



**National Goal: \$175 million**

**FBC GOAL \$20K**

**Given to Date: \$21,542.50**

**2011 Lottie Moon Christmas Offering**

HIS HEART HIS HANDS HIS VOICE

2011 Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

We exceeded our goal! Thank you for giving.

**Wednesday Night Meals**

Jan. 11: Chicken fingers, okra, macaroni & cheese, garden salad, rolls, & dessert  
 Jan. 18: Beef tips and rice, green beans, garden salad, rolls, & dessert  
 If you do not have a permanent reservation but would like to eat, please call the church office by Monday, 5:00 p.m.

**Ivan Parker**  
 in concert at  
**First Baptist Church**  
 With Special Guests  
**Cross4Crowns**  
 Saturday, January 21  
 7:00 PM

Tickets for FBC members are \$12 each and may be purchased at Blount Office Supply.



Join us for Ivan Parker's 1st trip to Oneonta!

an evening with **Ivan Parker**

Saturday, January 21, 2012  
 at First Baptist Church, Oneonta, AL



**Friday, January 13, 2012**  
**OUTWIT, OUTLAST, OUTPLAY!**

Wear your best "Survivor" costume to win your team points!

6:00 p.m. ~ 9:00 p.m. for grades K-2  
 6:00 p.m. ~ 7:00 a.m. for grades 3-6  
 (Bring a pillow and sleeping bag.)

Cost: \$5.00

Games, food, fun, crafts, and Bible study "Survivor" style!  
 You MUST sign up by Wednesday, January 11. Complete form, call or email Tammy McMinn or respond to Alicia Howard on Facebook.



**First Baptist Church**  
 Finding God in Life & Community **OF ONEONTA**

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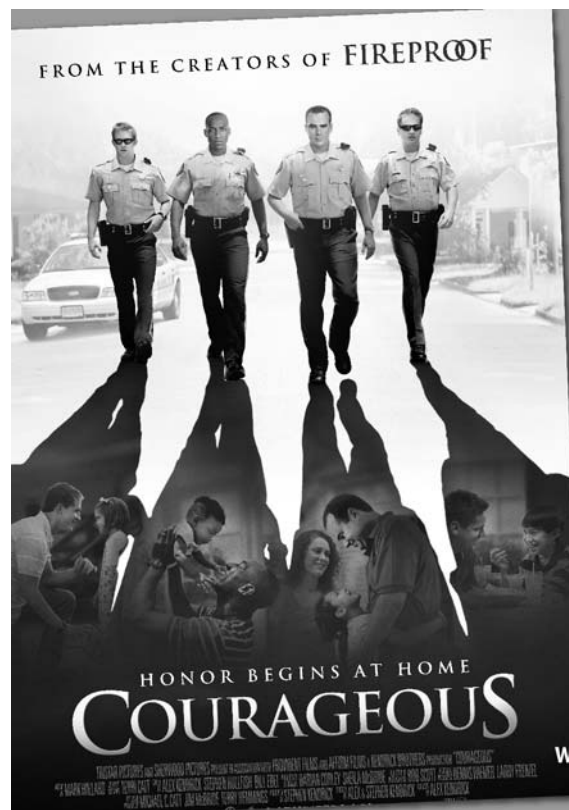


**First Baptist Church**  
 OF ONEONTA  
 Finding God in Life & Community



*First Baptist Church exists to demonstrate the love of Christ in our community and our world through worship, evangelism, discipleship, missions, and ministry.*

**Sunday, January 8, 2012**



FROM THE CREATORS OF FIREPROOF

**First Baptist Church OF ONEONTA**  
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presents **COURAGEOUS**

Sun., Jan. 15, 2012  
 5:00 p.m., FBC Sanctuary

Nursery will be available.

**FREE TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE CHURCH OFFICE**

more details at [www.oneontafbc.org/courageous](http://www.oneontafbc.org/courageous)

## Morning Worship

Prelude..... Charlotte Langner  
 Prayer..... Ed Camp  
 Baptism ..... Larry Gipson  
 Candidates: Ethan Adams and Patsy Kennedy  
 Priority Sunday School Award ..... Jim Henderson  
 Welcome/Fellowship ..... Jim Henderson  
 Song..... *Rise Up and Praise Him*  
 Hymn No. 4 ..... *To God Be the Glory*  
 Prayer  
 Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings  
 Instrumental Praise ..... Charlotte Langner  
 Children Dismissed to First Kids Worship  
 Song..... *Our God Saves*  
 Celebration Choir ..... *Amazed*  
 Message..... Larry Gipson  
 Hymn No. 134 ..... *Jesus Paid It All*  
 Postlude ..... Charlotte Langner

## Welcome to First Baptist Church!

We are delighted to have you visiting with us today. We invite you to complete the guest card that is located in the pew, and place it in the offering plate or give it to a staff member as you exit the Sanctuary. Guest packets containing more information about FBC are available on the tables in the vestibule.

Sanctuary flowers are  
 in loving memory of  
*Ruby Nell Blythe*  
 Placed by First Baptist Church

My family and I want to thank you for your gestures of love in the death of Wanda's father, Cullen Rinehart. Your prayers, cards, gifts, and other expressions of caring and sympathy are greatly appreciated.

May God Bless,  
 Bro. Larry

## Evening Worship

Prelude..... Charlotte Langner  
 Welcome/Fellowship ..... Larry Gipson  
 Hymn No. 16 ..... *O Worship the King*  
 Hymn No. 4 ..... *To God Be the Glory*  
 Prayer  
 Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings  
 Instrumental Praise ..... Sara Towns  
 Hymn No. 335 ..... *Standing on the Promises*  
 Hymn No. 64 ..... *God Will Take Care of You*  
 Hymn No. 467 ..... *There Shall Be Showers of Blessing*  
 Solo ..... Clyde Woods  
 Message..... Larry Gipson

## Announcements

**JOHN ROGERS** is working on his Eagle Scout project. He will be putting up a 40-foot flagpole behind the church sign. Materials will include lights, sand, flagpole, and Christian and United States flags. The cost will be \$3,500. If you would like to make a contribution to help cover his expenses, please designate "Flagpole Project" on your offering envelope.

**OUR WEEKLY SERVICES** will now be seen on Otelco Cable Channel 71 on Monday evenings at 5:00 p.m.. Please tell your friends and neighbors.

**Women on Mission (Green)** will meet Tuesday, January 10, at 10:00 a.m. at Miller's Soda Shoppe.

**SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION CALL TO PRAYER:** Answer the call by praying for spiritual awakening for your family and friends, your church, your nation and your world. Watch for details!

**THE 2012 OFFERING ENVELOPES** are available in the hallway outside the church office. It is very important that your envelopes be used to insure your contributions are posted properly. If you need assistance locating yours, please contact Belynn in the church office.

**COOKBOOKS ARE IN!!** If you pre-ordered, you can pick them up today. If you want to purchase one, they will be on the table outside the church office. Cookbooks are \$15 and proceeds go toward the Thailand Mission trip.

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED** to assist with Upward Basketball as a coach, referee, greeter, or devotion leader. Please contact Tammy McMinn if you are available to assist in these ways.

## Opportunities for Service

TODAY, JANUARY 8, 2012

**Deacon Visitation Team** ..... Gene Blakely & Bob Harvey  
**Nursery Workers**  
 Babies & Toddlers ..... Lee & Debra Guyton  
 2s & 3s ..... Jonathan & Katie Buse  
 Evening..... Wanda & Timothy Gipson  
**Welcome Center** ..... Teresa Hall, David Reeves & Polly Gargus  
**Worship Invitation Assistants** ..... Judy Camp & Bill Hopewell  
**Youth Breakfast** ..... Emily & Hunter O'Rear  
**Wednesday Meal Kitchen Helpers** ..... Russell Williams & Camilla Meeks

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2012

**Deacon Visitation Team** ..... Wayne Bynum & Ramzi Malek  
**Nursery Workers**  
 Babies & Toddlers ..... Bill & Nancy Hopewell  
 2s & 3s ..... Daniel & Robin Nash  
 Evening..... Linda Henderson & Sarah Wheeler  
**Welcome Center** ..... Nancy Hopewell, Kevin Faust & Bob Harvey  
**Worship Invitation Assistants** ..... Sonya Walker & Brad Hall  
**Youth Breakfast** ..... Morgan Sargent & Gena Baker  
**Wednesday Meal Kitchen Helpers** ..... Russell Williams

## Church Schedule

### Sunday, January 8

9:00 a.m. Sunday School  
 10:15 a.m. Morning Worship  
 4:30 p.m. Deacon's Meeting  
 6:00 p.m. Sunday Night Bible Studies

### Monday, January 9

6:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast ~ Miller's Soda Shoppe

### Tuesday, January 10

10:00 a.m. WOM (Green) ~ Miller's Soda Shoppe

### Wednesday, January 11

5:15 p.m. Meals  
 6:00 p.m. Praise Band, Children's Graded Choirs  
 6:30 p.m. Youth  
 6:45 p.m. RA's, GA's, Mission Friends, Prayer Meeting/ Bible Study, Celebration Choir



### Men's Chili Cookoff

January 29, 6:00 p.m.

Chili will be judged to decide "Most Original", "Best All Around," or "Hottest".