



# Issue no.2

## FBC ELK CITY NEWSLETTER

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### Welcome

Welcome to Issue 2 of FBC Elk City's monthly newsletter. Each month's newsletter will feature a letter from our Senior Pastor, the previous month's financial statement, this month's event schedule, and a special book review from Julie Blackwell.



### Big Events & Good Reads



### Upcoming Big Events

- Ministry Huddle.....March 26
- Family Game Night.....March 29
- Easter.....April 9
- Women's Retreat.....April 21-22
- End of the Year Party.....
- ACC Falls Creek.....May 31-June 3
- Super Summer.....June 5-9
- VBS.....June 25-29
- Green Country Youth Camp.....July 10-15

### Children's/Family Pastor Recommendation

#### **THIRTY MINUTES WITH THE PERRYS IVEY MEDIA PODCASTS**

30 Minutes with The Perrys is a podcast with a whole lot of truth given in a short amount of time. Preston Perry and Jackie Hill Perry will bring their humor, honesty, and insight into conversations on everything from relationships, theology, politics, race, and parenting. Listen on all major podcast platforms.

## Celebrating Women's History Month

Did you know March is Women's History Month? Apparently so – let's celebrate this by celebrating women in Church history. We can do this by reading their stories! Here are six books by or about great women in church history for both men and women to enjoy.

**1. The Pastor's Wife by Sabina Wurmbrand**

A memoir of life under communist rule in Romania after World War II.

**2. Radiant: Fifty Remarkable Women in Church History by Richard M. Hannula**

Fifty women who faithfully served the Lord in whatever circumstances he placed them.

**3. The Hiding Place by Corrie ten Boom**

A memoir of hiding Jews as a family during Nazi rule, and her time in a concentration camp later on, this book is filled with the gospel and beautiful stories of forgiveness and freedom in Christ (look for a young readers edition for younger readers).

**4. Evidence Not Seen by Darlene Diebler Rose**

A memoir of an American missionary in New Guinea under Japanese occupation in World War II; an amazing story of faith by a woman who was very, very young at the time.

**5. Honey for a Woman's Heart by Gladys Hunt**

Okay, just one that is really only for women, but men can also enjoy many of the titles she recommends! I can't help adding this one to this list. Gladys Hunt wrote several books about books and reading that have been so influential for many, many folks through the years.

**6. L'Abri by Edith Schaeffer**

An American family moves to Switzerland after World War II to minister to young folks asking the big questions about God and how he can exist in a world so full of darkness. Simple to read and so very inspiring!

In a world and a culture that tells women to think first and only of themselves, let us look to the example of women who chose to obey God and sacrificed their own wants and comforts to serve him and make him known to the people around them! Happy Reading!

## Business



### February 2023 Tithes & Offerings

Budget.....	\$83,930.64
Building Fund.....	\$5,944.74
Designated Account.....	\$3,522.81
<b>FBCEC Giving Total.....</b>	<b>\$93,398.19</b>

**Building Fund Balance.....\$125,974.37**

### Life Skills Clinics

We are looking for servant-hearted people to teach life skills classes. If you have a practical skill you would like to share with others, contact Jerry Cannon or the church office.