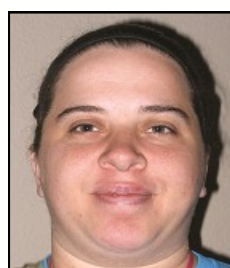


Welcome to the First Family

New Members: October 20, 2013



Heather Jones



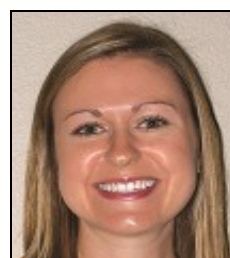
Patty Tighe



Clarence Tighe



Ruthanne Harris



Kristen Beaver



Jared Beaver

Rock-N-Roll Marathon Weekend

Logos Evening Worship Service
Saturday, November 16th
6:30 PM - Nellie Wilson Chapel

Logos Worship Band
Sunday, November 17th
7:30 AM River Lot

11:00 AM ONLY Worship Service
Cooper Fellowship Hall
(No Sunday School Classes)

On November 17, we will welcome thousands of visitors to our city. As part of our witness that day, we will go to an 11 AM WORSHIP ONLY schedule (No Sunday School). If you want to come early and encourage the runners and be the face of FBCSA to thousands across the nation, arrive before 7:30 AM (take the Brooklyn/McCullough exit off of 281 S. as McCullough from the Northwest will be closed off).

This year due to the Sanctuary HVAC install we will be moving into Cooper Fellowship Hall for this one day of service (overflow will be in the Nellie Wilson Chapel). However, you are encouraged to visit an International worship service (in English) in the Circle building, Webb 212/214, West A&B or upstairs of 4th Street Café.

This will be a morning of great energy for our city and our families.

Golf Schedule for 2013

November 23 Ft. Sam 12:00 shotgun start
December (No Tournament)

4th Annual SABA 5K Hunger Walk for Baptist Food Ministries

November 9
Comanche Park #2, 9:00am - 12:00pm, light lunch included
Goal - 25 walkers - \$2,000.00

25th Annual Wolfson House Christmas Arts & Crafts Show

November 18 - 23

First Baptist Church of San Antonio cordially invites you to the 25th Annual Wolfson House Christmas Arts & Crafts Show

Monday, Nov. 18 - Friday, Nov. 22
10:00am - 6:00pm

Saturday, Nov. 23
10:00am - 3:00pm

415 Broadway
San Antonio, TX 78215

Free Admission • Free Parking • Free Refreshments

Scott House/Morning Glory Property Pick-Up

If you bought something from FBC during the last garage sale and have not picked it up yet **or** have any property that is currently being stored in the Scott House or Morning Glory, please make pick up arrangements with the maintenance staff at 210.226.0363 or maintenance@fbcsa.org

Morning Glory Salvage Sale

Last chance salvage sale for remaining Morning Glory items. On Monday, October 28, go to <http://fbcsa.org/salvage> to view remaining items before they are salvaged away. Items are priced based on what *you* think they are worth. All monies go to the "New Hope, New Horizons" fund. Doors will be open for salvage on Sunday afternoon from the hours of 12:00-3:00 on November 10.

Job Opportunities

Church Pianist/Accompanist
(Part-time)

Submit résumés to Barbie@fbcsa.org

Minister to Preschool and Children
(Full-time)

Submit résumés to Julie@fbcsa.org

For full job descriptions go to fbcsa.org/jobs

HIGHLIGHTS

October 27, 2013

TODAY AT FBC

- 7:00 AM Pastor/Men's Prayer Time (Conference Rm)
- 8:00 AM Pastor's Class (Webb 212)
- 9:00 AM Bible Drill (Webb 301)
- 9:15 AM Thrive (Webb 310)
- 9:25 AM Worship (Sanctuary)
- 9:30 AM LOGOS Contemporary Worship (Chapel)
- Christianity Explored (Webb 210)
- Bible Study (Core, Spanish, International, Deaf)
- 10:30 AM Baptism Orientation (Pastor's Office)
- 11:00 AM Worship (Sanctuary)
- Spanish Worship (Blanchard)
- International Worship (4 locations)
- Bible Study (Venture)
- 12:15 PM Ukraine Missions Presentation (Kok 309)
- 3:30 PM Deacon Nominating Committee (Conference Rm)
- 4:00 PM A.B.L.E. (Kokernot 305)
- 4:30 PM Adult Handbell Rehearsal (Webb 210)
- Chapel Singers (Studio 3)
- Joyful Sound (Webb 209)
- Deacon's Meeting (Webb 212)
- Thinking Out Loud (Blanchard)
- 6:00 PM State of the Church Address (Sanctuary)
- 7:00 PM Church Conference (Fellowship Hall)
- Refuge (Youth Lounge)
- 7:01 PM YP and HYPE (Webb 214/210)

Bible Study

1 Peter 1:1:13 - 2:10

Morning Worship "Action Steps"

T. Don Guthrie, Preaching 11:00

Evening Worship

State of the Church Address

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

1 Peter 2:11 - 3:9

First Baptist Church of San Antonio

THIS WEEK ...

Monday, October 28 - Sunday, November 3

- 10/28
- 10/29 9:30 AM Women's Fall Bible Study (Webb 212/214)
- 10:00 AM Senior Adult Lunch/Game Day (Blanchard)
- 10/30 9:30 AM Precept Women's Fall Study (Blanchard)
- 4:30 PM Library Opens (Kokernot)
- 5:00 PM Mid-Week Meal (Fellowship Hall)
- 5:45 PM Wednesday Evening Childcare
- 6:00 PM Wednesday Night Services
- Music Friends Choir (Webb 201)
- Music Makers Choir (Webb 203)
- Young Musicians Choir (Webb 209)
- Orchestra at First (Sanctuary)
- Spanish Bible Study/Prayer (Kokernot 302)
- Strategic Planning Meeting (Kok 305)
- 6:15 PM Christianity Explored (Webb 210)
- 6:30 PM Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
- McCullough Academy (Youth Lounge)
- H2H - Journey to Restoration (Kokernot 309)
- Mission Friends (Webb 206)
- RA's/GA's (Basement/Webb 301)
- 7:00 PM Prayer Groups
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Unity Hall)
- Youth Open Mic Night (Studio 3)
- 10/31 9:00 PM Friendship (Kokernot 309)
- 11:00 AM Prayer Meeting (Parlor)
- 11/1 6:30 PM Parent's Night Out
- 11/2 9:00 PM FABS Workshop (Wolfson)
- 11/3 7:00 AM Pastor/Men's Prayer Time (Conference Rm)
- 8:00 AM Pastor's Class (Webb 212)
- 9:00 AM Bible Drill (Webb 301)
- Children's Library Open House (Webb 205)
- 9:15 AM Thrive (Webb 310)
- 9:25 AM Worship (Sanctuary)
- 9:30 AM LOGOS Contemporary Worship (Chapel)
- Christianity Explored (Webb 210)
- Bible Study (Core, Spanish, International, Deaf)
- 11:00 AM Worship (Sanctuary)
- International Worship (Sanctuary)
- Bible Study (Venture)
- 12:15 PM College Lunch (Webb 311)
- Youth Amazing Day Away!
- Preschool/Children's Teacher's Mtg (Webb 212 /214)
- American Music Festival (Sanctuary)
- 3:00 PM A.B.L.E. (Kokernot 305)
- 4:00 PM Adult Handbell Rehearsal (Webb 210)
- 4:30 PM Area Fellowships
- 5:00 PM No Evening Service
- Friends and Family Night



Ukraine Missions Presentation

Today, 12:15pm, Kokernot 309

Come see a short video to hear about God joining our two countries to work together and the exciting things God is doing in Bryanka. Light snacks provided!

State of the Church Address

Tonight!

6:00 PM—Sanctuary

Church Conference Budget Presentation

Tonight!

7:00 PM—Fellowship Hall

Senior Adult Games Day

Tuesday, October 29

If you enjoy getting together with friends to play dominoes, bridge, canasta, and table games, and having lunch, then Senior Adult Games Day just might be for you!

When: Last Tuesday of each month
This month's gathering is Tuesday, October 29, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Where: Blanchard Lounge

Cost: \$5 per person

Reservations can be made by contacting Sharon Whittington in the church office at 210.226.0363, by the Friday before the meeting date.

Christmas Care

Donations begin Sunday, November 3

Christmas Care (a ministry of FBC to low-income families in the Internationals & downtown area) begins November 3 and culminates

in the delivery of boxes of food to hundreds of families on Saturday, December 14. Church families can share by bringing the following food items.

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

Canned Meats: tuna, chicken, chili, Spam, etc.

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

Staples: flour, sugar, cornmeal, rice, soup

Canned Fruits and Juices

Please bring **ONLY** items listed. Snack foods, candy, homemade items

Weekly Report

As of Sunday, October 20, 2013

Attendance:		SS	1,141	Worship	1,523	Year to Date Variance	
Tithes and Offerings		Week	Year to Date	Budget	Prior Year		
Unrestricted	\$59,114	\$3,000,893	\$115,893	\$158,625			
Television	\$3,419	\$345,433	\$70,433	\$128,513			
Building Fund	\$123,782	\$1,025,822					
Other restricted	\$768	\$89,558					
Total	\$187,083	\$4,461,706	\$186,326	\$287,138			

Celebrate America

A Testament to our Heritage
Sunday, November 3 at 3:00pm

Join us in Honoring our Local and National Heroes through music in the sanctuary

Free Food • Free Parking • Free Concert

November 3 is International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church please remember our brothers and sisters in chains and terror

Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer

Monday, November 4 at 9:30am

San Antonio Baptist Association
5807 IH 10 West
San Antonio, TX 78201

Potluck Salad Luncheon

UTSA Faith and Family Day

Saturday, November 9th

1:00pm, Alamodome

We have tickets for the game available at the Recreation table in Unity Hall.

Youth Ministry Refuge/YP/HYPE

October 27

November 10 - Youth Sponsored Agape Meal

McCullough Academy

Bring your friends and your homework!
6:30-7:00PM Wednesdays, Youth Lounge
November 6, 13, 20

Home Groups

Wednesdays, 7:01PM
November 6, 13, 20

Girls Bible Study

Thursdays 7:00-8:30PM

See *The Challenge* for more info.

Chapel Singers & Joyful Sound

4:30 pm Rehearsal for
Chapel Singers in Studio 3
and Joyful Sound in Webb 209
6:00 pm Sing for the Evening Worship

International Ministries

A transportation coordinator is needed to work with Wayne, Rita, Boun, Friendship, and various other elements of our ministries to and with the Internationals. Several things are contributing to the need for one person to coordinate our transportation. As God expands our ministries among the Burmese and as we integrate them into more of the core ministries of FBC, transportation becomes a vital link in their involvement. About half of the 500+ Internationals who are regular participants in FBC activities have their own vehicles but even then sometimes the husband has the vehicle at work when the rest of the family needs to be at the church. Several of the Internationals are already qualified to drive church vehicles and are helping with transportation. Additionally the regular church ministries (Youth, Music, Seniors) would often be enhanced if transportation could be provided. A single coordinator of transportation would help avoid conflicting needs. Pray about this and contact Wayne or Rita in the church office at 210.226.0363 or wayne@fbcsa.org if you would be willing to provide this valuable service.

New Horizons...New Hope Annual Commitment Campaign

Sunday, November 3

OUR GOAL: Unity and enthusiasm of our church family as we prepare for a new year of service together.

The life of the church is only as strong as its HOPE. Hope is what holds us together. It is what inspires us to serve. New opportunities and the steady growth of our church are presenting new horizons and new hope for FBC. We have dreams that were not possible a few years ago! What is your hope? For yourself, your family, our church?

Every year we ask all church members to recommit themselves by signing and turning in a commitment card. This an outward act of unity that brings us together in a spirit of unity; to be regular, prayerful, sacrificial givers of our time and resources to be stewards of His word and servants of His people. Just as Nehemiah gathered the people of Israel (Nehemiah 8:1), so the church embraces regular seasons of recommitment. The Bible calls this the "steadfastness of hope" (1 Thessalonians 1:2). "If you want a fence white, you must always be painting it white" (C. S. Lewis).

Commitment cards will be available soon. Commitment Sunday will be November 3.

Thank you for being a part of the FBC family at this exciting moment.

My Hope with Billy Graham

Thursday, November 7

My Hope with Billy Graham will be broadcast on cable TBN. It is strongly recommended that you order the DVD. Ordering information is on the prayer table in the Great Hall.

First Fine Arts Installment #3

Words From Home

Sunday, November 10, 3:00 PM, Sanctuary

Tender and sincere this family ensemble will bless you with their beautiful sound and wonderful message. Come hear the wide variety of talent that God has blessed this family with.



Wednesdays, Evenings

Fellowship Hall

Bible Study:

"The Glory of God in the Church:
Expository Studies in the Book of Ephesians"

Mid - Week Meal

Service begins at 5:00 PM

New Dinner Menu: October 30

Cheese Enchiladas

Spanish Rice

Beans

Tortillas

Dessert

Cost: \$5.00 Adults, \$3.00 Children

Credit Cards accepted

Keep FBC Cool - West Hall is Open for Business

Phase I IS FULLY FUNDED!!!!. Thank you to everyone who gave to this much needed restoration project. West Hall will now be fully functional by Saturday, October 26. All Sunday School classes will be back in their original classrooms by November 3. For more information please contact your SS director or teacher.

NOTE: The Sanctuary HVAC install date has been moved up to November 11 thru 22!

On November 17 we will NOT have Sunday School classes and only an 11:00 AM Worship Service. We will be moving into Cooper Fellowship Hall for this service (over-flow will be in the Nellie Wilson Chapel) or you are encouraged to visit an International worship service (in English) in the Circle building or Webb 212/214. We will also have a Saturday evening "Logos" worship service in the Chapel at 6:30 PM the night before if you will not be able to make the Sunday morning service. More details to come...