

Scenes from CBF General Assembly



Racial Justice luncheon - clockwise from back left: Wayne Patterson, Ellen Burnette, Miguel Estrada (pastor of Misión Peniel in Immokalee, FL) Rick Burnette, Skip and Cindy Still; not pictured: Cheryl Patterson and Jennifer Rygg.

With the theme "Holy Ambition," the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship held their General Assembly from June 28-30 at the Hyatt Regency Atlanta. Several members of FBCP attended and Jennifer Rygg shared these pictures.



Cheryl and Wayne Patterson and Jennifer Rygg joined our partner missionary, Rick Burnette, for the Encourager Church breakfast.



Thomas Rygg at General Assembly -- post-pool visit to the Gathering Place to collect pens and other goodies, including a photo with the famous McAfee bear!



Jennifer Rygg and Rick Burnette led communion in the closing worship service on Friday afternoon.



From the Visiting Pastor...

It is hard to believe our ten-week journey is half over and it feels we have just begun. Again, I want to say a word of thanks to our entire staff for the wonderful way you have exhibited your commitment and dedication to this ministry here at FBCP. Your kindness to me has been a true blessing.

With that in mind, I want to remind you we have five more sessions from our study **Being A Disciple Community: Loving God and Neighbor**. I invite you to join us on Wednesday nights at 6:30. This is a great pattern of ministry for the life of the church community. On Sunday mornings we will continue to explore the teaching of Jesus as found in the Gospel of Matthew.

I say thank you for the way you have gathered faithfully during these summer days to worship. You are an engaging congregation and I look forward to sharing in this worship experience with you each Sunday.

Blessings for a safe summer,
Pastor Dan Vincent



Senior Fellowship and Keenagers

LET'S CELEBRATE
SENIOR FELLOWSHIP
THURSDAY, JULY 27, 2023

9:30 BREAKFAST
10:00 DEVOTIONAL
10:15 FUN AND GAMES
11:00 CHRISTMAS IN JULY BINGO
11:30 SUMMERTIME LUNCH

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A Life-Impacting Week at PASSPORT

FBCP Family, thank you! Thanks to you, five Youth and two adults had an amazing, God-filled week at Passport Camp at Converse University, June 26-July 1. Our teens participated in daily Bible study and meaningful worship activities, learning about how Jesus Christ turns everything upside down - our lives, our thinking, how we see others, how we include others. They also learned about CBF missions partners in Belgium, North Africa, and Mexico, and contributed to the camp-wide missions offering that raised over \$3300 to support their missions work. Our Youth also took part in traditional camp activities like the



Dance Party and the outdoor Rec Party. And they worked hard in the summer heat weeding, spreading mulch, and generally improving the grounds at our mission site, Miracle Hill Ministries in Gaffney (a shelter and ministry for homeless men, women, and children).

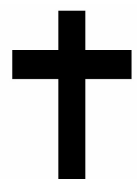
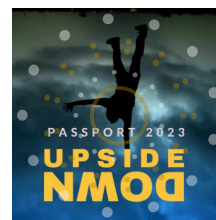
You would be very proud of the way our Youth conducted themselves. Each served as worship leaders one night - **Tillman Cantrell** read Scripture and **Missy Cotten** participated in an interpretive dance, while **Shayla Henderson, Beth Brewer, and Cheyenne Posey**

helped lead singing. Each of them had good attitudes, worked hard and willingly at their mission site, and participated fully in worship, Bible study, and other camp activities. They represented Christ and our church well, and it was a gift to be with them and see them grow closer to each other and to God.

Shayla Henderson wrote this: "My favorite thing about Passport was Bible study and worship. Bible study helped me learn a lot of new things that I didn't know before. Bible study also helped me meet new people. Worship was a whole thing for me, it opened my eyes to see things differently, it helped me see upside down. Worship was really fun as a whole we did lots of interactive things. Even though we did fun things we still learned a lot about God."

Thank you so much for supporting our Youth, and for enabling them to have this life-impacting week they will always remember.

-- Rev. Chris Cottingham





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Quarterly Church Conference & Lunch
Sunday, Jul 30 following worship



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**As we aspire to keep Jesus at the center of our lives,
 we are Rooted in Faith, and Growing in Love.
 We endeavor to be a welcoming and affirming
 community of grace for all people, loving our
 neighbors because God first loved us.**

SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

9:00 am Coffee, Tea, & Conversation in the Fellowship Hall
9:30 am Sunday School
10:45 am Worship in the Sanctuary and on Facebook Live

We hope you can join us for in-person worship, but if you aren't able to attend in person, you can worship on Facebook through our live streaming system.
 find it on our website
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