



January 19, 2020

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

CHURCH NEWS

FROM PASTOR DAVIS: Deacon Family Bible Study Units this week: Carter, Perry, Cason, Guerrier.

WE NEED TO HAVE EVERY HOUSEHOLD FILL OUT A 2020 FCBC HOUSEHOLD CENSUS CARD. IF YOU DON'T FILL OUT AN UPDATED CARD, THEN WE WILL KNOW THAT WE ARE TO USE YOUR CURRENT INFORMATION OR IT SHALL BE CONSIDERED THAT FAMILIES/PERSONS ARE NO LONGER WITH US. THANK YOU! IF YOU HAVE NOT DONE ONE, PLEASE, PLEASE TURN IN A COMPLETED CARD TODAY.

New disciples (12 & up) are urged and invited to attend the NEW DISCIPLES CLASS at 9:30 a.m. The lesson on January 26th is Lesson 2, "The Purpose and Ordinances of the Church."

BABIES, BABIES, BABIES!! If you have had a baby during January 1, 2018 - May 31, 2019 please contact Deaconess Kim Forde via email kimforde90@gmail.com or 919-451-1942 or contact your Deacon Family with the name and birthdate of your new bundle of joy. We need all Blessed Baby Names by January 26, 2020 for a special baby celebration.

LET'S PLAY SOME BALL! The Recreation Ministry is in need of coaches and players for our 9 to 12 and 13 to 15 year old teams. Please contact Trustee Terry Barnes at (984)269-8296, Deacon Jason Redmond at (919)699-1788, or Brother Zeb Brye at (916)821-8846.

CALLING ALL MEN: The Male Summit will meet on Tuesday, January 21st at 7:00 p.m. We will begin Chapter 6 in the book "Lies Men Believe: and the Truth that sets them Free" by Robert Wolgemuth. Come join us!

THE ANNUAL LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE will be held January 25, 2020 from 8:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Participate in sessions lead by the Pastoral Relations Committee. Also, hear from Dr. Jerome Washington, Pastor of Mount Vernon Baptist Church. All Leaders are requested to attend and all are welcome. A continental breakfast will be served.

YAM 20/20 VISION CONFERENCE- February 16th-22nd: Young Adults (ages: 18-38) registration for the 2020 YAM Conference is now open! This year we have planned a week of fun and educational activities. It is our hope that you will leave this conference empowered with God's vision, and equipped to take on whatever 2020 brings your way! Please take time to register on the church website: www.firstcalvary.org. You can also reach out to YAM via email at: yamfcbc@gmail.com to receive the link.

RIDGECREST 2020—RIDGECREST 2020 (July 20—24) REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN TO ALL ADULT MINISTRY LEADERS ONLY (18 years of age and above-- all interested participants under age 18, please see Minister Jacques Wright for registration information). If you are currently serving as a ministry leader or plan to become a ministry leader in near future and meet the requirements below, YOU ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED to attend the Black Church Leadership and Family Conference on July 20—24, 2020. Qualifying/interested participants: (1) must be current members of FCBC, (2) must be actively serving in some capacity in a ministry and (3) must not have attended the conference in the last two consecutive years. If you meet these criteria and you are interested in attending this conference in July, EMAIL Minister John Carter at carter@firstcalvary.org and please indicate your current servant position. Make reservations today because availability will be limited and will be granted on a first come, first served basis. Registration is open until all slots are filled. However, the last day to be considered is May 21, 2020.

SENIOR LUNCH & LEARN: "I CARE ABOUT MEDICARE (PART 2)" MATURE ADULTS, age 60 and up, are invited to the Senior Lunch & Learn on Tuesday, February 25th, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Wear some red for Heart Health. RSVP to Minister Treyvon Sinclair, (919)489-4184 by TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18TH.

SAVE THE DATE: Our Annual HONORING OUR ELDERS LUNCHEON will be held at FCBC on Saturday, February 1, 2020, 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Seniors 60 years and over, wear your red and white and join us. RSVP by January 26th or as soon as possible to Deaconess Angela Privette (919-425-1679) or Deaconess Monica Perry (919-801-8698). If you need transportation, please contact Deaconess Katrina Poole (919-484-1514).

COME GET SOME COOKIES! The Scouting Ministry has Girl Scout Cookies in the Atrium for purchase after both services. Get your boxes today!

X's & O's: MARRIED COUPLES, COME TO THE XO MARRIAGE SIMULCAST....for Valentine's Day! You won't have to deal with crowds or reservations...come enjoy a great Valentine's Day treat! Join the FCBC Couples Ministry on Friday and Saturday, February 14th and 15th, for a special Valentines Meal, prizes, breakfast, and the XO Simulcast! Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. and Saturday, 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. \$25 per couple (includes meals, materials, and MORE for Couples). Childcare is available. Come to any and all sessions. REGISTER NOW....Contact Minister LaDawn Sanders at (919)924-6129 or ladawn.sanders@gmail.com.

ROCK THE VOTE: You can learn to register people to vote! Attend a training session on January 22nd! For details contact Sister Deborah Breese at (919)452-7478 or visit www.youcanvote.org.

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

Table listing individuals and their respective care facilities such as Hillcrest Rehab Center, Parkview Health & Rehab Center, Duke University Hospital, etc.

AT HOME CARE

Table listing individuals and their home care addresses and phone numbers.

MUSIC MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Table with 2 columns: TUES.- January 21st and THURS.-January 23rd, listing music ministry activities and times.

"Everybody can be great because everybody can serve...." -Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

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

Table listing Sunday ministry meetings: 7:00 am Intercessory Prayer Service, 9:30 pm Discipleship Orientation Class, etc.

MONDAY

Table listing Monday ministry meetings: 6:00 pm Tots of Praise Rehearsal, 6:30 pm Psalm 150, etc.

TUESDAY

Table listing Tuesday ministry meetings: 6:00pm Scouting Ministry, 6:30pm Hospitality Ministry, etc.

WEDNESDAY

Table listing Wednesday ministry meetings: 12:00pm Noon Day Prayer, 6:45pm Prayer and Praise Service, etc.

THURSDAY

Table listing Thursday ministry meetings: 6:00pm Nursery Ministry, 6:30pm Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise, etc.

SATURDAY

Table listing Saturday ministry meetings: 9:30am Pearls of Praise, 10:00am Scholarship Ministry, etc.

PRAISE & ADORATION

Call to Worship/Scripture.....Minister Jeremiah 29: 11

Prayer.....Deacon

Praise & Worship.....FCBC Praise Team

The Word in Song

Worship Through Movement

The Litany

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

Scholarship Appeal.....Courtney Thomas Victoria Jackson

Church News (10:45 a.m.)

Greeting (10:45 a.m.).....Maison Jackson

The Time of Fellowship

*Hymn.....#133 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

Ministry Spotlight

Pastoral Concerns

Offertory Appeal

Offertory Prayer.....Minister

*Offertory Response.....#638 "Doxology"

Offertory Music

CARE & CONCERNS THROUGH PRAYER

The Recognition of Returning Sick/Prayer Concerns

*Hymn of Dedication.....#149 "God Has Smiled on Me"

Altar Call & Prayer.....Minister

The Word in Song

WORSHIP THROUGH INSTRUCTION

**The Sermon.....Pastor Fredrick A. Davis "OUR HOPE IN GOD!" Jeremiah 29: 11

*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 THE PASTOR'S DESK

As we move forward in 2020, let us remember that one of the things that makes us truly effective as a church body is when we each have a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ! As a Pastor at both Dexter Avenue Baptist Church in Montgomery, Alabama and Ebenezer Baptist Church, Atlanta, Georgia, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. was a true "visionary"; he was called to lead people to come into a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, and stand for the justice of all. As a Pastor and leader myself, it is in my Pastoral duty to lead: to seek God's Vision and to lovingly influence the people to have a personal relationship with Jesus. As the "Watchman", I am responsible for the lives God's has entrusted to me, therefore I seek to have His Vision direct and guide me. One of my favorite hymns is, "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah!"

This week, I paused to reflect on the birth of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. On tomorrow, January 20th, America will celebrate the annual recognition of his birthday. What will you do? It should be more than just a day off. I encourage each of us to do something to honor the memory of Dr. King. Attend a service, volunteer for a worthy cause, have a special meal with your family and talk...REALLY TALK! Just do something! Don't waste the day. Beginning this evening, our youth will once again participate in our Annual MLK Youth Lock-In. From Sunday night until Monday afternoon, our Youth Council, in conjunction with the [West End Community Foundation](#), Incorporated, [Durham-Duke Partnership & Durham Parks and Recreation](#), will host young people between the ages of 12 – 18. This event allows opportunity for our youth to engage in fun activities and gives them a chance to hear about the principles of Dr. King that deal with respect and being responsible. Parents, please make sure that your child(ren) and their guest(s) understand that [it's a full two-day event and respecting each other is a must](#). Dr. King's legacy was about respect and that is what we are to be about! Thanks to Minister Wright and the Youth Council for their work in putting this year's Lock-In together. This dream is still alive...who knew that this vision would grow to such a wonderful yearly event when it began in the basement of our former sanctuary, [now 27 years ago](#). I would like to take a moment to thank those who were in the trenches with me when this project first started (you know who you are ☺). We have come a mighty long way and so many youth have been blessed by the foundation that was laid when this event began.

A good working definition for leadership is this: "Leadership is the capacity to influence others through inspiration motivated by a passion, generated by a vision, produced by a conviction, ignited by a purpose." Leaders of First Calvary, let us show our commitment to the cause of Christ by making sure we are in attendance for the 2020 Leadership Conference. This event will be held on Saturday, January 25th. [NO EXCUSES PLEASE!](#) Also, I, along with our Visionary Ministry, would like to invite those "new" persons that are interested in leadership. If you are looking for where your next move in service should be or if you are a leader in your job or community, please accept our invitation and join us for the Leadership Conference. We are expecting a great time and we are expecting to see YOU! Also, don't forget that during both Worship Experiences on NEXT SUNDAY we will have our Installation of Church Leaders. Please be present for at least one of those services. Speaking of Leaders, we hope you are seeing who your

leader and Diaconate Ministry representative is as we share "Who's Your Deacon?", continuing over the coming weeks. Look for your name and see WHO your Deacon Family is (Oh yeah, if you don't see your name listed over the coming weeks, it may be because you did not complete the New Disciples Class.... You get a Deacon Family assignment once you finish this 8-session series.) Diaconate Family appointments are delegated by Diaconate Leadership. Lastly, thank you to our Hospitality Ministry for a new feature that we will see in Worship. The "Ministry Spotlight" will highlight our church ministries....find where you fit and get involved! First Calvary, don't forget that we do what we do because we are AN EXCITING CHURCH EXCITED ABOUT ITS MISSION!

THE DEACON'S MESSAGE

Then a leader of the local synagogue, whose name was Jairus, arrived. When he saw Jesus, he fell at his feet, pleading fervently with him. "My little daughter is dying," he said. "Please come and lay your hands on her; heal her so she can live." ...They told him, "Your daughter is dead. There's no use troubling the teacher now." But Jesus overheard them and said to Jairus, "Don't be afraid. Just have faith." Mark 5:22-23, 35-36, NLT How many times have you put your best foot forward, only to find halfway through the process, something bad has happened? Are you on the wrong road? Whenever we make steps in faith, we walk into the unknown, but like Jairus, we should have Jesus with us when we go. Do not let unexpected events keep you from walking toward your blessing in faith. God expects us to trust Him with everything... even the unexpected. Jesus spoke to Jairus, not the crowd, and said, "'Don't be afraid. Just have faith.'" Jesus healed Jairus' daughter because of his faith. On the way to being blessed, make Jesus and faith in Him your traveling companions.

TODAY'S MINISTRY THROUGH SERVICE

Music:	Young Adult Choir
Director of Music Ministries:	Minister Michael Dotson
Senior Church Musician:	Brother David Cannady
Percussionist:	Brother Andre Sanders
Saxophonist:	Brother Lynwood Jones
Encouragers:	Brother Lonnie Forte/ Sister Folami Cook
Audio Technician:	Deacon Darryll Gadson/ Brother James Holiday
Videographers:	Sister Crystal Bethea/ Sister Anita Hill
Next Sunday Van Drivers:	Deacon Jeff Forde/ Deacon Shedrick Poole

STEWARDSHIP STATISTICS

Our **Tithes & Offerings** must be \$34,315.00 per Sunday to meet our budget. Thank you for giving!
Our attendance goals: Bible Study-100, Sunday School-200

January 12, 2019

Bible Study **75** Sunday School **122** New Members **N/A**
Early Worship **180** Worship Service **232**

Tithes and Offering	\$14,035.25
Sacrificial Offering	\$672.00
Food Pantry	\$75.00
Scholarship	\$40.00
Sunday School	\$203.95
Online Giving	\$ 3,463.00
Total Giving	\$18,489.20

LEADERSHIP MONTH

JANUARY 2020

SUN 5	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service/ CC
8-10	7:00 PM	Citywide Revival
8	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	7:00 PM	ANNUAL CHURCH CONFERENCE
		No Bible Study
SUN 12		MEMORIAL SUNDAY
	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service/CC
15	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
SUN 19	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service/CC
19-20	6:00 PM	MLK YOUTH LOCK-IN
		CFL&RC at Lyon Park
		MLK Holiday: Church Office Closed
20	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
22	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
25	8:30 AM	FCBC LEADERSHIP RETREAT
SUN 26		LEADERSHIP SUNDAY
	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service/ CC
29	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study

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 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.

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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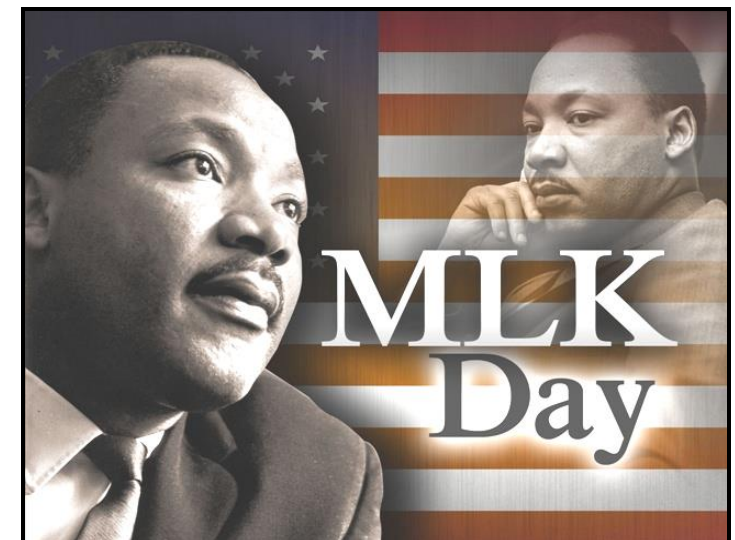
The Abbreviated FC Mission Statement:

**E³: Empower spiritual lives,
Enhance quality of life,
& Evangelize the lost**



"An Exciting Church Excited About Its Mission"

CELEBRATING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.



LEADERSHIP MONTH

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Fredrick A. Davis, M.DIV., Pastor

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Worship-7:45am & 10:45am
Sunday School-9:30am

WEDNESDAY

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

"EMPOWERING DISCIPLES WITH GOD'S VISION"