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**January**

1	9:00 & 10:30 am	Regular AM Services
1		No Evening Service
2		Church Office & Weekday Ministry Closed
4	5-6:45 pm	FBC Family Night Supper @ Uncle Marco's
4		RAs/GAs and Choir Resume
4	6:45 pm	Youth Join Prayer Meeting (MC)
5	4:00 pm	Jolly Singers Choir Practice Resumes
6-7	8:00 pm	GA Sleepover (MC/Children's Building)
8	4:30 pm	Deacon's Meeting (BH)
8	4:30 pm	Youth & Children's Choirs Resume
8	After am service	Youth Committee Lunch (YC)
8	After pm service	Young Adult: Dinner (MC) & Deliver Gifts
8	After pm service	Faith/Grow Teams Resume (MC)
10	9-11:30 am	Mothers of Preschoolers (MC)
11	6:00 pm	Orchestra Practice Resumes
11	5-6:45 pm	FBC Family Night Supper @ Arby's
12	7:00 pm	Properties Committee Meeting (BH)
15	After pm service	Youth Blast
16	7:00 pm	M & M's (YC)
16	7:00 pm	WMU Night Group (BH)
16	7:00 pm	SonShine Sisters at Rebekah O'Dell's
17	10:00 am	WMU Day Group (BH)
17	7:00 pm	GALS Group Meeting
18	5-6:45 pm	FBC Family Night Supper @ Uncle Marco's
21	8:30-12:30 pm	Church Council & Staff Retreat (Ebenezer)
22	7:30 am	Men's Breakfast (MC)
22	9:00 & 10:30 am	Lord's Supper
22	After am services	Sunday School Teacher Training (MC)
24	12:00 pm	Sr. Adult Cover Dish & Speaker (MC)
25	4-6:45 pm	FBC Family Night Supper @ El Real
26	7:00 pm	Handbell Choir Practice
27	5:00 pm	D-NOW for Middle & High School Youth
28		D-NOW for Middle & High School Youth
28	10:30 am	Youth Workers Seminar & Lunch (MC)
29	9:00 & 10:30 am	Ed Newton, Guest Preacher
29	4:30 pm	Parent's Meeting (YC)

**February**

1	5-6:45 pm	FBC Family Night Supper @ Uncle Marco's
4		GAs Children's Ministry Day
5		Prove the Tithe Sunday
12		Love Out Loud
15	6:45 pm	Quarterly Church Conference

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**Youth D-Now  
 January 27-29**

**Ed Newton to be Special Guest!**



The only child of two deaf parents, Ed Newton was the voice in the silence for his parents. God has uniquely gifted Ed with an ability to connect with various age groups, personally and corporately. His communication style can be summarized as "passion with content" while seeking to inspire people to be passionate, dedicated followers of Christ. He and his wife, (College Sweetheart) Stephanie, and their three daughters, London, Lola, and Liv reside in Lakeland, TN. *Their desire? It is to leave a "fat dent" on the planet for the glory of God.* He spoke at the MOVE conference the youth just went to as well as the Student Life summer Mission camp the youth group went to in 2010.

At D-Now, GA Southern college students will lead worship in song and Ed Newton will present the timeless truth of scripture. Youth will spend nights in local homes and rally at the YAC SHAC. **Check in Friday, Jan. 27<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm at the YAC SHAC.** Parents may pick their kids up Sunday, Jan. 29<sup>th</sup> after the 10:30 am service.

Ed Newton will also lead a Youth Workers Seminar on Saturday, January 28 at 10:30 am in the Memorial Chapel, and he will preach in morning worship on Sunday, January 29.

**Weekly Schedule**

**Sunday**  
 9:00 am Bible Study A & Worship  
 10:30 am Bible Study B & Worship  
 Kidz Church: K-5 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade  
 11:00 am Hispanic Sunday School  
 12:30 pm Rincon Hispanic Baptist Mission (Children's Church Room)  
 Preschool, Children, & Youth Choirs  
 4:30 pm Ladies Bible Studies (Sanctuary)  
 4:30 pm Evening Worship  
 6:00 pm Rincon Hispanic Baptist Mission (Youth Center)  
 7:00 pm

**Monday**  
 9:00 am Mom's In Touch International (MC)  
 7:00 pm Praise Band Practice

**Wednesday**  
 5 – 6:45 pm Discounted Meals @ Select Restaurants  
 6:00 pm Orchestra  
 6:45 pm DEEP Youth Group, Ladies Bible Studies  
 6:45 pm Prayer Meeting  
 6:45 pm Hispanic Mission Prayer Meeting  
 6:45 pm RA's, GA's, Mission Friends and Nursery  
 7:45 pm Sanctuary Choir Practice

**Thursday**  
 9:30 am Ladies Bible Study (White Building)  
 4:00 pm Jolly Singers

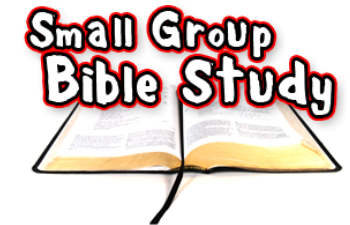
**Saturday**  
 7:00 pm Hispanic Discipleship Class (Youth Center)

**Thank You**

A thank you note from the Callaway Family is posted on the bulletin board in the Welcome Center.



The church office staff would like to thank you for all the goodies, cards, food, and gifts you delivered at Christmas! We have enjoyed them all and are honored to be in ministry with you! FBC Church Staff



**Bible Studies Beginning this Month**

We have many Bible Study opportunities! Why not start the New Year by joining a Bible Study?

**Sundays:**

- ❖ Men's Fraternity Bible Study Starts Sunday, January 8<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 pm in the Youth Center
- ❖ Ladies Bible Study: *James: Mercy Triumphs* (Beth Moore) Starts Sunday, January 8<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 pm in the Sanctuary

**Wednesdays:**

- ❖ Ladies Bible Study: "Becoming a Woman of Freedom" by Cynthia Heald Starts Wednesday, January 4 at 6:45 pm in Memorial Chapel
- ❖ Ladies Bible Study: Led by Mona Underwood Starts Wednesday, January 4 at 6:45 pm in Memorial Chapel

**Thursdays:**

- ❖ Ladies Bible Study: *James: Mercy Triumphs* (Beth Moore) Starts Thursday, January 12<sup>th</sup>, 9:30am in White Building

**Lord's Supper**



Sunday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>  
 In the morning services.



The New Year is a time when many people make resolutions, but most of them aren't kept beyond February. We start out well, but don't carry it out. Why is that?

Philippians 1:6 says, "I am sure of this, that He who started a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus." Notice that it is the Lord who starts it and the Lord who will carry it to completion. If we do things in our own strength, we will fail; if we depend on His strength, we will succeed.

Let me encourage you to exercise new spiritual muscles in the New Year, so you can grow in the strength of the Lord to face whatever may come.

We will focus on a short memory verse each month in 2012, that teaches a truth from the Bible. Why not repeat it each night with your family?

Our church provides excellent daily devotionals: *The Word for You Today* is practical and encouraging, *Journey* is for women, *Stand Firm* is for men, and *Open Windows* is in large print and includes missionary birthdays to pray for them. If you read one chapter of the New Testament every weekday, you can read it through in the year. There are plans to read through the whole Bible in *The Word for You Today* and *Open Windows*.

May the Lord carry to completion what He begins in you in this New Year.

See you Sunday with a Bible in your hand and the Son shining on your face!

Your pastor,  
Bob Rogers



**12 in '12 – Truths to Memorize**

**January: One God**

1 Corinthians 8:4:

"There is no God but one."



You can get the weekly pastor's e-letter on facebook.com as well as connect with other church members. Just search for our church name & request to join our group.

**New Member For December**



Jeanie Pendleton  
Joined by statement

Facts and Figures	December 2011
Budget Revenue .....	\$97,214.24
Monthly Budget Requirement: .....	\$103,181.27
Budget Revenue Year to Date.....	\$1,241,808.28
Budget Required Year to Date.....	\$1,238,175.29
Debt Retirement .....	\$8,685.00
Acts 1:8 Missions this month .....	\$2,687.50
Acts 1:8 Missions Year to Date.....	\$41,847.78
Average Bible Study .....	625

**\*\*Does not include end-of-year contributions.**

**Rincon Hispanic Baptist Mission**

Facts and Figures	December 2011
Average Attendance.....	23
Offering.....	\$ 1,074.00
Year to Date.....	\$22,279.68



2012 Offering Envelopes are available in the Welcome Center.

**Helpers/Leaders Needed!**

Please pray and notify the specified contact person(s) if you are willing to participate or have any questions.

- Sound Booth/Media** – Greg Hartzog
- Praise Band/Lead Guitarist** - Robby O'Dell or Greg Hartzog
- Mission Friends Leaders** – Dr. Bill Gammon
- Sunday School** (Preschool, Adult, Children and Youth areas) - Lenny Pye or Dr. Bill Gammon

**Get Your Passport Ready!**

There are two 2012 international mission trips:  
\*Mission Trip to unreached people group October 12-21, 2012 in Germany. If interested, please contact Bob Rogers at 826-5536 or [brogers@fbcrincon.com](mailto:brogers@fbcrincon.com).  
\*Mission Trip to a Bahama Island with Team Impact Postponed until Summer 2012. More Details to come! Cost: ??? If any questions, see Dan Frailey (728-5128 or 663-5727) or Debra Long (826-0092 or 657-3513).

**Prayer Requests & Prayer Teams**

To share a prayer request or join a prayer team, you may choose any of the following means of communication:  
Telephone: Call Joy Spence @ 663-2979  
Text message: Text Emily Leggett @ 912-657-5347  
Email: Donna Avera at [kneemail@windstream.net](mailto:kneemail@windstream.net)  
Facebook: At [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com) search for "First Baptist Church of Rincon Prayer Team" & request to join the team.

Remember, the church gathers for prayer every Wednesday at 6:45 pm in the Memorial Chapel, led by the pastor.

**Want to Spread the "Good News"?!?**

Our Outreach Teams will begin meeting again in the New Year on Sunday, January 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the Memorial Chapel. A meal is provided. Then the FAITH team goes to see those who have recently visited the church. The GROW team makes phone calls and writes letters to those who have recently visited our church. Please notify the church office if you would like to join a team but need childcare.

**Save the Church Postage!**

Read the monthly newsletter on the Church website and save the church postage and paper costs. Go to [www.fbcrincon.com](http://www.fbcrincon.com) and click on "Publications." Please notify Beth Copeck at [bcopeck@fbcrincon.com](mailto:bcopeck@fbcrincon.com) if you wish to do this.

**Prove the Tithe Sunday**



**February 5**  
**We will bring our tithes and offerings to "Jehoida's Chest." (2 Kings 12:9)**

**Love Out Loud**  
**Coming Sunday, February 12**

**Sr. Adults**

**Sr. Adult Cover Dish & Speaker**  
Tuesday, January 24 in Memorial Chapel at 12:00 pm  
Please sign up in the Welcome Center.

**Adults**

**Men's Breakfast in the Memorial Chapel**  
Sunday, January 22 at 7:30 am

**Young Adults**

**Young Adults After Hours**  
Sunday, January 8 at 7:00 pm  
This month we will have a light dinner in the Memorial Chapel and then join the faith visitation team to deliver gifts to the Nursing Home in Effingham.

**Youth**

**Youth Committee Lunch in Youth Center**  
Sunday, January 8 after morning worship

**D-NOW for Middle & High School Youth**  
January 27-29, 2012 at FBC Rincon; \$30 Due Now!  
Intense Bible learning and worship in song led by passionate GA Southern college students. Spend nights in local homes and rally at YACSHAC with Special Speaker, Ed Newton.

**Parent's Meeting in the Youth Center**  
Sunday, January 29 at 4:30 pm

**Children**

**GA Cookbook**

All Current GAs, former GAs, parents, and leaders are invited to participate in the GA Cookbook. Please submit recipes to Beverly Harvey or email them to [bharvey@effingham.k12.ga.us](mailto:bharvey@effingham.k12.ga.us) by January 31, 2012.

**GAs Lock-in at FBC Rincon**

January 6 @ 8pm through January 7 @ 8am  
See Kim Masters for more information.

**Preschool**

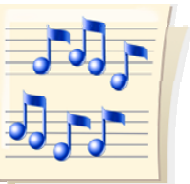
**MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)**

Tuesday, January 10  
9-11:30 am in Memorial Chapel



**Music Notes**

Start the New Year in a choir or musical group! Below are the practice times. See Greg Hartzog if you have any questions.



**Sanctuary Choir**

- Practice resumes Wednesday, January 4 at 7:45 pm in Choir Room

**Jolly Singers**

- Choir Practice will resume Thursday, January 5 at 4pm
- Nursing Home at 3pm on Thursday, January 19 at 3pm

**Angel Band (4 & 5 year olds)**

- Practice resumes January 8 at 4:30 pm, Children's Building (2<sup>nd</sup> floor)

**Children's Choir (1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grades)**

- Practice resumes January 8 at 4:30 pm, Children's Building (2<sup>nd</sup> floor)

**Above & Beyond Youth Choir (6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grades)**

- Practice resumes January 8 at 4:30 pm (Sanctuary Choir Room)

**Praise Band**

- Practice resumes Monday, January 9 at 7:00 pm

**Orchestra**

- Practice resumes Wednesday, January 11 at 6:00 pm in Choir Room

**Drama Team**

- Practice resumes Sunday, January 8 after Evening Worship in the Sanctuary

