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First Focus

*Touching Loretto, Lawrence County and
the World with the Gospel of Jesus Christ!*

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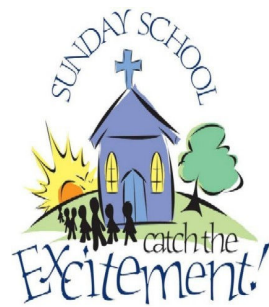
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Trust
in the Lord 
with all thine heart;
and *lean* not
unto thine own understanding.
in all thy ways
acknowledge him,
and he shall *direct* thy paths.
Proverbs 3: 5-6



*Sunday
School
starts
at
9:15am
Come out*

*and enjoy a
time of Bible study
and great fellowship
Sunday Worship
at 10:30 am*



**WEDNESDAY
NIGHTS
6 PM**

Dear Church Family,

I hope this newsletter finds you doing well. I am excited that March is finally here because I am ready for all the sickness to be gone and for the Spring season to be here. I have three things about this month that I would like to share with you. First, I want to continue to encourage you to stick with (or start back?) the Bible reading plan for 2019. For the month of March, we will be reading the book of *Proverbs*. There are 31 chapters in *Proverbs* and 31 days in the month of March so read one chapter per day. *Proverbs* is full of wisdom. I hope you will appreciate the very practical advice of how life works best. In a world that has lost its common sense, I pray the Lord will speak His wisdom to you each day. Second, please continue to bring in supplies for our Shoebox Packing Party for Operation Christmas Child in the Fall. Last month, we sought to collect 100 boxer shorts for boys 10-14 years old. This month, we will be collecting 100 tennis balls. If you can bring in either of these items, you will be helping impoverished children around the world receive a gift and the gospel this upcoming Christmas season. Third, please be in prayer for Chris and Rhonda Dodson as they will be moving to Loretto the last week of March. Chris will start at First Baptist on Sunday, March 31. I am so excited for our church to have a leader to help us advance the kingdom at First Baptist especially in the areas of youth and missions.

One last thing, March is the third month of the year. It is a great time to stop and examine your usefulness and fruitfulness for Jesus. How has your Christian walk and witness been so far in 2019? Don't wallow in defeat! Don't quit! Start again. Persevere. Identify the areas of improvement in your life. Ask God to forgive you and help you. I KNOW HE WILL! Be intentional about kind words and kind deeds in the name of Jesus. Invite someone to your home and then invite them to church. Let's make every effort to be Useful & Fruitful for Jesus.

Bro. Kevin

WMU March 12
at 6 pm.



Easter egg hunt will be April 20th. We need eggs filled with candy or candy to fill the eggs that we have. Deadline for this is April 7th. You can drop off eggs and candy in the Welcome Center. Thank you so much.



Bridal Shower for Katie Poole
bride elect of Will Gieske.
March 17th, 2-4 pm at
Loretto First Baptist
fellowship hall.
Bring your favorite recipe on a
recipe card for the bride.



Thank you have been received
in the church office from:
Carol & Johnnie Messer

Senior Adults

Senior Adult supper will be Thursday, March 14th. Dining at Anderson at Fish Creel. Leave church at 5 pm.



COMMIT your
work TO THE
LORD, and
your PLANS
Will succeed.

PROVERBS 16:3



March Shoebox item:
100 tennis balls



Please Pray For:

Our Nation
Government Leaders
Schools
Teachers
Church Leaders

