

# First Calvary Baptist Church

## January 6, 2019

### 7:45 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. Worship

#### PRAISE & ADORATION

Call to Worship/Scripture.....Minister  
Ephesians 5: 15-20

Prayer.....Deacon

Praise & Worship.....FCBC Praise Team

The Word in Song

The Litany

#### CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

The Church News (10:45 a.m.).....Sister Wanda Cooper

The Greeting (10:45 a.m.).....Miss Courtney Thomas

The Time of Fellowship

Hymn.....#154  
"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

Pastoral Concerns

Offertory Appeal

Offertory Prayer.....Minister

\*Offertory Response.....#652  
"You Can't Beat God Giving"

Offertory Music

#### CARE & CONCERNS THROUGH PRAYER

The Recognition of Returning Sick/Prayer Concerns

\*Hymn of Dedication.....#384  
"Trust & Obey"

Altar Call & Prayer.....Minister

The Word in Song

#### WORSHIP THROUGH INSTRUCTION

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

#### "THE YEAR OF PRAYER & PRAISE"

**Ephesians 5: 15-20**

\*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.*

The Presentation of New Members

The Litany for Communion

The Holy Communion

\*Benediction

**\*PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE and remain standing**

**\*\*Please refrain from walking during The Sermon**

## CHURCH NEWS

**FROM PASTOR DAVIS:** The following persons have completed **New Disciples Class** and will receive the **Right Hand of Fellowship:** Donna Prout, Keneisna Young, and Marcella Gartrell. **Welcome New Members!**

**Annual Church Conference will be held on Wednesday, January 9<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 p.m. There will be no Bible Study.**

**The City Wide Revival will be held January 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. nightly at Peace Missionary Baptist Church. First Calvary will serve on Tuesday, January 8<sup>th</sup>.**

New disciples (12 & up) are urged and invited to attend the **NEW DISCIPLES CLASS** at 9:30 a.m. The lesson on January 6<sup>th</sup> is Lesson 1, "What Does It Mean to be a Christian Disciple?".

**POP:** Pearls of Praise will meet on Saturday, January 12, 2019 at 9:30 a.m. We will begin our study of Discerning the Voice of God: How to Recognize When God is Speaking, by Priscilla Shirer. All ladies are invited to attend.

**USHERS/FIRST AIDE:** The Ushers and First Aide Ministry will meet on Saturday, January 12<sup>th</sup>, at 11:00 a.m. All current Ushers and First Aide members should be present and those interested in becoming active members are cordially invited.

**THOSE WHO CAN, TEACH: DO YOU HAVE A DESIRE TO HELP FULFILL THE GREAT COMMISSION? DO YOU HAVE A DESIRE TO INSTRUCT OTHERS IN THE WORD OF GOD? DO YOU HAVE A BURNING DESIRE TO MAKE AN IMPACT FOR THE KINGDOM OF GOD?** If you answered "yes" to ANY of those questions, contact Minister John Carter at [carter@firstcalvary.org](mailto:carter@firstcalvary.org) and become a Christian Ed teacher.

**THE AUDIO MINISTRY** is looking for volunteers to join the ministry. Training is available. Contact Deacon Calvin Squires, (919)606-4904, or Deacon Darryll Gadson (919)806-1298.

**MLK LOCK-IN: SERVING OPPORTUNITY: MLK CHAPERONES NEEDED!!!!** Calling all persons 21 & Older: If you are interested in serving as an Volunteer during the 2019 MLK Youth Lock-In (January 20-21, 2019), please plan to attend ONE (1) of the Required training sessions: 01/07/19 (Mon.): 2 sessions: 6:00pm - 6:45pm OR 7:00pm; - 7:45pm; 01/10/19 (Thurs.): 2 sessions: 6:00pm - 6:45pm OR 7:00pm - 7:45pm. The volunteer form is live and ready on the Church Website...sign up TODAY!

**TEENS:** MLK Lock-in 2019 - Ages 12 – 18, "Self-love: I am Powerful" ...Registration is now live on our church website!!!

**LIGHTS...CAMERA...ACTION! SERVING OPPORTUNITY:** COME JOIN THE VIDEO MINISTRY! We need persons to run cameras, edit, and more...and we do on the job training! All are welcome....teens included. Email [video@firstcalvary.org](mailto:video@firstcalvary.org).

**COUPLES SUNDAY SCHOOL:** All married persons (with or without your spouse) are invited to join us in the fellowship hall from 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EVERY Sunday. Study resources by Dr. Tony Evans: Kingdom Marriage Devotional and Kingdom Marriage: Connecting God's Purpose with Your Pleasure. We are KINGDOM COUPLES!

**GIVING HONOR:** The Annual Honoring Our Elders Luncheon will be held on Saturday, February 2, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. Mature Adults, age 60 and above are invited to be our guests. RSVP to Deaconess Monica Perry at (919)801-8698 or Deaconess Angela Privette at (919)414-2119 by January 27<sup>th</sup>.

**SENIOR PRAISE:** Mature Adults, if you are interested in participating in a Senior Praise Team for the Honoring our Elders Luncheon on February 2<sup>nd</sup>, please contact Deaconess Janet Squires by January 13<sup>th</sup> at (919)606-4801.

**LET US PRAY:** Join in the Prayer Conference Call, Wednesdays at 7:00 a.m. (712)432-1001, code "494132935#", Noon Day Prayer (Wednesdays), and Intercessory Prayer (4<sup>th</sup> Sundays, 7:00 a.m.).

## 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. Mildred Gerald	<b>Brian Center</b> 6000 Fayetteville Road 27713
Bro. Charles Joyner	<b>Pruitt Health Rehab</b> 3100 Erwin Road 27705
Sis. Gussie Langley	<b>Carver Living Center</b> 303 E. Carver Street 27704
Amir Matthews	<b>UNC Hospital</b>
Sis. Rebecca Oats	<b>Duke Regional Hospital</b>
Bro. Willie Phillip	<b>Pruitt Health Rehab</b> 3100 Erwin Road 27705

#### AT HOME CARE

Sis. Mary Bolling	1010 Hemlock Avenue	27707
Sis. Teresa Brown	1110 Nichols Farm Drive	27703
Bro. Sherman Duffie	4815 Hoppers Drive	27704
Sis. Wilhemenia Foster-Long	309 Pearson Drive	27713
Sis. Naomi Grier	517 Grammary Place	27704
Sis. Shirley Jackson	2420 Glenbrook Drive	27707
Sis. Delphine Lemon	2200 N. Oakridge Blvd	27707
Bro. Frank Lloyd	7 Gwendolyn Circle	27703
Sis. Theresa Long	5018 Stardust Drive	27712
Miss Empress Matthews	1127 Briar Rose Lane	27704
Sis. Eliza McCrimmon	1207 Gilbert Street	27701
Sis. Sandra McKeithan	1225 Rosedale Avenue, Apt. A	27707
Sis. Rachelle Nelums	723 Melanie Street	27704
Sis. Gwen Smith	1326 Elmset Lane	27713
Dea. John Smith	1405 Timber Wolf Drive	27713
Sis. Mary Strayhorn	1205 Moreland Avenue	27707
Sis. LaConya Thorpe	2801 Ross Road	27703
Sis. Zandra Turner	816 Tumeric Lane	27713
Sis. Joyce Wall	1010 Hemlock Avenue	27707
Sis. Dorothy Waller	1027 Moreland Avenue	27707
Min. Tyrone Whitaker	201 Regiment Way	27705

#### MUSIC MINISTRY REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

**THURSDAY– January 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Psalm 150- 7:00pm

## 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

#### SUNDAY

7:00 am	Intercessory Prayer Service (4 <sup>th</sup> Sun)	Sanct
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> )	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 (1 <sup>st</sup> Mon)	CR I
6:30 pm	Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise	FH/Sanct
7:00pm	Entrepreneur Ministry (1 <sup>st</sup> Mon)	CR III
7:00pm	Visionary Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Mon)	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> Sun)	CRM

#### TUESDAY

6:00pm	Scouting Ministry (every other Tues)	ALL AREAS
6:30pm	Hospitality Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues)	CR I
6:30pm	Praise Team	CRM
6:30pm	Circle of Care (COC) (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues-Quarterly)	LIB
7:00pm	Male Summit (Tuesday after 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun)	LIB
7:30pm	Music Council (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues)	CR II
7:30pm	The Encouragers (1 <sup>st</sup> Tues)	CR III

#### WEDNESDAY

12:00pm	Noon Day Prayer	LIB
6:45pm	Prayer and Praise Service	FH
7:00pm	Bible Study	FH & CR

#### THURSDAY

6:00pm	Nursery Ministry (1 <sup>st</sup> Thurs)	Nursery
6:30pm	Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise	FH/Sanct
6:30pm	Beautification Committee (2 <sup>nd</sup> Thurs)	CR I
6:30pm	Couples' Ministry (4 <sup>th</sup> Thurs)	CR II
6:30pm	Youth Council (4 <sup>th</sup> Thurs)	CR I
6:30pm	ACT Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Thurs)	CR I
6:30pm	Young Adult Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Thurs)	CR II
7:00pm	Singles in Love with Christ (4 <sup>th</sup> Thurs)	LIB
7:00pm	Sunday Service Choir Rehearsal	CRM
7:30pm	Drama Ministry	CR III

#### SATURDAY

9:30am	Pearls of Praise (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat)	CRM
10:00am	Scholarship Ministry (before the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR II
	PROJECT F.I.N.E.	CFLR
	Onesiphorous Prison Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Sat)	CR I
10:30am	Deaconess Ministry (1 <sup>st</sup> Sat)	LIB/Sanct
11:00am	Senior Missionary Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Sat)	LIB
11:00am	Senior Usher & First Aid Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat)	CRM/ Sanct
11:30am	Culinary Arts Ministry (4 <sup>th</sup> Sat)	LIB

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



It's 2019...HAPPY NEW YEAR! Let's make it a wonderful year. We move forward into a New Year with a new church theme of **"EMPOWERING DISCIPLES THROUGH PRAYER AND PRAISE"**. It is our goal and desire that we begin a special emphasis on the importance of Prayer and Praise, for the believer and for this Church. Both prayer and praise are about an attitude AND actions. With that being said, as we move towards a greater level of in our prayer lives and in our praise lives, let us do it with a "renewed attitude". Always remember that "life is what you make of it and the more you put into it, the more it reflects back on you..." So live the life God intends for you to live, one that is filled with prayer and praise for Him. **Prayer and Praise** do not need to be just an after-thought. **Prayer and Praise** need to be one of the focal points. We, as a Church and individually, need to be **praying and praising!** Praying for God's will and praising God for all things.

We are looking for all church members and SELECTED & ELECTED & APOINTED leaders at our Annual Church Conference on Wednesday. We will be discussing several pertinent and important Church Business items, so please come and don't be left out of the loop. Bible Study will be back on January 16<sup>th</sup>. Please plan to join us. If you weren't at Bible Study last year....then get on the bus this year! Sign up today to be on Bible Study Email list serve, so that you might know what our lessons will be each week.

Next Sunday, we will hold our annual Memorial Sunday in memory of those disciples in First Calvary we have lost in 2018. Also to look forward to this month is our annual MLK Youth Lock-In, on January 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>! Leaders, you are expected to be at the Leadership Retreat on January 26<sup>th</sup>. First Calvary, it's 2019...a New Year, with new possibilities in ministry and new opportunities for greater discipleship and higher heights in prayer and praise. We need committed, excited, willing, available, dedicated disciples up in here, up in here! Pray that God will help us through this year as we move forward in service and study as we are **"EMPOWERING DISCIPLES THROUGH PRAYER AND PRAISE"**. Even in 2019, we are still **AN EXCITING CHURCH EXCITED ABOUT ITS MISSION!**

## THE DEACON'S MESSAGE

If we were honest with ourselves we could say we never left school. Why? Each day we wake up and start on our way we attend the school of life. There is only one subject taught and it is Life Skills 101. There are tests to take everyday. You are supposed to learn and put into practice the subject matter presented by the Great Teacher, Jesus. Graduation from the school of life gives way to an eternity of worship and praise or an eternity lived outside the presence of God. Ultimately, you create your own study habits and pick your study materials. Fortunately, we have the perfect reference material in the Bible. *"All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right."* (2 Timothy 3:16) (NLT). There may be other study materials for the class. However, if you want to pass Life Skills 101 the Bible is required reading.

### TODAY'S MINISTRY THROUGH SERVICE

**Music:** Psalms 150  
**Director of Music Ministries:** Minister Michael Dotson  
**Church Musician:** Broth David Cannady  
**Percussionist:** Brother Andre Sanders  
**Saxophonist:** Brother Lynwood Jones  
**First Aide Ministry:** Sister Thelma Reed  
**Encourager:** Sister Lajeune Cox  
**Audio Technicians:** Brother James Holiday, Brother Felton Wiggins/  
**Videographer:** Dr. Cedric Bright, Brother Ralph Joynes/  
**Next Sunday Van Drivers:** Brother Michael Hill

### STEWARDSHIP STATISTICS

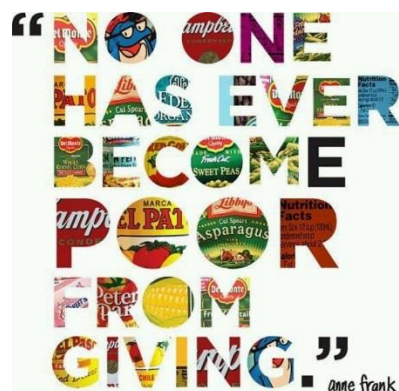
Our **Tithes & Offerings** must be \$31,115.00 per Sunday to meet our budget. Thank you for giving!  
 Our attendance goals: Bible Study-100, Sunday School-200

**December 30, 2018**

Bible Study **N/A** Sunday School **N/A** New Members **N/A**  
 Early Worship **N/A** Worship Service **356**

Tithes and Offering	\$17,971.64
Sacrificial Offering	\$2,020.00
Scholarship	\$110.00
Sunday School	\$45.00
Food Pantry	\$355.50
Youth Events	\$20.00
Weekly Online Giving	\$9,623.00
<b>Total Giving</b>	<b>\$30,145.14</b>

**Financial Information for Watchnight Service on December 31, 2018 will be in next week's bulletin.**



**THE FCBC FOOD PANTRY IS ALWAYS ACCEPTING DONATIONS OF NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS, to include: jelly, peanut butter, pasta, pasta sauce, canned fruit and veggies, ramen noodles, cereal, rice, dry beans, oatmeal, and tuna.**

## LEADERSHIP MONTH

JANUARY 2019

SUN 6	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service/ CC
7-9	7:00 PM	Citywide Revival
8		First Calvary serves-Citywide Revival
9	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	7:00 PM	<b>ANNUAL CHURCH CONFERENCE</b>
		<b>No Bible Study</b>
SUN 13		<b>MEMORIAL SUNDAY</b>
	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service/CC
17	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
SUN 20	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service/CC
20-21	6:00 PM	<b>MLK YOUTH LOCK-IN</b>
		<b>CFL&amp;RC at Lyon Park</b>
21		<b>MLK Holiday: Church Office Closed</b>
23	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
24	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
26	8:30 AM	<b>FCBC LEADERSHIP RETREAT</b>
SUN 27		<b>LEADERSHIP SUNDAY</b>
	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service/ CC
30	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study

**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.

**You are invited to join us for Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.! LIKE US ON FACEBOOK: First Calvary Baptist Church, Durham, NC**

**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"**

**Leadership Month**  
**New Year's Blessings**



**2019**

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**January 6, 2019**

**SUNDAY**

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

**WEDNESDAY**

Noon Day Prayer- 12:00pm  
 Prayer & Praise- 6:45pm ♦ Bible Study-7:00pm

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