### MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK



SIEKBERT
FAMILY
MISSIONARY TO
UGANDA

Charles and his wife, Madelon, along with their five children minister to the people of Uganda. They have been serving the Lord there for over thirteen years. The Siekbert family is sent out of First Baotist Church of Milford, Ohio. Please pray for them as this season of their ministry has been, not just busy, but trying.

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They are listed under
their missionaries



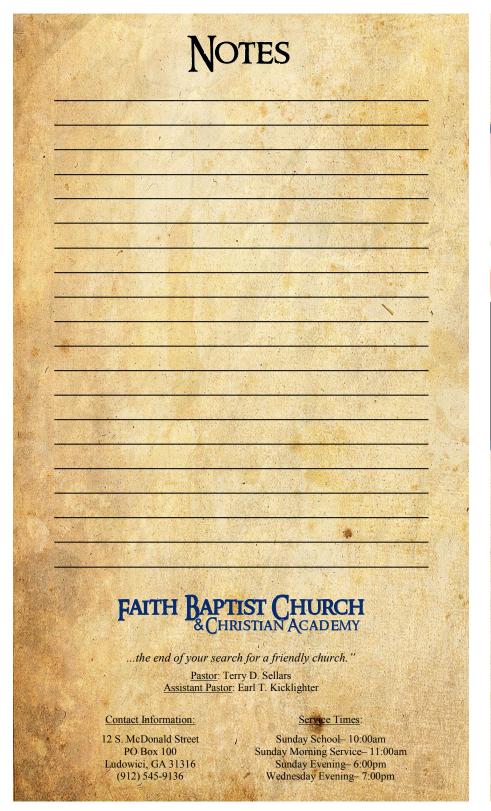


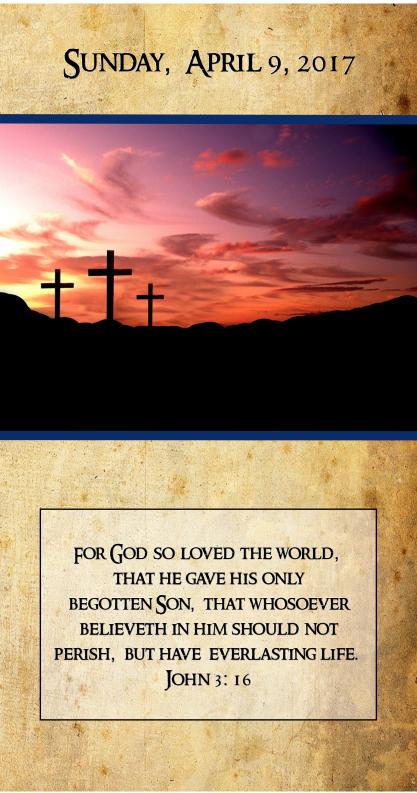
"We are troubled on every side, yet not distressed; we are perplexed, but not in dispair;"

2 Corinthians 4:8

## NURSERY SCHEDULE

Morning Worship-Arlyn Sellars Emily Stringer This Evening-Jeanne le Roux





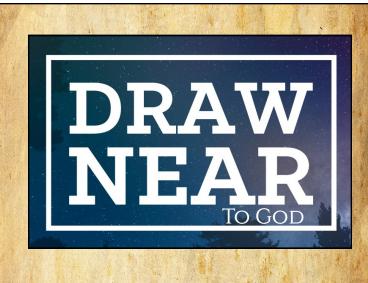
## UPCOMING EVENTS

#### MAY:

14th– Mother's Day 18th– Kindergarten Graduation 19th– Senior Graduation 26th– Last day of School 28th– Memorial Day Sunday 29th– Memorial Day







## APRIL FOCUS:

# DRAW NEAR TO GOD... REACHING OTHERS!!

14th– 17th– Easter Break for FBCA
16th– Easter Sunday—Friend Day
6:00pm...Lord's Supper
30th– 5th Sunday Sing..."Him Sunday"
(Only Hymns)

"BUT IT IS GOOD FOR ME TO DRAW
NEAR TO GOD: I HAVE PUT MY TRUST
IN THE LORD GOD, THAT I MAY
DECLARE ALL THY WORKS."
PSALM 73: 28

# "AJOURNEY TO BELIEF"



Since its first publication in 1880, Lew Wallace's novel *Ben-Hur: A Tale of the Christ* has never been out of print. It has been called the most influential Christian book of the nineteenth century, and it continues to draw readers today as it weaves the true story of Jesus with that of a fictional young Jewish nobleman named Judah Ben-Hur.

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Amy Lifson, writing in *Humanities* magazine, said that the writing of the book transformed the life of the author. "As Ben-Hur guided readers through the scenes of the Passion, so did he lead the way for Lew Wallace to believe in Jesus Christ." Wallace said, "I have seen the Nazarene . . . . I saw him perform works which no mere man could perform."

The Gospels' record of the life of Jesus allows us to walk alongside Him, witness His miracles, hear His words, and see His triumphal entry into Jerusalem on what we call Palm Sunday. At the conclusion of John's gospel, he wrote, "And many other signs truly did Jesus in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book: 31 but these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name." (John 20:30–31). Just as Lew Wallace's research, reading of the Bible, and writing led him to believe in Jesus, so God's Word draws us to a transformation of mind and heart by which we have eternal life in and through Him.

LORD, MAY THE RECORD OF YOUR LIFE BE WRITTEN ON OUR MINDS AND HEARTS SO THAT WE MAY HAVE EVER-INCREASING FAITH IN YOU.

Many books can inform, but only the Bible can transform.

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