



HIGHLIGHTS

3rd Annual SABA 5K Hunger Walk

Saturday, November 10

9:00 AM - noon

Comanche Park #2

Lunch served when you finish your walk

Help raise money for Baptist Food Banks.

Today is the last day to sign up
or make donations at the table in Unity Hall.
For more information call Marte @210-370-7370

Marathon Sunday

November 11

We will welcome thousands of visitors to our City. As part of our witness that day we will go to an **11AM ONLY** schedule. Traditional and Spanish - Sanctuary, Logos - Chapel, Internationals in regular locations. A morning of great energy of our city and our families.

Thanksgiving and Christmas

November

- 18 Celebration of Gratitude; 6 PM - Chapel
- 25 Hanging of the Green Service; 6 PM - Sanctuary
- 28 "A Family Christmas" - Josh Vaughan, teaching

December

- 2 Children's Choirs Christmas Concert; 6 PM - Sanctuary
- 5 "A Family Christmas" - Josh Vaughan, teaching
- 9 "Christmas at First"; 5:30 and 7:15 PM - Sanctuary
- 12 "A Family Christmas" - Church Family serving together
- 14-15 Christmas Care/Angel Tree
- 16 Carols and Candlelight; 6 PM - Sanctuary
- 19 "A Family Christmas" - Church Family serving together
- 24 Christmas Eve Candlelight Lord's Supper; 5:30 PM - Sanctuary (Memorial Service 5:00 PM)

Weekly Report

As of Sunday, October 28, 2012

Attendance:		SS	1,210	Worship	1,385
Tithes and Offerings		Year to Date Variance			
	Week	Year to Date	Budget	Prior Year	
Unrestricted	\$42,249	\$2,973,980	\$108,980	\$351,310	
Television	\$3,086	\$304,525	\$32,525	\$67,144	
Building Fund	\$8,524	\$69,565			
Other restricted	\$1,596	\$103,951			
Total	\$55,455	\$3,452,021	\$141,505	\$418,454	

Iron 2 Iron Men's Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, November 17

The Iron 2 Iron breakfast gathers and equips men and teenage boys with the Word of God through testimony and music so that they may be effective and fit for Christian influence and service.

Blake Coffee, guest speaker, is the Founder and Executive Director of Programming for Christian Unity Ministries. A Christian author and speaker, he is called to a ministry of training and equipping the Body of Christ toward unity. Also a practicing attorney, his law/mediation practice is in San Antonio, but his ministry of reconciliation and unity spans the globe. God has given Blake both a passion and a message for unity in the Body of Christ. He has worked with hundreds of congregations around the world, both healthy and conflicted, teaching Biblical models of reconciliation. Blake is the author of *Trusting God's People...Again* and *Five Principles of Unity*.

Blake will share his testimony of God's calling in his life and will give some practical counsel for recognizing God's calling in your own life.

Coffee and Conversations

Wednesday Evenings

7:15-8:30

Wolfson House

Single Adults, 45 and beyond, are invited to gather in the Wolfson House parlor, enjoy a bit of fellowship, coffee (and tea, etc.) and snacks, and engage in discussing, from a Scriptural basis, the poignant topics of our day. This will be a time to educate, edify, correct (scripturally), exhort, and pray with each other to hear God's voice. This month's topic: *Faith and Country*. Bring a friend...or two!

November 4, 2012

TODAY AT FBC

- 7:00 AM Pastor/Men's Prayer Time (Conference Rm)
- 8:00 AM Pastor's Class (Webb 212)
- 8:30 AM Brass Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 9:15 AM Worship (Sanctuary)
- 9:30 AM LOGOS Contemporary Worship (Chapel)
- Bible Study (Core, Spanish, International, Deaf)
- Christianity Explored (Webb 210)
- 11:00 AM Worship (Sanctuary)
- Bible Study (Venture)
- 12:00 PM Sanctuary Choir Lunch (Fellowship Hall)
- Wolfson House Craft Show Work Day
- Youth Amazing Day Away
- 12:30 PM Core MA40s Fellowship (Webb 212/214)
- 1:30 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Unity Hall)
- 4:00 PM A.B.L.E. (West)
- 6:00 PM Friends and Family Night

Bible Study:
Acts 13:1-5, 13-14, 42-52

Morning Worship:
"Shoe Dust"

T. Don Guthrie, Preaching

Evening Worship:
Friends and Family Night

{Re:Verse}
A Unique First Baptist Design for Bible Study

Acts 15:1-29

First Baptist Church of San Antonio

THIS WEEK ...

Monday, November 5 - Sunday, November 11

- 11/5
- 11/6 9:00 AM FLC
- 9:30 AM Women's Fall Bible Study (Webb 212/214)
- 11/7 9:00 AM Ceramics (West Patio)
- 5:00 PM Family Supper (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:00 PM Preschool Childcare (Preschool Area)
- Spanish Bible Study/Prayer (West Hall)
- Children's Choirs (Webb 2nd floor)
- 6:05 PM Deaf CE (Webb 212)
- 6:10 PM All-Church Prayer Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:30 PM Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:45 PM RAs/GAs (Basement/Webb 301)
- 7:00 PM Prayer Groups
- Christianity Explored-En Español (Webb 207)
- Youth Home Groups
- 7:15 PM Coffee and Conversations (Wolfson House)
- 11/8 9:00 AM FLC
- Friendship (West)
- 11:00 AM Prayer Meeting (Parlor)
- 11/9
- 11/10 10:30 AM FBC Golf (Olmos)
- 11:45 AM Koinonia Class Fellowship (Away)
- 11/11 10:15 AM Brass Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 11:00 AM Worship (Sanctuary)
- LOGOS Contemporary Worship (Chapel)
- 12:00 PM Sanctuary Choir Lunch (Fellowship Hall)
- 1:30 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Unity Hall)
- 4:00 PM A.B.L.E. (West)
- 4:30 PM Chapel Singers Rehearsal (Choir Suite)
- B&P Committee Meeting (Blanchard Lng)
- Committee on Committees (Conference Rm)
- Personnel Committee (Kokernot 309)
- 5:15 PM Next GEN Meeting (Webb 212/214)
- 6:00 PM No Evening Worship
- 6:15 PM Refuge Meal (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:45 PM Refuge (Studio 3)



HE GAVE. I GIVE.

Annual Stewardship Campaign October 7 - November 11

FBCSA is in one of the most exciting, creative and spiritually awakening times in recent history. In a period where most downtown churches are dwindling in numbers and finances, FBCSA has continued to grow. This can only happen when a church family comes together in a spirit of unity; to be regular, prayerful, sacrificial givers of their time and resources. This fall we ask you to recommit yourselves and sign a pledge card as a declaration of this unity. You can find one in your bulletin this Sunday (place in offering plate), at the ASK ME booths (place in drop box), or you can sign our online pledge card by going to fbcsa.org/stewardship.

The Recreation Ministry of First Baptist Church, San Antonio cordially invites you to the

Twenty-Fourth Annual Wolfson House Christmas Arts & Crafts Show 415 Broadway

Monday, November 12- Friday, November 16
10 AM - 6 PM

Saturday, November 17
10 AM - 3 PM

Free Admission | Free Parking | Free Refreshments

The Table Project

There are 4 legs of the Table. The third is *prayer*. We all need prayer, support, and encouragement at different times in our journey. The Prayer app helps our community pray for each other when it's needed most...RIGHT NOW. For more information go to www.fbcsa.org/thetableproject.com

International Ministry Need: Cool Weather Clothes

This is the time of year when jackets, long pants, socks, shoes, and blankets are needed. Bring donations to the clothing drop-box, 1st floor Kokernot, across from the elevators or to the Circle Building. Also, there is a continual need for diapers and underwear.

Christmas at First

Tickets available Sunday, Nov. 11
in Unity and Great Halls. Limit 7.

Concerts: Sunday, December 9
5:30 PM and 7:15 PM

"Next GEN" Parents Meeting

November 11, 5:15, Webb 212-214.
Parents of Preschool, Children, and Youth are invited to share feedback on age-graded ministries. Childcare and snack supper are available by reservation.

Youth Refuge

Worship & Bible Study
for teenagers grades 7-12

Refuge Date: Nov. 11

Refuge meal at 6:15, Fellowship Hall;
Refuge at 6:45 in Studio 3

Chapel Singers

November rehearsal schedule

4 No Rehearsal
11 4:30 Choir Suite
18 4:30 Choir Suite
25 12:00 lunch (\$5) in Youth Lounge
1:00 Choir Suite

"Conversations - Continuing What Jesus Began" 2012 Fall Sermon and Bible Study Series

The focus is on the Holy Spirit and the power to witness to those who do not know Christ. The challenge is to look at the promises of God's Word and compare them to our own lives. Read with hope! Christ promises a new place to live (in Him), new purity, and new power for service. May it be so for every believing heart!

Yes, Lord!

Christmas Care Food Drive

Christmas Care provides Christmas Dinner Boxes to selected families in our community. See list (below) of non-perishable and canned food items to be collected. Donation boxes will be located around the church.

If you are interested in becoming a team leader for this ministry, please call Rita at the church office.

Canned Vegetables: green beans, mixed vegetables, beans, corn, potatoes

Staples: flour, sugar, cornmeal, rice, soups

Canned Meats: tuna, chicken, chili, Spam

Meat Substitutes: macaroni & cheese, dried beans, peanut butter

Canned Fruits & Juices

Please bring only items listed. Other foods cannot be utilized for this outreach ministry.

Women on Mission Luncheon

Tuesday, November 13, 11:45
Blanchard Lounge

Sue Heisler speaks on FBC's Christmas Projects:
Angel Tree and Christmas Care

Operation Christmas Child DVD will be shown. Shoeboxes will be collected. Thanksgiving dinner will be served Cost \$5. Sign up in Unity Hall or call 226-0363.

Phyllis Merritt Group meets in Dining Room E,
10:00 to 11:30.



Wednesdays, 6:10 PM

Fellowship Hall

Bible Study:

FAITH OF OUR FATHERS:

A Short and Helpful Review of Church History

Family Supper:

Family Supper service begins at 5:00 PM

Menu: November 7

Baked Chicken Quarters
Rice Pilaf, Green Beans
Rolls; Dessert

KIDS: Baked Chicken Leg or Thigh

Help Wanted!

Monday Morning Counting Team

Monday mornings 8-11 am, no experience necessary, but a willingness to serve. Drop your child at school and come on down. Help us count the contributions received on Sunday. If you can count, you can do this job.

Interested? Contact Beverly Webb in the church office, 226-0363 or beverly@fbcsa.org

FBC Golf Dates

November 10 Olmos 10:30
No tournament in December.