



September 22, 2019

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

CHURCH NEWS

PRAISE & ADORATION

- Call to Worship/Scripture.....Minister II Timothy 2: 1-2, 15
Prayer.....Deacon
Praise & Worship.....FCBC Praise Team
The Word in Song
The Litany.....See Insert
Christian Education Promotion (10:45 a.m.)

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

- The Health Tip (10:45 a.m.).....Brother Ken Gibbs
Church News (10:45 a.m.).....Sister Patrilla Carson
Greeting (10:45 a.m.) .....Brother Maison Jackson
The Time of Fellowship
Hymn.....#324 "Holy, Holy, Holy"

- Introduction of Guest Minister
Pastoral Concerns
Offertory Appeal.....Minister Jerome McLaurin
Minister Emma Harper

- Offertory Prayer.....Minister
\*Offertory Response "Give, and it Shall be Given to You"

- Offertory Music

CARE & CONCERNS THROUGH PRAYER

- The Recognition of Returning Sick/Prayer Concerns
\*Hymn of Dedication.....#463 "Sweet Hour of Prayer"

- Altar Call & Prayer.....Minister
The Word in Song

WORSHIP THROUGH INSTRUCTION

- \*\*The Sermon.....Minister Treyvon Sinclair
Duke Divinity School
\*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

FROM PASTOR DAVIS: It's that time again! From October 'til June, on the first Sundays at 3:00 p.m., we will have our Before I Say I Do Class. The class is open for couples (married and engaged) who are considering marriage according to biblical mandate. Interested? Sign up by emailing lindsay@firstcalvary.org. The deadline to register is September 30th.

SAFETY FIRST: In our efforts to create a safe environment for the members of our church, we are taking a realistic approach in continuing to address security precautions within and around the building. Beginning Sunday, October 6th, the doors on the bottom level facing the parking lot (Fellowship Hall and office area) will be locked at 11:30 a.m. each Sunday. Members arriving after this time will enter the church through the main doors. Also, each 5th Sunday when our service (one service) begins at 9:30 a.m., these doors will be locked at 10:15 a.m. PLEASE CALL OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE WITH ANY QUESTIONS (Call the Church number, (919)489-4184, and ask for or press extension 1050.).

PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND OUR ANNUAL BIBLICAL INSTITUTE on Monday-Wednesday, September 23rd-25th, 7:00 p.m. nightly. We will study from our YOU Curriculum...and we are looking for YOU to be there. Get your YOU book from Minister Carter. There will be classes for our youth and children as well.

QUARTERLY CHURCH CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17TH, 7:00 P.M. ALL MEMBERS SHOULD BE PRESENT.

New disciples (12 & up) are urged and invited to attend the NEW DISCIPLES CLASS at 9:30 a.m. The lesson on September 29th is Lesson 4, "How to Grow as a Christian"

LOCK IT IN: Calling All Youth ages 12 to 18 to register on line at www.FirstCalvary.org for the 2020 MLK Jr. Youth Lock In on January 19-20, 2020. If you are over 18 and attend High School you also qualify to register. Any questions, please contact youthmlklockin@firstcalvary.org or Minister Wright at (919)489-4184 or Deaconess Janet Squires at (919)606-4801.

SCOUT ME IN: SERVING OPPORTUNITY- Scouts needs male and female leaders to serve every other Tuesday between the hours of 5:30 p.m.-7:45 p.m. There are 2 requirements: 1-you must pass a criminal background check and 2- you must LOVE children and youth. Please email scouting@firstcalvary.org for more details.

GIMME "5"...ON THE 5TH SUNDAY: On the 5th Sunday, September 29th, we will have only ONE WORSHIP SERVICE at 9:30 A.M. Sunday School will be held at 8:30 a.m.

HARVEST HELP: It's Harvesting Time, and we need your help! SERVING OPPORTUNITY- We are looking for volunteers to serve on October 31st for our annual Harvest Festival. We are doing a different thing, so bring a smile and some treats for our youth. Sign up for help will begin Sunday, September 29th immediately after services. We will collect any treat donations at this time as well. If you have any questions, please contact Minister Jacques Wright at wright@firstcalvary.org or Trustee Dwanna Wiggins at mrswwiggins09@gmail.com. WE NEED ALL THE VOLUNTEERS WE CAN GET and there is something for EVERYONE TO DO!

FROM THE COMMUNITY: Please join the West End Community Foundation for a night of jazz, food, wine tastings and silent auction to raise funds to support the programs held at the Community Family Life & Recreation Center at Lyon Park. Tickets are \$30 and can be purchased by visiting https://thewecf.org or https://www.eventbrite.com/e/an-evening-of-jazz-wine-tickets-71568997799

UNITED WAY CAMPAIGN: If you participate in a United Way Campaign, please consider giving to the West End Community Foundation, Inc. Our code is 4060. Thank you.

MLK JR. LOCK IN SERVING: Volunteers Needed! SERVING OPPORTUNITY- 2020 MLK Jr. Youth Lock-In "Online Registration OPEN". "Everybody can be great, because everybody can serve. You only need a heart full of grace" -Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Calling All Adults 21 and Up to serve as a volunteer for the 2020 MLK Jr. Youth Lock-In held January 19-20, 2020. Please register online at www.firstcalvary.org (Click on MLK Jr. Youth Lock-In "Volunteer" flash located on church homepage). All volunteers are required to attend one (1) Volunteer Orientation/Training session (see online registration for dates). Any questions, please contact youthmlklockin@firstcalvary.org or Minister Jacques Wright at (919)489-4184.

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 (4th 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

- Bro. Fahim Knight Duke University Medical Center
Sis. Gussie Langley Carver Living Center
303 E. Carver Street 27704

AT HOME CARE

- Bro. Chuck Barham 103 Landreth Court 27713
Sis. Mary Bolling 2200 N. Oakridge Blvd 27707
Brother Bryan Brandon 1912 West B. Street, Butner 27509
Sis. Teresa Brown 1110 Nichols Farm Drive 27703
Bro. Sherman Duffie 4815 Hoppers Drive 27704
Sis. Wilhemenia Foster-Long 309 Pearson Drive 27713
Sis. Mildred Gerald 6304 Amhurst Road 27713
Sis. Naomi Grier 517 Grammary Place 27704
Sis. Janelle Ellis-Holloway 1020 Lakeview Road 27712
Sis. Shirley Jackson 2420 Glenbrook Drive 27707
Bro. Frank Lloyd 7 Gwendolyn Circle 27703
Sis. Eliza McCrimmon 1207 Gilbert Street 27701
Sis. Rachele Nelums 723 Melanie Street 27704
Sis. Minnie Russell 810 Waring 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. Joyce Wall 2200 N. Oakridge Blvd 27707
Sis. Dorothy Waller 1027 Moreland Avenue 27707

MUSIC MINISTRY REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

THURS.-September 26th
Mass Choir- 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 (4th Sun) Sanct
9:30 pm Discipleship Orientation Class LIB
1:15pm Health & Wellness Ministry (2nd Sun) CR I
1:15 pm Evangelism Ministry (2nd Sun) CR II
1:15 pm Daughters of Calvary (3rd Sun) CR II
1:15 pm Computer Ministry (2nd Sun) CR III
4:00 pm Associate Ministers (each 2nd Sun) CR II
5:00 pm Deacons & Trustee Ministry Mtg. (2nd Sun) CR III/LIB
6:30 pm Official Leadership Team (2nd Sun) FH

MONDAY

- 6:00 pm Tots of Praise Rehearsal (after 1st) CRM
6:30 pm Psalm 150 (after 3rd & 4th Sun) CRM
6:30 pm Young Adult Choir (after 2nd Sun) CRM
6:30pm Children's Church Committee (after 2nd 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 (TBA) CR III
7:00pm Visionary Ministry (3rd Mon) LIB
7:30pm Male Chorus (after 2nd & 3rd Sun) CRM
7:30pm Young Adult Choir (before 3rd Sun) CRM

TUESDAY

- 6:00pm Scouting Ministry (every other Tues) ALL AREAS
6:30pm Hospitality Ministry (2nd Tues) CR I
6:30pm Praise Team CRM
6:30pm Circle of Care (COC) (2nd Tues-Quarterly) LIB
6:30pm Beauty for Ashes LIB
7:00pm Male Summit (Tuesday after 3rd Sun) LIB
7:30pm Music Council (2nd Tues) CR II
7:30pm The Encouragers (1st 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 (1st Thurs) Nursery
6:30pm Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise FH/Sanct
6:30pm Beautification Committee (2nd Thurs) CR I
6:30pm Couples' Ministry (4th Thurs) CR II
6:30pm Youth Council (4th Thurs) CR I
6:30pm ACT Ministry (3rd Thurs) CR I
6:30pm Young Adult Ministry (3rd Thurs) CR II
7:00pm Singles in Love with Christ (4th Thurs) LIB
7:00pm Sunday Service Choir Rehearsal CRM
7:30pm Drama Ministry CR III

SATURDAY

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

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Submitted by: Minister John F. Carter, Sr.  
Minister of Christian Education/Visitation  
Senior Associate Minister

According to Scriptures, Jesus was undoubtedly the most effective teacher leaders the world has ever known. His leadership and radical teachings influenced the destinies of many followers during his brief stay here on earth. Moreover, although He has risen and now seated on the right hand of God the Father, the influence of his work continues even after two thousand years after death and resurrection.

Philippians 2 describes how Jesus acquired such an exalted status with God: He humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death. Because of his **learned obedience**, God has elevated his name above all other name and at his name, everyone will be humbled—voluntarily or involuntarily.

Jesus' learned obedience was a process that was achieved by his devotion to reading and studying scripture (the Old Testament). Think about that for a second or two or longer: THE SON OF GOD ACTUALLY LEARNED scripture as a result of his diligent study. Now if Jesus studied to learn more about the Word of God and His will, there is no way we could possibly excuse or ignore our need to "study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth". This is Christian Education Month at First Calvary Baptist Church. I highly admonish you to take advantage of the opportunity to participate in one or more of the several study ministries (YOU Bible Study, Sunday School (for all ages), Pearls of Praise, Male Summit, Children and Youth Bible Study, and others) offered here at FCBC. JUST DO IT!

## THE DEACON'S MESSAGE

Proverbs 8:20 states "I walk in the way of righteousness, in the midst of the paths of justice". Vision is the ability to see God's presence, to perceive God's power, to focus on God's plan in spite of the obstacles. When you have vision it affects your attitude. Your attitude is optimistic rather than pessimistic. Your attitude stays positive rather than negative. Not foolishly positive, as though in fantasy, for you are reading God into your circumstances. So when a situation comes that cuts your feet out from under you, you don't throw up your arms and panic. You don't give up. Instead, you say, "Lord, this is your moment. This is where you take charge. You're in this." This is nothing more than having a strong belief in the power of God; having confidence in others around you who are in similar battles with you; and, yes, having confidence in yourself, by the grace of God. Refusing to give in to temptation, cynicism and doubt....It's hanging tough when the going gets rough.

### TODAY'S MINISTRY THROUGH SERVICE

Music:	Male Chorus
Director of Music Ministries:	Minister Michael Dotson
Church Musician:	Brother David Cannady
Percussionist:	Brother Andre Sanders
Saxophonist:	Brother Lynwood Jones
First Aide Ministry:	Sister Melinda Cozart/ Deaconess Yvette Barrow
Encouragers:	Sister Rochelle Jackson/ Sister Sharon Crisp
Audio Technicians:	Brother Ronald Bethea/ Brother Robert Vance
Videographers:	Sister Jackie Fountain/ Sister Toni McIntosh
Van Drivers Next Sunday:	Brother James Simms/ Brother Ralph Mack

## STEWARDSHIP STATISTICS

Our **Tithes & Offerings** must be \$30,621.16 per Sunday to meet our budget. Thank you for giving!  
Our attendance goals: Bible Study-100, Sunday School-200

September 15, 2019

Bible Study **81** Sunday School **103** New Members **N/A**  
Early Worship **160** Worship Service **170**

Tithes and Offering	\$16,273.85
Sacrificial Offering	\$602.00
Food Pantry	\$77.00
Scholarship	\$65.00
Children's Church	\$3.00
Sunday School	\$161.55
Donations (Funeral)	\$1,000.00
Online Giving	\$4,153.00
<b>Total Giving</b>	<b>\$22,335.40</b>

# YOU!

LOOKING FOR YOU...  
AT THE ANNUAL BIBLICAL INSTITUTE  
MONDAY-WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23<sup>RD</sup>-25<sup>TH</sup>  
7P.M. NIGHTLY...  
CLASSES FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH ALSO.

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION MONTH

September 2019

<b>SUN 1</b>	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship Service Holy Communion
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Service of Baptism
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service Holy Communion
<b>2</b>		<b>LABOR DAY</b> <b>Church Office Closed</b>
<b>4</b>	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
<b>SUN 8</b>		<b>GRANDPARENT'S DAY</b>
	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service
<b>11</b>	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
<b>SUN 15</b>	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service
<b>18</b>	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
<b>21</b>	8:30 AM	<b>CHRISTIAN EDUCATION WORKSHOP</b>
<b>SUN 22</b>		<b>CHRISTIAN EDUCATION PROMOTION SUNDAY</b>
	7:00 AM	Intercessory Prayer
	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service
<b>23-25</b>	7:00PM	<b>ANNUAL BIBLICAL INSTITUTE</b>
<b>SUN 29</b>	8:30 AM	Sunday School
	7:45 AM	<b>ONE WORSHIP SERVICE</b>

**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.!  
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**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"

# Christian Education Promotion Sunday



## Christian Education Month

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**Fredrick A. Davis, M.DIV., D.D. Pastor**  
**September 22, 2019**

**SUNDAY**

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

**WEDNESDAY**

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

**"EMPOWERING DISCIPLES THROUGH PRAYER & PRAISE"**