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New Members' **BREAKFAST**

Sunday, February 24

9:45AM

in Fellowship Hall #2



**Developing leaders by helping people find Godly
clarity and direction in their lives**

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 17

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.

"Longevity" - Bill & Kay Burchard

From the Pastor

Dear First Family,

Grace and Peace to you today! Happy Valentine's Day! No matter what kind of relationship you might have with others, remember that Jesus loved you first and best! Take time this week to read 1 Corinthians 13. Where it says "Love," insert the name "Jesus."

One other note – Congratulations to Margie and Charlie Boyd, celebrating their 70th wedding anniversary on Valentine's Day! Happy Anniversary! God bless your example!

FOOTPRINTS

Thanks to all of you who joined us Sunday night! We had somewhere around 175 for our first Sunday night talk. Robbie and Danny Campbell spoke so very well as did my lovely wife. If you've missed one of our two weeks of our Footprints conversations, we're working on preparing those for our website. We'll post them to our website and Facebook page as soon as they're ready!

This week's footprints talk is Kay and Bill Burchard talking about longevity. How do you make a marriage last for 50+ years? What are the things that make it work? Is that even still possible? Join us Sunday evening at 5 PM for what's sure to be an encouraging and challenging talk!

JANNA and CROSBY BOYD

Janna has served our church in so many ways and for so many years. I'm confident you'll want to wish her and Crosby well and say a word of gratitude to them. Please plan to join us for a reception in their honor on Sunday afternoon, Feb 24, from 2:30-4:30 PM.

IMPACT WEEKEND

I love IMPACT weekend! This Sunday, our student ministry will lead our services. We'll be led in worship by their worship band and our preaching will be courtesy of my friend Mark Matlock. It will be different from our regular services, but I encourage you to come and celebrate Christ and his love for our students and each of us this Sunday!

Your servant,

Darin

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.



PRAY FOR DIRECT SUPPORT MISSIONARIES: Jason & Kimberley McGibbon in Toronto



The Hamilton Fellowships

The Hamilton Fellowships is a growing network of interdependent fellowships that meet in homes or public spaces across the city of Hamilton. The groups are diverse, ranging from gatherings of international students and young urbanites to a street corner gathering of homeless and urban poor.

Each fellowship is active in helping to serve the many needs within the different communities in the city, including homeless outreaches, while focusing on multiplication of the mission.

Please join us in praying for: **1)** Pray that we would continue to use the arts to make connections with the many artists in the city (TJ has a new Netflix series coming out, Liam is studying Music Theatre in college and Jason continues to paint and write music). Pray we would keep mission at the heart of these opportunities. **2)** Pray as we plan for key Easter and summer outreaches. **3)** Pray for our new children's ministry that officially launched last month under the leadership of our daughter Caroline.

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
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

(continued from the front)

Jeff Grigsby	Brady Kolb	Dave Percy	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

THANK YOU



Thank you to the 6th grade GA's for packing our Food2Kids bags & blessing so many in need!

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.



SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:45 A.M.

Adults

Opportunity Knocks
Genesis 41:15-21, 33-40

Students

Equipped
(7th - 12th grades)
Genesis 41:15-21, 33-40


Children

Esther Chose Courage
(1st - 6th grades)
Esther 2:2-18; 4:1-17; 5:1-14; 7:1-10;
8:1-17

Preschool

The Tabernacle was Built
(Babies-Kindergarten)
Exodus 35-40



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Our Deepest Sympathy to...

Jan Owen in the death of her husband, Gary Owen
Suzanne Bloodworth in the death of her mother, Mrs. Sue Branum

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 18- Greg West: Ministry in Haiti

For more info, contact Dave Percy (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 20

Entree: Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes / Gravy, Green Beans, Tossed Green Salad, Biscuit

Dessert: Banana Pudding

Sunday, February 10, 2019

Sunday School Attendance

◆ Main Campus	1071
◆ Mission Midland.....	107
TOTAL	1178

Week Day Bible Study

◆ Child Development Center	128
◆ Children's Day Out.....	108
TOTAL BIBLE STUDIES.....	1414

Stewardship Report

February 10, 2019

Offering	This Week	Year to Date
First Baptist.....	\$ 162,272	\$ 3,348,762
Budget Requirement.....	\$ 139,000	\$ 3,339,231
Over/Under Budget.....	\$ 23,272	\$ 9,531
Hope 1:8.....	\$ 100	\$ 28,327



FBC's Starting Point training course is now available on the FBC website at www.fbc-midland.org/starting-point

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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

ELLEN NOËL ART MUSEUM

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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



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.

OMEGA HANDBELLS NEEDS YOU!



If you can read music and you would like a fun and exciting way to participate in worship, then Omega bells is the place for you. We meet on Tuesday mornings from 12:00 to 1:00 in Room E-111. Call Sharon Humphreys @432.425.6836, if you need any additional information.

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 and account if a first-time user...otherwise, enter your login information
- Click the "Give Now" option at the top of the app.

