

French Camp Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day

May 7, 2023

Flowers for May are in honor of Adele Coblentz by Alex & Mary Nell Coblentz

Announcements, M4M – Naik's School in India

Prelude: *For the Beauty of the Earth*

Call to Worship from the Psalms

Response #153: *Worthy of Worship*

Prayer of Invocation

*Hymn (Overhead): *Turn Your Eyes* (Sovereign Grace)

Shepherd's Prayer: Lance Ragsdale

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: *O, The Deep, Deep Love of Jesus*

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Children's Sermon: (4th Grade and Younger)

*Hymn (Overhead): *When You Pass Through the Waters (Isaiah 43)*

Sermon: By Faith: Looking to Jesus Alex Coblentz
Hebrews 11:39 – 12:2 (Page 1008 in pew Bibles)

*Hymn (Overhead): *When Trials Come*

*Benediction and Postlude

*Congregation Standing

The New City Catechism for Kids

Q. 22 Why must the Redeemer be truly human?

That in human nature He might on our behalf perfectly obey the whole law and suffer the punishment for human sin.

Q. 23 Why must the Redeemer be truly God?

That because of His divine nature His obedience and suffering would be perfect and effective.

Life of the Church

Sunday Supper Tonight, 5:30 pm: Our speaker will be Dennis Cox, Bible teacher, Elder and Griffin Dorm Dad. Thanks to the Hosket's for cooking the meal. (This will be the last Sunday evening service of the school year.)

A HUGE THANK YOU! In addition to the adults who serve our congregation, we depend on many students to carry on the ministry of this church! Students serve as greeters, janitorial helpers, kitchen helpers, nursery workers, sound techs, Sunday School teachers, student ushers, on the worship team, yard maintenance, and so much more. We thank the Lord for each one of you!

Congratulations Graduates: See today's insert for a list of 2023 Graduates. Pray for them as they finish the year and anticipate the next season in their lives.

- Baccalaureate: Friday, May 19, 7:00pm in Sanctuary
- Communion Breakfast: May 20, 8:30am in LSB (Graduates & FCA Staff)
- Graduation: Saturday, May 20, 11:00am in Sanctuary

Historical Highlight Luncheon Thursday with Rev. Randy Bridges, 12:00pm: Bro. Randy, pastor of French Camp Baptist Church, will be giving an overview of the Baptist church's history, which has played a key role in French Camp since the early pioneer days. (He has graciously agreed to be our speaker on short notice since our scheduled speaker, Alex Lawson, had to postpone due to his recent car accident.) To RSVP contact Mary Nell Coblentz at marynellcoblentz@gmail.com or call 547-6520 and leave a message. Lunch is \$3.

Frontier Day Saturday, May 13, 8:00am – 2:00pm: There will be LOTS of exciting activities happening in French Camp's Historic District next Saturday – too many to list here. Get more details on the Town of French Camp's Facebook page.

Items Needed for Country Store at Frontier Day, May 13: If you have items to donate, drop them off at FC Baptist this Friday, 1-5pm. Proceeds will help fund projects for the community, including refurbishing the Christmas scenes.

Alumni Museum Update: Sandy Otway will be opening the FCA Alumni Museum on Wednesdays, 10-2pm and Saturdays 10-3pm. If you haven't been to the museum lately, drop by and check it out!

Reminder to Save the Date: VBS with Grace Evan will be June 20-23

FRENCH CAMP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

323 School St. French Camp, Mississippi 39745

website: www.fcarp.org

Pastor: Rev. J. Alex Coblentz.

Ministry Coordinator: Mary Nell Coblentz

Ruling Elders: Glen Barlow (Treas.), Larry Littlejohn (Clerk of Session), John Cockrell,
Dennis Cox, Bruce Hosket, and Lance Ragsdale

Deacons: Greg Browning, David Dennis, Danny Donald (Chairman), Jason Purvis, Roy Purvis

Music Team: Anne Katherine Ragsdale, David Dennis, Kevin O'Brien, Kylie Shirley, James Cantey

Sunday Worship is **LIVE at fcarp.org/livestream** at 11:00 am

To watch the replay or listen to past sermons go to fcarp.org/sermons, or fcpc.sermon.net

FCARP sermons are also broadcast Sunday mornings at **8:00 am on WFCA-FM108**

Ushers Bruce Hosket, Greg Browning

Student Ushers John Moore, Jesse Jones

Greeters Lance Ragsdale, Tristan Clark

Next Sunday, May 14

Ushers Danny Donald, Kevin Sorensen

Student Ushers Ty Martin, James Cantey

Greeters Dorothy Anderson, Abby Ligon

Calendar of Events

Today	7:00am - Men's Community Breakfast at FC Baptist 10:00am - Sunday School, Regular Classes 11:00am - Worship 5:30pm - Sunday Supper, Dennis Cox Speaker
Tuesday	8:30am - Women's Tuesday Bible Study
Wednesday	6:00pm - Prayer Meeting 7:00pm - Session
Thursday	12:00pm - Historical Highlight Lunch, Speaker Randy Bridges 6:00pm - FCA Choir Concert at FCARP
Friday	5:30am - Men's Bible Study at Welcome Center (TITUS)
Saturday	8:00am - 2:00pm - Frontier Day
Next Sunday	10:00am - Sunday School, Regular Classes 11:00am - Worship, Guest Preacher: Rev. Lynn Downing No Evening Service
May 19	7:00pm - FCA Baccalaureate @ Sanctuary
May 20	8:30am - Communion Breakfast @ LSB 11:00am - FCA Graduation @ Sanctuary
May 21	6:00pm - Alan Sibley in Concert @ FC Baptist
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Ministry of Prayer

Marlene Armstrong, Bruce Beswick, Vickki Carlisle, Dennis Cates (mobility issues), John Robert & Peggy Cockrell, Sylvia Dickson (PET Scan Tues at Duke), Skylyr Effler (brain tumor - referred to UNC Chapel Hill for follow-up), Glen Goldman (former Double Blessings volunteer, double bypass May 18), Mary Ida Harper, Marilyn Johnson, Alex Lawson (recovering from car accident/compression fracture in his back), Roy Nail, Margie Newman, Lesa Rhodes, Sally Richardson, Ken & Lyn Utley.



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