



# THE FOCUS



September 2006

A Newsletter of First Baptist Church Blacksburg, SC

John 13:35



## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Greetings in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord!

Fall is in the air and it is Harvest time. The Lord said in Matthew 9 that the fields are white unto harvest, pray that the Lord of the harvest will send workers into the field. The disciples He asked to pray about this was the people He sent into the harvest field. We are His disciples as well and He is sending us into the harvest field. The harvest is souls that He died for and he that winneth souls is wise. You are encouraged to share Jesus with your lifestyle and verbal witness so we can come rejoicing, bringing in the sheaves.

The activities promoted in this newsletter are intended to help us reach the lost and build up the born again. Please take time to read through this edition of THE FOCUS and involve your family in the activities mentioned. God Bless!

*In Christ,  
Bro. Rick  
(Galatians 2:20)*

P.S.—Please begin to pray now for a season of Revival. Oct. 15-18 has been set aside to seek the Lord for revival (Psalm 85).



**Walking Club-FLC  
Monday - Friday  
8:30 until 10 a.m.**

**Martial Arts Classes  
Saturdays, 3:00 to 5 pm  
& 5 to 8 pm in the FLC.**



## The FBCB Children's Choir Presents



**Dinner-Theatre  
Saturday, September 9  
5:30 pm (Sanctuary)  
Tickets can be purchased  
from the children, \$10 adults,  
\$5 children.**



## Youth Mission Day

**Saturday,  
September 9,  
Wear old clothes, meet at  
the church at 8:30 am,  
we will finish at 12 noon.**

### Results / Deacon Election

- Lawrence Allison 09'
- Ted Bechtler 09'
- Wayne Cobb 09'
- Joel McClain 07'

**Note: Ordination Service  
for Lawrence & Joel Sun-  
day, September 24, 6 pm.**



## Homecoming Services Sun., Sept. 24th Celebrating 130 years of ministry!

**10:45 am - Ministry in Song and Rev. Don Whitener Preaching**

**12:00 pm Lunch is served (Church will provide meat, drinks and paper products—Please bring side dishes and deserts)**

## Youth Mission Fund-Golf Tournament

*Challenger III, Shelby, NC - Tuesday, September 12  
T-Time, 7 pm - Four person Teams - Captains Choice  
Prizes for top teams and closest to the pin - \$25  
See Jimmy Earp to sign up or call the church office.*



## Montana Mission Trip Report



Thank you for your prayers, financial support and participation in this mission endeavor. The trip was a success in many ways. Children were reached, mission churches encouraged and lives changed for the glory of God!

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**FLC CLEAN-UP DAY, SATURDAY, SEPT. 23 BEGINNING AT 8:30 AM**  
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Our next **CARE** Ministry night will be Wednesday, Sept. 20 beginning at 6 pm. (Matt. 28:18-20) Come join in as Christians Actively Reach Everyone (C.A.R.E.)!



**"CALLING ALL YOUTH!"**  
Youth After Church (YAC)  
Will be September 3 & 17.

We will meet in the Family Life center after the evening worship service (approx 6:45 pm).



**Meal & A Mission**  
Sunday, September 10 beginning at 8:45 am in the FLC. The African Church/Art Alive Orphanage featured.



**Men's Prayer Meeting**  
Tuesday, Sept. 5, 7 pm

"Deacon's Meeting"  
September 25 at 7 pm in the Church Office



**OFFERING FOR STATE MISSIONS**

During the month of September we will be receiving the Janie Chapman Offering for State Missions, Missions Education, and Empowering Kingdom Growth. Please pray and give as generously as the Lord allows!



Bro. Gary Anderson from Columbia, SC will be our guest missions speaker Sunday, September 10 during the 6 pm service.



**Youth Council Meeting**

September 13, 2006 at 6 pm at the office.

The Church Office will be closed Monday, Sept. 4 for Labor Day.

*"See You at the Pole"*



*at local schools at 7 am, Wednesday, September 27.*

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**A SEASON OF REVIVAL**  
(Psalm 85)



The church has set aside October 15-18 to seek the Lord for Revival. The Rev. Don

Graham will be preaching and the FBCB Music Ministry will lead in worship. Be looking in the mail for more information.

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