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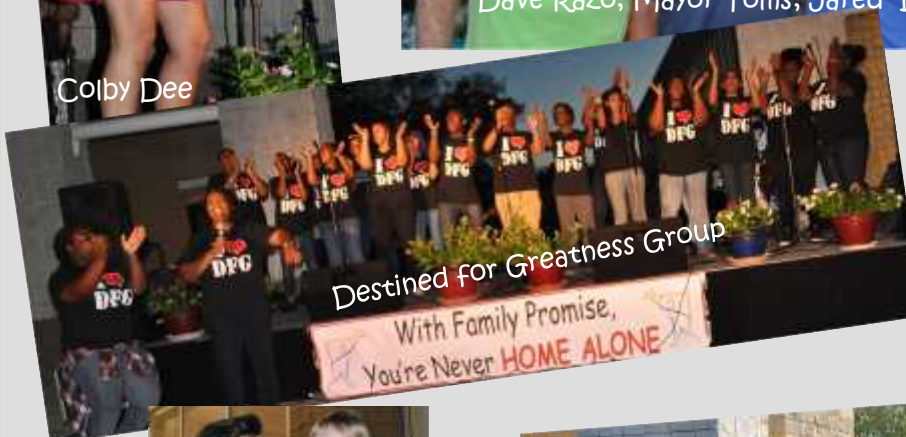
CAR CITY HIGHLIGHTS



Colby Dee



Dave Razo, Mayor Toms, Jared Leland



Destined for Greatness Group



Faith, Hope and Love Trio



Our awesome Sound Crew



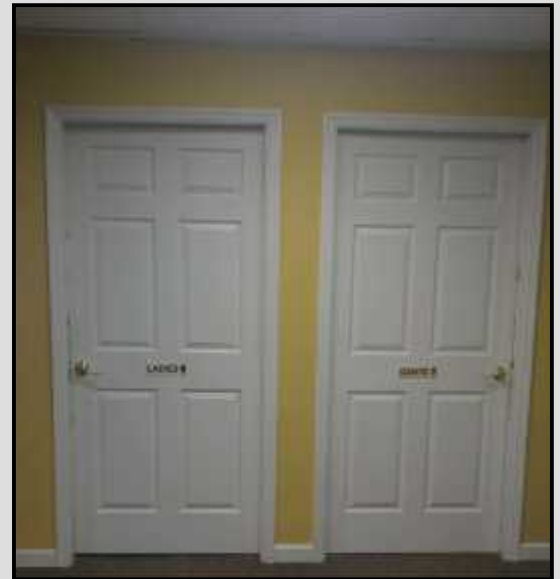
Heart of Georgia Barbershop Chorus



Director's Corner By: Nicole Rosser

We have good news to share with you:
The Jones family has moved into their new home. Kudos to Michelle for all her hard work over the past few months.

We appreciate the accommodations of our host congregations. A special Thank You to First Christian Church of Perry for installing showers at their church. They finished the his and hers shower project. Our guests really appreciate it!



We welcome First Christian Church of Centerville as a new support congregation. Thank You for joining our Family Promise of Greater Houston County family!

A Volunteer Training Class will be held at 6:30 PM, Tuesday, October 25, 2016 at The First Church of the Nazarene, 300 Lois Dr, Warner Robins, GA 31093. To register please contact Nicole Rosser at 320-8181 or nrosser.familypromisega@gmail.com.



FPGHC Participates in Perry Chamber Member Market

The Chamber Member Market gives members an opportunity to showcase their business or organization. The 2016 event was held Thursday, September 29th, at the Perry Arts Center.

The Perry Chamber Members Market this year featured a "Fair" theme. Our display - "Promises" at the Fair - featured images of lots of fair activities including a cupcake ferris wheel decorated with families, churches and the community; a blue ribbon winning piglet, a scarecrow, a photographic piece from a winner of the 2015 National fair, a roller coaster with clipart photos of riders representing the families we help exit the roller coaster of homelessness; a grandmother's quilt from 1908; and samples of fair food and "home cooked" food provided our guests. Our booth gave away candy and offered visitors the opportunity to register for a drawing held to give away four \$25 gift certificates to restaurants in Perry. We made many new friends and enjoyed being a part of the Member Market. Ronnie Shivers, Sheree Evans, Katie Cawthon, Pauline Abbott, and Carolyn Schomer manned our booth to share information and answer questions. Kudos to Katie who made the cupcakes and arranged the ferris wheel.



Miller Elementary School supports FPGHC

Recently Director, Nicole Rosser, had the opportunity to participate in the Miller Elem. School Parents' Information Night to share information with the staff and parents about Family Promise.



After her presentation Nicole was presented with donations of gifts from our "Wish List".
THANK YOU, Staff and parents from Miller Elem. for all your support!! We appreciate it so very much!

In the top photo Nicole is joined by School Counselor, Natasha Williams.

In the bottom photo Nicole is pictured with the donated items.

MORE CAR CITY HIGHLIGHTS



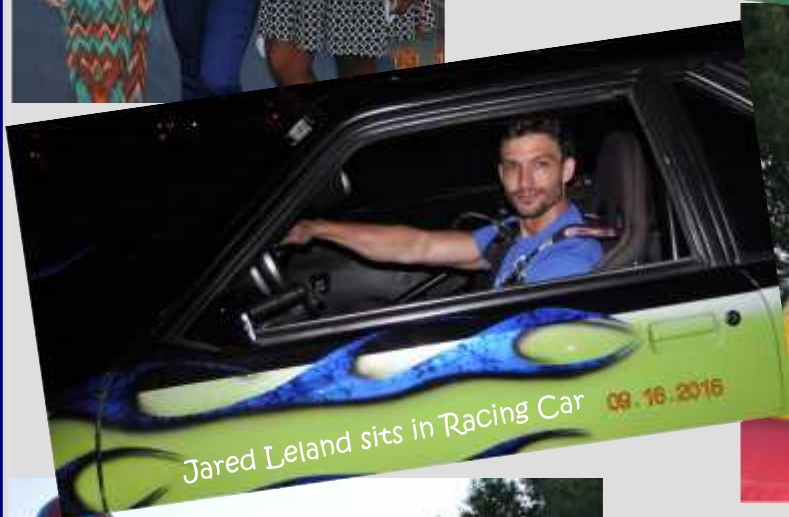
Soup Dinner



Volunteers



Girl Scouts provide dessert



Jared Leland sits in Racing Car



Amanda Milner sits in the Dunking Booth



Mustang Club Cars

Could You Purchase a Bed for our Guests?



After several years of use, some of our roll away beds, used each day at our host churches, need to be replaced. Therefore, we are seeking donations to replace four beds. The cost is about \$250 each for the frame and a sturdy, hospital grade mattress. Any help you can provide is greatly appreciated. Please be sure to mark your donation for this need. Thank You for providing a good night's sleep to our guests!

What are Some Other Ways to Support Family Promise?

We are glad you asked that question and we are pleased to answer it!



The Combined Federal Campaign is now underway; October 11 - November 10. If you are an employee at Robins Air Force Base or the US Postal Service you have the opportunity to support FPGHC with your CFC commitment. Mark your form to support **Member 90951**.



Now is the time to begin your holiday shopping and many of you will shop at Amazon.com. Before making your purchases go to smile.amazon.com, log in using your Amazon ID and password. Select FPGHC as your favorite charity and 0.5% of your purchases will be donated to our local efforts.



The fall Belk Charity Day is Nov 5th. Get tickets for yourself and to sell to others from Vivian Stilley; vivian.stilley@cox.net or 333-3357. We also need volunteers to sell tickets at the store; contact Vivian to let her know when you can serve. Let's beat our spring total of \$2,204. We can do it when we all work together!

Pictured is Shirley Boan selling tickets at our local Belk store.



Georgia Gives Day is November 17, 2016. On this day, or any day, go to www.gagivesday.org, click "Donate", type "Family Promise of Greater Houston County" in the search box at the top of the page. FPGHC will appear in the search box, click on "donate now" and follow the instructions.



Any time is a great time to enroll in the Kroger Community Rewards program. If you have not already done so, designate **#76557** as the organization of choice associated with your Kroger Plus Card. This past quarter the 59 households that have enrolled in the program for FPGHC provided \$147.73 to

our mission. Check the bottom of your receipts to affirm Kroger is making a donation on your behalf to Family Promise with every purchase; www.krogercommunityrewards.com.

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Pillows
Toilet Paper
Cleaning Supplies
Laundry Detergent
WalMart Gift Cards



Thank you for helping us obtain these needed items!

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DONORS!**

Recent Contributions

Individuals:

Thomas & Charlotte Slade

Club 247:

**Kirby Neal
Carolyn & Dave Schomer**

Business:

**Oaks Nursing Home
in memory of Robert Stewart**

**Additional funds received
in support of Car City:**

**Cantrell Center
Flint EMC
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Denna Boan
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