

# First News



## **Tonight ! Wednesday Night Dinner March 4, 2026 at 5-6:30pm Payne Fellowship Hall**

Join us for "Breakfast for Dinner" tonight, March 4th. Here are a few things that will be on the menu: French toast sticks, bacon, chicken sausage, ham rolls, scalloped potatoes, blueberry streusel, hash brown casserole, fruit salad, pastries, and more served with orange juice, coffee, and tea. This Wednesday night dinner is being provided by our Agape I Sunday Bible Study Class.

## **Vision Team News**

Church Family,

After extended discussion over the last several months, the Vision Team and church leadership have realized the need for a revision to our church bylaws. This is in part to simplify existing protocols and adjust organizational structures to better meet the needs of our congregation.

Over the next few months, we will draft bylaws revisions which will include Articles of Incorporation for the



## **One City Marathon Thank You!**

A huge thank you to everyone who came out to help at the water station across the street on Sunday morning! Two members of the local Moose lodge and Randy Shepley arrived by 6am to help us get everything setup and ready to go. By the time the first runners came, several people had shown up to hand out water and Gatorade. We even were able to cheer on 5 people from FBCNN who ran in the half marathon: Matt Tilley, Kolby Keller, Grete Johnson, Amanda Tilley, and Monica Garcia, as well as the several hundred others that ran in either the full or half marathon.

congregation to view and discuss prior to any vote. Our hope is to have a final document for review by the end of summer.

The following church members are working on the revisions along with staff.

Danny Adkins  
Chris Johnson  
Jim Lystlund  
Robert Mann  
Lisa Mason  
Harvey Perkins  
Rob Spitzer  
Mark Woodard

Please keep all those involved in prayer, and we look forward to sharing more details in the coming months on or before our next church conference.

Blessings,

Lisa S. Mason

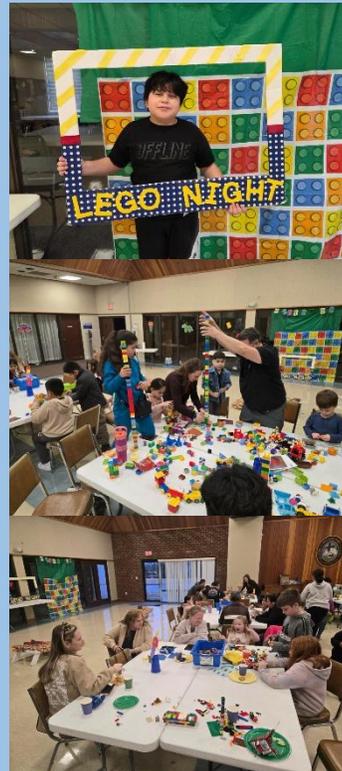
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### **Attention Parents of Youth: Mission Madness is This Month**

CBFVA Mission Madness is happening soon! A group of our youth will be heading to Richmond March 20-21. Mission Madness is a time where youth go out into the community to serve others in addition to having times of worship together. To find out more or if you have a teen that would like to participate, please contact Pastor Randy.

For those who do not have youth attending this event, please remember to keep them in your prayers as they build and strengthen relationships with Jesus, each other, and the community around them.

Fortunately, we were blessed with a beautiful sunrise and mild temperatures this year and did not have to deal with water freezing in cups or Gatorade freezing to the top of the table like last year.



### **LEGO and Taco Night Fun!**

Children and their families had a fun time building with Legos and eating tacos at our Lego and Taco Night on Sunday, March 1st. The evening featured Lego tattoos, a photo booth, and cornhole. The children guessed the number of Legos in a jar to win a prize, and each child also got a ticket for a chance to win a door prize. We played some "Minute to Win It" games to win Lego minifigures. Everyone went home with Lego brick candy and a small Lego set. Many thanks to Karon Garcia, Kathy van Rijn, and Joyanne Manning for their help in making this a wonderful evening of fun and fellowship for everyone!

## Additional News from FBCNN

### Upcoming Events

March 4 - Wednesday Night Dinner at 5pm (see article above)

March 12 - Peninsula Mobile Food Bank at 1pm; the Food Bank will be in our parking lot giving out food to those in need of assistance.

March 20-21 - Mission Madness in Richmond (see article above)

### Financial Standing 2025 Year End

Stewardship is pleased to share the financial results for December 2025. Overall, we ended the year on a positive note.

- Revenue: Our total revenue minus expenses for December reflect a positive net total of **\$25,874**, reflecting strong support from our congregation. Required Minimum Contributions (RMDs) were a big part of this positive number. We want to continue planning for this type of giving in the future.
- Expenses: Our expenses for the last quarter were **6% below** the approved budget.
- Budget Comparison: While our revenue was solid, our total revenue was **4.4% below the budgeted amount**.

Despite being slightly under budget, we are thankful that we closed the year with a positive balance.

**Thank you** for your continuous financial support.

### March Staff Birthday and Anniversaries

Join us in celebrating the staff birthday and anniversaries this month.

Birthday:  
3/18 - Lindsay Rew

Anniversaries:  
3/23 - Randy Shepley  
3/26 - Nikki Reid

### Support the Mission Through Your RMD Contributions

As you plan your financial giving this year, we invite you to consider directing your Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) from your retirement account to support the ministries of First Baptist Church.

If you are age 73 or older and have a traditional IRA, you are required to withdraw a minimum amount each year from your RMD. By making a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) directly to the church, you can fulfill your RMD requirement while reducing your taxable income. It is a meaningful and tax-efficient way to support the church's mission.

**Make a financial contribution to FBCNN today by clicking on the [Donate link](#).**

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# Weekly Worship Opportunities

Join us for worship in person or online Sunday, March 8 at 8:30 and 11am! Randy Shepley will be leading us in worship.

The Sunday worship services are streamed directly to our [website](#) and can be accessed by clicking on **Upcoming Live Stream** tab located on the home page. If you miss a service, you can click on **Sermon Library** in the **Resources** tab to select the service you missed. (Services are listed in chronological order with the most recent on top.)

The following is a list of weekly events. Learn more about children's events on Facebook and youth events on their Instagram page-@fbcnnyouth.

## Sundays

- 8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship
- 9:45 a.m. Adult Bible Study
- 9:45 a.m. Children's Bible Study
- 9:45 a.m. Infant-Preschool Bible Study
- 9:45 a.m. Youth Bible Study
- 11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship
- 11:00 a.m. Extended Session - infants through age 4
- 11:00 a.m. Hispanic Bible Study
- 12:30 p.m. Hispanic Worship

## Wednesdays

- 6:00 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal
- 6:30 p.m. K-Motion & Youth
- 6:30 p.m. Hispanic Prayer and Bible Study
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

## Thursdays

- 10:00 a.m. Swingin' Singers

Click on the button below to watch the 11am worship service from March 1st.

[March 1](#)

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