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First Baptist Church Tulia
Reaching In! Reaching Up! Reaching Out!

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40 Days of Prayer

We will continue our church-wide study on prayer this Sunday. We plan to finish before Easter. Our Sunday school departments and the Wednesday Night Ladies group are all using Rick Warren's *40 DAYS OF PRAYER* guide for this study.

Even if you have not been part of this study, you are encouraged to come! There are Bible Study lessons, Jim is bringing a sermon series on prayer, and the church will be intentionally praying for God's direction and guidance as we select a Pastor Search Committee and they begin seeking God's will for a new pastor for FBC.

You are encouraged to participate in the group study, but if you can't and still want a book, please let one of the staff know. You can access the video sessions on YouTube if you want to watch them at home.

Join us for *40 DAYS OF PRAYER!*

Transition Committee News

Thank you for your responses to the Pastor Surveys. The information you provided will be very helpful to our Pastor Search Committee.

Please be praying earnestly for God's direction as we move toward voting on our Pastor Search Committee. We will have a called business meeting on March 4 to vote and begin the process of choosing this committee.

*Join us this Sunday for fellowship,
Bible study and worship.
And . . . Bring someone with you!
There is a place for everyone!*

*FBC Women's Ministry
and Life in the Word
invite you to attend
Lavishly Loved
Women's Conference
April 6-7
Guest Speaker
Amy Riley Hossler
Cost is \$15*

If you would like to help with this event,
please contact the church office.

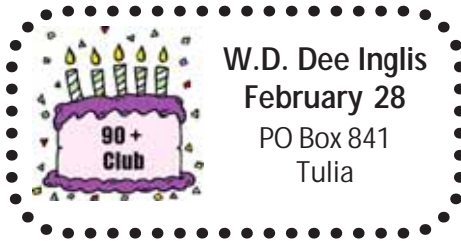
Disciple Now 2018!



Thanks to everyone who made this weekend
a huge success. Keep praying!

Happy Birthday

- 28 - Ricky Fudge, Dean Turner
 March
 1 - Marilyn Foster
 2 - Jack Todd
 3 - Holly Westfall
 4 - Shenae Brock
 5 - Neta Gore
 7 - Mary Garrison
 9 - Denise Gastineau, Sherella
 Lewis, Bill Marten
 10 - Stephen Aldridge
 11 - Ronnie Via




Deacons of the Week

- February 18
 Don Jackson 627-8173
 Clint Lewis 570-1001
 February 25
 Bill Marten 676-2233
 Donnie Prater 683-2171

VISIT THE CHURCH LIBRARY

- Sunday**  **Wednesday**
 9 am & 12 pm 5:30pm

Prayer Ministry!

Are you looking for a quiet, peaceful place to spend time with God? We have a newly decorated room dedicated to prayer. You would have an opportunity to be still before the Lord and bring your own petitions before Him. You can also lift up those requests for special prayer that have come in to our Prayer Ministry. 

You may come by or call the church office at 995-3591. Someone on staff will help you find a time and show you the procedures.

“And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints.” (Ephesians 6:18)



- 5:30 Children's Choirs
 5:45 Family meal (\$4/person \$12/family of 4 or more)
 6:30 Mission Friends, GAs, RAs, Youth, Adult Prayer/Bible Study, Ladies Study

Thank You

Thank you! This study “Winning Your War Against Satan” opened my eyes to a spiritual battle I have been dealing with in my faith. A true blessing.

Exodus Student

Dear FBC Tulia,

Thank you so much for your faithful giving. Because I know of your interest in helping brothers and sisters who are less fortunate than we are, I am forwarding the gift you sent me to the church at Feira Nova, Brazil. They are building a restroom for the disabled and this will help with the costs.

God bless,

Clara Lynn Williams, Annuity Recipient

Ladies' Night

The next ladies' night will be this Friday, February 23, from 7 to 9 pm in fellowship hall. Our host for the evening will be Kim George. Bring your friends and a snack to enjoy a great time! We will not have childcare, so please make other arrangements if you have children. Text @tuliamen to 81010 for updates.

Join the men for Bible study every Saturday morning at 7 am in fellowship hall.



Our Deacons

Here is a current list of our deacons. Please be in prayer for all of them.

- Joe Archer
- Mikeal Barnes
- Robert Chadwick
- Gary Eastwood
- Dusty George, Deacon Chair
- Brian Hill
- Ben Howard
- Don Jackson
- Clint Lewis
- Bill Marten
- Donnie Prater
- E.W. Riley
- Julius Stevens
- Paul Swanson
- Eddie Womack

*Please join us as we celebrate
 Kathy Teel's 90th Birthday*

*Saturday, March 3
 from 2:00 to 3:30 pm*

*Oakwood United Methodist Church
 2215 58th Street
 Lubbock, TX*

*Cards may be sent to
 5401 56th Street, #42, Lubbock, TX 79414*

Sympathy

Christian love and sympathy is extended to Sheila & David Dunn and family in the death of her father, Alfred “Buck” McKone.

Christian love and sympathy is extended to Tom & Mary Garrison and family in the death of their great grandson, Kyle Lister.

**Women's Bible Study meets
 Wednesday at 6:30 pm upstairs
 in the Education Building. We are
 studying “40 Days of Prayer”**



Youth News

**Students will be going to
 “Lives Ablaze Youth Camp”** at Sivells Baptist Retreat, Cloudcroft, NM. The dates are June 11-15, and the cost will be \$205. Registration and a \$70 deposit will be due April 8. Sign-up sheets are in the Youth room. More details later.

Super Summer discipleship camp will be June 25-29 at Howard Payne University in Brownwood, TX. Sign-up and a non-refundable \$75 deposit is due by March 18. Total cost is \$310. Sign-up sheets are in the youth room.

Help! Some of our students will need help attending both of these camps in one month! If you have some work that they could do to earn money, please call James.



**Vacation Bible School
 June 18-22**

Call the office and sign up to help!

Personal contribution records for 2017 are available from the church office. Please contact Karen if you need a copy for your tax return.



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| Feb 23 | Ladies' Night |
| March 4 | Vote on Pastor Search Committee |
| March 11 | Time Change |
| March 25 | Celebrate Lord's Supper |
| April 6-7 | Women's Conference |