

# In Worship Today

## March 11, 2018

Offertory: "In Christ Alone" Curtis Alston, Soloist

Today's Message: "On the Road to the Cross:  
I Know My Redeemer Lives" (John 11:17-57)

Dr. Charles "Buddy" Parrish



### ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING

100% of gifts given to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering support Southern Baptist missionaries serving in the U.S. and Canada. The offering represents 49 percent of the North American Mission Board's total income. The FBS church goal this year is \$10,000. So far, we have collected \$1,448. Envelopes are available in the pew backs or you may give online.

### SPRING FAMILY FAIR SAT | APR 14 | 3-5PM

This year, in lieu of an Easter egg hunt, join us for the Spring Family Fair on **April 14**, 3-5pm. There will be games, prizes, food, and lots of fun. This is a free community outreach event for our church and "all hands on deck" day (like the Trunk or Treat event)! Please sign up to help on the back of today's Connection Card.

Thank you and please help us spread the word! Stay tuned for more information.



### EASTER CROSS

A volunteer is needed to help coordinate placing the flowers on the cross Easter morning. If you are interested, sign up on the Connection Card and we will provide guidance and find volunteers to assist you!

### UPCOMING HIGH SCHOOL OR COLLEGE GRADUATES

If your high school student is actively involved with our church, will graduate this spring and would like to be involved in our Senior Recognition Sunday on **April 29**, let us know by filling out the Connection Card.

If you or your college student will graduate this spring, please complete the Connection Card with full name, the school from which he or she will graduate, and the field of study.

### WOMEN ON MISSION

**TUES | MAR 13 | 9:30AM**

Our speaker for March will be Gary Cain, CEO of Boys and Girls Clubs of Central Florida. Gary has been involved with Boys and Girls Club for over 20 years and is committed to helping children in distressed circumstances. Don't forget to bring your covered dish for our luncheon.

### CHURCH FELLOWSHIP DINNER

**THURS | MAR 15 | 5:30-6:30PM**

Bring a neighbor or a friend for this great time of fellowship and food and introduce them to our church! Donations are accepted. Please RSVP by signing up on the Connection Card or call the church office by Tues, **March 13**.

### MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST

**SAT | MAR 17 | 7AM**

**FELLOWSHIP HALL**

Pastor Buddy will be our speaker for the month of March. Come catch the Sweetwater vision! Reserve your spot by signing up on the Connection Card.

### THANK YOU

Our Children's Ministry is so thankful for the support you showed by enjoying Chick-Fil-A last Tuesday at Spirit Night. With your help, we raised over \$400 for CentriKid Camp!

Also, a big thank you from Student Ministry for participating in Student 4 Hire and the Flaming Fundraiser. These fundraisers helped students raise money for summer camp.

### PRAYER FOR THOSE AWAY

In your prayers, please remember 40 FBS women who worshiped all weekend at Lake Yale and were refreshed at the FBS Ladies' Retreat. They return home today. Also, for Nathan and Sarah Locario as they were married yesterday in the Key Largo area. Please also pray for traveling mercies for their family and friends as they return home.

### DISCOVER SWEETWATER

**SUN | APR 8 | 2:30-5:30PM | A108**

If you are interested in church membership, or if you have questions about what we believe, come find out more. (Completion of this class is required for membership.) The deadline to sign up for childcare is **Wednesday, April 4**. Sign up on the Connection Card.

### 9th ANNUAL MARK STEPHENS

**GOLF CLASSIC**

**APRIL 21 | 8:30AM TEE OFF**

**WEKIVA GOLF COURSE**

Ninety-percent of how the annual golf tournament raises support for our Student Ministry is strictly through our sponsors. If you know someone who owns their own business, manages a business or restaurant please consider asking them to help sponsor the tournament. All proceeds go towards scholarships for students. Entry fee for play is \$57 and includes your golf, cart, range balls and lunch in the Fellowship Hall following play.

**Sunday, March 11**

*Spring Forward*

*FBS Women's Retreat Ends*

- 9:00 am Sunday School
- 10:30 am Worship Service
- 12:00 pm 1st Time Guest Reception
- 1:30 pm Mature Adult Meeting (A135)
- 5:00 pm Student Choir Rehearsal

**Monday, March 12**

- 10:00 am Women's Precepts Class

**Tuesday, March 13**

- 9:00 am Sweetwater Christian Preschool
- 9:30 am Women On Mission

**Wednesday, March 14**

- 9:00 am Sweetwater Christian Preschool
- 6:00 pm Three16 (Youth Group)
- 6:00 pm Children's Choir
- 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting
- 6:30 pm Pointman Meeting
- 6:30 pm Orchestra Rehearsal
- 7:00 pm AWANA
- 7:15 pm Choir Rehearsal
- 7:30 pm College & Career

**Thursday, March 15**

- 9:00 am Sweetwater Christian Preschool
- 5:30 pm Fellowship Dinner (FH)

**Friday, March 16**

*Orange & Seminole County  
Spring Break Begins*

- 9:00 am Sweetwater Christian Preschool

**Saturday, March 17**

- 7:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast (FH)

**Sunday, March 18**

- 9:00 am Sunday School
- 10:30 am Worship Service
- 12:00 pm 1st Time Guest Reception
- 4:00 pm Deacon Meeting

***Financial Update for  
October 2017 - September 2018  
Giving thru March 4***

YTD Budget	\$ 674,765
YTD Receipts	\$ 600,731

**Ways to Give at FBS:**

- ◆ Mail to the church office
- ◆ Place donation in the offering plate
- ◆ Bill pay through your bank or financial institution
- ◆ Online Giving at [fbsweetwater.org](http://fbsweetwater.org) (one time, recurring, weekly, bi-weekly or monthly). If you don't have an account, click on NEW MEMBER and follow the prompts

**Attendance:**

*Worship - 487  
Sunday School - 348  
Spanish Church - 36*

**Wednesday Night Ministries:**

*Worship (Music) Ministries 112  
Adult Ministries - 43  
Student Ministries - 93  
AWANA - 106*

**Praying for Our Worship Services**

**March 11 - Brenda Beeny**

**Peanut Butter & Jelly**

*Collected for the A.N.G.E.L.S. Ministry  
Peanut Butter - 50*

**Kingdom Kids Children's Church**

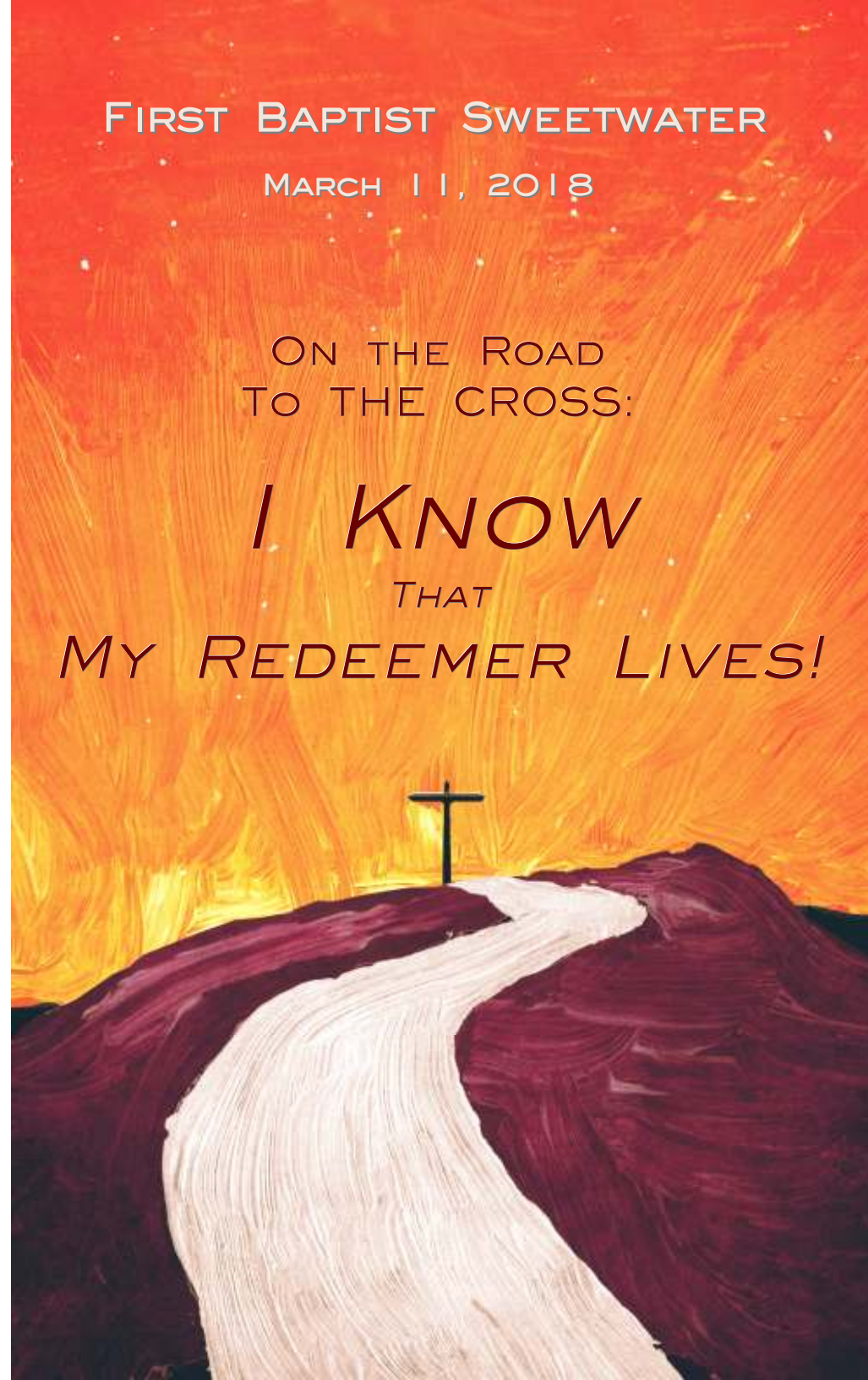
**Kindergarten - 3rd Grade**  
*Kids, worship with your family at the beginning of service, then watch for our Kingdom Kids Team to escort you to our Kingdom Kids space. We'll bring you back to the Worship Center before the service ends.*

FIRST BAPTIST SWEETWATER

MARCH 11, 2018

ON THE ROAD  
TO THE CROSS:

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