Monday-Thursday 9:00am-4:00pn Friday 9:00am-1:00pm 813-645-6439

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March 31, 2024

First Baptist Church of Ruskin

OUR MISSION

MANY OF TODAY'S CHURCHES ALWAYS SEEM TO BE FOLLOWING THE CURRENT TRENDS. AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF RUSKIN, WE BELIEVE THAT GOD WANTS US TO PRESENT AGELESS TRUTH, NOT THE LATEST TRENDS. WE DON'T WANT TO BE OLD-FASHIONED, BUT RATHER WE WANT TO PRESENT THE AGELESS STORY OF GOD'S LOVE AND GRACE TO US THROUGH HIS SON, JESUS CHRIST. WE ARE SO GLAD YOU HAVE JOINED US TODAY AS WE STUDY GOD'S PRECIOUS WORD.

SERVICES

SUNDAY

MEN'S PRAYER MEETING - 7:30 AM

BIBLE CLASSES - 9:30 AM

WORSHIP - 10:30 AM

WORSHIP - 5:00 PM

WEDNESDAY - 7:00 PM

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

TEEN BIBLE STUDY

AWANA (SEPT-MAY)

STAFF

DR. BARRY RUMSEY | SENIOR PASTOR
REV. JIM FARR | ASSISTANT PASTOR
MRS. VICKI RUMSEY | CHILDREN'S MINISTRY
BRO. JOSH CORTEZ I YOUTH DIRECTOR
REV. MIKE MELONE | RCS ADMINISTRATOR
MR. ROBERT O'NEILL | MUSIC DIRECTOR

RCS

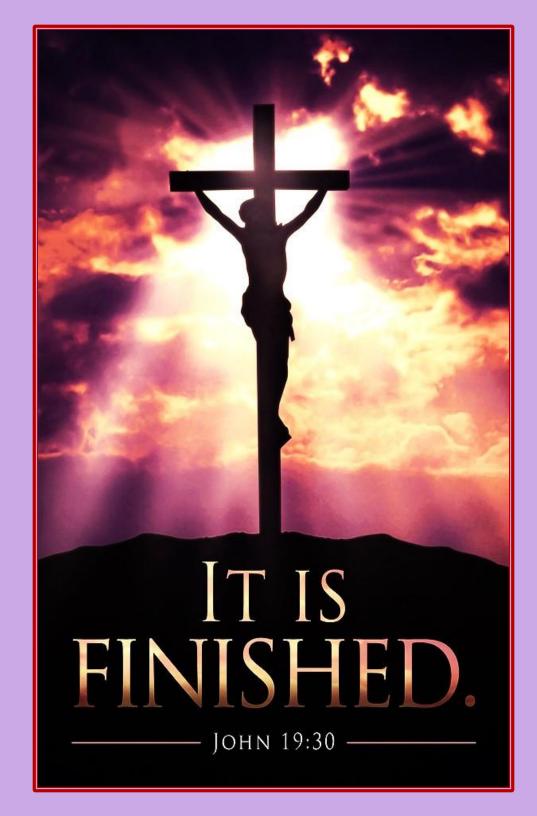
MRS. JENNIFER DESANTO I ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

MRS. LISA HEERDT | PRE-SCHOOL SUPERVISOR

RCS - AGES 2 THROUGH 12TH GRADE

PAST SERMONS ARE AVAILABLE AT WWW.FBCRUSKIN.ORG

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SUNDAY CLASSES AVAILABLE

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ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Destinies of Men Mr. Sandy Whetherholt Room 407 (Navigators)

It's All About Jesus
Mr.Phil Green & Mr.Wayne Voltz
Room 203

The Three Marys of Easter
Mrs. Barbara Grainger
Room 103

The Life of David
Rev. Mike Melone
Room 109 (Family Builders)

One³
Rev. Jim Farr
Room 107 (Couples)

College and Career
Josh & Lora Irish/
Caleb & Lauren Jones
Room 108 (Ages 18-24)

Nursery & Preschool 9:30 am & 10:30 am Preschool Building

Dig In K5 - 3rd Grade 9:30 am – Room 106

Dig Deeper 4th – 6th Grade 9:30 am – Room 107

Jr. Worship K5- 6th Grade 10:30 am - Room 406

TEENS "THE EDGE"
Grades 7th-12th
9:30 am - Room 406

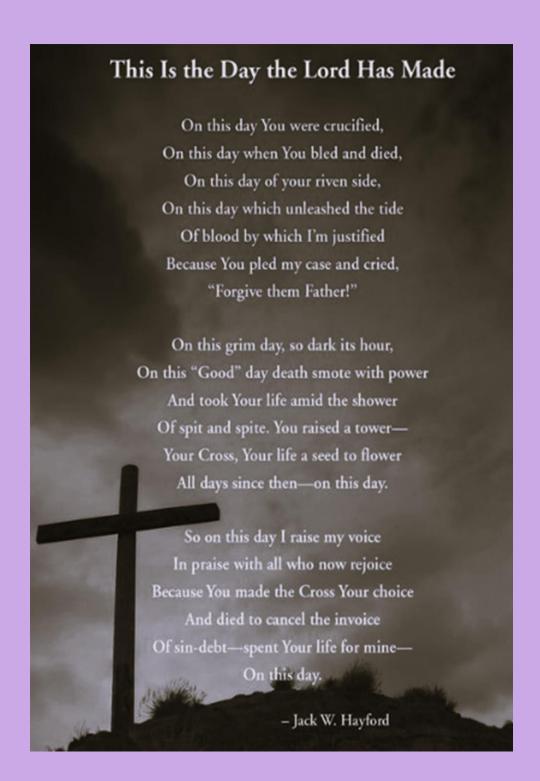
JAIA Special Needs Class 9:30 am & 10:30 am Room 108

WEDNESDAY NIGHT CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

NURSERY & PRE-SCHOOL AGE- Preschool building AWANA Sparks (K5-2nd grades) Room 107 AWANA T & T (3RD -5TH grades) Room 407 L.I.F.T. (6th-8th grades) Room 423 "THE EDGE" (Grades 9th-12) Room 406

TUESDAY, APRIL 2nd SONSHINERS MEETING

At 10:30 A.M. this Tuesday, the Sonshiners meeting will begin in the auditorium with wonderful songs that glorify our Lord sung by another one of First Baptist Church Sonshiners' favorites, Jason Runnels. Everyone is invited so be sure to greet an old friend and meet a new one!



Prayer Request

Submitted By		
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Did we miss your offering or prayer request? There is an offering envelope located in one of the seat backs, and you can tear the prayer request panel from this bulletin. Place them in the little black offering box on the right side of the center doors of the auditorium as you exit.



March 31st, 2024 PRAYER REQUESTS

LAUREN JONES- (member) Lauren had abdominal surgery last week. She developed an abscess in scar tissue resulting in another trip to the hospital. Pray the antibiotics do their job and make her well!

LARRY DAVIS- (member) Last week Larry fell, hit his head, and suffered another TIA stroke. He was admitted to South Shore Hospital. Please pray testing will reveal the cause of these mini-strokes and the proper treatment needed.

GEORGI CHATTIN- (member) Georgi had a total knee replacement last Wednesday. Pray the surgery is successful, and her physical therapy goes well.

DREAMA HAGER- (member) Dreama has been in South Shore Hospital this week with her oxygen level problems. She needs our continued prayers for better days.

ED PRATT-(member) Ed is at home recovering from his knee replacement surgery. However, he is having a lot of pain in other joints in his body and has been referred to a specialist. Pray this problem can be addressed and the proper meds prescribed.

CHERYL EMULES- (member) Cheryl has found a memory care facility for her mother, Verda Foster, who is being admitted there Friday afternoon. This has been a very difficult time and decision for this family, and they need our prayers.

JOSH WELLS-This is the nephew of Joey and Cheryl Whidden's son-in-law. He has been diagnosed and treated for leukemia. Testing was done after a series of treatments which revealed that his leukemia is not in remission. He is now looking at a bone marrow transplant. Pray a donor will be found, and the procedure will be successful.

Members with Health Concerns

Jim & Betty Ballard Shirley Ruthven
Sharon Davis Allen Scheffler
Dreama Hager Jim & Amella Short
Paul Harget Jerry & Jane Smith

Helen Holstein Les Taylor
Gail Letzring Betty Wears

Larry & Linda Mostello Ron & Donna Welsh

Members Battling Cancer

Terry Horton Tim Way Ron Welsh David Zurlinden Ken Thompson

SERVING THE USA

Bob Bryant	Michael Lipford	Garrett Rushing
C.J. Cartwright	Andy Meyrahn	Maggie Russell
Charles Clerc	Christ Oliver	Jonathan
Jen DuBois	Audrey Penny	Schweinshaupt
Elijah Gulotta	Remiah Reza	Nathan Thomas
Zachary Kennedy	Andrew	Amanda Unruh
Riley Kennedy	Richardson	Mike Williams
Amber Kennedy	Josh Rumsey	Levi Wynn
Max Lipford	,	,

^{*}FBC Members are in blue italics.

NO ONE HAS EVER SINNED THEMSELVES BEYOND THE LOVE OF GOD!

THE LATEST UPDATE FROM BRO. JOEL DESIR OUR MISSIONARY IN HAITI

Dear Church Family,

During the last month, I have been really sad to see what is going on in Haiti where the gangsters control 80% of the population. They kill, they rape, and even kill police. They have burned down many of the police stations in Port au Prince. They broke into two prisons where they allowed 5,000 prisoners to escape. Some of them are very dangerous. Most of the churches have closed. Many of my church members are scared and have left town because it is no longer safe. The prime minister flew out of Haiti three weeks ago, but the gangsters will not allow him to return. Now he has resigned because he is scared. The gangsters' plan is to take over the government and have their own president.

Even with all those things happening, we keep preaching the Gospel and going soul winning. Over the last two months, we have seen 80 people saved and 18 baptized.

Because of the danger and instability, my wife and girls will stay in the United States while I travel back and forth to make sure everything is under control. My national Pastor who graduated from our Bible Institute will take over the ministry when I am out of the country. Please pray for peace to be restored in Haiti.

In Christ,
The Joel Desir Family

Note from Baptist International Outreach: We want you to know that we are 100% behind Joel's decision. We appreciate the wisdom God has given Joel along with his steadfast commitment to the Lord. Furthermore, we are pleased that Haitian believers are standing and serving faithfully during this grave time. God is using this terrible situation to grow and strengthen His people in Haiti.