

REMINDER

April 28, 9:00 am —4:30 pm
PRISCILLA SHIRER CONFERENCE.

First Baptist Church Wildwood is hosting a live simulcast.. The cost of \$25 pp includes lunch. Those planning to carpool to Wildwood should meet at IBC at 8:00 am.

God is blessing Immanuel so abundantly that we are in need of secretarial help. A knowledge of Microsoft Office would be a plus. If you would be willing to serve in this capacity or would like more details, please contact Van Reynolds at 352-391-8515 or Linda Johnson at 352-391-3916.

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

TODAY 6 pm Evening of Prayer

Tues 9:00 am—Exercise Class
Wed 6:00 pm—Choir Practice
Wed 7:00 pm—Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
Thu 9:00 am—Men's Conference
Fri 9:00 am—Exercise Class
Fri 6:00 pm—Italian Night
Sun 9:00 am—Sunday School
Sun 10:00 am—Worship Service

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Exercise Class every Tues & Fri
Son Seekers 4/26
Wildwood Soup Kitchen 4/29
Singspiration 4/29



ITALIAN NIGHT

FRIDAY, APRIL 20

6:00 PM

FELLOWSHIP HALL

**SIGN UP AT THE WELCOME
CENTER: \$5 PER PERSON**

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IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH



“God with us”

Philippians 4:13 *“I can do
everything through Him who
gives me strength.”*

April 15, 2018



OUR MISSION

To present Christ, crucified and risen

OUR VISION

“To keep our focus on Him, to understand what it means to be obedient, and then live that every day. And to define success not by the number of people that walk through our doors, but rather by those that walk out closer to the Lord.”

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Bobby Kinsey

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Vickie Langford

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude		
Theme Chorus	Immanuel	Pg 201
Invocation		
Welcome & Announcements	Russell Stephens	
Hymn	<i>Just a Closer Walk with Thee</i>	Pg 473
Offertory Hymn	<i>'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus</i>	Pg 502
Offertory Prayer	Ed Hess	
Tithes and Offerings		
Doxology		
Special Music	Choir and Sally Davisson	
Pastoral Prayer		
Scripture Reading	Habakkuk 1:2-4	
Message from God	"A Voice Questioning God"	
Invitational Hymn	<i>I Am Thine, O Lord</i>	Pg 535
Receiving of New Members		
Benediction		
Closing Chorus	<i>Blest Be the Tie</i>	Pg 389

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"FINISHING STRONG"
MEN'S CONFERENCE
THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 8:30 AM — 3:30 PM
IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH



Keynote Speaker:
Dr. Gary Cohen, world renowned speaker & author
AND:
Honorable Dennis Baxley, Florida State Senator
Dr. Isaac Deas II, Pastor and Author
Honorable Billy Woods, Sheriff of Marion County

Music will be provided by members of *The Butterbean Band*. A continental breakfast will be provided as will a lunch. There is no charge for the conference.

Please RSVP to:
 Van Reynolds, Church Administrator, at admin@ibctv.org or 352-391-8515.

~~~ **SAVE THE DATE — LADIES TEA THURSDAY, MAY 10** ~~~

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Good morning and welcome to our services on this, another Lord's day!

This morning I am bringing a message from the Book of Habakkuk which is not a very popular Sunday morning sermon text. This is a relatively short book that deals with evil and human suffering. Habakkuk was a man of strong courage and while we know little of his ancestry or birthplace, we know he was a man of significant emotional strength. He was a poet and a prophet who hated sin. His sense of justice led him to challenge God's plan to judge the nation of Judah by those pagan Babylonians. Yet, his faith was beautifully expressed in a poem, in response to the mysterious ways of God.

There are several events/activities on the church calendar for the coming weeks. The first of these is an Evening of Prayer tonight at 6:00 PM in the Chapel. Please plan on returning for this time together as we consider the impact that prayer may have on our lives and how it can change things. We will also look at how we can receive God's blessings as a result of answered prayer. Please come and join us.

Then, this Thursday, we are hosting an all-day Men's Conference. You can find the details of this elsewhere in the bulletin. Then this Friday evening, is our Italian Night Dinner at 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. There is a signup sheet for it at the Welcome Center. It will be another fun evening of good food and fellowship. The next Singspiration is in two weeks, on Sunday evening the 29<sup>th</sup> of April at 6:00 PM. Someone told me this will be the best one ever!

We are thrilled to have you here with us as we worship our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Thank you for making this day even more special. If you are visiting for the first time, we especially welcome you and trust you will sense the presence of the Holy Spirit this morning. If you are looking for a church home, our prayer is that you seek His direction and guidance and for you to be sensitive to His leading.

It is an exciting time to be serving the Lord as He continues to bless us as only He can!

Blessings and love to all,  
 Pastor Mike

Philippians 4:13 *"I can do everything through Him who gives me strength."*

Next week's message by Pastor Mike will be **"The Day of the Lord"** and the scripture will be: **Zephaniah 2:1-3**. Pastor Mike will explain that Zephaniah used this term more than any other prophet.