



HIGHLIGHTS

Vacation Bible School

June 10-13 | 9:30-Noon

“Colossal Coaster World - Facing Fear, Trusting God”
2 Timothy 1:7

In our theme park world, children will be challenged to trust God for the spirit of power, love and sound judgment for any fearfulness that may come from changing the familiar to the unfamiliar, speaking up when it's the right thing to do and making the ultimate decision to follow Jesus and trust Him as Savior.

Registration event May 19 following 6 PM Service, RA/GA Recognition and Children's Choirs, in Unity Hall.
(Ages: 3 years-completed 6th grade)

Upcoming events - Mark your calendars!

RA/GA Recognition and Children's Choirs, 6PM; May 19
Vacation Bible School; June 10-13, 9:30-noon
Children's Camp at Highland Lakes (grades 3-6);
July 29-Aug 1

Sign Up TODAY! Call Jan in the church office at 210.226.0363

Job Opportunities

Position Opening Director of Facilities

First Baptist Church of San Antonio has an opening for a Director of Facilities. The successful candidate will be experienced in the management and supervision of maintenance, janitorial services, safety and security, disaster preparedness and emergency response, energy management, capital improvements, budgeting and planning.

Applicants must possess exemplary analytical, organizational, and interpersonal abilities; and be skilled in the use of technology, including MS Word and Excel. Undergraduate degree in a related Field preferred.

Please review the Position Description on the Church Website for further information. Applicants should submit a cover letter and résumé to application@fbcsa.org.

Position Opening Childcare Worker

(Sunday, 9:00 - 12:30)

Worker must be Christian with experience working with Preschool children. A basic love for children and a commitment to teaching is essential. Childcare Workers help provide and maintain a Christian environment where children may grow physically, emotionally, mentally, socially and spiritually, giving each child the attention he/she needs to promote his/her welfare including playing, safety and toileting. Workers will follow safety procedures, maintain confidentiality and work according to the schedule assigned with a positive, respectful and cooperative attitude. The Childcare Worker is responsible to the Minister of Children and Preschool. Applicants should submit a cover letter and résumé to Jan@fbcsa.org.

College Lyfe

A FREE evening meal, a gathering with friends, and a challenging time of seeking Jesus Christ together. Second through the last Sunday of each month, 4:30-6:00PM, 4th Street Café.

BIBLES FOR 2013 SENIOR CLASS

The Bibles will be presented on May 26. Please go by the tables in the Great Hall to mark a favorite verse or passage in each graduate's Bible. Your encouragement will mean so much as these young adults begin college, military service, or careers. Bibles will be available to highlight on Sundays and Wednesdays, through May 19.

April 28, 2013

First Baptist Church of San Antonio

TODAY AT FBC

- 7:00 AM Pastor/Men's Prayer Time (Conference Rm)
- 8:00 AM Pastor's Class (Webb 212)
- 9:00 AM Senior Bible Highlighting (Great Hall)
- 9:15 AM Worship (Sanctuary)
- 9:30 AM LOGOS Contemporary Worship (Chapel)
Bible Study (Core, Spanish, International, Deaf)
- 11:00 AM Worship (Sanctuary)
Bible Study (Venture)
Spanish Worship (Chapel)
- 12:05 PM Hispanic Birthday Party (West Hall)
- 1:30 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Unity Hall)
- 4:00 PM A.B.L.E. (West)
- 4:30 PM College Lyfe (4th Street Café)

No Evening Worship

Bible Study Psalm 53

Morning Worship
“The Truth About You...And Me”
Josh Vaughan, Preaching

No Evening Worship
Friends/Family Night

THIS WEEK ...

Monday, April 29 - Sunday, May 5

- 4/29
- 4/30 9:00 AM FLC
9:30 AM Women's Bible Study (Webb 212/214)
6:00 PM CE Deaf Class (Library)
- 5/1 9:00 AM Ceramics (West Patio)
4:30 PM Library Opens (Kokernot)
5:00 PM Mid-Week Meal (Fellowship Hall)
Senior Bible Highlighting (Great Hall)
5:15 PM Children's Hand Bell Practice (Choir Suite)
6:00 PM Preschool Childcare (Preschool Area)
Spanish Bible Study/Prayer (West Hall)
Children's Choirs (Webb 2nd Floor)
6:10 PM All-Church Prayer Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
6:15 PM Discipleship Explored (Webb 210)
6:30 PM Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
McCullough Academy (Youth Lounge)
6:45 PM RAs/GAs (Basement/Webb 301)
7:00 PM Prayer Groups
7:05 PM Adult Hand Bell Practice (Choir Suite)
- 5/2 9:00 AM FLC
Friendship (West)
9:30 AM National Day of Prayer (Chapel)
11:00 AM Prayer Meeting (Parlor)
- 5/3 6:30 PM Parent's Night Out
Preteen Lock-In Roars and Snores (Zoo)
Choir Rehearsal and Fellowship (Fellowship Hall)
- 5/4 8:30 AM IRON2Iron Men's Breakfast (Unity Hall)
10:00 AM Deacon's Meeting (Blanchard Lounge)
- 5/5 7:00 AM Pastor/Men's Prayer Time (Conference Rm)
8:00 AM Pastor's Class (Webb 212)
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4:00 PM A.B.L.E. (West)
4:30 PM Chapel Singers Rehearsal (Choir Suite)
5:00 PM Church Conference (Sanctuary)
5:30 PM Special Called Church Conference
6:30 PM Sundae Sunday (Fellowship Hall)

Yes Lord! H.O.P. E. Ministries

The Yes Lord! Ministries H.O.P.E. Team has many different ways to show Christ's love through simple expressions of caring for others:

- Pillow Ministry – we need volunteers who have embroidery machines, willing to sew and stuff pillows to be shared with homebound, TV ministry, hospitals and others.
- Casserole Ministry cooks different casseroles, which are available for anyone to take to those in need.
- Helping Hands helps widows, elderly and others who cannot afford outside help to do miscellaneous small repairs.

To volunteer for any of these ministries contact Sue Heisler

Golf Results

April 20, 2013

1st Place - 15:

Tony Hoffman, Glenn Bright, Richard Ferguson, Richard Simonite

2nd Place - 9:

Don Aldridge, Don Higginbotham, Milton Hope, Jim Lovell

Longest Drive

Ladies: Julie Dickson

Men: Wally Dickson, David Patterson

Closest to Hole

Steve Toland, Elaine Cushing

There were 31 players participating in this tournament.

The next tournament is May 25th at Olmos, 8:00 start on 4 holes.

NOTE: Location change for July and August



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
SAN ANTONIO

Senior Adult Day

Sunday, May 5

Senior Adult Day in Sunday School is a recognition day for our adults 60 years of age and older. This vital group has contributed and continues to contribute much spiritual leadership in our church. Invite your Senior Adult friends to join us on May 5, encourage our seniors when you see them and thank them for their example in faithfulness.

IRON2IRON

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, May 4, 8:30AM - 10:00AM

Youth 7th Grade - Adults

The IRON2IRON breakfast gathers and equips men and teenage young men around the Word of God through testimony and music so that they may be effective and fit for Christian influence and service. Guest Speaker: Victor Rodriguez, Senior Pastor - Life Church of San Antonio.

Connections Class Today!

Not in a Sunday School class? Looking for something new? You are invited to attend an FBC "connection class". It is a 3-week class that will help you identify a "fit" in an existing class or help the staff shape/dream a new class. Core schedule begins today at 9:30 AM and will be led by Larry Soape. Class size is limited. Call Kappie at 210.226.0363 to be a part of this new exciting initiative.

National Day of Prayer Events

An invitation to women of all churches

National Day of Prayer
City-wide Women's Prayer
20th Anniversary

"A Call to His Church to be a House of Prayer"

May 2, 2013 9:30-11:30am

FBC Wilson Chapel

Parking in AT&T lot

Prayer on the steps of San Antonio City Hall
Commerce and South Flores

Men, women and children

Noon-1:00pm

Weekly Report

As of Sunday, April 21, 2013

Attendance:		SS	1,176	Worship	1,439
Tithes and Offerings		Year to Date Variance			
	Week	Year to Date	Budget	Prior Year	
Unrestricted	\$46,750	\$1,119,887	\$69,887	\$50,606	
Television	\$2,401	\$127,794	\$41,794	\$33,028	
Building Fund	\$1,735	\$216,285			
Other restricted	\$2,123	\$17,312			
Total	\$53,009	\$1,491,278	\$111,681	\$83,634	

Church Conference Schedule Change

Our Church Conference has been moved from April 28 to May 5. Please join us in the Sanctuary at 5:00 PM.

There will be a Special Called Church Conference at 5:30 PM where Dr. Aaron Hufty will join us in view of a call as Associate Pastor for Worship and Music. What a tremendous story!

Directly following, the Youth of FBCSA will be hosting an Sunda Sunday in Fellowship Hall. Join Us!

WMU/WOM Luncheon

Tuesday, May 21 from 11:45 - 1:30
in Blanchard Lounge

Topic: When Faith Costs ... Life
- The Persecuted Church -

Speaker: Mike Gahan
Phyllis Merritt Meeting 10AM
in Dining Room E
Lunch \$5.00

For reservations call 210.226.0363 or
email Kappie@fbcsa.org

Youth Ministry

Refuge
Worship & Bible Study Gathering
for teenagers grades 7-12.

6:15PM, Fellowship Hall
May 19, 26

McCullough Academy

Bring your friends and your homework!
6:30-7:30PM Wednesdays, Youth Lounge
May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, June 2

Girls and Guys Bible Studies
Thursdays, 7:00-8:00PM

See *The Challenge* for more info.

Chapel Singers

No Rehearsal today due to Fiesta
See you next week at 4:30 PM

Expanding International Activity

As our International congregations continue to grow numerically and spiritually, we are seeing more involvement in worship and training. On May 5 when the International congregations next join the English congregation for 11:00 am worship, a choir from the Zomi congregation will provide special music for worship. The Burmese people seem to be particularly musically gifted. You will be blessed by the passion with which they share the Gospel through song.

We have nine of our International leaders who have completed three weeks of our seven week deacon training series. These men are gaining the knowledge and inspiration they will need when they feel called by God to serve as deacons. These men have already demonstrated leadership capabilities and spiritual maturity and are preparing for a more formal leadership position. They are from our Chin, Karen, and Karenni congregations. Pray for them and other emerging leaders.

First on Mission

FBCSA has eighteen (18) mission trips scheduled for 2013. Of those 18, 8 are church sponsored, 8 are individual church members, and 2 are youth trips. Five of these trips are completed and we have one leaving this week, April 29-May 17.

Pray for our Thailand mission team: **Boun Phommachanh, Dave and Carrie Cole**. They will be ministering in the Burmese refugee camps outside Chiang Mai, Thailand. Some of our own members came to us through this camp and have family still there.

Marriage Conference

What Did You Expect?

May 17 and May 18

Unlike other marriage resources that diagnose horizontal problems, What Did You Expect? helps you fight a much deeper war over the worship of your heart. It is only when you worship God as Creator, Sovereign, and Savior that you will ever love as you should.

What Did You Expect? challenges you to look into the mirror of God's Word and see yourself with clarity. Maybe it is you. Maybe you are selfish. Maybe you love yourself more than your spouse. When you and your spouse reach that level of honesty, you're at the edge of really good things.

Start working on a marriage of unity, understanding, and love.

"Honoring God and Family" is the theme for the kids' retreat, which will include Bible study, crafts, music, activities, and snacks on both Friday evening and Saturday morning. Space is limited!

Register now to reserve your child's spot (birth - 6th grade).
\$10 per child (family max of \$30).

Register by May 1st to be entered into a Romantic Getaway Giveaway drawing for a one night stay at the Riverwalk Vista Hotel or a one night stay at the historic Menger Hotel!

Register: fbcsa.org/whatdidyouexpect



Wednesdays, 6:10 PM

Fellowship Hall

Bible Study:

"Psalms, Hymns, and
Spiritual Songs"

The Scriptures and stories behind our
Songs of faith.

May 1-29 (Wednesday nights), 6:30 PM

Why do Christians sing? Where do our songs come from and what do they mean? How do they strengthen and shape us for life in the Spirit? You and your family are invited to an inspiring series of studies (5 weeks) taught by our pastor in anticipation of a new Associate Pastor for Worship and Music. These studies will prepare our church for a new day of praise! Sanctuary Choir members are invited to remain for prayer on these 5 Wednesday nights. Exciting days in our fellowship.

Mid-Week Meal:

Service begins at 5:00 PM

Menu: May 1

Catered by Acadiana Café

Acadiana Chef Salad
(Salad has ham & shrimp)

Crackers, Jello

Cost: \$6.00 Adults, \$3.00 Children

Make *reservations online at
www.fbcsa.org/midweekstrength
or call Sharon in the church office
210.226.0363

(*Reservations preferred but not mandatory-extra meals available.)