



The Fairviewan

From the Pastor's Desk —

My beloved members,

This month is Black History month across our nation and much emphasis will be placed upon the history of our people. Our Black History Ministry is planning various activities to commemorate this month.



The Black Church has been and still is a powerful force in the lives of black people. As a church, we must continue the work Jesus started. The Black Church must turn to the Holy Word, and it must be rightly divided.

The Black Church has an opportunity; that opportunity is not going to be present always. We must seize this moment, this hour, or the forces of relevance will leave us “weighing in the balance and found wanting.”

The Black Church must seek to do all of the following:

- (1) Recognize the lordship of Jesus Christ;
- (2) Recognize the Bible as our rule and guide;
- (3) Take the ministry of our Lord as being meaningful;
- (4) Respect each other;
- (5) Recognize the value of Christian Education;
- (6) Practice new testament stewardship;
- (7) Allow the Holy Spirit to guide and teach;
- (8) Meet the challenge of today;
- (9) Forget outdated methods of doing things;
- (10) Make excellence the rule, not the exception; and
- (11) Be for real.

The church of Jesus Christ requires our best efforts, under the direction of the Holy Spirit. *We cannot challenge the forces of evil with their methods!*

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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

January 2011

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| # Homes Served | 59 |
| # of Children in the Homes | 55 |
| # of Adults Served | 74 |
| # of Evangelism Requests | 3 |
| # of Ministry Workers | 21 |

*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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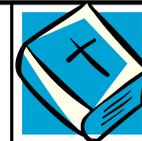
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Christian Education School



The school bell rang at 7 PM nightly January 26—28 as the Christian Education School began. Six awesome courses were offered in this year's curriculum with 130 students in attendance. The courses were as follows:

COURSE

Doctrine of the Holy Spirit
Introduction to the Psalms
Work of the Church Trustee
Prayer Seminar
Creative Ways of Teaching
Introduction to Discipleship
Children & Youth

INSTRUCTOR

Hattie Marsh
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WMU Prayer Retreat

The Fairview WMU, along with the EZD Women Missionary Group, started off 2011 with their Annual Prayer Retreat at the Embassy Suites for two days on January 14 and 15. The theme for 2011 was “*Christian Women Inspired, Enlightened and Empowered to Embrace Every Season in Life,*” Philippians 4:13. Friday night’s program started at 6 pm with a very captivating and entertaining program.

Sis. Latrina Rich was the Mistress of Ceremonies for the evening with the opening prayer presented by President Brothers. Four local authors were saluted along with a fashion show presented by the churches within the East Zion District. Saturday’s activities started at 8:15. “*It’s Time for Prayer,*” was presented by S.I.P. (Sisters in Prayer) land was lead by Verdeen Ellis, Flora Gissandamer, and Dolly Sherrill.

There were three breakout sessions:

- Christian Woman Inspired to Embrace Every Season in Life was presented by Sis. Crystal Heard,
- Christian Woman Enlightened to embrace Every Season in Life was presented by Sis. Sherri Beasley,
- Christian Women Empowered to Embrace Every Season in Life was presented by Sis. Beverly Glover.

The luncheon speaker was Janet Wilson. Fairview was well represented.

Look for future Women’s Ministry events starting on Saturday, February 12, at 10 am. If you are interested in joining the Women’s Ministry or just interested in what the Women’s Mission is all about, then we WANT YOU to attend our Focus Forum.

This forum is your opportunity to talk with some of your community leaders and find out what is going on in and around your neighborhood. This forum will also avail you to see the Women’s Ministry in action.

By Monica Wilder



Pastor and Family Provide Breakfast for Church Family



Happy New Year! Felices Fiestas!
Joyeuses Fêtes!

Fairview’s First Family Breakfast of 2011 was a great success! What a treat to see Pastor & Sis. Reed in the kitchen, plating food, and serving juice and water was Pastor Derrick Walter, Sr., and his son, DJ.

Oh, what a sight it was to see how Fairview came together for the three **F**’s: **F**ellowship, **F**ood and **F**un.

Thank you to the kitchen staff for preparing sausage, eggs, rice, gravy, bacon and biscuits. And, thanks to Pastor Reed and family for providing and serving the food. We love you!

Marveda Stinson
Staff Reporter



Fairview Single's Fellowship

Singles of all ages gathered at the church on Friday night, January 21, for the Monthly Singles Fellowship. The evening consisted of discussion of the evenings topic, "Senior Singles," from Titus 2, and feasting on a meal of barbeque ribs, chicken, baked beans, potato salad, and other delectable side dishes.

The Bible discussion, led by Singles Director, Rev. A. R. Crawford, was scheduled for a 30 minute discussion but it lasted much past an hour as the group engaged in the discussing our role as Christian singles. Joining us for the evening was Pastor Reed, who also had a "few words to say!"

Join us on the 3rd Friday of each month as we share and fellowship!



Prayer Ministry

As Pastor Reed often says “It Happens After Prayer”. In light of this, Pastor Reed started 2011 focused on Prayer. To support that focus, we have had the *Super Prayer Meeting* and the *Prayer Seminar*. Our Prayer Coordinator, Dr. Pat Reed shares with us below the Purpose, Mission and Goals of the ministry. On the following page, she has also given us the prayer roadmap for each month this year to unify us so that we will be on one accord.

Prayer is communicating with the Father. It is like an engine to a vehicle and drives our Faith by giving us Power. No Prayer, no Power.

Our Mission:

- To show believers how to enjoy a more effective prayer life so that they may develop a heart after God,
- To emphasize the purpose, power and pattern of Prayer,
- To encourage every member to join in prayer specifically at 6:00am, 12:00pm or 6:00pm,
- Enhance our lives and service to God in Fairview through prayer,
- To inform believers of the scope and strength of the Prayer Ministry here at Fairview.

Goals:

1. Have 500-700 Prayer Warriors praying together and on one accord.
2. Have all Prayer Ministry Leaders and Prayer Partners praying daily for our Pastor, Ministry Leaders, Finances and Members.
3. Pray for all Ministries of our local churches, district, state and National Convention.
4. Pray for all our Meetings and all Participants in our work at Fairview.
5. Send cards of encouragement to Pastor, Leaders and other Members.
6. Lift up our Pastor, Officers, Workers and Supporters of the Fairview Baptist Church and all of its Ministries.

Ministry Leaders/Members

- Be a Born-Again Christian and know it,
- Have a biblical concept of Prayer,
- Already have a good Prayer Life,
- Have a real heart for Prayer and solidly grounded in the Word,
- Work well with others,

- Be one who knows how to lead and one that people will follow,
- Process the ability to keep confidence,
- Display the Fruits of the Spirit (Galatians 5:22),
- Humble and not a know-it-all,
- Believe that Prayer makes a difference in lives, situations and in our Church work,
- Believe that God has led you to become a Prayer Ministry Leader/Member,
- Be able to plan, teach, train, delegate and communicate.

Our Purpose:

To challenge and equip believers to pray more diligently and effectively,

To promote prayer as a lifestyle,

To understand the role of the Holy Spirit in prayer,

To motivate others to pray consistently and specifically for all things,

To under gird our Church, our work as well as the Body of Christ,

To help others learn to listen for God’s Voice,

To alert others to the role of Prayer in a world-wide Spiritual Awakening,

To pray daily and to develop a daily quiet time,

To support in Prayer our homes, Fairview and all our Ministries and Leaders,

To apply biblical principles that develop intimacy with God,

To encourage believers to step out of their comfort zones in regard to prayer,

To pray together as a team for unity, direction, favor and timing.

Submitted by Patricia Reed
Prayer Ministry Coordinator

Prayer Ministry—MONTHLY PRAYER GUIDE—2011

JANUARY

Seeking God to give us pure hearts—Psalm 24: 3-4)

FEBRUARY

Seek God on behalf of Ethnic Communities; that God will bring racial harmony; that offenses may be healed by forgiveness—(Psalm 22: 27)

MARCH

Seek God on behalf of sick people—That God will touch those who are sick in our community with healing & comfort for their caregivers families—(Matthew 14:14)

APRIL

Seek God on behalf of Pastors & Ministry Leaders—(1Peter 5: 2, 7)

MAY

Seek God on behalf of Teachers & Mentors; that they will impart Godly wisdom to form character in each student—(Luke 6: 40)

JUNE

Seek God to resave people enslaved in spiritual darkness—(Isaiah 42: 6-7)

JULY

Seek God on behalf of the poor for God to establish them; that their spiritual & physical needs are met—(Psalm 140: 12)

AUGUST

Seek God on behalf of depressed people; For healing of long-standing wounds of mind & soul—(2 Corinthians 7:6)

SEPTEMBER

Pray for the Military that God would grant them protection, wisdom, grace and fortify their families—(Matthew 8:5-10)

OCTOBER

Seek God to rise up against spiritual enemies—(Psalm 74: 10, 20-23)

NOVEMBER

Seek God for forgiveness to heal broken relationships. Cause your mercy to move in the hearts of many so that forgiveness begins to heal the aftermath of sin—(Genesis 50: 17-20)

DECEMBER

Seeking God on behalf of the Coming generation—That people who are now young children will become passionate followers of Christ—(Matthew 23: 37-39)

In Addition, pray all year long for the following:

- For divided congregations to become reconciled, reflecting Christ's beauty.
- For the eyes of believers to be opened to the opportunities God is giving them for making peace in their homes, streets, neighborhoods and all relationships.
- For Christians to truly experience God's Favor.
- For believers to bring their sins out into the open, confessing them publicly in hope of forgiveness and purity from within.
- For non-believers to see the difference between superficial religious behavior and true heart purity before God.
- For many to be moved at the same time to abandon sin and to seek God.





HAPPY BIRTHDAY, FEBRUARY!!

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

THINK ON THESE THINGS: *“And let us not be weary in well doing; for in due season, we shall reap, if we faint not, and as we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith.”*
Galatians 6:9-10 (KJV)

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| Brenda Colbert | 2/ 1 |
| Johnny Douglas | 2/ 1 |
| Mosellee Gaines | 2/ 1 |
| Sandra Holloway | 2/ 1 |
| Demar Keith | 2/ 1 |
| Trevonne Hogg | 2/ 2 |
| Chris Jacobs | 2/ 2 |
| Tiffany Reedom | 2/ 3 |
| Tamyra Thompson | 2/ 3 |
| Gerri Childress | 2/ 4 |
| Alexis Drake | 2/ 4 |
| Ernest Thompson | 2/ 4 |
| Ebonee Perry | 2/ 5 |
| Karen Joe-Perry | 2/ 5 |
| Jawan Thomas | 2/ 5 |
| Lamar Britt, Jr. | 2/ 6 |
| Brandon Hammon | 2/ 7 |
| Barbara Hardimon | 2/ 7 |
| Chelsea Mosby | 2/ 7 |
| JoDay Shaw | 2/ 7 |
| John Babcock | 2/ 8 |
| J. R. Reed | 2/ 8 |
| Yolanda Peeler | 2/10 |
| Nannette Stepeny | 2/10 |
| Brandi Davis | 2/11 |

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| Clara V. Finley | 2/11 | Stephanie Butler | 2/23 |
| Lamar Franklin | 2/11 | Landon Cayton | 2/23 |
| Garvin Perkins | 2/11 | Darla Gaines | 2/23 |
| Donta' Stepeny | 2/11 | Jahlani Reed | 2/23 |
| Bryan Clark | 2/12 | Delisha Childress | 2/24 |
| Ronnie Winters | 2/12 | Deseray Ransome | 2/24 |
| Ella Jackson | 2/12 | Shaun Russell, Sr. | 2/24 |
| Ola Tillman | 2/12 | Tray Osborne | 2/25 |
| Elijah Warren | 2/12 | Sara Hill | 2/26 |
| Arnita Alexander | 2/13 | Robin Ellison | 2/27 |
| Chris Weston, Jr. | 2/13 | Trina Garnette | 2/27 |
| Kisha Russell | 2/14 | Jasmine Jones | 2/27 |
| Cleveland Young | 2/14 | Shelneko Thomas | 2/27 |
| Scott Collins | 2/15 | Ali Gaines | 2/28 |
| Mercedez Davis | 2/15 | Alberta Miles | 2/28 |
| Shardell Davis | 2/15 | Tiara Riley | 2/28 |
| A'Brianna Franklin | 2/15 | Ronald House | 2/29 |
| MondRay Martin | 2/15 | | |
| Tonia Rhone | 2/15 | | |
| Jeremy Russell | 2/15 | | |
| Kimberly Shaw | 2/15 | | |
| Ronald Walker | 2/15 | | |
| Michael Burden | 2/16 | | |
| Alexander Easlisk | 2/16 | | |
| Larry Epps | 2/16 | | |
| Odessa Gaines | 2/16 | | |
| Ashley Jackson | 2/16 | | |
| Donald Simmons | 2/16 | | |
| Ronald Battles | 2/17 | | |
| Brian Davis | 2/17 | | |
| Angela Helem | 2/17 | | |
| Ernest James | 2/17 | | |
| Ayisha Norman | 2/17 | | |
| Carolyn Peters | 2/17 | | |
| Dashia Dean | 2/18 | | |
| Terrance Ellis | 2/18 | | |
| Leola Joe | 2/18 | | |
| Kenyun Westbrook | 2/18 | | |
| Alvin Cudjoe | 2/19 | | |
| Steven Edwards | 2/19 | | |
| Zeritta Grissom | 2/19 | | |
| Dialma Hildreth | 2/19 | | |
| Tamara Hurt | 2/19 | | |
| Brandi Jackson | 2/19 | | |
| Shawntay Alexander | 2/19 | | |
| De'Sean Hankins | 2/20 | | |
| Maurice Anglin | 2/21 | | |
| Carlotta Hill | 2/21 | | |
| Frankie Quinn | 2/21 | | |
| Joyce Coley | 2/22 | | |
| Jasmine Gaddis | 2/22 | | |

OOPS! Our apologies to Jerryl Winters who celebrated a birthday on January 17. We failed to list Mr. Winters on the January Birthday. Please join us in wishing Mr. Winters a “belated” Happy Birthday!

Welcome, New Members

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

*Cecil Byrd
 K'Dreion Freeman
 Tristian Jackson
 Odessa Johnson
 Amanda Jones
 Essence McDonald
 Channing Penn
 Gwendolyn Simmons
 Ashton Smith
 Betty Wates
 Brady Watson
 Ciera Watson
 Malika Watson
 Deborah Williamson
 Kelvin Wisner*

Opportunities for Worship and Fellowship –

Black History Month Observance—February 6

This morning, during our 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship, special emphasis will be placed upon Black History by our Black History Ministry. The Ministry will be represented by Sister Anita Blanton.

Monthly Staff Meeting—February 7

February's Monthly Staff Meeting will be held Monday evening, February 7, at 6:00 p.m. All staff are expected to attend.

Music Committee Meeting—February 7

The Music Committee will meet Monday evening, February 7, at 7:00 p.m.

Women's Ministry Focus—February 12

Fairview's Annual Women's Ministry Focus Day is set for Saturday, February 12. All women of Fairview are encouraged to attend.

1st Baptist, Purcell, Pastor's Anniversary—February 13

We will join the First Baptist Church of Purcell in celebrating the Anniversary Service for Pastor Ricky McNeal on Sunday, February 13. The Singing Churchmen, Nurse and Usher Ministries are scheduled.

OBSC Mid-winter Board Meeting — February 14—16

The Oklahoma Baptist State Convention Mid-winter Board has been rescheduled due to the inclement weather. The session will meet February 14—16 in Guthrie, Oklahoma. Pastor Hersey Hammons and the First Baptist Church of Guthrie will serve as host.

CCSR City-wide Revival—February 16—18

Tabitha Baptist Church will host the Concerned Clergy for Spiritual Renewal City-wide Revival, Wednesday—Friday nights, February 16-18. The evangelist will be Rev. Sedric Veal of Cleveland, OH. Service will begin at 7:00 p.m. nightly.

Fairview is programed for Wednesday night. The JRI Choir is scheduled to sing. All members are to attend the Revival on Wednesday night. There will be no services at Fairview that night.

Pastor Reed serves as President of the CCSR. Fairview members are asked to support the service. Be attentive to further announcements about the Revival.

Evangelism Class and Witnessing—February 19, 10:00 a.m.

Food Giveaway—February 26

Fairview's Fishes and Loaves Ministry will sponsor our monthly food giveaway on Saturday, February 27, beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Black History Program—February 27

Fairview's Drama Ministry will present a Black History Program on Sunday morning, February 27, at 9:00 a.m. A great program has been planned by the Ministry. Plan to attend.

Black History Worship Celebration—February 27

We will have special guest for our 10:00 a.m. Worship in the person of Dr. Eric Joseph. Dr. Joseph will bring the morning message. See next page for more details.

"Single and Dating"— Be a part of this exciting topic at the next Fairview Singles Ministry Fellowship. Stay tuned for the date of the next meeting. Expect to share with us in fellowship, food, and wholesome spiritual discussion. Other great subjects are planned for future meetings. Please come. *Stay connected! We need you!!*

Opportunities for Worship and Fellowship –

Greater Mt. Olive Baptist Pastor's Anniversary—February 27

We will worship with the Greater Mt. Olive Baptist Church for the Anniversary of Pastor A. Glenn Woodberry. The JRI Choir is scheduled to sing. Service begins at 3:00 p.m.

Black History Fellowship—February 27

Joint worship with the OKC First Church of the Nazarene, 6:30 p.m. Pastor Middendorf will bring the message.

OSBC Prison Ministry Training—March 5

The Oklahoma Baptist State Convention Prison Ministry Volunteer Training will be held at Fairview on Saturday, March 5. Contact Sis. Donna Thompson, Prison Ministry Director, at 405-209-6750 for information on the training.

Western Regional Youth Conference—March 5

The youth of Fairview will participate in the Western Regional Youth Conference on Saturday, March 5. Additional information may be obtained from Fairview Youth Ministry leaders.

Black History Month

During the month of February we will be placing emphasis on Black History at our church. The Black History Ministry, led by Brother Erick Harris, will be coordinating several events throughout the month.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6

10:00 a.m. Worship Period — Special emphasis on Black History by Sister Anita Blanton

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20

10:00 a.m. Worship Period — Skit on Black History; Sister Debra Davis, Director

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27

9:00 a.m. — Black History Program by the Sunday School; Sister Hattie Marsh, Drama Ministry Director

10:00 a.m. Worship Period—Morning Message by Dr. Eric A. Joseph, Vice President for Strategic Initiatives, Mid-America Christian University. Special music will be by Sister Anita Blanton

6:30 p.m. Evening Worship — Fairview will hold its Black History Worship Celebration on Sunday evening, February 27, at 6:30 p.m. The Fellowship will include joint worship with the OKC First Church of the Nazarene. Rev. Jon Middendorf, Senior Pastor of OKC First, will bring the evening message. He will be accompanied by OKC First Music Ministry and congregation. A fellowship dinner will be served immediately following the service. The Fairview Family and community are urged to plan to be a part of this celebration of brotherhood.



Dr. Joseph



Rev. Middendorf

Join US!
Noonday Worship Service

HELD ON THE 1ST WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH

**JOIN US MARCH 2, 2011
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Rev. J. A. Reed, Jr.
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 Preacher of the Hour

A light lunch is available. Call 232.1621 for transportation needs.

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- Day 6:** Jerusalem
- Day 7:** Jerusalem—Bethlehem
- Day 8:** Jerusalem—Tel Aviv—North America

A deposit of \$300 per person is required and due by April 1 to confirm your acceptance and will be applied to the total price.

50% of the remaining balance is to be paid by July 1 with the balance to be paid in full 70 days prior to departure.



For questions, or to receive detailed information on the trip, see Shirley Isaiah-Manuel or contact Dr. J. A. Reed Jr.
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DEADLINE APPROACHING!

4th Annual Communications Conference

This is Fairview Communications and Public Relations Ministry's 4th Annual Communications Conference and we're presenting it bigger and better than ever before!

This year we are focusing on Ministry promotion inside and outside of the church walls. Some of the topics to be discussed include:

- Effective methods for promoting your Ministry that will draw people to your Ministry
- How to set up an advertising campaign to effectively promote your special programs
- Utilizing the church's website, social media and other internet tools to get the message of your Ministry outside the church walls
- How to effectively use existing tools to enhance and strengthen your personal witness (Let your light shine!)
- And much, much more!

We have taken it to another level! We have more exciting classes, activities, and new speakers.

Don't miss out! *This Conference will revolutionize your Ministry!*

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Save the date - Illuminate!!

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| 01/05/11 NOON | Fairview Morning Worship | Pastor J. A. Reed, Jr. | "Don't Waste Your Time," Ephesians 5:15-17 | CT | CD | DVD |
| 1/02/11 10:00am | Fairview Morning Worship | Pastor J. A. Reed, Jr. | "Let Your Light Shine," Matthew 5:14-16 | CT | CD | DVD |
| 01/09/11 10:00am | Fairview Morning Worship | Erick Harris | "Running the Race," Hebrews 12:1 | CT | CD | DVD |
| 01/16/11 10:00am | Fairview Morning Worship | Pastor J. A. Reed, Jr. | "What True Righteousness Is," Matthews 5:1-2 | CT | CD | DVD |
| 01/23/11 10:00am | Fairview Morning Worship | Pastor J. A. Reed, Jr. | "How True Righteousness Comes" Matthews 5:17-20 | CT | CD | DVD |
| 01/30/11 10:00am | Fairview Morning Worship | Pastor J. A. Reed, Jr. | "How Righteousness Works in Our Daily Lives," Matthew 5:21-48 | CT | CD | DVD |



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harda Gaines graduated on December 18 from the University of Central Oklahoma with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing. She recently took the State Board Examination and passed with flying colors. Her family is proud to announce that Sharda is now a Registered Nurse. She

is the daughter of Terry Gaines and the granddaughter of Claudette Gaines.

**CONGRATULATIONS,
SHARDA!!!!!!!**

One of the most faithful and diligent members of the Communications Ministry, Bro. Charles Hardrick, had an emergency surgery on last week. As a result, the Men's Ministry Corner and the Camp Burge Report are conspicuously missing from this month's issue. Please keep Bro. Hardrick lifted up in prayer, as we miss his contributions immensely. You can expect to see his work in our next issue!

ANNOUNCING—

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May 11—13, 2011
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Dr. Julius R. Scruggs, Convention President
Dr. J. A. Reed, Jr., Western Region Vice President

Plans are in progress to arrange for chartered transportation from Oklahoma City to Omaha for the Conference. More details will be made available in the near future.

In Memory of

BROTHER ROBERT GRINSTEAD was born to Robert Eli and Elizabeth Grinstead in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He attended school in Oklahoma City and graduated from Douglass High School.

Brother Robert grew up at Fairview. He stated that he joined on the first Sunday that Pastor S. S. Fairly preached at Fairview and was baptized on the following Sunday. He was proud of his tenure at Fairview; he was interviewed as an eyewitness to Fairview's history during the 100th Year Celebration (April 2009 issue of *The Fairviewan*, the church newsletter). He was recognized at Fairview's 101st Church Anniversary and Homecoming Celebration in December 2010 as one of seven remaining members that have been members of the church for 75 or more years.

Brother Grinstead served as a Trustee for many years and was also a part of the Expansion Fund Ministry. His presence will be missed by the Fairview Church Family.

Robert Grinstead



July 11, 1924—January 26, 2011

"Then I heard a voice from heaven say, 'Write this: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on.' 'Yes,' says the Spirit, 'they will rest from their labor, for their deeds will follow them.' - Revelations 14:13 (NIV)

LOTTIE ROBERTSON DOUGLAS was born to Leroy Robertson and Matilda Stidham Robertson in Warrior Community, outside of Checotah, Oklahoma. She grew up in the community, which she referred to as "Daddy Roy's Country," and graduated from Rentiesville High School.

Sister Lottie moved to Oklahoma City in her early adult years, met and married Racilus Douglas, Sr., and they established her church home with Fairview and raised their children at Fairview. She remained a faithful wife until the death of Brother Douglas, a faithful church worker until her health began to deteriorate, and a loving and faithful mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, aunt, cousin and mentor until her death.

Sister Douglas served in many capacities during her 65 years at Fairview. She was a Deaconess, Sunday School Teacher, BTU Secretary, Kitchen Committee member, Nursery Worker, Vacation Bible Teacher, member and later Director of the Women's Ministry. She established the Senior Ministry at Fairview, focusing on serving a hot meal and opportunity for fellowship for senior members.

She left a legacy through her children, youth of Fairview that she taught and mentored and the many lives that were touched through her service.

Our love and prayers go out to the Douglas family.

Sister Lottie Douglas



April 16, 1926—January 27, 2011

"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. ... Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever." — Psalm 23:1-3; 6

February 2011

FEBRUARY PRAYER FOCUS—

Seek God on behalf of Ethnic Communities: That God will bring racial harmony; that offences may be healed by forgiveness. (Psalm 22:27)

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| BLACK HISTORY MONTH | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | |
| 6 10:00am —Black History Month Focus | 7 6:00pm —Monthly Staff Meeting 7:00pm —Music Committee Meeting | 8 9 11:00am - Mid-day Bible Study/Prayer 7:00pm - Bible Study/Prayer 7:00pm - Children & Youth & Young Adult Fellowship | 10 11 9:00am —Women's Ministry Focus, FBC | 12 13 3:30pm —First Baptist, Purcell, Anniv for Pastor McNeal | 14 15 OBSC Mid-winter Board Mtg. First Baptist, Guthrie, OK | 16 17 18 19 10:00 a.m. —Evangelism |
| 20 10:00am —Black History Focus: Skit | 21 22 | 23 24 11:00am - Mid-day Bible Study/Prayer 7:00pm - Bible Study/Prayer 7:00pm - Children & Youth & Young Adult Fellowship | 25 26 10:00 a.m. - Food Giveaway | 27 28 9:00am —Black History Program: Sunday School 10:00am —Black History Message: Rev. Eric Joseph 3:00pm —Gtr. Mt. Olive Pastor's Anniv 6:30pm —Fellowship Service w/OKC First Church of the Nazarene | 29 30 DOC Training Western Regional Youth Meeting | |

CCSR City-wide Revival, Tabitha Baptist Church, 7:00pm nightly
Rev. Sedric Veal, Evangelist

No Mid-week Activities at Fairview.

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