

February Activities

(See online calendar for complete list.)

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March 1st -- Communion & New Member Welcome @ 5pm

March 14th – Tech Savvy Seniors. Hands on help and teaching technology skills to members. Open to all. Contact Dea. Eddie Johnson.

March 14th & 28th -- Wellness & Fitness @ 8:00am. Contact Sis. Marlene Carter.

March 15th – All Ministry Leaders Meeting immediately following Worship Service. Contact Sis. Becky Burnett.

March 17th – Men's Fellowship Breakfast. Contact Min. David Hill or Dea. Ed Leonard.

March 21st – Clothes & More giveaway of clothing, food, and other items. Location is Park next to 8616 Progress Blvd. Contact Sis. Betty Dixon.

Black History Arts & Crafts Gallery/Museum donated displays **should be picked up now** and returned to owners. Contact Bro. DeLaney Pittman or Sis. Gale Perry.

Easter Speeches sign up will be available beginning today after service. Parents of children and teens wanting a speech to present on Easter should visit the website. Contact Student Ministry.

Looking Ahead:

WOW Spring Tea will be in April off campus at larger venue. Interested hostesses stop by lobby table before or after worship service. Contact Sis. Dedra Keith.

First Baptist Church of Progress Village

Title: “ Christ Is All ”

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 2:1-5

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I. Our _____ is fixed to avoid
_____ from Jesus.

1 Corinthians 2:1 (KJV) *And I, brethren, when I came to you, came not with excellency of speech or of wisdom, declaring unto you the testimony of God.*

A. The message of the **Gospel** is intentionally plain and _____.

1 Corinthians 2:2 (KJV) *For I determined not to know any thing among you, save Jesus Christ, and him crucified.*

B. Christ is the **single** most important focus of the church.

*Distraction from Jesus is a sign of _____
immaturity and a lack of experience.*

1 Corinthians 11:30 (KJV) *For this cause many are weak and sickly among you, and many sleep.*

C. When Christians lose focus, _____ things start to happen.

II. Our _____ of fear **DEMONSTRATE**
the power of Jesus.

1 Corinthians 2:3 (KJV) *And I was with you in weakness, and in fear, and in much trembling.*

A. **Humility** highlights Jesus and takes the spotlight off of me.

Philippians 3:8 (KJV) *Yea doubtless, and I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord: for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and do count them but dung, that I may win Christ,*

B. Everything else is _____ compared to what Jesus gives me.

1 Corinthians 2:4 (KJV) *And my speech and my preaching was not with enticing words of man's wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power:*

C. All my _____ and **actions** lead people to Jesus, or lead them to Hell.

III. Our FAITH in Christ DETERMINES our eternal place with Jesus.

1 Corinthians 2:5 (KJV) *That your faith should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God.*

A. Never confuse God's _____ with man's **management**.

1 Corinthians 3:7 (KJV) *So then neither is he that planteth any thing, neither he that watereth; but God that giveth the increase.*

B. Jesus alone is the _____ of our strength.

Ephesians 2:19-21 (KJV) *Now therefore ye are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellowcitizens with the saints, and of the household of God; And are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner stone; In whom all the building fitly framed together groweth unto an holy temple in the Lord:*

C. Christ is the **cornerstone** of our faith and the only path to _____.

MESSAGE REFLECTIONS:

What things about my routine have potentially caused me to be distracted from the real point why I worship and serve God?

When, where, and with whom do I experience these distractions most? How can I refocus to place Jesus back into the center?

PRAYER—God, thank you for Jesus. For his life, love, death, burial and resurrection. I understand that Jesus is the reflection of your love for me in this life and the one to come. Forgive me for the times when I am distracted or lose sight of the importance of your unconditional love. Help me to refocus so that I not only appreciate the joy you want for me, but that I reflect your glory to those I come in contact with daily. In Jesus' name, Amen.