



FBC eBlast

November 4, 2021

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When Fred Craddock was a pastor in the mountains of East Tennessee, the church had a two-week, all-day VBS. He was ready to quit after the first day. Desperate for activities, one day he told the kids to go into the woods and find something that reminded them of God. A girl brought back a flower and said, "God is beautiful." A boy brought a rock and said "God is stout." One brought some berries and said, "God is good; He feeds us." Jim East, who was, said Craddock, "the meanest kid I ever

saw," came back holding the hand of his little sister. Asked what that told him about God, he said, "Uh, uh, I don't know." Fred Craddock said, "That's it." He couldn't put it into words, but "this mean little kid recognized that there wasn't a thing in the forest that told him as much about God as his sister." When God made the ducks, the lions, the dogwood, the waterfalls, and stars, He said, "That's good." But it wasn't enough, and so God said, "I'm going to make something in my own image" And that's when God made you. Remember that you and everyone you meet are made by God in His very own image. Let Him guide you to live like it, and to treat people that way.

This Sunday morning we return to the Book of Nehemiah. Are we're using what God has provided us to become the people He would have us to be? In Chapter 7, having rebuilt the wall around Jerusalem, Nehemiah turns his attention to the people who will be living in the land, and he provides us with some important markers that help us answer that question. On Sunday night we'll look to the first three verses in the Gospel of Mark and consider the beginning of the gospel. Don't forget to fall back – time changes this weekend - and don't miss what God will be doing here this Sunday!

Bro. Dean



Spaghetti Day! This Sunday!

This Sunday, November 7, the Youth will serve a spaghetti lunch in Madden Hall immediately following the morning service. Everyone is invited! There is no charge; donations will be received for Operation Christmas Child.



Change Those Clocks!

This weekend we have kindly decided to allow you one extra hour of sleep on Saturday night so that you will be alert and prepared for Sunday School and Worship on Sunday morning. Don't forget to change those clocks and take advantage of it!



This Sunday: Deacon Nominations

This Sunday morning we will ask church members to nominate three men to serve a three-year term as deacons. Those currently active are Mark Matheny, Phil Purvis, Bill Sharp, Jeff Stevenson, Bob Walls, and Darrell Goins; those completing their term and rolling off are Darren Jessup, Jeff Todd (Beth), and Jeff Todd (Jeannette). Please read I Timothy 3 and pray about your nominations



Mark Your Calendar:

Sun., Nov. 14: Bro. Tony brings the messages in the AM & PM services
 Tue., Nov. 23: Community Thanksgiving Service, The Experience, 7:00 PM
 Wed., Nov. 24: No Wednesday Night activities
 Sun., Dec. 5: Week of Prayer for International Missions, Lottie Moon begin
 Sun., Dec. 12: Children's Choir helps lead in AM service
 Sun., Dec. 19: Adult Choir presents Christmas Musical in AM service



Operation Christmas Child Box Packing Party:

November 13, 4:30, Upstairs in Madden Hall – Food Provided!
Packing your own? Boxes are due by that day. Preprinted boxes are now available here.



A Blessing Basket...

...has been placed on the AOK table for Walter (Quint) Baird and Allison Higgins. Their wedding date is November 27th; they are registered at Bed, Bath, and Beyond.



We continue to receive resumes for the position of Ministry Assistant in the Church Office. Pray that the Lord brings us the right person for the job, and if you are interested, or know of someone who is, contact Bro. Dean or a member of the Personnel Committee—Barbara Parker, Theresa Stevenson, or John Higgins.



**CELEBRATE RECOVERY –
TUESDAYS, MADDEN HALL
6:30 PM (SUPPER AT 6:00)**

Reading & Praying through God's Word in 2021

"If you are ignorant of God's Word, you will always be ignorant of God's will." – Billy Graham

Nov. 4: OT—Jer. 32, 33; NT—Heb. 1
 Nov. 5: OT—Jer. 34, 35, 36; NT—Heb. 2
 Nov. 6: OT—Jer. 37, 38, 39; NT—Heb. 3
 Nov. 7: OT—Jer. 40, 41, 42; NT—Heb. 4
 Nov. 8: OT—Jer. 43, 44, 45; NT—Heb. 5
 Nov. 9: OT—Jer. 46, 47; NT—Heb. 6
 Nov. 10: OT—Jer. 48, 49; NT—Heb. 7
 Nov. 11: OT—Jer. 50; NT—Heb. 8



Autism Facts:

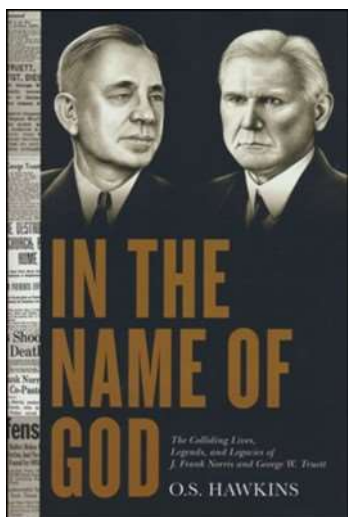
- Nearly 50% of those with autism wander or bolt from safety.
- Almost 1/3 of special needs families say they have left at least one church because their child was not included or welcomed.
- Nearly 50% of special needs parents say they refrain from participating in religious activities because their child was not included or accommodated.



This Sunday Morning, October 31

Nursery, 3T—Mia Weaver and Marna Higgins

Children's Message: Jeff Stevenson



Church Library Resource of the Week

George W. Truett and J. Frank Norris dominated the church culture of much of the first half of the twentieth century, not only in Texas, but in the whole of America. Norris, of First Baptist Church in Fort Worth, and Truett, of First Baptist Church in Dallas, lived lives of conflict and controversy. Each led one of the largest churches in the world in the 1920s and '30s. Each shot and killed a man, one by accident and the other in self-defense. Together, their lives were a panoply of intrigue, espionage, confrontation, manipulation, plotting, scheming, and even blackmail—in the name of God. Yet together, they changed the world. Find *In the Name of God: The Colliding Lives, Legends, and Legacies of J. Frank Norris and George W. Truett*, by O.S. Hawkins, in your Church Library at 200 HAW!

Memory Verse

“But shun profane and idle babblings, for they will increase to more ungodliness.”
—II Timothy 2: 16

NORMAL SERVICE TIMES

<i>Sundays</i>	<i>Wednesdays</i>
Sunday School – 9:30 AM Morning Worship – 10:30 AM Discipleship Training – 5:30 PM Evening Worship – 6:30 PM	GA’s, RA’s, Mission Friends – 6:00 PM Prayer Meeting – 6:00 PM High School Student Group—6:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal—7:00 PM
<i>Nursery Provided During Each Service</i> <i>Morning worship broadcast on WBRY, AM 1540 & FM 107.1; morning and evening worship and Prayer Meeting all streamed live on Facebook and YouTube (FBC Woodbury), and on the church website (fbcwoodbury.org).</i>	

NORMAL CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM,
Closed: New Year’s Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve & Christmas Day



Rheneas Rogers joins us for worship by livestream.

Prayer Guide

Please help us keep the Prayer Guide updated – send anyone you would like to add, and notify us of anyone who can be removed. Thank you!

Church Family

Don, Dean Barker
Wallace Burke
Patrick, Karie Cecil
Mark Davis
Mance Davis
Lou Goins
Cecil Gregory
Drunell Higgins
Judy Holt
Doris Markum
David Odom
Benton Parker
Brandon Schwartz
Misty Stankoff
Addy Todd

Friends & Family-submitted by the person listed

Daphnea Anderson (Theresa Stevenson)
J.W. Bailey (Allen Portwood)
Tina Baker (Julie Powers)
Kay Barrett, April Vance (Carolyn Schwartz)
Patsy Barrett (Shirley Reed)
David Brannan (Bob Davenport)
Terry Conley (Jeanette Todd)
Virginia Corr (Wanda Walls)
Augusta Donnell (Shirley Parker)
Katie Ferrell (Stacie Francis)
Family of Andrea Sharp Gleaves (Bill Sharp)
Norma Hancock (Martha Burke)
Jean (Tony Burnett)
Phyllis Judkins (Lesa Davis)
Kelli Lamb (Will Farris)
Shane Lamb (Ann Haley)
Gale Menzel (Sandy Bogle)
Colton Merriman (Lydia Womack)
Karen Michael (Lydia Womack)
Craig Miller (Jeff Todd)
Fletcher Moore (Tonya Davenport)
Ronald Moss (Glenda Hunter)
Claudia Odom (Shirley Parker)
Lisa Odom (Jan Purvis)
Donna Oliver (Jamie Anderson)
Thelma Owen (Douglas Jennings)
Gerald Don Petigo (Douglas Jennings)
Mamie Powers (Matt Powers)
Ronnie Proffitt (Lydia Womack)
Robert Singleton (Jan Purvis)
Charlotte Sissom (Dwayne Sissom)

Patrick, Susan Sorel (Julie Powers)
Don, Eunice Stevenson (Jeff Stevenson)
Declan Sullivan & family (Ann Haley)
Johnny Taylor (Ann Haley)
Arlis Thomas (Patrick Cecil)
Eric Ward (Rebecca Bucher)
Michelle Wilkerson (Jeff, Jeanette Todd)
Jeff Woodin (Glenda Hunter)
Caleb Young (Jeff Todd)
Jacque Zimmerman (Ann Haley)

Expectant Families: Dakota/Hannah Beasley

Nursing Homes/Assisted Living: Faye Armstrong,
Edith Northcutt, Loretta Wilkinson, Barbara Melton

Missionaries: Buck/Annie Barton, Lee/Sophia Ford,
Marcus/Sara McBee, Al/Margaret Patterson, Angela
Dawson, Gavin/Laura Pinkston, Phil/Laura Metcalf, PJ
Scott, Chris/Rebecca Abner

Church Staff: Dean Anderson, Rhett Brewer, Tony
Burnett, Judy Jacobs, Julie Powers

Military: Caleb Daniel, Brad Davis, Chris Gillis,
Stephon Harris, Zachary Hyde, Steven Pirtle, Justin
Wax, Parker Woodworth, Taylor Woodworth

College Students: Brady Bryson, Drew Bucher, Melissa
Burnett, Lytton Haley, Bradi Mason, Addison Melton,
Laura Beth Nichols, Ashlyn Nokes, Julianna Schau, Etta
Gaines, Chandler Todd

Active Deacons: Darren Jessup, Jeff A. Todd, Jeff D.
Todd, Mark Matheny, Jeff Stevenson, Bob Walls, Bill
Sharp, Phil Purvis, Darrell Goins

Church Matters: Celebrate Recovery; Bro. Tony &
Student Ministry; Bruce Marchiano & Gospel of John
film; IMB Missionaries; Bethesda Baptist, Brockton,
MA; persecuted Christian worldwide; nation & leaders;
Gideons; Jail Ministry, the lost