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## Celebrating a Birthday

|        |                             |
|--------|-----------------------------|
| May 17 | Laurann Mucha               |
| May 18 | Grey Prescott               |
| May 20 | Ansley (Triplett) Alexander |
| May 20 | Jason Wallace               |
| May 21 | Samuel Frantz               |
| May 22 | Judy Adkins                 |
| May 22 | A. J. Tovar                 |

## OPPORTUNITIES

### *Join Us Sunday!*

### May 16, 2021

9:30am – Church Library Open  
10:00am – Sunday School Groups  
11:00am – Morning Worship  
*(in-person or at FBCGC.live)*

## VITAL SIGNS

Budget Gifts Sunday .....\$9,000.00  
Budget Gifts to Date .....\$16,453.00

## 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](http://www.FBCGC.net/giving)
- **Text-to-Give**  
Using your smartphone, text the Amount You Want to Give to 84321
- **Mailed-in Giving**  
Mail your gift to the church office at:  
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## Serving Our Church on Sunday

### Ushers

*(Ushers, please arrive 20 minutes before service)*

Chuck Austin, Tony Bragg, Mike Durkin,  
J. D. Dyches, Joe Jackson, Crawford Leonard,  
Terry Nappier, Larry Olliff, Jay Walea

### Counters

Gerald Ethridge, Chairman  
Robert Riley

### Nursery

Allie Moore, Kayley Moore,  
Patricia Frantz

### Preschool

Theresa Nixon

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## The Power of a Song

Never underestimate the power of music. It motivates us, moves us emotionally, connects us and even helps us memorize. I have learned several scriptures through songs. The ones I remember most are Genesis 1:27 that I learned from a conference with Answers in Genesis. I even learned all of Psalm 121 from listening to Nathan Clark George. As soon as I think of the tune the words then just flow. I wish all memorizing was this easy.

Many songs got me through some very tough times in my life. Amy Grant's "Age to Age" album help me through the tough times leading up to my parents' divorce (little did I know God was preparing my future during this time as well. It was the concert for the album where I first met Patricia). Songs bring us comfort and encouragement. God has been using a lot of songs in my life lately. One in particular is called, "Keep Moving On" by Toby Mac. Here is part of the song,

*Another heartbreak day  
Feels like you're miles away  
Don't even need no shade  
When your sun don't shine  
Too many passin' dreams  
Roll by like limousines  
It's hard to keep believin'  
When they pass you by and by  
I know your heart been broke again  
I know your prayers ain't been answered yet  
I know you're feeling like you got nothing left  
Well, lift your head, it ain't over yet, ain't over yet, so  
Keep walkin', soldier keep movin' on  
Keep walkin', until the mornin' comes  
And lift your head, it ain't over yet, ain't over yet*

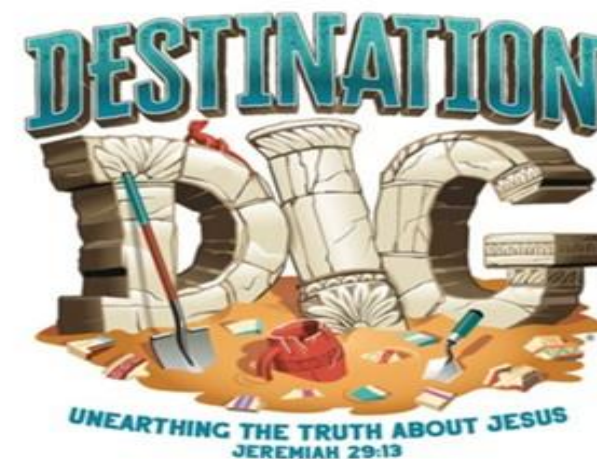
*Hold on, hold on  
Lord ain't finished yet  
Hold on, hold on  
He'll get you through this  
Hold on, hold on  
These are the promises  
I never will forget*

**"Hold on, the Lord ain't finished yet."** These are very encouraging words. We can easily let the troubles of the day overtake us, it can even turn into weeks and months. No matter what you are feeling doesn't mean that God isn't working and doesn't see. Some of the best marriage advice Patricia and I ever got is that there will be bad days. There will even be bad weeks. There might even be bad months or years. These will pass if you don't give up. This is great advice for life as well. We know we have bad days and some of them are not due to our own actions. If you cause it yourself, that's on you...lol. But there will be those times you are just hit out of the blue. Either way God still is at work, He can still help, and comfort and we can still learn from Him through it all.

Life may not turn out the way we planned, and it usually doesn't. Life doesn't end though and we don't need to act as if it has either. Sometimes we let the littlest thing seem like it has destroyed our life and there is no hope. Keep moving on. When we face the real-life changing devastations, we need to do the same thing, Keep moving on. God isn't done and He hasn't given up on us.

Stay in His Word, keep praying and find some songs that will help to keep you going. Let all of these be the backbone of your day and your source of strength and comfort.

*Randall*



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

We are gearing up for VBS and Block Party for the month of June. So now is time to start making plans to invite your family and friends who are 4 years old thru 12<sup>th</sup> grade. The following is our schedule for when both events will be held:

**Block Party**                      **June 6<sup>th</sup>**  
**5:00-7:30pm**

**VBS**                                      **June 13<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>**  
**5:45-8:40pm**

**VBS Family Night**              **June 17<sup>th</sup>**  
**6:00pm**

Contact: Christina McCullough or Allie Moore for more information or to sign up. You may use the sign up sheets in the foyers.