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Celebrating a Birthday

March 14 Stacy Leonard
March 16 Elizabeth Bowers
March 18 Susie Williford
March 18 Peggy Zeigler
March 19 Kayla Zittrouer
March 19 Kelsey Zittrouer

Celebrating an Anniversary

March 19 Mr. & Mrs. Tommy Triplett

OPPORTUNITIES

Join Us Sunday!

March 14, 2021

9:30am – Church Library Open

10:00am – Sunday School Groups

11:00am – Morning Worship
(in-person or at *FBCGC.live*)

Quarterly Church Conference
March 17 at 7pm

VITAL SIGNS

Budget Gifts Sunday\$10,735.75
Budget Gifts to Date\$10,735.75

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
North American Missions

March 7 thru April 4, 2021

Given to Date - \$205.00

MULTIPLE WAYS TO GIVE:

- **In-Person on Sundays**
You can give using the offering plates at each Sunday service.
- **Online Giving**
Give easily and securely at any time on our website: www.FBCGC.net/giving
- **Text-to-Give**
Using your smartphone, text the Amount You Want to Give to [84321](tel:84321)
- **Mailed-in Giving**
Mail your gift to the church office at:
35 Nelson Ave, Garden City, GA 31408

Serving Our Church on Sunday

Ushers

(Ushers, please arrive 20 minutes before service)

Steve Britton, Gerald Ethridge,
Chris Long, Rob Mucha, Warren Oglesby,
Robert Riley, Ed Schaffer, A. J. Tovar,
Luis Tovar, Tommy Triplett

Counters

Jason McCullough, Chmn., Terry Nappier,
Warren Oglesby, Jay Walea



New Teaching Series

March 14: Navigating Uncertainty

March 21: Lost in Sadness? Experience Joy

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UNCERTAIN TIMES...

I pray this newsletter finds you healthy, safe, and hopeful, as March is almost half-way through and the celebration of Easter looms brightly just a few weeks away (more on that later). On Sundays, we have been working through a series of messages on *EMOTIONS*, looking at the emotions God wired us to feel, how we see them experienced in the Bible, and how we can learn to use them for God's glory... even the ones that are sometimes a little tricky.

Last week we looked at how to be angry like Jesus, focusing mainly on checking ourselves in four areas when we sense ourselves getting angry:

- 1) What is prompting my anger?
- 2) What is my immediate response?
- 3) What are my next steps after the initial incident?
- 4) Am I devoting myself to model Jesus' commitment to love, above all?

If you missed it, the replay is online at FBCGC.live.

This Sunday we're turning to a topic that has defined most of our lives for almost exactly one year as of this week... UNCERTAINTY. In fact, the title of Sunday's message is "*Navigating Uncertainty*," because just finding our way during seasons like this can be overwhelmingly difficult.

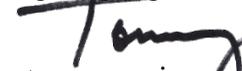
Speaking of seasons like this, we are in the midst of what I believe is a crucible experience for us as followers of Jesus and His church, where the heat and pressure of circumstance is refining and shaping us. Only after time passes and we look back will we be able to completely assess everything that has changed and that which is still the same.

But even in the midst of the uncertain times, there are foundational truths to which we can cling. God Himself – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – never changes. He is the same yesterday, today, and forever. We can bank on His character and His track record... even when we doubt everyone else (including ourselves).

We can trust the Bible, God's direct revelation to us, because it never changes or goes out of date. It's living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword. And we can depend on the truths and promises that it contains. In fact, starting on Easter Sunday, we are going to spend eight weeks studying "*God's Amazing Promises*."

As a reminder, **Easter Sunday, April 4, is less than 4 weeks away**. It's going to be a powerful celebration of the resurrection of Jesus. I'm excited and I hope you are, too! We will have our regular Sunday in-person service time (11:00am) and, for the first time, we will have multiple service times available online at FBCGC.live. So, please make plans now to attend (either in-person or online) and begin today praying about and inviting your friends, family, co-workers, and neighbors to Easter @ FBC. I can't wait to see what God has in store!

Navigating together,



P.S. This Sunday, March 14, is the next message in our *EMOTIONS* series, looking at "*Navigating Uncertainty*." Join us either In-Person or Online at FBCGC.live, this Sunday at 11:00am.

P.P.S. Also, if you haven't yet signed up for a Spring Online Group, there is still time! They will start meeting the week of March 21. These groups meet weekly via Zoom (online) through May. Sign up Sunday on your Connection Card or online today at FBCGC.net.



Don't forget to set your clocks forward Saturday night so you are not late Sunday morning!

