

Summer Opportunities for Children

August 3: Wonderful Wednesday
6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

August 5: Family Friday (Nerf Night)
6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

August 7: Preteen Camp (Aug 7-10)

August 10: Wonderful Wednesday
6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

August 11: Pre-K Play Party
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.



Women's Summer Bible Study
"My Story: Journaling a Legacy of Faith"



Ladies Bible Study

Tuesday - 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

August 2

Led by Cindy Franklin
FBC Basement • B10



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Join a Service Team!



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Service Teams!

This week, we begin signing up to participate on Service Teams. Our church is set up to perform many of the vital functions of the church through this process. Service Teams are a wonderful way for members to be involved in the life of FBC as their time and resources allow.

Service Teams differ from committees in a couple of key areas:

1. Anyone can be a part of as many service teams as they see fit. Committees have a finite number of members who are elected by the church.
2. Members can serve on service teams indefinitely. Committees have fixed terms of service.
3. Members can join service teams immediately upon placing their membership at FBC (and are encouraged to do so). Committee participation requires church membership of at least 1 year.

Ministry Service Team Purposes

Church Ordinance: To assist the Senior Pastor in preparing for and administering the ordinances of Baptism and Lord's Supper.

Family Care: To assist families or individuals and families in time of bereavement or serious illness when a relationship does not exist between such persons and a Sunday School class or classes.

Hospitality: To assist the Associate Pastor/Education and Administration in establishing policies for all matters related to the food services operation of the church.

Music & Worship: To assist the Minister of Music in the program planning, promoting, and carrying out the total program of the Music Ministry.

Outreach & Prayer: To assist the Senior Pastor in promoting and assisting the church in planning and implementing evangelistic efforts, goals, and action plans along with prayer support for the church.

Preschool & Children: To assist the Minister to Children in planning, organizing, and evaluating a comprehensive program of childhood education and ministry.

Weekday Education: To assist the Associate Pastor/Education and Administration and Weekday Director in planning, organizing and evaluating the activities and ministries for preschool children, birth through five-years-old. This will assure quality teaching and guidance for preschool children every time they come to church.

Ushers & Greeters: To assist the Associate Pastor/ Education and Administration in providing positive and enthusiastic workers to be the welcoming face of First Baptist Church to members and guests when people are on our campus.

Denominational Relations: To assist the Senior Pastor in informing the church of events and activities within the various denominational organizations with whom First Baptist Church chooses to affiliate.

University: To assist the Minister to Students in carrying out an effective ministry in reaching out to college age students.

Recreation: To assist the Associate Pastor/Education and Administration in establishing and organizing an effective ministry of outreach through sports and recreation.

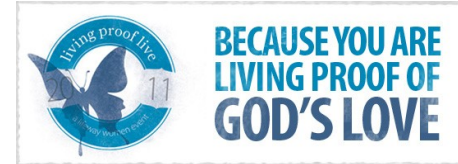
Women's: To assist the Associate Pastor/Education and Administration in carrying out an effective ministry to and for women in the church and community.

Promotion & Decoration: To assist all ministry areas in providing promotional and decorating ideas and assistance for all events and activities in the life of the church.

Library: To assist the Church Librarian in carrying out effective ministry efforts through the library.

Local: To assist the Senior Pastor in coordinating efforts and inform the congregation of ministry opportunities with agencies and organizations in our community which are not affiliated with Baptist entities.

Meals on Wheels: To coordinate efforts and inform the congregation of ministry opportunities with Meals on Wheels



Attention Ladies!

“Living Proof Live with Beth Moore”
United Spirit Arena at Texas Tech
Lubbock, Texas
Saturday, September 10, 2011
Cost: \$65 per ticket • \$11 box lunch

We have reserved a block of rooms at the Best Western Windsor for the ladies of our church. **Rooms will be held only until August 24.** If you are interested in attending, contact Dorothy at the church office for hotel and registration information. **Space is limited so call soon!**



Thank you so much for the cards, prayers and love you have shown during this sad time for the family of Hazel Joy Brown. It means so much to every one of us to have so many brothers and sisters in Christ. Special thanks to you who drove over for the services.

Sincerely,
Dorothy Burwick, Shirley Keyes,
Peggy Lofton, Don Brown,
and Nancy Ball

(Cut along the dotted line, complete form below and return to FBC)

I would like to serve on the following service team(s) during the 2011-12 church year (September—August):

(Check all that apply and place your name in the space provided)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Church Ordinance _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Ushers & Greeters _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family Care _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Outreach & Prayer _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Weekday Education _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Preschool & Children _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Music & Worship _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Recreation _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> University _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Meals on Wheels _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Promo & Décor _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Library _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Ministries _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Denomination Relations _____ | | |

Each member of FBC is encouraged to sign up for at least one service team. No matter your time constraints, you can participate as your schedule allows. You will be contacted by the leaders of the service team(s) concerning the organizational meeting time and your role on the service team(s).