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FBC WORSHIP MINISTRY PRESENTS IN GOD WE TRUST

THIS SUNDAY, JULY 2
6:00PM • WORSHIP CENTER

featuring

SANCTUARY CHOIR & ORCHESTRA

REMEMBERING OUR HERITAGE • CELEBRATING OUR FREEDOM
PRAYING FOR GOD'S GUIDANCE

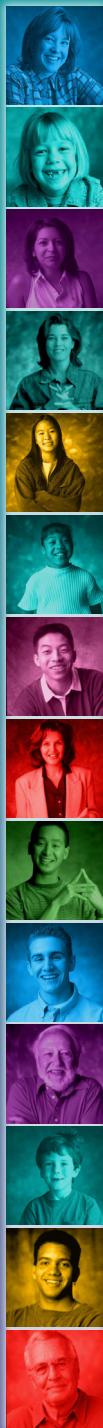
LOVE IS FIRST

STARS & STRIPES PARADE

w/ CAKE & ICE CREAM FELLOWSHIP

THIS SUNDAY, JULY 2
AFTER THE MUSICAL SALUTE

Families are invited to decorate their wagons, tricycles, bicycles,
& strollers! Please park them in the Baptistry hallway before the Musical
Salute at 6:00pm. The congregation will line the E Hallway to cheer on
the parade. We will end up in Fellowship Hall, to enjoy
cake and ice cream.



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Dr. Darin Wood
Senior Pastor

This Sunday, July 2

8:25 a.m. & 11:05 a.m.

"Experience Loving One Another"

- 1 John 3:11-18

6:00 p.m.

Patriotic Musical Salute

"In God We Trust"

followed by the Stars & Stripes Parade
& ice cream fellowship

From the Pastor

Dear First Family,

Grace and Peace to each of you today! I'm so glad to finally be able to tell you about our Minister of Music candidate. Meet Aaron Hodges. Currently, Aaron and his wife, Malia, are serving in Georgia. They have five children. Elsewhere in *The Banner*, you'll find a more detailed biography of him, but let me say this about him. When I met with Aaron the first time, he impressed me with his heart for people and his vision for music in the church. I believe he'll be a wonderful addition to our church and a strong asset in our leadership here at FBC. On July 9, Aaron and his family will be here in view of call. If you're involved in our Music Ministry, you should know we have a full day of rehearsals for various aspects of our music ministry on July 8. We also have a church-wide Q & A session from 3-4:30 PM in the Chapel with Aaron.

I want to remind you of something we said last summer. No one can replace George Koehl - nor should they try. George served so faithfully and so well for so long! His capacity with people was exceptional! As we begin this season of transition to a new music pastor, let me encourage you to allow Aaron room to be who God has shaped him to be. We'll be a better place for that!

ROCK THE DESERT

August 3-5 is the annual Rock the Desert Concert out near the Airport. This year, we're partnering with this ministry in some new ways I wanted you to be aware of. We're going to provide a hospitality tent this year out there and will need some volunteers to help! if you'd like to participate, please call my office and let Susan know and we'll get back in touch with you. On Sunday, August 6th, at our contemporary service, we'll host Hollyn, one of the musical artists from Rock the Desert! She'll be leading music in that service (8:25 will be unchanged).

STARS AND STRIPES. . . AND PARADE!

This Sunday evening, join us for our patriotic musical and parade!

Your pastor,
Darin

Announcing a Candidate for Minister of Music, Aaron Hodges



Aaron Hodges will be coming in view of a call as Minister of Music on Sunday, July 9th. He will be sharing his testimony in all three morning worship services and leading worship in our 8:25 Blended and 11:05 Contemporary services. He comes on the recommendation of the Minister of Music

Search Committee, the approval of the Personnel Committee, and the endorsement of the Church Council. Pray for God's leadership when the body of FBC convenes for a called business meeting to vote on Aaron's call to come to FBC as the Minister of Music following the evening service Sunday, July 9th.

Aaron was born and raised in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma and was led to the Lord by his father at age 6. He was very active in his church, First Baptist Church, Broken Arrow. He was called into ministry in the summer of 1987 at Falls Creek Baptist Assembly. Aaron graduated from Oklahoma Baptist University in 1993 with a Bachelors of Music. He has furthered his education with a Master of Music from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary in 1996. Aaron's wife, Malia, also graduated from Oklahoma Baptist University with a Bachelor in Music with an emphasis in voice. She too, is currently very active in all levels of worship ministry. Aaron is currently serving as the Minister of Music at First Baptist Church Canton, Georgia.

Aaron's vision of worship: "There are numerous definitions of the word worship. Yet one in particular encapsulates the priority we should give to worship as a spiritual discipline: Worship is to honor with extravagant love and extreme submission (Webster's Dictionary, 1828). True worship, in other words, is defined by the priority we place on who God is in our lives and where God is on our list of priorities. True worship is a matter of the heart expressed through a lifestyle of holiness."

Aaron and Malia have been married for 24 years and have 5 children; Wade Stewart, Payton Schmid, Cohen Aaron, Emmy Lou, and Addyson May.

Saturday, July 8th in the Chapel, there will be a meet and greet, question and answer time for the church family to meet with Aaron, 3:00pm – 4:30 or until all questions are answered.



The Solid Rock Café will be closed Monday & Tuesday, July 3 & 4 for the Independence Day Holidays. **Have a safe & happy 4th of July weekend!**



REGISTER NOW FOR SUPER SUMMER SINGERS 2017

July 31-August 4, 9:00am-3:00pm
Cost is \$75.00 per student

Super Summer Singers is a summer music day camp. Children MUST have completed 1st grade through 6th grade. [Register online now at www.fbc-midland.org/super-summer-singers](http://www.fbc-midland.org/super-summer-singers). Come by the Music Ministry office to pick up or fill out a registration form! Call Abigail at 432.683.0618 for more info.

Precious Memories Singers & Friends

PATRIOTIC HYMN SING

MANOR PARK, MONDAY, JULY 3

THE GREATHOUSE ACTIVITIES BUILDING: 2208 N. LOOP 250 WEST
THE BUS WILL LEAVE FROM THE BUS BARN AT 10:00 FOR A RIDE.

HYMN SING BEGINS AT 10:30 A.M.

For more info, call Janna Boyd 432.683.0653

SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:45AM

Adults

His Presence
Psalm 84:1-12

Preschool

People Prayed for Peter
(Babies - Kindergarten)
Acts 12:5-19

Children

People Prayed for Peter
(1st - 6th grades)
Acts 12:5-19

Students

Share Christ
(7th - 12th grades)
John 1:35-49



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KINGDOM WOMEN

Connecting women who seek first His kingdom



WMU Prayer Lunch

Monday, July 10, 2017

11:30am to 1:00pm in D100/102

Hear the latest prayer requests and praises from our FBC Missionaries and Ministries, and enjoy sweet fellowship (\$6 lunch is optional).

MEN'S LUNCHEON

MONDAYS, 11:45AM-1:00PM • \$6 FOR LUNCH

July 3 - No meeting; Kitchen closed for Independence Day

For more information on the Men's Luncheons, please contact Dave Percy at 432.528.4221 or see our web page: www.fbc-midland.org/men

WEDNESDAY FAMILY MEAL

Hamburger meal \$6 / Family Plan \$23

Wednesday Family Meal service begins at 4:45pm in the Fellowship Hall. All meals include one dessert and beverage.

JULY 5

Entree: (we will only have hamburgers, no tossed salad or other entrée) Hamburger, French Fries, Watermelon Wedge, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Onion

Dessert: Ice Cream Sundae

Sunday, June 25, 2017

Sunday School Attendance

♦ Main Campus	1042
♦ Mission Midland	90
♦ Media	6
♦ SM at Super Summer	14
TOTAL	1152

Week Day Bible Study

♦ CDC	Out for Summer
♦ CDO	Out for Summer
TOTAL BIBLE STUDIES	1746

Stewardship Report

June 25, 2017

Offering	This Week	Year to Date
First Baptist	\$ 118,725	\$ 6,287,453
Budget Requirement	\$ 134,500	\$ 6,008,836
Over/Under Budget	\$ -15,775	\$ 278,617
Hope 1:8	\$ 2,290	\$ 327,542

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Media Ministry - 683.0616
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Live and On-Demand
streaming of Sunday's
message is available at
www.fbc-midland.org

Sunday Morning Services at 8:25 a.m. & 11:05 a.m.
Childcare available for birth - 4 years
Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. (all ages)

Sunday Evening Service at 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Activities 6:00 p.m.

Service Televised weekly at 7:00 a.m. on KOSA (CBS), Channel 7
& 10:00 a.m. on MyTV, Channel 16 (or DirectTV Channel 40)
Televised services are on a one-week tape delay

1st Sunday Food Drive

A reminder! We are still collecting food for the Baptist C.R.I.S.I.S. Center on the 1st Sunday of each month. There will be boxes around the church where you can drop off your items. If you need more information, please call the Missions Office at 683.0650 or 683.0623

Preschool macaroni & cheese boxes, canned tuna
Grades 1-4 meaty soups, canned pork 'n beans
Grades 5-6 1 lb. corn meal, canned tomatoes
Grades 7-10, Compass 1-2 lb. dry pinto beans, canned tuna
Grades 11-12, College 1-2 lb. dry pinto beans, canned tomato sauce
GAP, Bartholomew 1-2 lb. dry rice, 1 lb. flour
Andrew, Daniel, David 1 lb. sugar, canned pork 'n beans
Song of Solomon, Philip, Rachel ... 1 lb. sugar, 1-2 lb. dry rice, canned tuna
Thomas, Isaac, Peter, Samuel dry milk (10 pack boxes), meaty soups
Simon, Stephen, John, 1 lb. sugar, liquid cooking oil, canned tomatoes
James, Barnabas dry milk (10 pack boxes), cooking oil
Ezekiel, Eden dry macaroni, meaty soups, macaroni & cheese boxes
Gabriel, Silent Friends 1-2 lb. dry rice, 1-2 lb. dry pinto beans, canned tomato sauce
Marcos, Compass, Grace dry milk (10 pack boxes), 1-2 lb. dry pinto beans
Nehemiah macaroni & cheese boxes, canned tuna, cooking oil
Joseph, Luke, Jordan, As One 1 lb. flour, 1 lb. corn meal, canned tomatoes



PARENTS' NIGHT OUT

Friday, July 21 • 5:30 - 9:30 p.m.

\$5 per child or maximum of \$15 per family
1st-6th Grades-Activities Building • Preschoolers-A Hallway

REGISTRATION IS OPEN! DON'T MISS OUT!

To register: click on the link sent via email from FBC.
If you haven't received this link, email Brooke Raley at
braley@fbc-midland.org in order to receive
the registration link.

Limited Space. Walk-ins not accepted.
Pre-registration only, no late/day-of registrations will be accepted.

SENIOR SINGLE MEN'S SHRIMP BOIL

6:00 P.M.
in the evening

THURSDAY
the 27TH of July
two thousand seventeen

Janna's House
1705 W. Cuthbert

RSVP to Janna by Thursday, July 20th, 432.683.0653