#### SERVING IN THE NURSERY TODAY:

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

#### KIDZ ZONE MINISTRY STAFF

Kidz Discovery: Jamie Brown Kidz Adventure: Becky Grove Kidz Frontier: Doug & Judy Moore

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### **OFFICE HOURS**

Vickie Monday: 7:30-12:30 Wednesday: 8:00-4:30

Tuesday: 1:00-5:00 30 Friday: 8:00-12:00 Deb

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





# FAITHFINDER

September 22, 2019



# WELCOME TO FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH!

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#### **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**

There is Power in the Blood Hymn no. 329 verses 1,2,4 Love Lifted Me Hymn no. 508 verses 1,2,3 Wonderful Words of Life Hymn no. 406 verses 1,2,3 You are My All in All Hymn no. 583 verses 1,2

## PRAYERS AND PRAISES

Sharon Martin Bev & Hope Miracle Betty Sills Eunice Reppert Pray for Fran Perkey. Pray for Jessica Stopher. Pray for Dorothy Overholt.

Pray for those recently diagnosed with cancer. 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. 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: Sept. 15, 2019

Weekly Budgeted Tithes: \$7802.88 YTD Budgeted Tithes: \$284,615.10 Total Weekly Budget: \$12,631.70 YTD Budget: \$467,372.90 Worship Attendance: 162 Current Weekly Tithe Income: \$5474.00 YTD Tithe Income: \$254,184.77 Current Weekly Budget Income: \$12,695.74 YTD Income: \$442,059.63

#### Message:

*Membership* Hebrews 13.17

Victory in Jesus Hymn no. 353 verses 1,2,3 Membership Hebrews 13.17

- New Testament Membership: - Acts 2–3,000 added
  - only one church
  - commitment to the church

## Hebrews 13.17:

- which leaders do believers submit to?
- which believers are pastors responsible for?

## Reasons/Benefits of Membership:

- New Testament concept
- place to grow/learn/mature
- demonstrates our need for others
- provides a place to serve

## Takeaways:

- change the name
- forget past experiences

# WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday, September 22, 2019

# GATHERING AT FAITH

Traditional Worship	8:30 AM
Sunday Grow Groups; Kidz Zone	9:30 AM
Contemporary Worship	10:45 AM

# **GROWING AT FAITH**

Sunday, September 22nd	
Dv8 Youth Group	5:30 PM
Monday, September 23rd	
Big Monday Men's Grow Group	7:00 PM
Tuesday, September 24th	
5Ls Grow Group	9:30 AM
Praise Team	7:00 PM
Wednesday, September 25th	
Pastor's Bible Study Grow Group	10:00 AM
Restore	6:00 PM
Ladies' Bible Study Grow Group	6:00 PM
Thursday, September 26th	
Roper Grow Group	7:00 PM
Friday, September 27th	
Saturday, September 28th	
GO Day	8:00 AM
Sunday, September 29th	
Traditional Worship	8:30 AM
Sunday Grow Groups; Kidz Zone	9:30 AM
Contemporary Worship	10:45 AM
Dv8 Youth Group	5:30 PM
Faithful Followers' Grow Group	5:30 PM

## **GROW MINISTRIES**

### Faith Grow Groups: Fall 2019

**Sunday AM Grow Groups:** Pathfinders – Judson 4 – Lowell Shepler Friendship Class – Judson 1 – Mark Benzinger

Book of 1st Corinthians by Jennie Allen – Classroom A – Vickie Pettyjohn & Michelle Marden Faith 101 – Judson 2 – Pastor Steve

**Baptismal classes** will begin on Sunday, October 27, during the Sunday Grow Group hour. If you have a child who has shown an interest and been asking questions about baptism, please see Mrs. Sara.

## <u>Faith Grow Groups: Fall 2019 – check with group leader for meeting dates</u> Sunday PM Grow Groups Young Couples' Group – Pastor Steve's house –

Pastor Steve & Sheila – 2:00 PM Faithful Followers - Judson 3 – Sara Heminger – 5:30 PM

Dv8 Youth Group—FLC—Pastor Stephen—5:30 PM

#### **Mondays:**

New Normal - FLC 5 - MaryLou Baney - 6:30 PM

Big Monday Men's Bible Study – Pastor Steve's house – 7:00 PM

## **Tuesdays:**

5Ls Women's Bible Study - Judson 3 - Judy Moore - 9:30 AM

#### Wednesdays:

Pastor's Bible Study – Classroom A – Pastor Steve – 10:00 AM Restore—Coffee Bar—Pastor Stephen & Pastor Joe—6:00 PM Ladies Bible Study—Classroom A—

> Kim Hettinger & Donette Marden—6:00 PM New study beginning this week—

#### Miracles of Jesus by Jennie Allen

Silver Seekers – Don & Margaret Katter's house – Tom Theard – 7:00 PM

#### **Thursdays:**

College/Career Ladies – Vickie Pettyjohn's house – Vickie Pettyjohn – 6:00 PM

Roper Group – Pastor Steve's house – Pastor Steve – 7:00 PM Detailed information for Grow Groups may be found at the Connection Wall

# **GO MINISTRIES**

### Go Day

Saturday, September 28th 8:00 AM If you have small projects around your yard or house with which you would like assistance, please see Joe Marden.



Pray and fast to end abortion. Spread the word. September 25-November 3



## **Operation Christmas Child**

A box is now in the coatroom to collect items for this year's shoeboxes. Feel free to donate items anytime as you see them on sale or pick them up while you are shopping.

**Please continue** to take a water bottle and keep it in your car to give to the homeless that offers a Rescue Mission resource guide for help. As they stand on the corners, hopefully they will feel God's love in this simple gesture, and please continue to pray for them. Bottles are on the bookshelf in Narthex.



"Like" us on Facebook: Faith Baptist Church FW AND Faith Baptist Preschool Academy

**One of our members**, Janet Brattain, was recently featured in the Project Mercy magazine for her many years of work with the organization. Copies of the article may be found at the Connection Wall or in Sunday Grow Groups.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY ON SEPTEMBER:

22nd—Bob Herndon, Lisa Shirey, Paul Papier 23rd—Harold Woodyard, Amanda Redman 25th—David Lewandowski 26th—Mary Patterson 27th—Clarence McDaniel, Spencer Crilly 28th—Logan DePoy, Faye Owens, Doug Troup, Barbara Usher HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO: David & Sara Heminger on September 22nd. Bill & Sandy Branstrator on September 26th