

March 12, 2017

This Morning in Worship

"O Worship the King"
 "Ancient of Days"
 "Shout to the Lord"
 "Shine, Jesus, Shine"
 "Here I Am to Worship"

Special Music "I Am Blessed" Sean Manley
 Message "Spirit-Filled Calling" Paul Fisher
Exodus 31:1-6

We usually stand to sing during worship. If you need to be seated, please feel free to do so; we understand. Whether seated or standing, may we all continue to focus our hearts and minds on our great God in worship.

"Family Night @ First"

Wednesday Nights

Children

3:15 Bus transportation available for children from Burk elementary schools
 3:30 Snack / homework time / activities (for bussed children)
 4:15 Children's Choirs
Working on a new musical: "Acorns to Oaks."
 5:15 Family Meal
 6:00 Kids' Recreation Time
 6:15-7:30 Preschoolers: Choir & Team Kid, Room 108
 K-5th Grade: Team Kid Discipleship Starts in Auditorium

Students (6th-12th Grades)

5:15-6:00 Family Meal
 6:00-7:30 Collide Student Discipleship, Fellowship Center Upstairs

Adults

5:15 Family Meal
 6:15 - Prayer Meeting, Room 109
 - Ladies' Study: The Sermon on the Mount; Room 115; (Sherrie Moore)
 7:15-8:30 Worship Choir Rehearsal

No Meal This Wednesday

There is no charge for the meals; donations are accepted to help cover the cost.

Spring Break Wednesday Schedule

This week is Spring break for the Burkburnett ISD. Some of our regular Wednesday activities will not be taking place.

- NO Children's Activities
- NO Evening Meal
- NO Worship Choir Practice
- NO Ladies' Bible Study
- YES Students and Collide will meet at 6:00 PM
- YES Prayer Meeting, 6:15 PM

We will resume our full Wednesday-evening schedule on March 22.



Strategic Planning Team

Following are the mission and vision statements developed by the Strategic Planning Team. When fully implemented, these statements will drive the priorities, actions, and activities of our church as we move forward.

Mission Statement:

To make growing and equipped disciples of Christ to reach the lost.

Vision Statement:

Our vision is to be a spirit-filled, genuine family through:
 - Authentic Worship
 - Intentional Fellowship
 - Christ-Centered Instruction
 - Messy Evangelism
 - Deliberate Mentoring

A church-wide meeting was held last Sunday evening, March 5, to take the next step in the strategic-planning process by allowing the church family to contribute to the process of brainstorming action steps the church can take to fulfill our mission and vision. Follow-up meetings for each of the vision areas are scheduled for April 2, April 9, and April 23.

March Scripture Memory

And Samuel said, "Has the Lord as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, as in obeying the voice of the Lord? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, and to listen than the fat of rams."

— 1 Samuel 15:22 (ESV)

No Pastor's Bible Study Tonight

The pastor is on vacation today, so there will not be a Bible Study this evening.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Student Ministry Activities

Collide Discipleship

Next Collide Is This Weds., March 15
 6:00-7:30 PM
 Fellowship Center

For all students 6th-12th Grades.

Backyard Bible Club

This Week, March 16-18
 Thursday & Friday 6-8 PM
 Saturday Noon-3 PM

Hardin Elementary School Neighborhood

Student-led Bible Club for children in the Hardin Elementary neighborhood. For additional details, contact Paul Fisher.

"Comfy Pants" Tuesday

Tuesday, March 21
 6:30-8:30 PM
 Fishers' Home, 204 Walnut

Youth girls, and lady volunteers will meet at the Fisher house.

Youth Lab

April 7-8, Ft. Worth
 Conference for HS students, ministry volunteers, and parents

Cost is \$40, plus 3 meals.
 Our group will depart as soon as possible after school on Friday; will be returning Saturday evening.

Beth Moore Conference Coming to Wichita Falls

Friday, March 31—Saturday, April 1
 Kay Yeager Coliseum
 Cost is \$69

Living Proof Live is coming to Wichita Falls in 2017. These conferences are very popular, and often sell out early. You may register and pay for your ticket at the church office. Tickets are not refundable. Bus transportation will be available.

Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 9
 3:00 PM, Permian Park
 Setup Starts at 1:30 PM
 For babies through 5th Grade

Join us for this family fun event! Kids should bring their own baskets. Bro. Bill will share the Easter story with the children. There will be a bounce house and mystery eggs with special prizes! This is an outreach opportunity, so invite your friends and neighbors with children to join you. Introduce them and help others to get to know them!

Candy Needed for Egg Hunt!

We are in need of LOTS of candy donations (non-chocolate) for the egg hunt. If you are able to donate candy for the hunt, please drop it by the church office.



Sunday Morning Schedule Change Coming

The Church Council met on Monday evening, March 6 to make plans for the new Sunday-morning schedule. After discussing several options for starting times as well as whether to have the worship service following Life Groups or vice versa, the consensus of the Council was for the following:

New Sunday-Morning Schedule

Start Date: April 23, 2017
 (the Sunday after Easter Sunday)

Life Groups: 9:00—10:15 AM
 Worship Service 10:30-11:30 AM

There will be a church-wide fellowship luncheon following the worship service on April 23. Additional details will be provided; the event is still in the planning stages.



Annie Armstrong Missions Offering Underway

Every year, the North American Mission Board offers our church an opportunity to share in their vision: namely, to fulfill the Great Commission and spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ throughout North America. Please be in prayer throughout the week for our North-American missions.

Bold New Way of Giving

TXT-to-Give

For your giving convenience, you may text the message FBCBURK to 77977. A responding message will return a link to our church's new, secure Pushpay giving site, where you will have a number of easy-to-use giving options.

You may also sign up for Pushpay at www.fbcburk.com by clicking "Give Online."

To Our Guests

Welcome to
 First Baptist Church of Burkburnett!
 We're glad you're here!

Thank you for joining us. Please take a moment to complete the tear-off Response Card so we may know of your attendance today. Our ushers will pick up the response cards at the end of the worship service.

Restrooms are located near each exit. At the back of the auditorium, we have restrooms downstairs below the foyer. At the front of the auditorium, restrooms are around the corner from the piano-side and organ-side exits.

CHURCH STAFF

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Church Report, February 26, 2017

2017 Baptisms to Date	5
Life Groups Attendance	291
8:15 Worship Service	113
10:40 Worship Service	248
Budget Offerings Received	\$23,521
Budget Offerings Received, YTD	\$150,132
Total 2017 Ministry Budget	\$827,181
Total Revenues, YTD*	\$158,022
Expenditures YTD	\$136,663
Revenue vs. Expenditures YTD	\$21,359

* Includes YTD budget offerings plus other receipts such as registration fees, Weds. PM meals, camp payments, etc.



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RESPONSE CARD

Guests and Members, Please complete, tear off, and return this card to the ushers at the end of the service.

- First-time guest
- Second-time guest
- Attender
- I would like to be enrolled in Sunday School
- I would like to talk with someone about church membership.
- I would like to talk with someone about receiving Christ as my Savior.
- Please contact me with more information about First Baptist Church.
- FBC Member
- Please update my information

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State/ZIP _____

Home Phone _____

- Preferred phone Listed Unlisted

Cell Phone _____

- Preferred phone Text messaging allowed

Email _____

Birthdate _____

School Grade _____

Marital Status:

- Single Married Widowed Divorced

I am a guest of:

Check all age groups that apply:

- Bed Babies Preschool
- Elementary Middle School
- High School College
- 20's 30's 40's
- 50's 60's 70's+

Guests: Are you a member of another church? Y / N

Name of church? _____

