## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Manhood Month is coming to an end and we thank the Male Summit Ministry for their planning and leadership during this month. The latest edition of the Calvary Chronicle is available, please download it from our website (there MAY be a few old school hard copies around here somewhere ©). Now we look towards August, and it's Missions Month at First Calvary. I hope and pray that this coming month we will be reminded that we are a mission minded, Bible believing and faith sharing congregation. PLEASE bring in your Food Pantry Donations for our Family Challenge and bookbags for our Back to School Event. We will also host the Durham Alumni Chapter of Johnson C. Smith University's Music Concert on August 28<sup>th</sup>. It's hard to believe that there are only 5 months left in the year, but 2016 is moving right along and so is Ministry at First Calvary.

Can you believe that 2016 is over half gone? Seems like only yesterday that we were saying, "Happy New Year" and ushering in 2016...but time waits for no one. As we move into the last portion of the year, I encourage each Disciple of First Calvary to remember that your time, talents, treasures, and prayers help us keep Ministry going within this Church Body. We need your support physically, financially, mentally, and spiritually to continue to do what thus saith the Lord for this appointed time in this appointed place. Your gifts matter and you matter...so don't forget to give. There is something for everyone to do and commit to at First Calvary, and I encourage each of you to find where you fit and serve. It's all about service...and good stewardship!!

We end up our Men from the Bible Study for the month with the story of Moses. Moses' story is in the Old Testament...and what a story it is! The life of Moses is full of lessons for us all: faith, leadership, relationships, obedience to God, family, and hearing God. Moses's story reminds us that God is faithful, that His promises are true and that He takes care of His people. That's comforting news for the believer...for you and me. Never forget that God cares for you....and never forget that we are AN EXCITING CHURCH EXCITED ABOUT ITS MISSION!

## THE DEACON'S MESSAGE

Popular fashions come and go. What people wore in the 60's or 70's isn't as popular as what everyone is wearing today. Nevertheless, if possible, most people want to be "in style." There are a few who go against the grain and attempt to create their own style, but no one wants to be viewed as one who isn't stylish. As a nation we focus more on what we wear on the outside instead of what lies within our hearts. What makes us truly fashionable to other people is a heart that beats for Christ. People may not understand the allure if they are not believers but there should be a magnetic draw that we possess because we live for Christ. Colossians 3:14 (NLT) gets to the heart of the matter and gives us an expert fashion tip: "And the most important piece of clothing you must wear is love. Love is what binds us together in perfect harmony." If we pull from our wardrobe and put on Christ daily we will always possess flawless fashion.

#### **TODAY'S MINISTRY THROUGH SERVICE**

Music: **Mass Choir Director of Music Ministries:** Minister Michael Dotson **Church Musician: Brother David Cannady** Percussionist: **Brother Andre Sanders** Saxophonist: **Brother Lynwood Jones** First Aide Ministry: Sister Virginia Lindsay **Encourager: Sister Mary Morris Audio Technicians: Deacon Calvin Squires** 

Nursery Volunteers: Dwanna Wiggins/DNai Jackson/

Joscelyn Brazile

Videographers: Sister Crystal Bethea/

Sister Delois Cue Brother Jeff Forde/

Van Drivers Next Sunday: Brother Jeff Forde/ Brother Ralph Mack

## STEWARDSHIP STATISTICS

Our <u>Tithes & Offerings</u> must be \$32,288.46 per Sunday to meet our budget. Thank you for giving!

July 24, 2016

Bible Study <u>78</u> Sunday School <u>146</u> New Members <u>1</u>
Early Worship <u>191</u> Worship Service <u>267</u>

\$22,051.87 Tithes and Offering \$14,165.84 Sacrificial Offering \$212.00 Food Pantry Children's Church \$15.88 \$100.00 Gift/Donation Mortgage Bearer Campaign \$480.00 \$156.00 Scholarship Sunday School \$162.74 Online Giving \$6,206.25 **Total Giving** \$43,550.58

# "ANOINTED & SENT" (Isaiah 61:1) The 25th Dastoral Anniversary-"Prayer Topic" July- SAFE KEEPING...

Pray for continued physical and spiritual protection for Pastor & Mrs. Davis and the entire Davis family.

Additionally, pray for continued safety for all of FCBC.

# MANHOOD MONTH

# July 2016

SUN 3	7:45 AM 9:30 AM 10:30 AM 10:45 AM	Early Morning Worship Sunday School Service of Baptism Morning Worship/Children's Church INDEPENDENCE DAY			
6	12:00 noon	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED  Noon Day Prayer			
	6:45 PM	Prayer & Praise			
9	7:00 PM 9:00 AM	Bible Study  DENTAL VAN			
9	10:00 AM	MEN'S COOKOUT-Forest Hills Park			
<b>SUN 10</b>	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship			
	9:30 AM	Sunday School			
12	10:45 AM	Morning Worship/Children's Church			
13	12:00 noon 6:30 PM	Noon Day Prayer Prayer & Praise			
	7:00 PM	Bible Study			
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SUN 17	7:45 AM 9:30 AM	Early Morning Worship Sunday School			
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship/Children's Church			
	4:00 PM	MEN'S SONGFEST			
19	7:00 PM	Male Summit Meeting			
20	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer			
	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise			
22	7:00 PM	QUARTERLY CHURCH CONFERENCE			
23	8:30 AM	MEN'S LIFEBUILDERS' CONFERENCE			
SUN 24		CELEBRATION OF MANHOOD/			
	7:00 AM	SACRIFICIAL SUNDAY			
	7:45 AM	Intercessory Prayer Early Morning Worship			
	9:30 AM	Sunday School			
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship/Children's Church			
27	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer			
	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise			
	7:00 PM	Bible Study			
SUN 31		COUPLES' SUNDAY			
	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship			
	9:30 AM	Sunday School			
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship/Children's Church			
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# NO FOOD, DRINK OR GUM IN THE SANCTUARY. HELP KEEP THE BUILDING CLEAN BY DISPOSING OF TRASH.

\*Please remain standing

\*\*Please refrain from walking during The Sermon
Use the rear exit unless there is an emergency
THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION

If you are having a medical procedure, or are sick at home for over a week, please contact the church office so that Pastoral contact can occur as soon as possible or at your request.

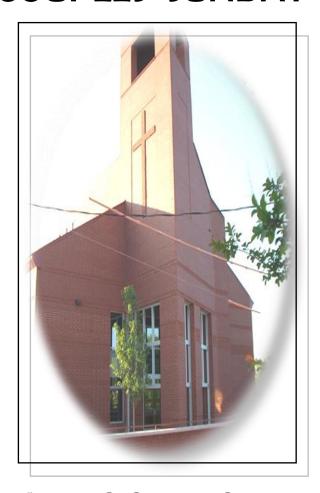
The Abbreviated FC Mission Statement:

E<sup>3</sup>: Empower spiritual lives, Enhance quality of life,
& Evangelize the lost



"An Exciting Church Excited About Its Mission"

# **COUPLES' SUNDAY**



# MANHOOD MONTH

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#### SUNDAY

Worship- 7:45am & 10:45am ◆ Sunday School-9:30am Children's Church-10:45am

#### **WEDNESDAY**

Noon Day Prayer- 12:00pm Prayer & Praise- 6:30pm◆Bible Study-7:00pm

"DEVELOPING AND LEADING DISCIPLES INTO SPIRITUAL EXCELLENCE"



# July 31, 2016

7:45 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. (Couples Participants listed for second service)

#### **PRAISE & ADORATION**

Call to Worship/Scripture......Minister

Minister & Sister Booth
(10:45 a.m.)

Acts 6: 7-15; 7: 54-60

Prayer..........Deacon

Deacon & Deaconess Gibbs
(10:45 a.m.)

Praise & Worship.....FCBC Praise Team

The Word in Song

The Time of Fellowship

Hymn....#154

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

# **CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP**

The Church News.....Brother & Sister Wiggins (10:45 a.m.)

The Greeting......Brother & Sister Shelly (10:45 a.m.)

**Pastoral Concerns** 

Offertory Appeal......Couples' Ministry (7:45 a.m.)

Brother & Sister Roper (10:45 a.m.)

Offertory Prayer......Brother & Sister Roper

\*Offertory Response....."All Things Come of Thee"

Offertory Music

# **CARE & CONCERNS THROUGH PRAYER**

Recognition of Returning Sick/Prayer Concerns

\*Hymn of Dedication.....#463

"Sweet Hour of Prayer"

Altar Call & Prayer......Minister & Sister Thomas
(10:45 a.m.)

The Word in Song

#### **WORSHIP THROUGH INSTRUCTION**

\*\*The Sermon......Pastor Fredrick A. Davis

"TIME TO STAND UP" Acts 6: 7-15; 7: 54-60

\*Invitation to Christian Discipleship/Invitational Selection

If you would like to unite with our Church Family, you can do so during the Hymn of Invitation following the sermon. You may join by Baptism, Christian Experience, Letter, or as an Associate Member.

\* Benediction

\*PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE and remain standing

\*\*Please refrain from walking during The Sermon

# **CHURCH NEWS**

FROM PASTOR DAVIS: Join the Prayer Conference Call on Wednesdays at 7:00 a.m. (712-432-1001, code "494132935#"), Noon Day Prayer (Wednesdays), and Intercessory Prayer (4th Sundays, 7:00 a.m.)

The Durham Area Chapter of JCSU Alumni will have their Annual Gospel Expo on August 28<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m. here at First Calvary. The First Calvary Mass Choir will be in concert with them. Please plan to be here for this musical worship event!

Deacon Family Units this week: Hatcher, Jones, & Lipscomb.

New disciples (12 & up) are urged and invited to attend the <u>NEW DISCIPLES CLASS</u> at 9:30 a.m. The lesson on August 7<sup>th</sup> is Lesson 7, "What Baptists Believe (Part II)".

THE FCBC NURSERY is looking for adult and youth ages 12 and up to serve. If you are looking for a way to make a difference in ministry, the nursery is just the place for you. Please contact Sister Dwanna Wiggins at nursery@firstcalvary.org for details

THE VIDEO MINISTRY is looking for you! We are expanding our team of video editors to form a rotation monthly roster. We need committed volunteers willing to dedicate a 1½ hour session once a month. If you are able, twice a month would be twice as nice! If you desire to video instead, don't worry...we can still use your help! All interested parties should contact Sister Barbie Bolden at (919)627-8091 or email video@firstcalvary.org.

<u>CAMP CALVARY RECOGNITION DAY:</u> This year Camp Calvary is celebrating 15 years of existence and serving the community. If you or your child/(ren) attended or participated in anyway with the camp, please plan to join us Sunday, August 28<sup>th</sup> during the 10:45 a.m. service for a special moment of recognition.

CAMP CALVARY CAMPERS NEED YOUR HELP! This year's theme for Camp Calvary is "Changing the World: Pay it Forward". The campers have decided that they want to "Pay It Forward" by donating items to the Genesis Home, to the Animal Rescue Mission, and to the Ronald McDonald House of Durham. Please help by donating toiletry items (toothbrushes, soap, lotion, deodorant) or pet food (cat or dog food). Additionally, if you have soda, soup or anything with a pop top/tab PLEASE donate those as well. Please drop your donations off at the Community Family Life and Recreation Center at Lyon Park (CFL&RC) 1309 Halley St. Durham, NC 27707 up until Thursday, August 4th.

**OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE:** If you see or have concerns regarding the building or the upkeep of the church, call in to the O & M Voice mail and leave a message. (919)489-4184, extension 1050.

BACK TO SCHOOL BOOKBAGS: Please consider donating full-sized bookbags for the Back to School event in August. Bring them to Minister Carter's office....this is always a HUGE event in the life of this church....your help is needed for the bookbag project! You can also give a monetary donation for bookbag purchase....put "Back to School" on your envelope on check. THANK YOU TO THOSE THAT HAVE ALREADY GIVEN!!

ITEM COLLECTION: Throughout the month of August, the ACT Ministry will be collecting toiletries and cleaning supplies for the two residential communities managed by the AIDS Community Residence Association. Please place donations in the plastic bin located in the Atrium area. Please contact Sister Channelle Marsh at (919)248-0834 if you have any questions.

THE CLOTHING GIVEAWAY will be held at Ma Bessie's house, 1019 Cornell Street, from 8: 00 a.m.-12: 00 noon on Saturday, August 20<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Sister Marion McClain at (919) 451-9615 if you have any donations prior to the giveaway to schedule a donation drop off time.

WESTEND COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC. SUPPORT: Have a meal at the Carolina Ale House, South Square, 3911 Durham-Chapel Hill Blvd. TODAY from 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. for "Dine & Donate". A portion of your meal price will be donated to the WECF.

<u>SUNDAY DINNER:</u> Take your church bulletin (after you read it) to Positalia Restaurant at Brier Creek and receive 20% off your meal all day on Sundays. This can also be done at Zaxby's on Hillandale Road, where you will receive 10% off.

## **HEALING AND RECOVERY**

Remember our sick & shut-in members with prayers, cards, visits, & calls and share this information with the Pastor and Deacons. Contact the church office with sick & shut in information.

HOSPITAL & CARE FACILITY					
Sis. Linda Breeze	Brian Center				
	6000 Fayetteville Road 27713				
Bro. Charles Hogan	Carver Living Center				
	303 E. Carver Street 27704				
Bro. Reynold Johnson	<b>Duke University Medical Center</b>				
Sis. Gussie Langley	Carver Living Center				
	303 E. Carver Street 27704				
Sis. Sylvia Torain	Valley Rehab Center				
	581 NC Hwy 16 South Taylorsville, NC 28681				

381 NC HWY 10 30util Taylorsville, NC 28081				
Α	T HOME CARE			
Sis. Hattie Barlow	PO Box 11865	27703		
Sis. Iris Blackwell	1 Lucas Drive	27703		
Sis. Mary Bolling	2330 Taylor Street	27703		
Sis. Ruthie Crisp	609 Shannon Road, Chapel Hill	27516		
Sis. Mary Lee Elliott	4 Rock Cottage Court, Apt. 4-B	27707		
Bro. Michael Fitchett	5154 Torrey Pine Lane	27713		
Sis. Wilhemenia Foster-Long	309 Pearson Drive	27713		
Min. Emma Harper	601 McNair Street	27707		
Sis. Shirley Jackson	2420 Glenbrook Drive	27704		
Bro. Charles Joyner	1023 Rosedale Rd.	27707		
Sis. Delphine Lemon	425 E. Pilot Street, Room 47	27707		
Sis. Shawn McClain	500 Pickwick Trl., #310	27704		
Sis. Eliza McCrimmon	901 Chalk Level Rd., Apt. B-4	27707		
Sis. Rachelle Nelums	723 Melanie Street	27713		
Dea. John Smith	1405 Timber Wolf Drive	27713		
Deacns. Janet Squires	856 Ember Drive	27703		
Sis. Mary Strayhorn	1205 Moreland Avenue	27707		
Sis. Lillie Trice	215 Wm. Penn Plaza, Apt. 1331	27704		
Min. Tyrone Whitaker	201 Regiment Way	27705		

#### MUSIC MINISTRY REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

MON. & THURS.-August 1st & 4th
Psalms 150- 6:30pm
Music Ministry-7:30pm

Mon.- August 1st
Praise Team- 7:30pm

**"Anointed & Sent"** (Isaiah 61: 1)

Celebrating 25 Years of
Pastoral Ministry for Pastor Fredrick A. Davis



The Food Pantry Family Challenge
Bring your items in for Week 1:
"How You BEAN? I'm SOUP-er!"
Bags of Dry Beans & Cans of Soup
Help reach the 100 item weekly goal!!

# MINISTRY MEETING SCHEDULE

CFLR –Community Family Life Center at Lyon Park
CFR –Conference Room CRM -Choir Room
CR I -Classroom 1 CR II -Classroom 2 CR III -Classroom 3
FH – Fellowship Hall LIB – Library Sanct-Sanctuary

7:00 am Intercessory Prayer Service (4<sup>th</sup> Sun)

#### **SUNDAY**

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9:30 pm	Discipleship Orientation Class	LIB
1:15pm	Health & Wellness Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR I
1:15 pm	Evangelism Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR II
1:15 pm	Daughters of Calvary (3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun)	CR II
1:15 pm	Computer Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR III
4:00 pm	Associate Ministers (each 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR II
5:00 pm	Deacons & Trustee Ministry Mtg. (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR III/LIB
6:30 pm	Official Leadership Team (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	FH
	MONDAY	
6:00 pm	Tots of Praise Rehearsal (after 1 <sup>st</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sun)	CRM
6:30 pm	Psalm 150 (after 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sun)	CRM
6:30 pm	Young Adult Choir (after 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CRM
6:30pm	Children's Church Committee (after 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	LIB
6:30 pm	Sunday School Teachers (1st Mon)	CR I
6:30 pm	Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise	FH/Sanct
7:00pm	Entrepreneur Ministry (1st Mon)	CR III
7:00pm	Visionary Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday)	LIB
7:30pm	Male Chorus (after 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun)	CRM
7:30pm	Young Adult Choir (before 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday)	CRM
	TUESDAY	
6:00pm	Scouting Ministry (every other Tuesday)	ALL AREAS
6:30pm	Hospitality Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday)	CR I
6:30pm	Praise Team	CRM
6:30pm	Circle of Care (COC) (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday-Quarterly)	LIB
7:00pm	Male Summit (Tuesday after 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun)	LIB
7:30pm	Music Council (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday)	CR II
7:30pm	The Encouragers (1st Tuesday)	CR III
	WEDNESDAY	
12:00pm	Noon Day Prayer	LIB
6:30pm	Prayer and Praise Service	FH
7:00pm	Bible Study	FH & CR
	THURSDAY	
6:00pm	Nursery Ministry (1st Thursdays)	Nursery
6:30pm	Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise	FH/Sanct
6:30pm	Beautification Committee (2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday)	CR I
6:30pm	Couples' Ministry (4th Thursday)	CR II
6:30pm	Youth Council (4th Thursday)	CR I
6:30pm	ACT Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday)	CR I
6:30pm	Young Adult Ministry (3rd Thursday)	CR II
7:00pm	Singles in Love with Christ (4th Thursday)	LIB
7:00pm	Sunday Service Choir Rehearsal	CRM
7:30pm	Drama Ministry	CR III
	SATURDAY	
9:30am	Pearls of Praise (2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday)	CR I
10:00am	Scholarship Ministry (before the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday)	CR II
10:00am	PROJECT F.I.N.E.	CFLR
10:00am	Onesiphorous Prison Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday)	CR I
11:00am	Senior Missionary Circle (3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday)	LIB
11:00am	Senior Usher & First Aid Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat)	CR II/ Sanc
11:00am	Deaconess Ministry (before the 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday)	LIB/Sanct
11:30am	Culinary Arts Ministry (4th Saturday)	LIB

You are invited to join us for Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.!