal To Date	265,519.26
Received To Date	270,329.71
Percent Met	101%

**Building Fund**

This Week	\$ 4,272.50
Goal To Date	54,217.62
Received To Date	51,723.50
Percent Met	95%

**Miscellaneous Receipts**

Community Cupboard	355.00
Deacon's Fund	260.00
Awana	213.27
Youth Mission Trip	783.47
Radio Ministry	60.00
First Baptist Academy	1,325.00
Love Gift	187.00



**~Camp Dates~**

<b>Older Midler</b> June 6-9 Grades 3-4	<b>Younger Midler</b> June 11-13 Grades 2-4
<b>Jr. High I</b> June 13-19 Grades 7-9	<b>Outpost Camp</b> June 13-19 Grades 9-12
<b>Extreme Camp</b> June 13-19 Grades 10-12	<b>Junior I</b> June 20-26 Grades 5-6
<b>Jr. High II</b> June 27-July 3 Grades 7-9	<b>Senior High</b> July 11-17 Grades 10-12
<b>Junior II</b> July 18-24 Grades 5-6	<b>Mid-High</b> July 25-31 Grades 9-11

**Age group is based on grade in Fall of 2010.**