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WEEKEND



Weekend Speaker

**MARK
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Weekend Worship led by

**JACK
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FOOTPRINTS IN FEBRUARY

Please join us for the journey Sunday at 5:00 p.m.

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Dr. Darin Wood
Senior Pastor

This Sunday, February 10

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

Dr. Wood's Sermon Series

"DREAM SMALL - Finding Jesus in the Small Things
and Serving Him There"

Footprints in February, 5-6:30 p.m.

"Calling" - Danny & Robbie Campbell

From the Pastor

Hi First Family,

Grace and Peace today! For those who missed this past Sunday, our friend Janna Boyd announced her retirement. I've included her note below. While we will miss her service to the Lord and her faithful work among us, I'm excited for this new chapter for her and Crosby. Her service to our church has been nothing less than incredible. She is the epitome of a servant and we will miss her terribly. The good news is that she's not going far away. I know you'll want to offer a kind word to her. Please mark down Feb. 24th from 2:30-4:30PM for a reception for the Boyds.

FOOTPRINTS THIS WEEK

Have you ever heard someone say they felt "called" by God and wondered what that meant? Or how did they KNOW? That's the question we'll tackle in this week's "Footprints" conversation. Danny and Robbie Campbell felt "called" to be here, then to be a part of launching Stonegate, and now back! You'll want to hear from them! After much prayer regarding this, Julie and I will be the other conversation. Our journey has been a lot different than we planned. Meet us Sunday night at 5 PM (note the unusual time! We moved it hoping to encourage some of our younger families to come, giving them time to get their children home to bed for school on Monday.)

Blessings today,

Darin



Dear Friends,

In Ecclesiastes 3, the Bible speaks of seasons in our lives. We believe that God is telling us that it is time for another season in our lives. I am resigning my position as Minister to Senior Adults here at First Baptist Church of Midland as of February 28, 2019. We will be moving to the Waco area and will be searching for ways to continue serving and volunteering in a church there.

We want to thank you for the support and encouragement you have given the Boyd family in our 24 years as church members here, 15 of those serving on staff. We love you and will miss you greatly. We will be back to check on you and we expect you to come and see us.

May God continue to richly bless this wonderful church family and the work He is doing here and around the world through you.

Janna Boyd

Retirement Reception for Janna Boyd

Sunday, February 24th

2:30-4:30

In the Welcome Center

Janna faithfully served as FBC's Associate Music Minister from 2000-2011, and then returned to Midland in 2014 to serve as 55+ Adults Minister. Stop by to thank her for her many joyful years in ministry at FBC.



2019 GA SWEETHEART BANQUET

"LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE"

GLOW IN THE DARK PARTY

6:30 p.m. • February 8 • \$10.00

FBC Fellowship Hall

ROTISSERIE CHICKEN, BROCCOLI, RICE PILAF, CHOCOLATE PIE

**TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE IN THE
G.A. CLOSET & IN THE CHILDREN'S MINISTRY OFFICE
DURING OFFICE HOURS**

FBC's Child Development Center Registration for 2019-2020



Registration is now open to everyone! Please see www.fbc-midland.org for pricing and details! You may pick up an application in the CDC office anytime M-F between 7:30am-5:30pm.

PRAY FOR DIRECT SUPPORT MISSIONARIES: Lee & Jana Price in New Castle, Colorado



Church Planters in New Castle

The Price family moved to New Castle, CO over ten years ago with a dream of planting a church. The Lord has tremendously blessed their ministry through prayer with multiple church plants and ministries through the River Churches network. Lee and Jana are founders of two local non-profits.

1) Please pray for Lee, Bill, and Jill as we travel to Scotland on Feb. 5th to train other missionaries in Disciple-Making Movement principles. We are very excited about this opportunity. Pray that Lee's health remains strong during this trip.

2) Please pray for Jana's health. She recently had a mammogram and the Doctor is concerned about a couple of spots.

3) Please pray for us to establish a beachhead of prayer, care, and share in Glenwood Springs. Also, pray for the Starr and Williams families (our ministry partners) as they make some tough decisions on what to do with their coffee shop in downtown Glenwood.

4) A praise for our little house church that keeps growing each week. The Lord is working in so many ways in this church and we are humbled and thankful to be a part of it!

5) Praise for our gathering that took place on Sunday evening. We had over 20 students and adults attend who are passionate about taking Christ into their missional spaces. It was very evident that the Lord is working at Heron Nest Neighborhood and Coal Ridge High School. New prayer groups and discovery bible studies are happening in these spaces. Please pray they continue to grow and new believers are discipled.



Thank you to the 5th grade GA's for packing 184 Food2Kids bags & blessing so many!

I'm a Christian Now



This Saturday, February 9, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm in Room A213. This class, for all 1st – 6th grade children, will help them understand what it means to be a Christian, the importance of baptism and the Lord's Supper, their roles as church members, and getting started in daily Bible study and prayer. Contact Sarah Arrambide at 683-0607 or Crystal Nickolaus at 683-0609 for information.

GRAB YOUR CAMERA AND GET READY FOR WILD ENCOUNTERS!

IN THE WILD

AMAZING ENCOUNTERS WITH JESUS
JOHN 20:31

Pray about how God can use your talents and abilities.
Sign up to help on VOMO or call 432-683-0609 to volunteer in Grades 1-6 or 432-683-0611 to volunteer in the Preschool area.

SAVE THE DATE
FOR
FIRST BAPTIST MIDLAND
VBS 2019
MONDAY-THURSDAY
JUNE 3-6 • 9AM-12PM



CIRCLE SIX RANCH
BAPTIST CAMP

MEN'S RALLY & FELLOWSHIP

February 11, 2019 • 5:30 p.m.

FBC bus will leave the Bus Barn at 5:00pm

**Guest Speaker, Eric Hernandez,
Apologetics Lead for Texas Baptists**



We know men today are busy but we also know everyone needs refreshment! We invite you to join us for a barbeque meal with a time of worship by the Singing Men of West Texas. We hope you will join other men in a time of fellowship and filling. Cost is \$8 for the event at the door. Register at circle6camp.org/mens-rally.

Oilfield Christian Fellowship of the Permian Basin

Friday, February 15, 2019

11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Rock the Desert Field House
2000 FM 1788, Midland, TX 79706

FREE LUNCH - FREE BIBLE - BRING A FRIEND!



To see and sign up for the different areas of volunteer service available at First Baptist Church, visit www.fbc-midland.org/vomo. The link will take you to FBC's VOMO (Volunteer Mobilization) page where you can easily connect to service opportunities throughout the year. Try it out today!

Come enjoy lunch with us in the Solid Rock Café weekdays from 11:30am-1:30pm. Our staff is friendly & our menu is versatile. Students, come check out our daily specials!



MEDIA MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

No experience required!
Call Jeff (683-0622) or Dallas
(683-0696) or visit with either today!



FBC Artists Needed to Display Paintings



The art displayed on the FBC Art Wall (near the Fellowship Hall) is for any FBC artist. It is enjoyed by our entire membership. If you wish to participate by showing your paintings, please contact Janet Haney at 432.528.5717 or Doris McSparran at 432.683.0618.



FBC's Starting Point Course

Starting Point is a prerequisite to elected service, unless a member has already been elected before July 1998. Everyone interested in an FBC ministry is encouraged to complete this course.

Now available: www.fbc-midland.org/starting-point

FBC Lost and Found

If you have lost any personal items at church over the past few months please stop by the FBC Welcome Center and check with our Lost & Found.

Our Deepest Sympathies to...

Carole Headrick in the death of her husband,
Lester Headrick.

Gary Gilliam in the death of his mother,
Mrs. LaWanda Gilliam.

Bill Pierce in the death of his mother,
Mrs. Eugenia Pierce.

ELLEN NOËL ART MUSEUM

4909 E. UNIVERSITY • ODESSA, TEXAS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19

THE GOLDEN AGE OF HOLLYWOOD: COSTUMES FROM THE GENE LONDON CINEMA COLLECTION



We'll leave the FBC Bus Barn at 12:30 p.m.
to attend both activities in Odessa the same day



H.O.T.

HONOR OUR TROOPS

FBC 55+ Adults' Box Packing Day Tuesday, Feb. 19 • 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Call Janna Boyd at 432-683-0653 for a reservation
or drop any non-perishable food or clothing
donations off at Janna's office.

DON'T MENTION AGE

D.M.A. LUNCHEON

A SENIOR ADULT FELLOWSHIP GROUP

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, FH 2

Singing begins at 11:45

Lunch begins at Noon in the Fellowship Hall - \$6

Reserve your spot by Friday, February 15

CONGRESSMAN MIKE CONAWAY

"Washington Update"

Call Janna Boyd at 432.683.0653 or Elket
Rodriguez at 432.683.0612 for more info.



Cancer Answers/Prayer Support Quarterly Informational Meetings



This group is for anyone who has dealt with cancer as a patient, caregiver, or family member. CAPS meets quarterly with informational speakers and support. Please contact Janna Boyd for more information at 432.683.0653 or jboyd@fbc-midland.org

Non-Ordained Deacon Candidates

Below is the list of men who are members of First Baptist Church, and are eligible to be considered for ordination as deacon. The following criteria will be used when considering the men listed below who are nominated to be ordained as deacons:

To be considered for ordination as Deacon, the individual must:

1. Be male;
2. Be at least 21 years old;
3. Commit to live by the Church-approved Deacon Standards;
4. Be a current Church Member and have been a church member for at least one year from date of consideration (since January 1, 2018);
5. Be actively involved in Sunday School, and have been present at least 50% of the year;
6. Tithe to the Church's general budget;
7. Be actively involved in Sunday Worship Service;
8. Will be elected by Church Members after a call for candidates by the Deacon Nominating Committee;
9. Have completed Starting Point;
10. Not a member of the Church Staff.

David Adams	Dick Campbell	Terry Corbell	Matt Fitzgerald
Flo Akintunji	Les Carnes	Richard Cotte	Dean Flatt
Carl Anderson	Leo Carr	Ricky Cox	Ted Fowler
Stephen Arnold	Larry Carroll	Ken Craft	Rusty Freeman
Kevin Ashmore	Gary Causey	JP Crawford	Zachary Gallegos
Jackson Austin	Marion Causey	Steve Cullen	Dwayne Garnett
John Beane	Brent Chadwick	David Danley	Scott Gengler
Hoot Beckett	Mark Chandler	Gene Davidson	Jeff George
Bob Bivens	Jeffrey Christopher	Harild Dean	Dennis Givens
Bill Black	Lonnie Cleveland	David Draper	Michael Glasscock
Ed Bowling	Forrest Collier	Dusty Evans	Stephen Graves
Crosby Boyd	Jim Conger	John Faught	Will Green
Steve Bunch	Jerry Cook	Jack Fisher	Mark Greene
Morris Burns	Herb Cooley	Greg Fitzgerald	Greg Greenleaf

(List continues on the back)

Deacon Nomination Ballot

Please write in the name as it is listed, of up to ten (10) deacon candidates (non-ordained) to be considered for active deacon. Ballots must be turned in no later than February 24.

Please place ballot in deacon ballot boxes, which are located around the church.

Additional ballots are available at the Reception Desk in the Welcome Center

Name

Name

Jeff Grigsby	Brady Kolb	Dave Pearcy	Glenn Spencer
Rick Guill	Keith Kyle	Bruce Pennell	Eric Sprinkle
Don Hale	Mark LaCroix	Gary Petersen	Darrin Steed
Mel Hammontree	Jerry Lancaster	Bill Pierce	Craig Stewart
Will Hays	Kevin Levea	Stanley Pond	Rick Strange
Daniel Hayward	Mike Lockwood	Vicente Rangel	Gary Stringer
Rudy Heredia	Ryan Lovell	Tommy Rea	Perry Taylor
Harold Hicks	John Malone	Bobby Redman	Bob Taylor
Brandon Hinds	David Marcum	Sammy Reed	Bob Telford
David Hobby	John Marshall	John Reese	David Thomas
Cory Hoffman	Ben Maxey	Patrick Reich	David Thomas
David Hohle	Jim McAninch	Ken Riley	Jarod Thomas
Jim Holm	Delaney McCaghren	Shawn Riley	Walter Thompson
Boyd Holmes	Tom McCray	Dean Rippetoe	Samuel Thornton
John Hovingh	Cory McDowell	Reece Roberts	Bill Tolles
Johnny Howard	Lee McMillan	Don Rogers	Leonard Trout
Jim Humphreys	Noe Mendoza	Jerry Rogers	Jerry Underwood
Jerry Hunt	Buzz Mills	Scott Rogers	Gary Upchurch
David Hurta	Kevin Moore	Abner Rubio	Mike Vaughan
David Irving	Maxey Mullins	Alan Russell	Adam Vourazeris
Kelly Jamerson	Lynn Myers	Don Samples	Larry Ward
Darryl James	Jeremy Newton	Pete Schrenkel	Curtis Ware
Shane Jobe	Brian Nickolaus	Cleve Seamon	Bob Watkins
Russell Johnson	Kurt O'Briant	Jon Short	Wayne Wheelis
Taylor Johnson	Vince O'Donnell	Harvey Shuler	Charles Willett
Josh Jones	Walter Oaks	Alan Simon	Roy Williamson
Mike Jones	Jaime Olguin	Larry Singletary	Terry Williamson
Rob Jones	Deli Olowookere	John Slawson	Ed Wolf
Howard Kemp	Dean Olson	Nathan Smith	Don Woods
Jim Ketcham	Gus Ortega	George Snapp	Jack Wyrick
Tim Keys	Randy Overbeck	Don Sparks	Tyler Yenzer
Don Kidwell	Bobby Page	Jarrod Sparks	Jake Young
Bobby Kincaid	Bill Parsons	Josh Sparks	Stevie Young
Shelden Kinnison	George Patton	Jeff Sparks	Terry Youngblood

Precept upon Precept: A Ladies' Bible Study

Thursday mornings at 9:15 am in Room E 102.
Studying the book of Daniel – books are \$20. Led
by Katy Little


FBC Greeter Ministry

Scripture tells us to "Practice Hospitality"
-Romans 12:13

Remember when you were new at FBC? We have a large building and many ministries to help people find. FBC needs you to help us in our effort to greet guests each Sunday during all hours! Everyone can do this ministry and help guests know we are glad they are here. Training will be provided. Contact Larry Grimes lgrimes@fbc-midland.org



Pastoral Care Ministry: Hospital Visits

 Robbie Boyd, FBC's Associate Pastor of Pastoral Care makes the First Baptist Church family hospital visits in Midland and Odessa. If you or a family member are going into the hospital, please contact Susan Upham at 432.683.0604 in advance. This will ensure your name will be on our hospital list.

SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:45 A.M.

Adults

Tempted
Genesis 39:3-12, 19-21

Students

God is With Us
(7th - 12th grades)
Genesis 39:3-12, 19-21

Children

Jesus Gave Thanks for Food
(1st - 6th grades)
John 6:1-13

Preschool

The Golden Calf
(Babies-Kindergarten)
Exodus 32; 34



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MEN'S LUNCHEON

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

ALWAYS A CHRISTIAN PROGRAM • FELLOWSHIP FOR ALL AGES • COME WITH A PRAYER REQUEST • PRAY WITH OTHER PRAYER WARRIORS • REJOICE IN GOD'S MIRACLES

February 11- Keith Bucy , Testimony

For more info, contact Dave Pearcy (432) 528-4221,
or see www.fbc-midland.org/men

WEDNESDAY FAMILY MEAL

Adult Meal \$6/ Hamburger \$4
Salad Bar \$3.50/ Family Plan \$23

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

FEBRUARY 13

Entree: Chicken Fajitas, Pinto Beans, Spanish Rice,
Tossed Green Salad, Chips / Salsa

Dessert: Tres Leches Cake

Sunday, February 3, 2019

Sunday School Attendance

♦ Main Campus	1123
♦ Mission Midland.....	108
TOTAL	1231

Week Day Bible Study

♦ Child Development Center	128
♦ Children's Day Out.....	108
TOTAL BIBLE STUDIES.....	1467

End of Month Report

January 2019

Offering	This Month	Year to Date
First Baptist.....	\$ 547,725	\$ 3,075,213
Budget Requirement.....	\$ 556,000	\$ 3,061,231
Over/Under Budget.....	\$ -8,275	\$ 13,982
Hope 1:8	\$ 1,415	\$ 27,027

Stewardship Report

February 3, 2019

Offering	This Week	Year to Date
First Baptist.....	\$ 111,277	\$ 3,186,490
Budget Requirement.....	\$ 139,000	\$ 3,200,231
Over/Under Budget.....	\$ -27,723	\$ -13,741
Hope 1:8	\$ 1,200	\$ 28,227

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Music & Worship Ministry - 683.0618
Administrative Office - 683.0616
Activities Ministry - 683.0647
Children's Ministry - 683.0609
Preschool Ministry - 683.0627
Child Development Center - 683.0638
Children's Day Out - 683.0632
Student Ministry - 683.0603
Family Ministry - 683.0612
Senior Adult Ministry - 683.0653
Media Ministry - 683.0616
Membership - 683.0616
Duplication Svcs - 683.0626
Library - 683.0625

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

this is motherhood



MOPS • February 15, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. in D101-103

Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) registration is open for 2018-2019!



MOPS meets on the 1st & 3rd Fridays of the month from 9-11:00AM! Contact Shanna Arnold at 254.396.4247 or shanna_arnold@hotmail.com with more questions. Visit www.fbc-midland.org/ministries/preschool/mops to get a registration form!

"Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.
Worship the Lord with gladness..." ~Psalm 100



JOIN US FOR WORSHIP TEAM REHEARSALS

Orchestra, 6-7:30 p.m. • Choir, 7-8:00 p.m., Wednesdays
Meet in the Sanctuary/Choir Room

For more info contact Worship Ministry @ 432.683.0618
www.fbc-midland.org/ministries/worship

FBC offers the opportunity for online giving using your smart phone, tablet, or home computer. It's convenient, simple, and secure.

To Give via the FBC Website:

- On your computer browser, visit www.fbc-midland.org/how-to-give
- Click on the "Give Online" link
- Fill out the information requested as either a first-time giver or as a registered user

Text to Give:

- In your smartphone SMS window, text FUNDS to 432-201-3327. You will receive a list of fund names available for donations.
- Text the amount + fund name (i.e. \$10 Lottie Moon) where you want your gift attributed
- First-time donors are prompted to visit a secure URL to register and provide debit card information.
- Once completed the donations will be processed and you will receive a confirmation text.

ShelbyNEXT Giving Smartphone App:

- Visit the Apple or Google Play store to download the ShelbyNEXT | Giving App
- Search for our organization by name (First Baptist Church Midland) or by zip code (79701)
- Select our church and create an account if a first-time user...otherwise, enter your login information
- Click the "Give Now" option at the top of the app.

