SERVING IN THE NURSERY TODAY:

First Service: Kidz Zone: Second Service: Mike & Heather Palmer

KIDZ ZONE MINISTRY STAFF

Kidz Discovery: Phyllis Benzinger Kidz Adventure: Lisa Shirey; Colleenia Shirey Kidz Frontier: Sheila Roper





FAITHFINDER

February 24, 2019



" For the Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations." Psalm 100:5, NIV

WELCOME TO FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH!

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OFFICE HOURS

Vickie

Monday: 7:30-12:30 Tuesday: 1:00-5:00 Wednesday: 8:00-4:30

Friday: 8:00-12:00 Deb

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00-4:00



OUR MISSION

The purpose of Faith Baptist Church is to love and glorify our living God. Our mission is to **GATHER**, **GROW & GO** according to Matthew 28:19-20.

...GATHER together in worship

- ...GROW in small groups
- ...GO to serve our community

As our guest...

...We are glad you have joined us today! Please let us know who you are by filling out a Connection Card and putting it in the offering plate.



NOW AVAILABLE

You now have an online giving option at our website www.faithbaptistchurchfw.com. You have many options like one time or reoccurring gift, checking account or credit card account, and fund designation. If you have questions, please contact Vickie in the church office.

While you are here...

Do you have children with you today?

Our children's ministry will be glad to help. See Mrs. Sara or one of our greeters to introduce yourself and your children. They can help guide you to the proper classroom. A nursery is also provided during Sunday School and Worship for babies and toddlers or if you need a place to rock your child.

Connecting with the Faith Family

Please feel free to join one of our Grow Groups today. We also have small groups during the week. For more info on programs for all ages, stop at the Connection Center or visit our website at faithbaptistchurchfw.com.

Let's stay in touch

Sign up to receive our weekly newsletter/bulletin through email by indicating on your Connection Card. Be sure to also check out our Facebook page – Faith Baptist Church FW and our website. You may now also add our Faith Baptist church app to your device: 1. Go to your device's application store. 2. Search for custom church apps. 3. Download the app called My Church. 4. Search for Faith Baptist Church and voila! You will able to see our weekly newsletter on the app, watch uploaded sermons, send prayer requests, read the Bible and more!!!

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Standing on the Promises Hymn no. 410 verses 1, 4, 5 The Solid Rock Hymn no. 526 verses 1, 2, 4 Trust and Obey Hymn no. 571 verses 1, 2, 4 I Surrender All Hymn no. 596 verses 1, 4

PRAYERS AND PRAISES

Sharon Martin Bev & Hope Miracle Marietta Ralston Eunice Reppert Betty Sills

Pray for Pat Anderson. Pray for Jessica Stopher. Pray for Dorothy Overholt. Pray for Fran Perkey.

Iesus

Our Redeemer

John 1.29-34

Hymn no. 635 verses 1,2,3

Pray for families with silent requests.

Pray for health issues of Sheila Doerflein.

Pray for teachers and students throughout the school year.

Pray for the salvation of family and friends.

Pray for friends & family dealing with health concerns.

Pray for friends & families going through relationship issues & new beginnings.

Message:

In the Garden

Praise for those who have found jobs. Pray for those who are still searching.

Pray for our president and our country.

Pray for revival for our country and the worldwide church.

Pray for those who are persecuted for being followers of Christ.

Pray for those in the military and that guide our country.

Pray for unspoken medical and personal needs.

Other concerns & praises:

GIVING AND ATTENDANCE: February 17, 2019

Weekly Budgeted Tithes: \$7802.88 YTD Budgeted Tithes: \$53,846.10 Total Weekly Budget: \$12,631.70 YTD Budget: \$88,421.90 Worship Attendance: 170 Current Weekly Tithe Income: \$5000.93 YTD Tithe Income: \$47,982.34 Current Weekly Budget Income: \$13,968.10 YTD Income: \$89,320.48 Jesus Our Redeemer John 1.29-34

Christ the Redeemer:

98 feet tall, 92 feet arm span, weighs 635 metric tons

Jesus:

- the man, our friend, our servant and shepherd
- our judge, our provider, the pray-er

Jesus Our Redeemer:

- he redeems our sin - John 1.29 Titus 2.14, Eph. 1.7, Col. 1.14

- he redeems our situations What if his will isn't to remove us from the situation but for us to rest in him during it



WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday, February 24, 2019

GATHERING AT FAITH

Traditional Worship	8:30 AM
Special Missionary Speaker, Kidz Zone, Baptismal Class	9:30 AM
Contemporary Worship	10:45 AM

GROWING AT FAITH

Sunday, February 24th	
Young Couples' Grow Group	2:00 PM
Dv8 Youth Group	5:30 PM
Faithful Followers' Grow Group	5:30 PM
Monday, February 25th	
Preschool Dad's Night	6:15 PM
Big Monday Men's Grow Group	7:00 PM
Tuesday, February 26th	
Preschool Dad's Night	6:15 PM
Praise Team	7:00 PM
Wednesday, February 27th	
Pastor's Bible Study	10:00 AM
Thursday, February 28th	
Friday, March 1st	
Saturday, March 2nd	
Upward Basketball	
Sunday, March 3rd	
Communion/Food Collection	
Traditional Worship	8:30 AM
Sunday Grow Groups, Kidz Zone, Baptismal Class	9:30 AM
Contemporary Worship	10:45 AM
Dv8 Youth Group	5:30 PM
Faithful Followers' Grow Group	5:30 PM

GATHER MINISTRIES

Sermon Schedule March 24: In His Hand Series: Now What?!?! Iohn 10.28 March 3: Forget the Bible March 31: Youth Sunday April 7: Feed My Sheep 1 Corinthians 15.14 March 10: What is Faith? John 21.15-19 Hebrews 11.1 April 14: Light a Bulb March 17: Removing the Obstacles 1 John 1.5-7, Matthew 5.13-16 Mark 2.1-12 April 21: Easter

GROW MINISTRIES

Join us as we launch a new set of Grow Groups for Spring 2019. These will begin on March 3 and end on May 19. Choose one of the following:

Unshakeable Hope 2 with Margaret Katter – Judson 3 Prayer with Pastors Joe and Stephen (geared toward youth but open to all) – Classroom A Meet the Millennials – learn about the Millennial Generation

and how we can better minister to them - with Pastor Steve – Judson 2

Attention Ladies! We will be starting the Spring session of 5Ls (Lively, Lovely Ladies Leaning on the Lord) Bible Study on Tuesday, March 19th at 9:30 in Judson Hall. The topic is Holding on to HOPE When Life Doesn't Make Sense. All of us have questioned GOD and His ways at times. Does He really care? Does He hear my prayers? Sometimes the unanswered questions leave gaps or "missing pieces" in our faith. Often these missing pieces may lead to disappointment, discouragement or even anger. Fortunately as we dig deeper into God's Word we can gain a greater understanding and appreciation of His motives which draw us closer to Him. We will grow and get to know our Lord more intimately. Isn't that our ultimate goal?

Please plan to join us on this next journey as we study portions of both Old and New Testament books including Job, Psalms, Habakkuk, The Gospels, Romans and Hebrews. We will utilize the workbook entitled "Missing Pieces" by Jennifer Rothschild, available at LifeWay Books for \$12.99

We are always happy to have new folks join us. Please feel free to invite a friend or neighbor! The study will be 7 weeks on consecutive Tuesdays. We begin w refreshments and fellowship, open w prayer then watch a video. Each week includes some daily homework which we discuss the after the video. We truly have a fun and encouraging time together. We hope you will plan to come. Please contact facilitator Judy Moore at 260-341-8608 for any questions. We will have a sign up sheet at the coffee bar.

GO MINISTRIES

- States out

What's new in the Children's Wing? Welcome to Faithville!!

The hallway has been painted and the doorways are being built out—the first three are now finished so be sure to take a look!! Greg & Karen Bulmahn have taken on this creative process as a labor of love and are enjoying the challenge and thinking process behind each piece! Ultimately, when the wing is finished, the hope is that the hallway will simulate the road in a small, quaint downtown. It will be home to 13 different shops, stores or businesses that have all been based off of a story in the Bible which children generally learn in Sunday School. Each shop has been modernized to fit the theme of the story, keeping in mind that the preschool operates in this space as well as Sunday School.

Dan and Kim Hettinger will be joining the team and developing windows that will fill the large spaces on the walls. These will be used for displaying the artwork created in our Preschool classes. There will also be 2 telephone poles on the wall across from the nursery for additional areas and ways to hang artwork. A large clock tower will be built at the end of the hallway as well and will house a large clock to aid the teachers during carpool and other preschool activities. This is an exciting plan to enhance the space and we are grateful



for the talents God has given those carrying out the design. Keep watching as the vision is carried out in Faithville!!!



Questions? See Vickie Pettyjohn. We would like to get a group together and know who is going by April 1st in order to purchase tickets before they are sold out!!!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY ON FEBRUARY: 24th—Mike DePoy, Diane Dale 25th—Colton Hinkle 28th—Don Koritnik HAPPY BIRTHDAY ON MARCH: 1st—Anna Brammer 2nd—Clara Cook, Kelli Gualtieri