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# THE MESSENGER

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Invite Everyone, Invest In People, Impact Eternity



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### Basic Weekly Schedule

#### Sunday Worship

Classic Service 9:00 a.m.

Celebration Service 10:30 a.m.

#### Hispanic Worship

10:30 a.m.

#### Connect Groups

9:00 & 10:30 a.m.

#### Wednesday Nights

Dinner 4:45-5:45 pm

Summer Nights Worship Time 6:00 pm

#### TV Schedule Cable Channel 10

Thursday: 9:00 pm, Friday: Noon

Sunday: 8:00 am, Monday: Noon

#### Sunrise Sunday School

Sun: 7:30 am & 10:00 am

#### Spanish Sunday School

Sun: 5:30 pm & 10:30 pm

### PASTORAL STAFF

John S. McCallum II, Pastor

John Bailey, Senior Adult Minister

Lee Barnett, Music/Worship Minister

Danny Bryson,

Education/Outreach Minister

Stephen Evans, Media Minister

Bill Newton, Youth Minister

Mike Pounders, Administrative Pastor

Margarito Ramirez, Hispanic Pastor

Brent Roberts, Children's Minister

Wallace Yamauchi,

Fitness/Recreation Minister

## Pastor's Message

God moved in incredible ways during VBS. You heard the report on Sunday morning. More than 300 kids, 150 volunteers, and 33 professions of faith. We also discovered many families who don't regularly attend church. What a week! I'm grateful to Brent, Heather, Kristy, and the vast number of volunteers who poured love and Christ into the kids last week. Our mission is to invite everyone, invest in people, and impact eternity. We accomplished all three during VBS. And all of that rode on the wings of your prayers. Let's do it again next summer.

Next week is **Camp Renu** for older kids and **Super Summer** for our teenagers. Camp is a time when Jesus can get kids undivided attention for a few days. Would you join me in praying that God do transforming work in the lives of our kids next week?

**Wednesday, June 28, will be a special time of worship in the sanctuary at 6:00.** I've assembled a panel of veterans: Floyd Pitts from World War II, Leo Ensz from Korea, Clyde Shirron from Viet Nam, and Ed Arqueta from the never-ending war against terror. I will interview them about their experiences. Then we'll think of Jesus fight for our souls in the cross. And then we'll share in the Lord's Supper together. You will want to be here for this special time of worship.

**July means it's time for Dayna and I to get some leave time for a month.** We are so grateful for this gift of time away. Our staff and deacons will keep things covered while I rest. The last couple of years I've invited our staff ministers to preach. Our Children's Pastor, Brent Roberts, will preach on July 2. But for the next four Sundays in July, **Rex Horne** will be our preacher. Rex is a First Baptist favorite. You will enjoy his preaching, and he will challenge us in our walk with Christ.

As we continue our **Summer Nights** series on Sunday, we'll look at a battle fought in the night by **Gideon** and his small army against the imposing Midianites. (If you want to study ahead spend some time in Judges 6-7.) We'll be thinking about courage in the night. These are days when Christians need to show some courage in the face of a growingly antagonistic culture. Show a little courage this Sunday by saying no to the things that compete for the Lord's attention on the Lord's Day, and be here as we worship and study with our brothers and sisters in Christ. See you Sunday.

Your Pastor,  
John

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

<u>Thur June 22</u> <u>2 Chronicles 20-21:</u> <u>John 15</u> Aubrey Vaughn	<u>Mon June 26</u> <u>2 Chronicles 28-29:</u> <u>John 19:1-16</u> Sue Lewis Ellen Thompson Gloria Whitefield Jan White Shawn Cook Marla Graves Allison Fitts Carlen Johnson Amberly Goslee	<u>Thur June 29 cont</u> Dustin Heard Todd Willis Jonathan Davis Devin Davies
<u>Fri June 23</u> <u>2 Chronicles 22-23:</u> <u>John 16</u> Delain Green Herb Mansbridge Clark Cherry Amanda Bryson Haley Griffith Sarah Reynolds	<u>Tue June 27</u> <u>2 Chronicles 30-31:</u> <u>John 19:17-42</u> Terry Threadgill Terrylyn Cullum Desiree Washam	<u>Fri June 30</u> <u>2 Chronicles 35-36:</u> <u>John 21</u> Kathleen Braley Shara Robbins
<u>Sat June 24</u> <u>2 Chronicles 24-25:</u> <u>John 17</u> Mary Meixner Stan Fouts Kim Miller Parker Brooks Drake Rhodes Malorie Catlett Kaitlyn Sawrie Luke Malloy	<u>Wed June 28</u> <u>2 Chronicles 32:</u> <u>John 20:1-18</u> Jim Atwell Martha Rice David Wetzler Carrie Ellis	<u>Sat July 1</u> <u>Ezra 1-2:</u> <u>Acts 1</u> J.R. Wise Mandy White Christian Latham Katie Vaughn Elaine Altimus Parker Morgan
<u>Sun June 25</u> <u>2 Chronicles 26-27:</u> <u>John 18</u> Bryan Garrett Ashley Winter Rafe Criss	<u>Thur June 29</u> <u>2 Chronicles 33-34:</u> <u>John 20:19-31</u> Vaughn Treadway Bettye Hoffman Nancy Colwell Colleen Formby Diane Alana Charles McNany Charlie Capps	<u>Sun July 2</u> <u>Ezra 3-4:</u> <u>Acts 2</u> Arthur Graves Gary Jackson Tommy Masters Audra Maner Blake Bennett Beau Brock

### SERVICE TEAMS

#### Door Greeters - June 25

**9:00 a.m.** Marie Colmenero, Mary Goodman, Vivian Humphrey, Lunn Linington, Vernon & Beverly Gingrich, Velda Holmes, Dianne Shirron, Marty Black  
**10:30 a.m.** Linda Green, Mary Latham, Cheryl Nichols, Judy Gerren, Janet Porter, Betty Parker

#### Ushers - June 25

**9:00 a.m.** Robert McAlister, Jerry Franks, Don Norman  
**Every Sunday balcony:** Mike Davidson, Mike Ferguson, Don Slaton, Tommy White, Donnie Sumpter

**Every Sunday main floor:** Richard Hawthorn, Frankie Moore, Cole Morgan  
**10:30 a.m.** Jason Williams, Donny Moore, Kelly Robbins  
**Every Sunday balcony:** Robert Davis, Mike Ferguson, Jim Little, Ryan Smith, Mark Twyford, Glen Catlett, Jon Vitro, David Santillan

**Every Sunday main floor:** Bill Richardson, Al Blount, Chris Brock

#### Golf Cart Drivers

Cart 1: Richard Beckwith, every Sunday  
Cart 2: John Mark Pierce, 1st Sunday  
Jamie Humble, 2nd Sunday  
Dwayne Gordon, 3rd Sunday  
Mickey Akins, 4th Sunday  
Jimmy Schultz, 5th Sunday & Sub

#### Deacon Hospital Visitation Week of June 26-30

Monday ..... Jim Roberts  
Tuesday ..... Chris Brock  
Wednesday ..... Doug Ross  
Thursday ..... Craig Viscardis  
Friday ..... Donny Moore

### SERVICE TEAMS

#### Safety Teams - Sunday June 25

**8:30 a.m.** Al Gloria, John Mark Pierce, Robert Covey, Henry Brunson, Charlie Zoll, Josh Heffington, Ed Arqueta  
**10:15 a.m.** Chuck Jordan, Robert McAlister, Jason Smith, Larry Ingram, Jason Blankenship, Jake Bird, Travis Warren  
**4:00-6:00 p.m.** Ronnie Carter  
**Wednesday - June 28**  
**4:00-6:00 p.m.** Mick Skelton, Jim Henley, Norman Mason  
**6:00-8:00 p.m.** Craig Holmes, Herb Mansbridge, Glen McClain

#### Welcome Center Guides June

##### 8:30 a.m.

**PS Ctr:** Al & Susan Blount, Kim Miller  
**FH Ctr:** David & Gigi Bird  
**Foyer Welc Ctr:** Robert & Cindy Davis

##### 10:00 a.m.

**PS Ctr 1st Sun:** Ed & Whitney Argueta  
**2nd Sun:** Travis & Lauren Warren  
**3rd Sun:** Jake & Sarah Bird  
**4th Sun:** Jay & Jennifer Winters  
**FH Ctr:** Betty James, Joy Scallion  
**2nd Floor Welc Ctr:** Vaughn & Stephanie Terlecki

#### Van Outreach Drivers

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday ..... North: Carlos Lemus, 538-1624  
..... South: Glen Catlett, 844-7565  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday... North: Roman Terlecki, 622-7735  
..... South: Mitchell McDill, 318-8333  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday ..... North: Missy Herron, 762-3749  
..... South: Duke Haight, 815-4416  
4<sup>th</sup> Sunday ..... North: Bob Roling, 545-5818  
..... South: Jon Vitro, 282-2975  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday ..... North: Bob Roling, 545-5818  
..... South: Mitchell McDill, 318-8333

Education / Outreach Ministry

Join us or invite a friend who would benefit from

DivorceCare

Class & Support Group

Connect Groups for Birth through Youth provided.

Starting Sunday, Aug. 2, at 9:00a.m.  
room 303,

Come to a Welcome Center to be guided to the group.

This Free Video / Discussion series features  
some of the nation’s foremost Christian  
experts on divorce and recovery topics  
including anger, depression, financial  
burden and helping children through  
the divorce process.

- Conducted by people who understand.
- Learn how to deal with the pain of the past.
- Look forward to rebuilding your life.
- Features Biblical teaching for recovering from divorce and separation.

Save the Date and Invite Everyone!

Aug. 6 – All Connect Group Worker Rally  
Aug. 13 – Preschool / Children’s Preview Day  
Aug. 20 – Promotion Day, New Workers Start, Picture Day

Everyone needs to find a group and Connect!

Connect Groups help you:

- Connect with New People!
- Connect with God!
- Connect with Each Other!

Directories and Guides are available at Welcome Centers to help  
you find a good fit!

Sabbatical Coming

I appreciate the privilege to be granted a one month sabbatical. I  
will be out from June 25 through July 22. It gives me confidence to  
be able to step aside with such competent staff and volunteers to  
carry on. Pray for my renewal time and I’ll be praying for you.  
Love, Danny

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OF YOUR GIFT  
PROVIDES CLEAN  
DRINKING WATER FOR  
MISSIONARY FAMILIES

PURE WATER  
PURE LOVE

a ministry of WMU®

THIS YEAR'S GOAL:

\$10,000

Given to Date: \$13,048

June 4 - June 25

Donations are collected each week in Connect Groups.  
Remember to wear your Pure Water, Pure Love pin to show your support!

Fitness & Recreation Ministry

(All sign ups/resources are available at the Fitness/Recreation Ministry HQ.)



There’s still time for you to join us  
for Children’s Fitness/Rec Summer  
Camps! Online registration is open  
at [www.fbc recreation.com](http://www.fbc recreation.com).

Jun 26-29:  
Basketball camp 2; completed K-1<sup>st</sup> boys (1-4 pm)  
Jul 10-13:  
Art Camp 2; completed 6<sup>th</sup> grades/older (9 am-12 pm)  
Jul 10-13:  
Basketball camp 3; completed 2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> boys (1-4 pm)  
Jul 17-20: (Full: Waiting List Only)  
Sewing Camp; girls 10 years/older (9 am-12 pm)  
Jul 17-20:  
Basketball camp 4; completed 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> boys (1-4 pm)  
Jul 24-27:  
Basketball camp 5; completed 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> girls (1-4 pm)  
Jul 31-Aug 3:  
Bible-Based Fitness Camp 2; comp K-6<sup>th</sup> grades (1-4 pm)

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Sunday morning Meet &  
Greet Fellowships Sundays,  
10:00 am in the gym

We invite you to join us for relaxed  
fellowship and light snacks every Sunday in the gym be-  
tween Worship Services/Connect Groups. This is one of  
the easiest places to get to know others. Look around,  
introduce yourself to someone you don’t know! Also,  
just a reminder that we have a rotating schedule of  
snack providers for the Sunday Fellowships. Please pro-  
vide snacks according to the first initial of your last name  
as scheduled below:

June 25: I, J, K, L	July 23: V, W, X, Y, Z
July 2: M, N	July 30: A, B
July 9: O, P, Q, R	Aug 6: C, D, E
July 16: S, T, U	Aug 13: F, G, H

Until we all fall down, Wallace

Wednesday Night Supper Menu June

21st: NO MEAL OR ACTIVITIES  
28th: Turkey w/ Dressing and the Trimmings



Summer Schedule

June

19-23 Mission Hot Springs  
19-22 Girls Basketball Camp, completed K-2nd grade  
24-27 Super Summer, 7th & 8th grade  
26-29 Boys Basketball Camp, completed K-1st grade  
26-29 Camp Renu, completed 3rd-6th grade  
27-1 Super Summer, 9th-12th grade  
29 Ladies’ Movie Night

July

10-13 Boys Basketball Camp, completed 2nd-3rd grade  
10-13 Art Camp, completed 6th & up  
17-20 Boys Basketball Camp, completed 4th-5th grade  
17-20 Sewing Camp, Girls 10 yrs & up  
17-21 Joy Works & Praise Works  
23-29 Mission Arlington  
24-27 Girls Basketball Camp, completed 3rd-5th grade  
27-3 Honduras Mission Trip  
31-3 Bible-based Fitness Camp, completed K-6th grade

August

13-20 “Come On In” Carnival  
16 Ignite (back-to-school event)  
20 Promotion Sunday

BUDGET REPORT

Ministry Fund (6-18-17)	
Weekly Receipts	\$34,452
Online Giving	\$5,620
Total Given	\$40,072

All In Fund	
Weekly Receipts: (6-18-17)	\$3,998
Balance of loan: (5-31-17)	\$2,335,231

If you prefer to give your  
tithes and offerings on-line,  
go to our website,  
[firsthotsprings.com](http://firsthotsprings.com), and  
follow the giving prompts.  
Please make sure the  
office has your current  
email address.

GROUPS & CLASSES

Loving Threads

If you like to knit, crochet, quilt or sew, the Loving  
Threads Ministry may be the place for you. The purpose  
of our group is to use our needlework talents to share  
the love and comfort of Jesus Christ with others by mak-  
ing prayer comfort shawls and baby blankets. We meet  
in RM 131 on the 1st floor, at 1:00 p.m. on the FOURTH  
Thursday of each month. If you cannot attend the  
meetings, but would like to participate, call Wanda  
Thorpe, 623-5608.

Women on Mission

Will not meet Thursday, June 22.

DEACONS MEETING

Sunday, June 25 at 4:30 pm in room 223. All deacons  
are welcome to attend.

SYMPATHY

Our thoughts and prayers are with Sharon King and  
family in the death of her mother, Florine Coe; Michael  
Stockburger and family in the death of his mother, Pam  
Stockburger; Kitty Slatton and family in the death of her  
brother, James Jones; Randy Hornbeck and family in  
the death of his mother, Mary Hornbeck; and with the  
family of Jeanne White. May God bless and comfort  
you.

THANK YOU

A note has been received from Ruby Dillard. You may  
view Thank you notes on the bulletin board across from  
the 2nd floor elevator.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Congratulations to Colby and Terry Wells on the birth  
of their daughter, Kinzley Kate. She weighed 7 lbs 3 oz  
and was 19 1/2 in long. Proud grandparents are Steve  
and Donna Harbour.