FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

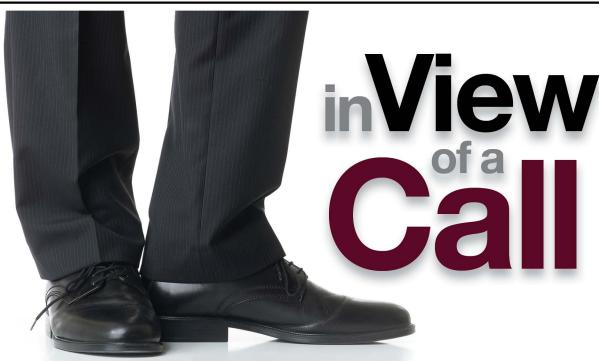
OF BRYAN, TX MAY 1, 2014











Sunday, May 4

Our prospective Senior Pastor will preach in view of a call, with a vote following each worship hour. The results of the vote will be made known, following the 10:30 am worship hour. All church members are invited to re-assemble for this announcement.

EUPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday April 30

The Pastor Search Committee cordially invites the **congregation** to be present for a more **comprehensive introduction** to our **prospective Senior Pastor**. The Committee looks forward to sharing this exciting information with our fellow members, starting at **6:00 pm**, in the **Fellowship Hall**.

Childcare will be provided, but **reservations are required**. Please email kids@fbcbryan.org with the names and ages of the children who will need childcare.

Saturday May 3

The Pastor Search Committee cordially invites all deacons and their spouses to an Introductory Brunch with the prospective Senior Pastor, beginning at 9:30 am, in the Fellowship Hall.

The Pastor Search Committee joyfully invites the **entire congregation** to meet the prospective Senior Pastor in the Fellowship Hall, from **2:00-3:30 pm**. Please join us in warmly welcoming our prospective Senior Pastor.

Check http://fbcbryan.org/pastor-search/in-view-of-a-call/ for any additional updates.

The candidate to be presented is the unanimous choice of the Pastor Search Committee:

Paula Downie Jerry Ransom Harold Chilton Zerle Carpenter Jim Moore Harry Hogan Kim Dooley Dillard Leverkuhn Sam Smith Michelle Sanderson Doy Shipman Gay Craig

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May 4, 2014 6:00 pm **Worship Center**

Join us as our children's choirs deliver a message on the Fruit of the Spirit, told through a fun-filled, superhero-themed tale of adventure.

Children's ministry



Follow "FBC Bryan Kids" on Facebook! Want to keep up with all that is going on with preschool and children? Follow us on Facebook to get reminders about special events, links to registration, and to see what your kids are learning and doing!

Mainly Music May: The preschool ministry is offering free Mainly Music sessions in May. We will meet each Wednesday in May at 10 am, in Room 136. There is no cost to attend these 4 sessions. However, registration is required. Email patsy@fbcbryan.org to register for these fun-filled music days in May!



Children's Camp: Registration is now open! Camp Teias is for children who have completed 3rd-6th Grades and takes place July 14-18. Cost is \$290. For more information, please visit fbcbryan.org/children'scamp or email kids@fbcbryan.org or 776-1400 ext. 138.

AgencyD3: Mark your calendars for June 16-19, 6:00-9:00 pm, for this summer's Vacation Bible School! Teacher recruitment has begun! Please see the sign up in the atrium near the Children's and Preschool Wing to sign up to help in the classroom. This is our greatest opportunity to share the Gospel with kids as we dig deeper into Jesus!

Adult News



Have you signed up yet? For more information and details, call Michal at 776-1400 ext. 100 or email michal@fbcbrvan.org.

KIT (Keeping In Touch): Friday, May 2. 1:00-3:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a guest and a snack, and enjoy table games and great fellowship!

Young At Heart Luncheon: Tuesday, May 13. The Luncheon will take place at 11:30 am, followed by the program at 12:10 pm. Our guest speaker is former KBTX Weatherman Bob French.

Primetimers Game Night: Tuesday, May 13. 6:00-9:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. All ages are invited to come and join in table games. Bring a guest and a snack for a time of fellowship

Adult 55+ Council Meeting: Wednesday, May 14. This council meeting will take place at 5:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Broadman Singers is a group of senior adults who love to sing and have fun! We meet every Wednesday from 4:00-5:00 pm. Come join us!

Brush Arbor: Please note each Sunday's Church Bulletin for information about Sunday evenings' Brush Arbor services, speakers, and music

FIRST SEE YOU THERE! **PICNIC**

Sunday, May 25, noon

At American Pavilion in Veterans Park, College Station

Lunch: Hamburgers, hotdogs, and chicken breasts Entertainment: Jump house, gaga pit, and playground

Combined worship at 10:30 am No Sunday School

College Ministry: #Vine

movie night on Fri., May 2, starting at 7 pm. Join us at 3212 Innsbruck Circle, College Station, for an evening of great fellowship and cinema.



Finals Brunch: Celebrate the end of the semester with a brunch, during the Sunday morning Vine gathering at 10:30 am, on May 4. Come hungry, and enjoy a break from preparing for finals with food and fellowship.

Study Sessions: Meet us at FBC Bryan on May 4-6, from 8 pm-Midnight for some quality finals prep time. Whether you need a quiet place to

Movie Night: The Buenger family is hosting a study or some stress-relieving fellowship, we'll provide that and coffee!

> Fellowship at Fuego: The Vine meets for breakfast at Fuego every Thursday from 7-9 am. Grab a quick breakfast taco on your way to class or stay and fellowship. (108 Poplar, College Station, TX)

> Prayer Requests: The Vine has designated an email address to receive your prayer requests. Let us know if you have any specific or general concerns, needs, or praises, that we can bring before the Father, this week. Any time you have a prayer need, email thevineprayer@gmail.com.

Student Prayer Meeting: Join us on Tuesdays at 7 pm, in C.J. Nolen's home. Contact our Vine Interns for more information at college@fbcbryan.org.

Prayer Walk: Join us for a weekly On-Campus Prayer Walk. We'll meet at the office entrance of FBC Bryan at 6 pm, every Thursday, from where we'll carpool to Texas A&M University's campus to walk the grounds in prayer.

Weekly Schedule*

ay not apply during holiday seasons contact church office for details

Sunday

9 am: Contemporary Worship Service 10:15 am: The Vine College Gathering

Tuesday

12 pm: Blinn Baptist Student Ministry free lunch (Blinn Student Center, Rm. 120) 7 pm: Student Prayer Meeting

Wednesday

12:30 pm: free "Vision Lunch" (hosted by Aggie Baptist Student Ministry in the BSM building on TAMU campus) 5 pm: Wednesday Night Supper 7:30 pm: Small Group Bible Study

Thursday

7-9 am: Breakfast at Fuego 6 pm: On-Campus Prayer Walk

CROSSWALK YOUTH MINISTRY



CYM Tweets: Crosswalk Youth Ministry has gained a Twitter account: Follow FBCBCYM for updates, scriptures, and encouragement. And visit www.fbcbryan.org/ministries/youth to see how involvement with the CYM Twitter Competition could win students prizes, including free Chick-fil-a meals or a \$300 scholarship toward summer CYM activities!

Commencement Sunday: Graduating seniors and their parents should be watching for emails regarding our upcoming Commencement Sunday ceremony. Email notices will provide details on how to supply information and photos for the ceremony, in addition to information about the ceremony, itself.

Summer Prayer Requests: As our students begin another break from academia, we would like to request that our FBC Bryan family remember us in our prayers. We have several summer-specific prayer requests:

- Students and their families, as they embark on summer travels.
- Students participating in summer courses.
- Productive and constructive use of any gained free time, this season,
- Our CYM summer activities and missions.

COMMENCEMENT SUNDAY

May 18, time Contemporary & Traditional Services

Join us in honoring our graduating seniors.



Seniors receiving scholarships from FBC Bryan must be in attendance to accept.

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MISSION TRIPS NOW RECRUITING:

Germany Baseball Camp

Lasara - South Texas Valley

July 3-15

Gary Balmain for more information.

Contact Gretchen Hanson or

July 6-11

Contact Gary Balmain for additional information.

Please Keep these upcoming Mission Trips in your prayers:

Estonia Construction Team May 15-29

> **Baseball Camp:** Germany July 3-15

Lasara: South Texas Valley July 6-11

CYM eMERGE: Johannesburg, South Africa July 20 - August 1

Philippines Typhoon Relief July 23 - August 5



"Rut you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." -Acts. 1:8



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- The family of Don Roblyer on his death.
- The family of Mary Cecil Trew on her death.
- The family of Troy Holcombe on the death of his brother-in-law, Mickey Scott.

Church Records

April 27, 2014

Sunday School Enrollment 2166 Sunday School Attendance 717 **Budget Required Per Week** \$69,155.58 **Budget Gifts** \$33,668.81 Budget Req. to Date \$1,175,644.81 Budget Gifts to Date \$962,079.62 Gifts Over/Under Budget -\$213,565.19 A TIME TO BUILD

Contributions Gifts Year-to-Date Loan Balance

(as of 03/31/14)

\$74,065.50 \$2,997,893.12

\$3,847.00