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Rev. Tom Rives  
Pastor

**“To God be  
the Glory...”**

## A Word from Pastor Tom.....

The new approach to distribution of the Good News Letter is here. With this edition, we have gone from publishing the GNL every other month to publishing it once each quarter. We are also discontinuing the mailing of the GNL and have begun publishing it online. We will still have a few printed copies available at the Connection Center for those of you who do not have a computer or internet service. We are trying these changes for 2012 to evaluate our cost savings and to see how these changes are received. The calendar that has been included with the GNL will be published monthly and made available at the Connection Center.

Most of you are aware that the 2011 Budget reflected a 5% pay cut for all of our personnel and that we said we would give each one that money in July and December if our Budget Receipts were sufficient to do so. God was gracious and your giving was a reflection of your commitment to Him. We were not only able to return that pay cut, we were also able to give them a nice Christmas bonus as well. The additional praise is that we still under spent the budget and we over subscribed the budget at the same time. This meant we gave \$9,000 more to Missions than we projected since we give a percentage of our receipts not just a fixed amount. It also means that we have overage monies to use for special projects this year. This will allow us to give each ministry area some additional funds to do something that has not been budgeted for. We will also set aside funds for our Mission Project this summer. Other projects that are being considered are a new sign, a large storage facility, revamping of the Fellowship Hall and setting aside funds for unexpected major repairs. Can you believe that in a time of a depressed economy our church is doing so well financially? Let me give you a few factors that has brought this about. Our staff has been diligent in their conservative approach to spending. Our budget is streamlined yet is sufficient to meet the needs within our ministries. Your giving has been fantastic and our commitment to Missions has always remained a top priority. You put all of that together and add one more thing and you will better understand how we have been able to do so well. What is that one thing? It is GOD!!! Without God this is not possible, no matter how much we tighten our belts or how deep we dig into our pockets. He is the “author and finisher of our faith” and He is the reason behind or should I say in front of all that happens at Carrollwood Baptist Church. One of the songs we sing says it best. “To God be the Glory, Great things HE has done”.

Yours in Christ,

*Pastor Tom*

# Highlights & Happenings

CARROLLWOOD  
BAPTIST CHURCH

## Sermon Series

- Feb 5** Fruit of the Spirit-Goodness  
Galatians 5:22-23
- Feb 12** Fruit of the Spirit-Faithfulness  
Galatians 5:22-23
- Feb 19** Fruit of the Spirit-Gentleness  
Galatians 5:22-23
- Feb 26** Fruit of the Spirit-Self-Control  
Galatians 5:22-23
  
- Mar 4** The Lord's Supper
- Mar 11** Problem Praying  
James 5:13-20
- Mar 18** Public Praying  
1 Timothy 2:1-8
- Mar 25** Praiseful Praying  
Psalm 22:1-25
- Apr 1** The Week Before His Death  
Character Monologue
- Apr 8** The Resurrection makes a Difference  
Mark 16:1-14
- Apr 15** Youth Sunday  
Pastor Justin
- Apr 22** Mark and the Master's Ministry  
The Work Commences - Mark 1:1-45
- Apr 29** Mark and the Master's Ministry  
The Work Criticized - Mark 2: 1-28

## Manor Care Ministry

February 5, 2012  
2:00 pm

Life Matters

## Manor Care Ministry

March 4, 2012  
2:00 pm

Life Truths

## Manor Care Ministry

April 1, 2012  
2:00 pm

Life Values 1

## Mother's Day

If you would like to dedicate your infant in our Morning Worship service on Mother's Day, May 13, please call the church office by April 8, at 962-3214.

# Wednesday Family Supper

5:00 - 6:30 pm

Feb 8 Rotisserie Chicken

Feb 15 Lasagna

Feb 22 Roast Beef

Feb 29 Mexican Fiesta

Mar 7 Fried Chicken

Mar 14 Spanish Pork



Mar 21 Burgers and Dogs

Mar 28 Spaghetti

Apr 4 Rotisserie Chicken

Apr 11 Sloppy Joes

Apr 18 Roast Beef

Apr 25 Lasagna



# Family Ministries

Mrs. Kristi Nalls

CARROLLWOOD  
BAPTIST CHURCH

## Kids' News

### GA's: Busy, Busy, Busy!

The girls have been busy sewing backpacks and will visit Manor Care on Saturday, February 18, to celebrate Children's Ministry Day. See Ms. Amy for more details.



### Secret Keeper Girl Live! The Pajama Party Tour!

Girls, ages 8-12, and their moms are invited to join Ms. Kristi on Saturday, February 25 for this special event in Clearwater. Emphasis is on meaningful friendships, true beauty, biblical modesty, and vibrant purity. Cost is \$12 each. Bus leaves at 4:30 pm. Sign up by 2/12.

### Children's Camp Registration

It's hard to believe, but Children's Camp will be here before we know it! If your child would like to attend, June 18-22, please pick up a registration packet at the Connection Center.



## Easter Egg Hunt

Our annual Easter Egg Hunt and activities will be held on Saturday, April 7.

All ages, Babies-5th grade are invited, 10:00-11:30 am. Bring your Easter baskets and be ready for a hunt, snacks, crafts & storytime with Pastor Tom!

## H.U.G.S. (Holy, Useful Gal Squad)

### February 18, 7:00-8:30 pm: Sandi's Organizing Workshop

Join us in Carpenter Hall for a Coffee and Hot Chocolate Bar and learn how to organize every aspect of your life and home.

Robin Singleton's sister, Sandi, will lead the workshop. Cost is \$10.



### April 13 & 14:

### Ladies Retreat! The Roberts' Lake House.

Join us for relaxation and fellowship!

### April 28, 9:45 am-1:00 pm: Ladies Tea & Fashion Show

This year our Tea will feature a fashion show emphasizing modesty for all ages. There will be door prizes and a wonderful lunch served. Cost is \$12. Ask a friend!



**WOM:** Tuesdays, Feb. 7, March 6, and April 3 at 10:00 am.



# Praise & Worship

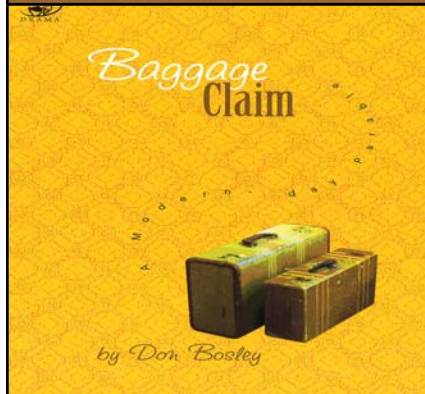
Rev. Brian Jones

CARROLLWOOD  
BAPTIST CHURCH

## February Birthdays

- 02/03: Jenn White
- 02/04: Wayne Schell
- 02/06: Carolyn Boghich
- 02/06: Larry Harvey
- 02/08: Tricia Barnes
- 02/15: Sherry Chain
- 02/19: Steffy Park
- 02/20: Brad Lutz
- 02/27: Elvin Phillips

## 24/7 Youth Creative Arts



*"Not to us, O LORD, not to us,  
but to your name give glory, for  
the sake of your steadfast love  
and your faithfulness!"*

(Psalm 115:1)

## 2012 Important Dates

Sun. February 5

*Super Bowl Fellowship (5:30 pm)*

Wed. February 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29

*Rehearsals:*

*Orch. - 6:00 pm Choir - 7:00 pm*

Thurs. February 9

*CODA Rehearsal for Choir (6:30  
-8:00 pm)*

Thurs. & Fri. February 23-24

*Florida Worship Choir Great I  
Am Recording @ Idlewild  
(Pastor Brian Out)*

Wed. March 7, 14, 21, & 28

*Rehearsals:*

*Orch. - 6:00 pm Choir - 7:00 pm*

Thurs. March 22

*CODA Rehearsal for Choir (6:30  
-8:00 pm)*

Tues. March 27/Wed. March 28

*Baggage Claim Tech & Dress  
Rehearsal (6-8 pm)*

Thurs. March 29/Fri. March 30

*Baggage Claim Performances  
Call time (5:30) Show time (7:00)*

Sunday, April 8

# EASTER!

Come Celebrate  
EASTER

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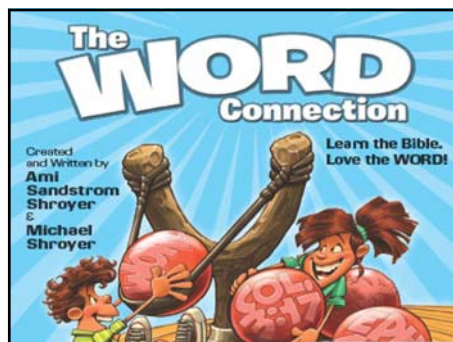
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## March Birthdays

- 03/17: Pastor Brian
- 03/18: Jayne Kies
- 03/27: Debbie Swindle
- 03/29: Dennis Knotts
- 03/31: Valera Reynolds

## April Birthdays

- 04/12: Sharon Phillips
- 04/14: LaVerne Goss
- 04/21: Deborah Boyce
- 04/24: Larry Rueff
- 04/30: Rosa Lee Evans



Presented by  
C. B. C. Children's Choir  
Sunday May 20, 2012



# Student Ministry

Rev. Justin Garver

CARROLLWOOD  
BAPTIST CHURCH



Wow, it never ceases to amaze me how all the months of prep for Upward take, and then the it just flies by. Please continue to pray for our season both for safety as well as salvations. Mark your calendars for our Awards Celebration on the evening of March 3. Thank you to all of you who have been such a blessing in serving this season.



**February 17**  
**Carrollwood Baptist Church**  
**6:00 PM**



*Cash Prize for Winning Team*

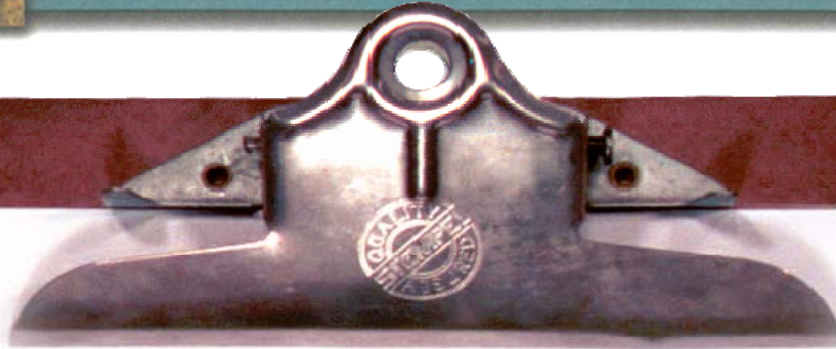
Student Dates	
February 17 Dodgeball	March 3 Upward Awards Celebration
March 14 Beach Day	March 29 & 30 Youth Dinner Theatre
March 23-24 Spring Retreat	April 15 Youth Sunday



## Education & Senior Adults

CARROLLWOOD  
BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Bill Wester



### Men's Prayer Breakfasts

On Saturday, February 18, we will meet at IHOP on Dale Mabry at 7:00 am for breakfast, prayer and fellowship. On March 17 and April 21, we will be back in Carpenter Hall at 7:30 am for our men's prayer breakfasts.



On Thursday, February 16 at 10:30 am, our JOY road trip will be going to Cracker Barrel for lunch and then to Parkesdale Farm Market for a good old fashioned strawberry shortcake. Cost is \$8 plus meal.

### JOY TO THE ST. PETE PIER

Thursday, March 15 at 10:30 am, our JOY group will be going to the Columbia Restaurant at the Pier in St. Pete. Cost is \$8 plus meal



### JOY m & m'S

Thursday, April 12 at 11:30 am, our JOY group will have a covered dish meal & movie in Carpenter Hall.

### Easter Family Breakfast 9:00-10:00 am

A special breakfast menu will include scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, grits, biscuits, gravy, pancakes, juice and coffee. All you have to do is buy your \$1 ticket at the Connection Center on Sunday, March 18, March 25, and April 1. Tickets at the door will cost \$2 and you will have to wait for pre-paid tickets to go first. Thank you for making your reservations early to help us prepare properly.

## Nursery Volunteers & Children's Church Workers

<p><u>Feb, March, April</u></p> <p><b>1st Sunday</b> Kim Koletic Coordinator</p> <p><b>10:30 am</b> Kim Bistany Karen Bistany Sarah Musser Miranda Musser Christy Purdy Allison Bistany Jennifer White Mark Boghich Caroline Hamby Stephen Ivey</p> <p><b>Wednesday Night</b> Julie Garver Volunteer Needed Robin Singleton Vicki Musser</p>	<p><u>Feb, March, April</u></p> <p><b>2nd Sunday</b> Mary Ann Hand Coordinator</p> <p><b>10:30 am</b> Penny Varner Rebecca Palencia Heidi Barlow Jenna Barlow Kyra Clemons Diane Fulp Emily Boyce Jessi Wiggins Carol Smith Nathan Ivey Angelica Palencia</p> <p><b>Wednesday Night</b> Susan Wester Brandon Kummelman Madalena Whitney Diane Ivey</p>	<p><u>Feb, March, April</u></p> <p><b>3rd Sunday</b> Joyce Jones Coordinator</p> <p><b>10:30 am</b> Anne Pickering Hannah Kurial Emily Kurial Alisha Hyslop Debbie Swindle Nicole Swindle Austin George Robin Singleton Chelsea Singleton Joe Circhirillo Teri Circhirillo Kaitlyn Swindle</p> <p><b>Wednesday Night</b> Lynda Gano Volunteer Needed Kim Fults Becky Lutz</p>	<p><u>Feb, March, April</u></p> <p><b>4th Sunday</b> Sarah Thornbury Coordinator</p> <p><b>10:30 am</b> Liz Hill Edith Sammons Jim Davis Vicki Musser Jennifer Rives Hayley Kummelman Amanda Strainer Karla Pippins Brandon Kummelman Beth Gonzalez Lauren Gonzalez</p> <p><b>Wednesday Night</b> Joyce Jones Hayley Kummelman Barbara Nordella Karen Nickell</p>	<p><u>April</u></p> <p><b>5th Sunday</b> Volunteer Needed Coordinator</p> <p><b>10:30 am</b> Cindy Lewandowski Sarah Musser Beverly Jewesak Tim Jewesak Miranda Musser Janet Roberts Kevin Layman Jenni Layman Steve Houck Suzanne Houck Chase Nalls</p> <p><b>Wednesday Night</b> Susan Wester Alisha Hyslop Larry Mathis Volunteer Needed</p>
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### NEW MEMBERS

**By Baptism: Stephen Schlegel & Tiffany Schlegel**

**By Letter: James & Ruth Williams**

### FROM OUR CHURCH FAMILY

The Carrollwood Baptist Church staff and family would like to express their sincere Christian love and sympathy to the Thornbury family in the passing of Brian's father, Bucky; to Jenny Layman's family in the passing of her aunt; to the Alderman family in the sudden death of their grandson, Brian Scott Lee; to the Hunsucker family (former Mission House residents) in the passing of Jim's mother, Mae; and to the Siegel family in the passing of Sheri.



# Special Spring Events

## Ladies Organizing Event

February 18th 7:00-8:30pm

## Secret Keeper Girl Event

Girls 8-12 years old and their Moms

February 25th

## An Evening with the King's Clowns

March 11th 6:00pm

## BAGGAGE CLAIM

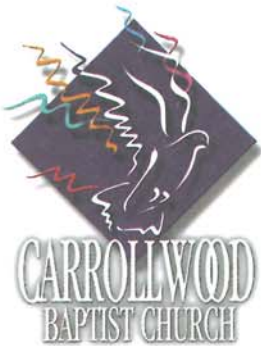
Dessert Theater

March 29th and 30th

7:00 pm nightly

## Easter Sunday Breakfast

April 8th 9:00 - 10:00 am



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# DON'T MISS THIS!!

## Youth Sunday

Don't miss all the special events of **YOUTH SUNDAY** at Carrollwood Baptist Church. Our students will be teaching the classes in our Bible Study hour and Pastor Justin will be preaching in the Worship Service. The Special Event for the evening will be a concert featuring our Praise Band. It all happens on April 15th!!