



Faith Baptist

July 20, 2025

"Where JESUS will always be our first love"



Pastor's Corner

Proper Prayer should make us abandon our present life only lens as our outlook. And commit to a wider lens of eternal perspective. Most currently pray the "right now-me" prayers. There is nothing wrong with praying for health, home, finances, family, job, church, friends and so on. Yes, God cares for your current life. Right now, He is giving you grace for the moment. From His prayer in the Garden, Jesus prayed for His current need but abandoned it for God's will. Luke 22:39-48. It requires us to abandon our distorted view of our present needs for God's better judgement of what we need. It requires you to take the long view-to let go of your hold on your life and surrender to the kingship of another. This prayer contains some very dangerous words, because it will turn your life upside down. Here it is, "Your Kingdom come, Your will be done, right here, right now in my life as it is in heaven." Matthew 6:10. The danger of letting go of your will and your short lens of view and allow God to do something greater than you could imagine for yourself. That is exactly what God wants to do. Why give your searching heart something that can never satisfy its desire. Only God can bring what is completely satisfying, and without Him it is out of our reach. Love Bro. Brian



Happy 50th Anniversary
Bob and Marcia Shearer

EVANGELISM/Missions Team

Bob White, Missions Leader

It was a great time with friends from Bridges for Peace and Sister City of Cocoa/Beit Shemesh standing for peace without fear on Friday, July 11. Patti Gloade and I were on the same corner facing the corner where Sherriff Ives and several deputies were stationed. Nearly all of the passers had positive reactions and smiles. Tonight we plan to get an understanding of the Ministry to which God has called James O. Davis. I am looking forward to our interview with James O. Today while I was writing, I entered a Zoom meeting with James O and over 30 world leaders discussing the Synergize 2026 meeting that will be held in Orlando next February. More of that tonight. What a visionary , equipping Pastors and Laymen standing on the front lines of the battle for lost souls!!

LADIES OF FAITH

Gayle Netto, Team Leader

Beginning August 7, 2025, the ladies Bible Study group will begin a study on the Holy Spirit. Title of Book: "JESUS IN ME", Author: Anne Graham Lotz. Experiencing the Holy Spirit as a Constant Companion. Discover how you, too, can more fully love and rely on the person of the Holy Spirit and embrace His presence, provision, and power in your daily life.

BACK TO SCHOOL BASH - AUGUST 2ND



The Events Team wishes to thank all of you who volunteered to support the Back to School Bash, either with your time or financially. We anticipate helping at least 110 students this year. Be sure to write on your check "backpack" and make your check payable to Faith Baptist Church when giving. Thank you again..

Please contact **Sandy Gillespie - 321-412-5515**

CHOIR

Missy Jones, Choir Director

Please contact Missy if you would like to be apart of the choir. Practice is each Sunday evening at 5:00PM.

PRAYER

Psalm 116:5-6 The Lord is gracious and righteous; our God is full of compassion. 6 The Lord protects the unwary: when I was brought low, he saved me. (Don't quit-carry on-go forward. Look ahead not back. Regret is futile.)

IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Prayer is such an important part of our Armor of God and our relationship with Christ. **If you are submitting a prayer request for a friend, please seek their permission first.** We would like to respect the privacy of those listed.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT PRAYER REQUESTS

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Judy Hampton - Eyes - Glaucoma

Zana Renak - Cancer treatments and **Todd** for his love and encouragement

John Buck - Cancer treatments

Pat Jenkins

Gayle Netto - migraines and **Gayle's** family

Barbara Zada

Tracie Chinaris

Pastor Brian and Missy are traveling to West Virginia. Missy's friend, Missy's mother Ruth, is nearing the time she will be with Jesus. Please pray for Missy's family to experience God's peace and reassurance that they will see Ruth again.

Gail Swindle - friend and high school classmate, Wayne Barfield passed. Please pray for family. Pray for God's peace and comfort as they go through this time of mourning.

Gail Swindle - kitty cat, Daisy, has cancer.

Alice McClellan - friend Vickie is recovering from her surgery and waiting for the news that the doctor got everything.

Tracie Chinaris - facing many medical tests and procedures. Please pray for peace, wisdom, discernment, and healing.

Grover Bowling - friend, Pete Breedon, is having hip and mobility difficulties. Pray for healing.

Barbara Zada - very, very, thankful for all the prayers. She is still on the mend from her knee surgery and in quite a bit of pain.

Pam Burwell - sister Barbara was worrying about her lawn. Her lawn care person, Greg had a stroke and is now unable to maintain the yard. Barbara shared with Pam, who prayed with her about it. Within the hour, her husband John was walking and saw a fellow cutting someone else's yard and asked if he would take on his yard also. "Yes." God is so good. Also please keep Greg's recovery from the stroke in prayer.

Nancy White - friends Bill and Linda Ives are discouraged about his breathing difficulties. Please pray that God will allow them to see progress in his healing and that they will be encouraged by each improved breath.

Debi Rowell - friend Greg Rough and his wife just landed in Saigon as missionaries. Please pray for the Gospel to be spread like wildfire throughout the country.

Gail Swindle - friend, Jerry Reed, fell a few weeks ago, he has a fractured left shoulder and leg and is immobile. He will be in Melbourne Terrace for a couple of months for rehab. Please pray for strengthening and stability.

Sally Wagner - broken fibula - stabilized until she can see the orthopedic doctor on Monday

Unspoken requests -Israel-Our Country-Our Nation's Leaders-Unsaved Family Members

Pray a hedge of protection around our pastor, and every member of the family of God. Satan has been defeated!

Protection and Travel Mercies for all our members.

Happy Anniversary

Ronnie & Lynn Black	July 20
Pam & Chris Burwell 33 Years	July 24
Bob & Marcia Shearer	July 26
Bill & Marilyn Cheek	August 22

If you have information for the newsletter you would like to have listed, please send to gail.swindle@gmail.com or call Gail at 321-720-8693. Please provide by Thursday of each week.