

May Newsletter of

First Baptist Church



Sunday Schedule

8:30 a.m.—Blended Worship
9:50 a.m.—Bible Study for all ages
11:00 a.m.—Contemporary Worship

May 2010

Mike Harkrider
Senior Pastor

Mike Meadows
Associate Pastor

Burt McGaughey
Executive Pastor/
Family Ministry
Coordinator

Scott Pospisil
Pastor to Adults and
their Families

Ken Van Cura
Worship/Music
Pastor

Danny Phillips
Pastor to Students
and their Families

Shaun Daley
Associate Pastor to
Students and their
Families

Gale McGaughey
Interim Director to
Children's Ministries
and their Families

Kay Lynn Graves
Associate Minister
to Children and
their Families

*Charm is
deceptive,
and beauty
is fleeting;
but a woman
who fears the
LORD is to
be praised.
-Proverbs 31:30*



Our Purpose

First Baptist Church of Boerne is to be a Spirit-led, prayerful, family of faith who has been changed and empowered by Jesus Christ to love Him and all people through biblical service.

Our Vision

"Seeking Christ...Serving People"

Biblical Basis

Mark 12:30-31 and Matthew 6:33

Children/Family Ministry

Pastors' Prayer Partners -

6th Grade Washington D.C. Trip - June 6 or 7 through June 11 More information to come.



Soccer Camp 2010 - June 14-18 from 9:00 a.m. to noon at the Boerne City Park

Soccer Fields For kids who turn 5 by November 15 through the 6th grade

For more information, contact the Children's Ministry Office at (830) 249-2527 or sthompson@fbcboerne.org.

Preteen Camp at Highland Lakes - June 28 - July 1 Preteen camp at Highland Lakes is an amazing opportunity for those children who have completed 3rd through 6th grades. You will have a great time at the beautiful Highland Lakes Camp, and enjoy great worship, Biblical teaching, swimming, and outdoor activities including a water blob and ropes course. This is a camp you will not want to miss. Sign up today as spots are limited. Total cost is \$180 - this includes travel, food, camp, and all activities. Contact the Children's Ministry Office for more information.



Vacation Bible School 2010 - July 12 - 16 from 9:00 a.m. to noon at FBC

For Buckaroos entering Kindergarten through 6th grade.

Contact the Children's Ministry Office for more information or to sign up.

At Your Service - Sunday, May 16 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. We will split up into ministry teams and serve food and put on carnivals at local apartment complexes, and do yard work, home repair, and painting at homes. For more information, contact Scott Pospisil at (83) 249-2527 or spospisi@fbcboerne.org.

Recycling Bins - Do you have mountains of junk mail, newspapers and catalogs that you don't know what to do with? How about recycling them? We have three attractive green and yellow paper recycling bins at the back of the church parking lot just waiting to be filled. Why not get rid of all that excess paper around your house or office. The funds received for recycling go toward the Children's Building Fund. Items that can be recycled in the bins: newspaper, magazines, shopping catalogs, office and school papers, mail, and shredded paper.

Family Meals - Wednesdays, from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. The menu for the month is the following:

May 5 - Tortilla crusted tilapia, rice pilaf, lima beans and peas, bread, salad, and dessert

May 12 - Brisket, baked beans, potato salad, bread, salad, and dessert

May 19 - Chicken fried steak w/gravy, mashed potatoes, spinach or creamed corn, biscuits, salad, and dessert

May 26 - Roasted pork loin, sweet potatoes, green beans, bread, salad, and dessert

Every week with specific reservation - baked potato bar with fixings, salad and dessert - special: \$3. The cost of meals is \$5 for an adult plate, \$3 for a child's plate (no matter the age) with a limit of \$15 per immediate family. Please make a reservation by calling the kitchen phone at (830) 446-6201, the church office at (830) 249-2527, sign up in the foyer of the Welcome Center, or use the tear-off tab of the bulletin.

Boot Kickin' for Health 5K Walk - Saturday, May 22 from 8:00 to 11:00 a.m. at Enchanted Springs

Ranch Help out the Hill Country Mission for Health who offers charitable medical services to those adults with little or no access to health care. A \$15 per person entry fee also includes a chuck wagon breakfast, entertainment, and a visit to Enchanted Springs Ranch western town. Kids under 9 years of age go in free! For more information, check out our website at www.missionforhealth.com or call (830) 249-0130.

International Missions

Uganda Trip Donations Needed - The Uganda Mission team will be in Uganda from June 23 to July 8. Donations are needed of ties, scarves, and school supplies—only pens, pencils, chalk and crayons, no paper or notebooks. Collection boxes are located at the doors of the Family Life Building and Adult Education Buildings. Donations are needed by June 13. Please pray for the group as they prepare for this exciting journey.

Local Missions

Open Graduation Invitation for Christian Job Corps® of Kendall County Spring Class 2010 Graduation - Tuesday, May 18 at 6:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church Worship Center followed by a reception in the Fellowship Hall. The LORD reveals His work at CJC graduations—come learn about it!

The Hill Country Challenge Cup - Benefiting the Hill Country Pregnancy Care Center Monday, May 24 at the Fair Oaks Ranch Golf Club Registration at 11:30 a.m.; tee time 1:30 p.m. For more information or to register, contact Ben Sartin at (210) 479-7005 or bjsartin@swbell.net; Athena Oden at (210) 289-4499 or athenao@gvtc.com; or Hill Country Pregnancy Care Center at (830) 249-9717.

Motorcycle Ministry - Do you like to ride your motorcycle and enjoy the beauty that God has given us in the Hill Country? Do you like to hang with other people who enjoy the sport without have to go through an initiation or worrying if you will fit in with the wrong brand of bike? If so, contact Stacy Crow at stacycrow@gvtc.com, and he will let you know when we will be riding. ALL BIKES are welcome so it doesn't matter what brand of bike you ride as long as you like to ride and can appreciate the wonders that God provides. Rides will usually be on a Saturday morning to mid-afternoon. Sometimes we may have a ride your bike to church day and then lunch and a short ride afterward.

Senior Adult Ministry

Senior Adult Day Celebration and Luncheon- Sunday, May 2 in both worship services. Lunch will be provided at 11:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall For more information, contact Scott Pospisil at (830) 249-2527.

Maranatha Choir - Maranatha Choir has begun a new program that will run through July 7, 2010. Along with favorite Christian songs, we have a selection of summers songs. These will bring memories back to the residents of nursing and assisted living homes in the area. If you like to sing, please come join us—we would love to have you! "Try us on for size." **This month's schedule:**

May 5 at 9:45 a.m. - Boerne Care Choice, Boerne

May 12 at 9:15 a.m. - Regent Care Center, San Antonio (Lunch)

May 19 at 9:45 a.m. - Menger House, Morningside Ministries, Boerne

May 26 at 9:15 a.m. - Veterans Medical Center, Kerrville (Lunch)

For more information on the Maranatha Choir, contact Mary Presley at (210) 323-8173.

Senior Adult Day Trip - Thursday, May 13 Ride on the riverboats along the Riverwalk in San Antonio. For more information, contact Mary Pritchett at (830) 249-1836.

4-Hour AARP Driver Safety Course - May 19 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in Kronkosky Place, in the NEW Rainbow Senior Center, 17 Old San Antonio Rd, Boerne. This course is designed for and available for all senior citizens in the City of Boerne and surrounding areas, but does not fulfill requirements for court ordered Defensive Driving. Cost for course: \$12 for AARP Members and \$14 for Non-Members. **To sign up,** contact Randy Williams at (830) 249-8130.

Senior Adult Ministry (Cont'd)

Life Line Screening - Monday, May 17 in our Fellowship Hall Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will host their affordable, non-invasive, painless health screenings on May 17. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to blocked arteries, abdominal aortic aneurysms, hardening of the arteries of the legs, atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat, and a bone density screening. Your health is in your hands, so call 1-800-324-1851 for more information or to pre-register. Pre-registration is required.

Branson Christmas Trip - November 29-December 3 If interested in seeing the Christmas shows in Branson, contact Mary Pritchett at (830) 249-1836 or the church office (830) 249-2527 to get your name on the list.

Angels on Wheels Ministry - The First Baptist Church of Boerne (FBCB) "Angels on Wheels" Ministry provides free transportation assistance to Senior Adults who are members of FBCB for the following:

- * To and from church where special transportation has been arranged to attend special activities
- * To and from medical and dental appointments
- * To and from grocery shopping and/or pharmacy pick-up

Any person needing this transportation can call the FBCB "Angels on Wheels" Ministry Coordinator, Randy Williams at (830) 249-8130. In the event you cannot reach the coordinator, please leave a message or call the church office at (830) 249-2527 and they will relay the request.

Weekday Preschool

First Baptist Boerne Preschool - Registering Now for Fall 2010

Bible stories; art & games; A,B,C's - 1,2,3's; Outdoor play - Developmental enrichment in a caring Christian environment. Hours: Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. for children ages 1 to 5 years old. Extended care is available from 8:15 to 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 to 4:20 p.m. For more information, please contact Linda Phillips at (210) 698-1190 or fbcboernepreschool@gmail.com.

Women's Ministry

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) - The last MOPS meeting for this school year will be **Monday, May 10 from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. in the Family Life Building Fellowship Hall** as we wrap up our Together on Planet Mom theme. Moms, come ready to hear SDWSC testimony and open mic time. The Moppets program will be available for your children to enjoy while you are treated to a hot breakfast and fellowship. For more information, please contact Andrea Riebel at (210) 389-9238 or email us at BoerneMOPS@gmail.com.

All Women of FBC:

You are invited to a "Come and Go" bridal shower for Katie Harkrider on Sunday, May 23, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Katie is registered at Dillard's; Target; and Bed, Bath & Beyond. Katie is marrying Andy Chisholm on July 10. See you at the shower!

Summer Bible Study - Begins June 9 from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. in FLB106/108 If you knew you were going to see Christ in 7 days, how would you live? Betsy Loewen will be teaching about this using the book 7 Days Until Christ Returns. Childcare is available with pre-registration at (830) 249-2527. More information to follow.