



The Fairviewan

From the Pastor's Desk —

My beloved members,

Our Summer Youth Camp was a faith venture. The appeal was made to our congregation to host a summer camp for our youth. I decided as Pastor that we were going to do this and see what happen. I made the request for volunteers and monetary contributions. This idea was met with enthusiasm and many of our members committed themselves to follow the leadership of the Pastor in this faith venture.



Pastor J. A. Reed, Jr.

The Camp was designed to help parents and grandparents who could not pay for the fees for other summer camps and programs in the metro area. Another goal of the camp was to offer local children a summer of structured activities in which they could be involved in while their parents were working.

Let me thank the Fairview Family for catching the vision and moving to participate in the process. Your prayers, gifts and voluntary services were appreciated. Because of your faithfulness, this camp has been successful and many children of the Oklahoma City community's lives have been blessed.

The Lord depends on each one of us as Christians to carry out the tasks—large and small—necessary to further His work on earth. Every task and every person is vital to the church. Again, I appreciate your contribution to the Body of Christ. You did an outstanding job!

Thanks to Sheila Williams for her unselfishly devoted time and talents to being the Director of our Youth Summer Camp to further the ministry of our church. Sheila's talent is a gift from God, and I thank her for sharing that precious gift with us. John Ruskin says, "When love and skill work together, expect a masterpiece." Thank you, Sheila, for combining your love for the Lord with your God-given gifts and skills to create a masterpiece!

To all of the other volunteers, it means so much when members invest time and effort in doing something special for our church. Your hard work is greatly appreciated. Your commitment is an encouragement to me and to all those who know you. I thank God for blessing our congregation with such precious believers.

The Summer Youth Camp was a great event in the life of our church. *I anticipate continued results from its success in the days ahead!*

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DO YOU HAVE A PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS CHRIST?

If you believe in your heart that Jesus Is Lord, the Christ, the Savior, the Son of the Living God, and you are willing to turn from sin to God, then receive Jesus Christ now by faith and pray this prayer:

Lord Jesus I am a sinner.
 Forgive me of all my sins, come into my heart and save me.
 I do now confess you as my risen Lord.
 Thank you Lord Jesus for saving me. AMEN



Fishes & Loaves Ministry
 JULY 2012

# Homes Served	78
# of Children in the Homes	91
# of Adults Served	113

*But He saves the needy from the sword,
 From the mouth of the mighty, and from their hand, and injustice shuts her mouth.
 So the poor have hope, and injustice shuts her mouth. (Job 5:15-16)*

THERESA KIRKLIN, MINISTRY LEADER

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FAIRVIEW COMMUNITY YOUTH SUMMER CAMP A SUCCESS!

FAIRVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH SUMMER CAMP started June 18, 2012, and ended August 3. The camp was sponsored by Fairview but was open to any youth in Oklahoma City area, age 6 to 17. We asked for a small donation of \$10 per week for one or two children and \$5 per week for families with three or more children.

The camp started with close to 100 campers but had over 200 campers by the mid part of July. This community camp covered several topics, such as Life Skills, Washing Dishes, Proper Etiquette, Bullying, The Books of the Bible, Peer Pressure, Personal Hygiene, Rap Sessions, Arts and Crafts, and an array of other topics. The campers had Theme Day each week, aerobics daily, and went on weekly trips, including the Botanical Gardens, the Zoo, bowling, skating, and the movies.

Our camp was blessed with several donations from all over...The campers held their "Grand Finale" during 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship on Sunday, July 29, here at Fairview Baptist Church. They displayed some of what they learned through a song "J.E.S.U.S" and the Books of the Bible through song as well.

The camp closed the last week out with two water slides, skating, movies, and a Health and Spa Day at the camp, which included dress up for the little ones as well. We would like to thank former County Commissioner Shirley Darrell and Lilly Buckner for taking the kids to learn golfing. We'd like to thank Representative Anastasia Pittman, Barbra Royce with United Way, City Councilman for Ward 7 Skip Kelly, Teresa Hill with AFT Local 4574, Tim O'Connor with Central Oklahoma Community Forum, William Bryles with AFSCME, Feed The Children and a host of other sponsors.

We would like to personally thank our staff members for volunteering over seven (7) hours a day everyday for their help and support: Jhantae Bloomer, Michelle Sessum, Teresa Hill, Maggie Gates, E L Staley, Tricia Williams, Rhonda Darling, Collet Darling, Patti Brown, Victor Brown, Tykia Cole, Laretia



SHEILA WILLIAMS
FAIRVIEW SUMMER CAMP DIRECTOR



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107TH NATIONAL CONGRESS — ST LOUIS, MISSOURI

ON TO ST. LOUIE! - BY JAMES TOBLER

JUNE 18 THROUGH JUNE 22, 2012, turned out to be one exciting week for a contingent of Fairview Adult and youth. The happenings were the 107th Annual Session of the National Baptist Congress of Christian Education. This year the congress was held in the historic city of St. Louis, Missouri. Pastor J. A. Reed, Jr. (A Vice President of the NBC) and the Assistant to the Pastor Derrick E. Walter led a handful of adults and 10 youth to this great event.

A caravan of road warriors (2 vans) assembled early Sunday morning of the 18th to embark on our journey to St. Louie. Van #1 was driven by Rev. Cleo McGlory and assisted by Sis. Paula McGlory, along with Sis. Theresa Hill and all of our baggage. Van #2 was driven by yours truly, Bro. James Tobler, and assisted by Sis. Tee Tobler, along with the following crew of young folk: D.J. Walter, "Peanut" Reed, Jailah Reed, Shaniya McClish, Tarrie Smith, Tyler Hurt, Tracy Burton, Chris Hill, Davion Pruitt, and Christian Walker. The LORD blessed us with traveling mercies as we traveled on our way. We made it to St. Louis in 9 hours. The Church had wonderful accommodations at the Hilton St. Louis at the Ballpark. We were at the center of downtown, directly across the street from where the St. Louis Cardinals play baseball! We were also very close to our classes and the "Arch" next to the Mississippi River.

The week started off with a bang as we ventured out to Six Flags on Monday. Us "older folk" got out our walking shoes and did our best to keep up with the youngsters (Oh to be young again!). We had a great time, young and old, as we rode every ride we could (shout out to Sis. Theresa Hill for discount tickets). Throughout the rest of the week, the youth had great teaching in their classes and rehearsals. They learned about the Ten Commandments in the "God's Rules Rule" class. They also rehearsed for the Children's rally that would conclude the Congress on Friday night.

Through the week, after classes, the young folk enjoyed swimming (almost every night), a visit to the St. Louis Arch (Fun, Fun, Fun!!), and of course to giant Mall.

We arrived safely back home on the following Sunday afternoon. I must say this had to be one of the most fun groups of young people that I have had the privilege to chaperon. I and Sis. Tee would like to thank Pastor Reed and the entire Fairview family for trusting us with your children and for a wonderful opportunity to serve as chaperons.

Below are excerpts from a few of the youth:

"I would like to thank Fairview Baptist Church for letting me go to St. Louis to the National Baptist Congress of Christian Education. I enrolled in "God's Rules Rule". Ms. M was the instructor. I learned the fruit of the spirit, Love, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Goodness, Faithfulness, Gentleness, and Self Control. I also learned the 10 Commandments are found in Exodus 20." - Jahlani "Peanut" Reed

"I would like to thank everybody who contributed money for us to go to St. Louis. We had lots of fun while we were there." - Jailah Reed

"I had fun in St. Louis and learned a lot of things. We went to Six Flags and many other places." - D.J. Walter



FAIRVIEW WOMEN IN MINISTRY

THE WOMEN OF THE FAIRVIEW WOMEN'S MINISTRY **Woody-McBeth Mission Group** started up their monthly community project on Saturday, July 7, 2012. The members of Woody-McBeth spent their Saturday morning helping out at the Infant Crisis Center on 4224 N. Lincoln in Oklahoma City.

Our group met at the center at 10:00 am. Once inside, we were given a tour of the center by one of the staff members. We toured the entire facility and listened as it was explained how the center came to its newest location.

There are many opportunities for volunteer work at the center. The Woody-McBeth group decided that we would work in the warehouse, packing up diapers for the infants.

Once we got our assignment, we started an assembly line and started packing diapers to hand out. We started with an entire 8-foot shelf to pack up. We were only asked to pack up the size one diapers, but we were moving so fast that we finished both the size one and size two diapers. When we finally looked up, there weren't any diapers to pack in boxes so we had to call it a day.

The center was truly amazed that we could work so fast and efficiently. The members that were in attendance were: Sis. Delores Stephens, Sis. Lucile Williams, Sis. Josie Jordan, Sis. Monica Wilder, Sis. Ola Reed, Sis. Charlene Ellison, Sis. Sharon Guydon, Sis. Karen Johnson and Sis. Iyania Ellison representing Sis. Gail Ellison.

Woody-McBeth will be back at the Infant Crisis Center on August 4, 2012, at 10-12. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Sis Charlene Ellison.

By Monica Wilder—Woody-McBeth Mission Group



Pictured L to R—Front Row: Sisters Ola Reed, Lucile Williams, Iyania Ellison, Delores Stephens; Middle Row: Josie Jordan, Monica Wilder; Back Row: Karen Johnson, Charlene Ellison, Sharon Guydon

Prayer Ministry



“Seek God on behalf of depressed people. For healing of long-standing wounds of mind, soul and renewing them in Christ.” (August Prayer Focus-Prayer Group #8)

II Corinthians 7:6—“Nevertheless God, who comforts the downcast, comforted us by the coming of Titus.”

We ask that God's healing presence and the light of truth will dispel lies and the oppressive power of the devil; for helpful counsel; for the healing of long-standing wounds of mind and soul; that they would know the comfort and joy of the Holy Spirit and for the renewing of their minds in Christ.

We serve a God who doesn't shame the downcast, the weary or the restless. He pursues them, provides and comforts them. He beckons us in I Peter 5:7, “Casting all your cares upon him; for he careth for you,” and again in Philippians 4:6, He lovingly commands, don't be anxious for anything, but in everything, bring your request to Him.

God has a plan and a purpose for all our lives. Set our minds on things above, not on things on the earth. He knows our pain and He has already suffered our agony so that He could replace them with His peace and healing that he offers us.

Seek God's help, His mercy, his grace, His compassion which are demonstrations of His love. We must remember who the source of our help is. Our help comes from God. Be thankful, glorify God and move into His presence.

SUBMITTED BY SISTERS LAURA HAWKINS
AND JEAN FISHER

Fairview Summer Camp

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Colbert, Carletta Pullen, Justin Williams, Dominique Brown, Amber Brown, Ashley Kennedy, Tyleshia Darling, Maurice Anglin for the use of his vans, Vince Guydon, and a host of others who donated their time, monetary gifts, support and prayers. We would like to thank everyone who responded to the article in the Daily Oklahoman,

We would especially like to thank our Pastor, Rev. John A. Reed, Jr. for making this camp possible. It has bonded relationships, mended broken spirits, and most of all, given us a Spiritual Connection with the Lord. We are looking forward to our Christmas Camp, Spring Break Camp and, yes, our Summer Camp again!

...Always remember; without your kids, we have no camp. We appreciate your support and your children

God Bless You All!

Sheila Williams Camp Director



VOTER REGISTRATION AVAILABLE AT FAIRVIEW

Fairview Baptist Church Social Action Ministry will have a Voter Registration Drive in the church vestibule over the next 10 Sundays.

There are less than 100 days until the 2012 Presidential Election.

Are you registered to vote? Did you receive your **NEW** Voter Registration ID Card? If the answer is No, you need to register to vote.

The FIVE reasons why you would need to register to Vote.

1. You have never registered to vote.
2. You just turned 18 years of age.
3. You just got married and changed your name.
4. You have moved to a new address.
5. You don't have the new Voter Registration ID Card.

Anyone interested in working with the Social Action Ministry should see Sister Teresa Hill at the Voter Registration Desk located in the vestibule to sign up.

Teresa Hill, Social Action Director

DID YOU KNOW—6,067,361 African Americans of voting age in the United States are unregistered. You can change this number by registering to vote!!

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP —

Fairview Baptist Church

Dr. J. A. Reed, Jr. – Senior Pastor

APPRECIATION FOR ASSISTANT-TO-THE-PASTOR

Reverend Derrick E. Walter, Sr., and Family

August 5, 2012
10:00 a.m.



1700 N. E. 7th Street
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
405-232-1621

August 1, Noon-day Worship Service

We will have our monthly Noon-day Worship on Wednesday, August 1, from 12:00 noon–1:00pm. The message will be brought by Pastor Reed. A light lunch will be available.

August 4, State Youth Annual Meeting at Camp Burge

Fairview youth will be participating in the State Youth Annual Meeting at Camp Burge on August 4. Parents should contact Fairview youth leaders for additional information. The meeting is for boys and girls.

August 5, Appreciation Services for Pastor's Assistant

The 4th Appreciation Service for Fairview's Assistant to the Pastor, Rev. Derrick E. Walter, Sr., and Family, will be held on Sunday, August 5 during the 10 a.m. Worship Period. The message will be brought by Rev. Al Walter, Pastor of New Hope Baptist Church, Chickasha and father to Rev. D. Walter.

August 6–10, EZD Association

The East Zion District Consolidated District Association will be held August 6–10 at the St. Luke Baptist Church, 10001 N. E. 50th, Spencer, Dr. Kenneth West Sr., Pastor.

The session will begin with a Musical on Monday night. The Pastors, Ministers and Ministers' Wives and Widows Conference will be Tuesday night. Laymen will be in charge on Wednesday night and the Women will hold their Annual Program on Thursday morning beginning at 9:00 a.m. Women are asked to wear white.

Rev. A. R. Crawford, District Moderator, will give his Annual Message on Thursday night, August 9, during the 7:00 p.m. hour. Fairview's Singing Churchmen will sing.

The Annual Banquet will be Friday night, August 10, at the Magnuson Meridian Convention Center (formerly the Clarion), 737 S. Meridian. Sister Patricia Reed is the Banquet Speaker.

Please support Rev. Crawford and the Association. There will be no Ministry Meetings at Fairview during the time the EZDA is in session with the exception of Wednesday's noonday Bible Study and Prayer.

August 12, Fairview Annual Church Cookout

We will have our Annual Church Cookout on Sunday evening, August 12, beginning at 6p.m. The cookout will be held at Fairview. All members and their families are encouraged to attend this evening of fellowship and fun. We encourage our new members to come, bring your families that the other church family members may have the opportunity to fellowship with you.

Activities and games will be available for all age groups. Members are asked to bring food, enough for your family and others. Be attentive to further announcements.

August 24, Young Adult Midnight Musical

The Young Adult Ministry of Fairview (W.O.W.) will hold their Annual Midnight Musical on Friday night, August 24. The musical will begin at 10:00pm and continue through midnight. Groups from throughout the Oklahoma City area will be on the program.

Check the church bulletin board and website at www.fairviewokc.com for updates on the musical.

August 18 - 22, Youth Rally/Revival Scheduled

Fairview's Youth Ministry will sponsor the annual Youth for Christ events Saturday–Wednesday, August 18 - 22. There will be a Youth Rally at the church on Saturday, August 18. The Rally will consist of various youth groups from throughout the community.

Fairview's youth revival will begin Sunday, August 19, and go through Wednesday, August 22. Rev. Reginald "Reggie" Bachus, Pastor of Mt. Ollie Baptist Church, Brooklyn, New York. Rev. Bachus will preach for Sunday's 10:00 a.m. worship and Monday through Wednesday nights. Nightly service will begin at 7:00 p.m. Fairview's Youth Choir and praise groups, and visiting churches from throughout the community will be participating nightly.

Please be attentive to further announcements about the Youth Rally and Revival from the Youth Ministry. Fairview adult members are encouraged to be supportive of the revival.

August 19, St. John Pastor's Anniversary

We will worship with the St. John Baptist Church, 5700 N. Kelley Avenue, on Sunday, August 19, 3:00 p.m., for the Anniversary Celebration of Pastor M. L. Jemison. Pastor Reed will bring the message and the JR Inspirational Choir, Usher and Nurse Ministry will accompany him.

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP —

August 25, Food Giveaway

Fairview's monthly Food Giveaway will be Saturday, August 25, from 10:00 a.m.—noon. Fairview senior members and other eligible members are encouraged to take advantage of this service.

August 26, New Covenant Pastor's Anniversary

Sunday, August 26, the New Covenant Baptist Church will observe the Anniversary of Pastor J. O. Bradford. Afternoon worship service begins at 3:30.

August 31, Usher and Nurse Conference

The Usher and Nurse Ministries of Fairview will have their Conference on Friday night, August 31. Speaker for the Ushers is Sister Sandra Finney, President of the Oklahoma Baptist State Convention Usher Ministry. The speaker for the Nurses will be announced in the near future. The Nurse/Healthcare Ministry will provide information that will be of benefit to those in the healthcare profession as well as the general public.

Registration is \$10 and will be conducted onsite. Please be attentive to further announcements about the Conference.

September—Family Month

The month of September is Family Month at Fairview. Please see page 10 for a list of activities for the month. Check the church bulletin board and website at www.fairviewokc.com for updates on the month's activities.

September 3–7, National Baptist Convention

The 132nd Annual Session of the National Baptist Convention, USA, Inc., will meet September 3–7 in Atlanta, Georgia. The Convention is the major business meeting of the boards, auxiliaries and member churches of the Convention and typically draws 10,000 or more delegates. Fairview Pastor J. A. Reed, Jr. serves as Vice President for the Western Region of the Convention.

Please be in prayer for the delegation that will be attending and for the success of the session.

Monthly Food Giveaway

Saturday, August 25, 2012

10:00 a.m. – 12 noon
(or all food is gone)

Senior citizens, low-income families, unemployed, college students, others needing to stretch their food budget are encouraged to participate.

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East Zion Consolidated District
Association

Annual Fellowship Banquet

to Benefit
Camp Burge

Magnuson Meridian Convention Center
(formerly the Clarion Hotel)
August 10, 2012 – 6:00 pm
Oklahoma City, OK

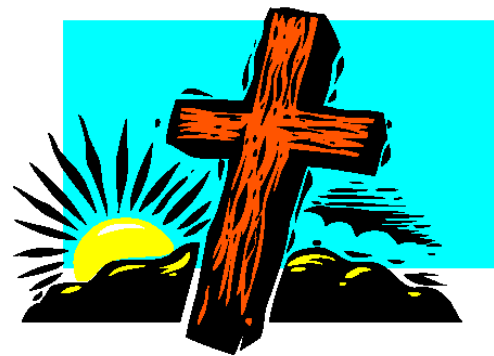


Sister Patricia F. Reed, Banquet Speaker
Rev. A. R. Crawford, Moderator



Banquet Tickets - \$20.00
See Sis. Linda Edwards, Bro. Walter Ellison or
Bro. Charles Hardrick

Community Outreach for Recovery Faith Brings Change (FBC)



Please join us for the 12 Steps of Recovery
from the Life Recovery Bible!

Location: Fairview Baptist Church - 1700 N.E. 7th
When: Every Monday - Time: 8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

For more information, please contact:

Sister Felicia Nero, Program Leader @ 405-514-6118 or felicianero@gmail.com
Rev. Cleo McGlory, Fairview Evangelism Minister @ 405-471-9494

END THE SUMMER WITH A PRAISE

4TH Annual

W.O.W. YOUNG/ADULT

MIDNIGHT MUSICAL

August 24, 10pm

Fairview Baptist Church

1700 n.e. 7th st.

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Free and Open to the Public

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w.o.w.

Young/Adult Ministry



2012
Youth
REVIVAL

Sunday, August 19
10 am Morning
Worship

Monday-Wednesday
August 20-22
7pm Nightly

YOUTH RALLY

August 18



Rev. Reginald Bacchus
Mt. Ollie Baptist Church
Brooklyn, NY

Mark your calendar for these events. More details to follow!

**SEPTEMBER 2012
FAMILY MONTH AT FAIRVIEW**

WEEKLY EMPHASIS ON THE FAMILY

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

- 8:30 a.m.—Church School (Designated Group Areas)
- 10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship (Main Sanctuary)
 - ◊ Pastor's Message to the Family

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9—GRANDPARENT DAY

- 8:30 a.m.—Church School (Designated Group Areas)
- 9:00 a.m.—Tribute to Grandparents (Donald Burns Fellowship Hall)
- 10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship (Main Sanctuary)
 - ◊ Reserved Seating for Grandparents—Center Section

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14—15

- Singles Conference
- Married's Conference and Retreat

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

- 8:30 a.m.—Church School (Designated Group Areas)
- 10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship (Main Sanctuary)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23—SENIOR SAINTS DAY

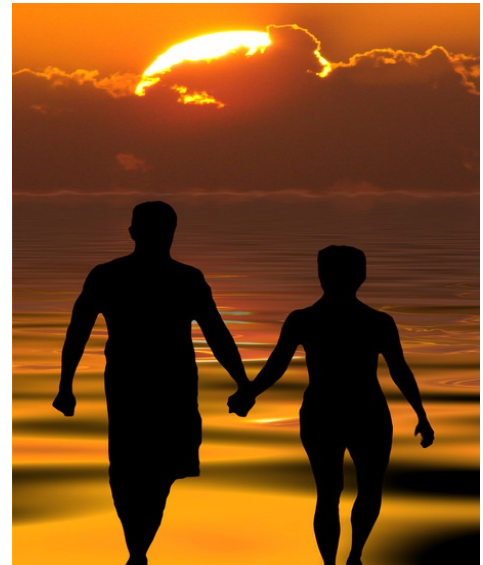
- 8:30 a.m.—Church School (Designated Group Areas)
- 10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship (Main Sanctuary)
- Message by Dr. Leroy Cole, Pastor, Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Tulsa, OK
 - ◊ Reserved seating for Senior Saints—Center Section
 - ◊ Lunch will be served to Senior Saints (aged 60 and over) immediately following Morning Worship in the Donald Burns Fellowship Hall

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30—ANNUAL FAMILY DAY

- 8:30 a.m.—Church School (Designated Group Areas)
- 10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship (Main Sanctuary)
- Family Day Sermon by Rev. Manuel Scott Jr., Los Angeles, CA
 - ◊ Families are asked to sit together during Morning Worship



MARRIED COUPLES



The Ninth Annual Marriage Retreat
September 14—16.
Fin & Feather Resort, Gore, OK

Breaking News

You can join us on
Friday for FREE !!!

We will begin the retreat on Friday
September 14 *at Fairview* with
Breakfast - Teaching Session - Lunch

Even though you had not planned to
attend the retreat this year, think about
joining us on Friday

9AM—NOON !!!

Please call if you have questions

405-326-5270

Larry & Cora Epps
Marriage Ministry Directors



HAPPY BIRTHDAY, AUGUST



We extend birthday greetings to the following members and former members of our Church Family known to be born in the month of July.

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH: *"The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord, and He delighteth in his way."* – Psalms 37:23

Ingrid Cole	8/ 1
Romiki Dorris	8/ 1
Lee Moore	8/ 1
Rosetta Grate	8/ 2
Barbara Hadley	8/ 2
Michael Wofford	8/ 2
Solomon Mantrell	8/ 2
Demis Mobley	8/ 2
Betty Waller	8/ 2
John Anglin, Jr.	8/ 3
Darius Gates	8/ 3
Derrick Walter, Jr.	8/ 3
Tawanna Alexander	8/ 4
Reginald Lancaster, Jr.	8/ 4
Katherine Murray	8/ 4
Arthanella Coffey	8/ 5
Amla Davis	8/ 5
Cameron Faulkner	8/ 5
Gene Fitzgerald	8/ 6
Rhonda Smith	8/ 6
Gina Beaird	8/ 7
Harlan Jones	8/ 7
Desiree' Perry	8/ 7
Sharon Smith	8/ 7
James Madison	8/ 9
Tyree Miller	8/10
Elizabeth Mosley	8/10
Kylan Tillis	8/10
Tunica Willis	8/10
Ayeesha Birdine	8/11
Janet Ruff	8/11
Ruth Heard-Butler	8/12
Angevenya "Angie" Davis	8/12
Bradley Davis	8/12

Ezekiel Griffis	8/12
Mary P. Johnson	8/12
Ebony Jones	8/12
Rosline Melvin	8/12
Norma Jean Clark	8/13
Pamela Brooks	8/13
Linette Burton	8/14
Pauline Stepeny	8/14
Shane Thomas	8/14
Tia Gaines	8/15
Brenda Gaines	8/15
Tyree Campbell	8/16
Thomas Lockhart	8/16
Carlos McArthur	8/16
Rose Smith	8/16
Sharon Beavers	8/17
Aaron Cotton	8/17
Sekeina Ebersson	8/17
Essence McDonald	8/17
Lorne Carter	8/18
Evelyn Curington	8/18
Stephanie Jackson	8/18
LaShawn Tyner	8/18
Linda Walker	8/18
KyJuan Johnson	8/19
Ruth Ann Turner	8/19
Gwen Walter	8/19
Billy Watson	8/19
Brandon Young	8/19
Pamela Estell	8/20
Gladys Johnson	8/20
Johnny Osborne	8/20
DeShawn Robinson	8/20
Shermica Gaines	8/21
Jo A. Reed	8/21
Barbara Jordan	8/22
Malissa Reaser	8/22
Rodney Tolbert	8/22
Dorothy Cole	8/24
Claudette Gaines	8/24
Jaime Garcia	8/24
Sharon Graham	8/24
Shirley Henderson	8/24
Lelani Radford	8/24
Patricia A. Williams	8/24
LaTonya Edwards	8/25
Felicia Hankins	8/25
Keith Taylor	8/25
Desiree Thompson	8/25
Alshawn Carbajal	8/26
Carlos McArthur	8/26
Tonda Walker	8/26
Luerisa Miller	8/27

Michelle Quinn	8/27
Angela Turner	8/27
Sharde' Williams	8/27
Chaina Butler	8/28
Briana Elder	8/28
Jared Edson	8/28
Darnell Forshee	8/28
Gregory Pickens	8/28
Rev. Al Walter	8/28
Deborah Collins	8/29
Tykee Hill	8/29
Opal Jackson	8/29
Kentresha Austin	8/30
K'Dreion Freeman	8/30
Tianna Pullen	8/30
Marla Ruberg	8/30
Barbara Chandler Threat	8/30
Johnnesse Walter	8/30
Christopher Adams	8/31
Janice Cooke	8/31
Norlotta Long	8/31

Welcome, New Members

The following members have recently become a part of our church family. **Please greet them with a hearty Fairview Welcome!**

Barbrie Burns
Romiki Dorris
Gloria Johnson
Robert Johnson
Aaron Jones
Sherita Manuel
Christal Melvin
Mark Petering
Asia Reed
Destiny Sample
Jerome Taylor
Shayla Taylor
Danielle Trimble
Amanda Warren

MEN'S MINISTRY CORNER

Greetings once again in the Eternal name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus the Christ. We continue to look to the hills from whence cometh our help, for we realize that our help comes from the Lord.

Once more we are blessed beyond measure as we thank God for his manifold blessings. There is not a lot to report on this month, but we are thankful to report that God is ever merciful and His truth endureth to all generations. One of the truths that endures is that He is calling each of us for service in His earthly kingdom so that we may make ourselves eligible to serve in His heavenly kingdom.

I pose a question to the men of Fairview this month and that question is; are you actively serving in the Men's Ministry as a part of that service that God is calling you for? I am encouraged that many of you are fulfilling your duties of service as teachers in our Sunday School, singing in our Men's Chorus, faithfully assisting in our Fishes & Loaves Food Ministry, and others ministries than the ones listed.



To the contrary, I observe many of you not doing anything except showing up on most Sunday mornings for our Sunday Morning Worship Services. Many of you do not show up on Wednesday nights for Bible Study and Prayer Meetings, nor do you attend Sunday School on Sunday mornings.

The Apostle Paul speaks of Sundry Practical Duties in the **12th Chapter of the Book of Romans**. In verse 1 of subject chapter he says, quote: *I beseech you therefore brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable, unto God, which is reasonable service.*

At the Fairview Church, thanks to a Pastor/Shepherd that cares deeply for your souls, you are given many opportunities to fulfill that "reasonable service" that Paul speaks of in Romans 12:1. I call on those of you at this time, who only show up from Sunday to Sunday, to get off the sidelines and get yourself into the game and present your physical presence at our



monthly Men's Ministry meetings, our weekly Bible Study and Prayer meetings, Sunday School on every Sunday morning and many other opportunities that are there for your reasonable service.

Jesus Christ died a "physical death" as a part of his reasonable service. Paul is not saying that you are required to die a physical death as a part of yours, but it's my belief that he is telling each of us to fulfill your reasonable service by participating in the auxiliaries that are available for you at Fairview.

We remind each of you that, as a member of Fairview, every man is part of the Men's Ministry. Are you an active member? I urge you to become active and be present at our monthly meetings which are held the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 6:00 PM. The Psalmist reminds us that it is "*good and pleasant for brethren to dwell together in unity.*" We invite you to come and experience the fellowship of dwelling together in unity with us at our scheduled meetings. The fellowship itself is worthy of your attendance and our Bible discussions are tailored to your needs.



The Singing Churchmen also are still calling for voices to add to those who faithfully serve in that musical aggregation. If you can make a joyful noise unto the Lord, you will be right at home in the midst of men who give musical praises and honor to God. The scheduled rehearsal times are the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month. Our scheduled appearances are becoming more numerous away from Fairview as we support Pastor Reed, in addition to each 4th and 5th Sundays of the month during our Morning Worship services.



Scripture for the Month: And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable and perfect will of God.

Charles M. Hardrick, Director
Men's Ministry

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In Memory of

Sister Alice Marie Pleasant



Sunrise: March 5, 1947 - Sunset: July 13, 2012
Home-going Celebration: July 19, 2012

ALICE MARIE GLOVER PLEASANT was born in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, to Olen and Lee Toria Glover. She grew up in Oklahoma city, graduating from Douglass High School, received a BA in Education from Langston and later received a Master's Degree in Education.

She was a long-time member of Fairview Baptist Church and supported the Ministries of the Church, serving as an Usher and in other areas.

Alice was committed to Fairview and was faithful in her stewardship. Her health later hindered her regular attendance but she continued to come when she could.

She departed this life on July 19, 2012. Our prayers and support go to the family of Alice. May God grant you peace as you go through the days ahead.

Sister Betty Jean DeJear



Sunrise: July 19, 1944 - Sunset: July 19, 2012
Home-going Celebration: July 28, 2012

BETTY JEAN DEJEAR was born to Della Mae Harrison and James Haskins in Sunflower, Mississippi. She moved to Oklahoma City and attended Oklahoma City Schools, graduating from Central High School.

Betty had varied training and work experiences. She retired from Tinker AFB in 2003.

Mrs. DeJear united with Fairview and worked faithfully as long as her health allowed. She was a committed worker with the Fishes and Loaves Ministry.

Betty enjoyed life and family. She departed this life on July 19, 2012.

We pray God's continued blessings on her sister and our family member, Doretha, and her children, other siblings, and other family members.

I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith; Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing. II Timothy 4:7-8

Don't be concerned about me now,
I'm well with God, I've made it Home,
Don't talk about what could have been, it's over and it's done.
Just see to all my family's needs, the battle has been won!
(Excerpt from "The Last Request")

August 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			<p>1 11:00am - Mid-day Bible Study/ Prayer 12noon - Noon-day Worship 7:00pm - Bible Study / Prayer 7:00pm - Children & Youth Fellowship</p>	2	3	4 8:30am - Annual Youth Day—Camp Butge
5 10:00am—Appreciation Service for Assistant to the Pastor	6	7	8 11:00am - Mid-day Bible Study/ Prayer	9	10 6:30pm—EZDA Banquet, Clarion Meridian Convention Center	11
East Zion District Association, St. Luke Baptist Church, August 6 - 10						
12 6:00pm—Annual Church Cookout—Fairview Church Grounds	13	14	15 11:00am - Mid-day Bible Study/ Prayer 7:00pm - Bible Study / Prayer 7:00pm - Children & Youth & Young Adult Fellowship	16	17	18
19 10:00am—Youth Revival 3:00pm—St. John, OKC; Pastor's Anniv	20	21	22	23	24 10:00pm— F BC W.O.W. Midnight Musical	25 10:00am—Food Giveaway
Youth Revival, 7:00 p.m. nightly						
26	27	28	29 11:00am - Mid-day Bible Study/ Prayer 7:00pm - Bible Study / Prayer 7:00pm - Children & Youth & Young Adult Fellowship	30	31 7:00pm—Annual Nurse and Usher Workshop, Fairview	

FBC Summer Youth Camp

Pictures below are Fairview's Community Summer Youth Camp, held June 18—August 3, 2012. Feature article on page 3. For copies of photos, contact Levi McCullough at 405-850-3891 or lemac@sbcglobal.net. Photos will also be available at www.levisphotoz.smugmug.com.

