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JULY 27TH

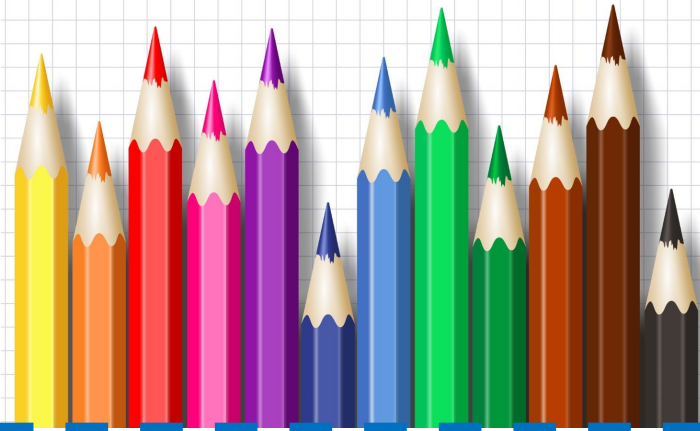
SENIOR SUNDAE NIGHT

CHILDREN IN ACTION
MISSION KIDS WOULD LIKE TO
HONOR OUR SENIOR ADULTS
AND INVITE THEM TO AN
AFTER CHURCH TREAT!

July 27th our Children in Action
kids would like to serve our
Senior Adults following our
Sunday Evening Service.
Come ready for a treat!

All are welcome!

Women on Mission
are in need of
Colored Pencils
and
Ball Point Pens



Extended Session Needs YOU!

There are many slots to be filled on our
Extended Session Calendar!
Do you love babies and preschoolers?
Are you willing to give 8 Sunday's a
year so that young parents may be in
Worship?

If you are willing to be added to the
calendar, please contact
Kim Ohls - 316-213-8051 or come to
the Preschool Department.



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July 20 2025



Falls Creek Youth Camp—Davis, OK



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Sunday, July 20

Sunday School	9:15 AM
Morning Worship Service	10:30 AM
Evening Worship Service	6:00 PM

Monday, July 21

Piecemakers (Barrager Home)	9:30 AM
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Wednesday, July 23

Youth Activities	6:30 PM
Adult Bible Study	7:00 PM

Sunday morning services
can be viewed **LIVE**
by going to the church website:
go2believers.com
and clicking on the **media tab**

From the Pastor’s Desk

I am writing this column in the days BEFORE departing to spend several days at Falls Creek Baptist Assembly with our students. I look forward to this week every year because I love the energy, enthusiasm, and joy that is so easily seen in the young. I always find great joy in watching our students respond to the clear teaching of God’s Word and seeing how they grow more in-tune to His message as they are removed from the normal, everyday distractions of life. I look forward to watching as students give their lives to Christ or realize how far they’ve wandered from His plan and come running back to Him in repentance!

I love being in a worship center with thousands of students singing at the top of their lungs, raising their hands in praise, and listening intently as God’s Word is opened, explained, and applied to their lives. I am moved each time that an invitation is extended, and masses of young people begin to move in response to the moving of God’s Spirit. I enjoy seeing their smiles, hearing their laughter, witnessing the growth of their love for one another; I also enjoy seeing tears of comprehension, brokenness, and repentance as they have personal encounters with God.

Each year I attend camp with our students because I want them to know that I’m not just the pastor for the adults in the church, I’m theirs as well. What they are doing and experiencing is important and it may be life changing and eternity altering! At this same camp, 50 years ago (as a 14-year-old boy), I heard the voice of God calling me to preach the gospel. The same God still calls and each year there are students who respond and in so doing, guarantee the continual, ongoing ministry of the Kingdom of God. As a result of what occurs in local churches and this camp that is used by so many, there are missionaries serving all around the globe and across North America. There are also pastors and staff members at churches all across this land who point back to a week, a day, and/or a moment at Falls Creek when they sensed and knew God’s calling upon their lives.

Why is it important for me to tell you these things this morning? I know many of you have been praying for our group all week and I want to say, “Thank You.” I know our students will arrive this morning, full of enthusiasm and youthful zeal and I want to encourage you to encourage them in their walk with the Lord to be faithful and consistent – to stand firm in their convictions even during difficult times. Finally, I know there are times when as adults we feel we have no part in the lives of the students around us but that is not true. Were it not for your prayers and generous support very few of these students would ever have an opportunity or an experience like this one. Again, I want to say, “Thank You” from the bottom of my heart.

As we worship together this morning, please forgive any signs of fatigue. I pray that you will hear what God has to say through His Word, and you will receive it, respond to it, and follow Him wherever He may be leading. Join me on this journey and you will . . . Be Blessed!

Under His wing,

Pastor Tim

Jesus, Pizza, and Dodgeball

There are a lot of things in life that consume our thoughts. Things from our personal life, work, family, friends, etc. There are no shortage of things that we stress over and worry about. As Christians, we are called to not worry about "anything" (Philippians 4). Spoiler, that includes the very thing (s) you are worried and stressed about right now as well as what you will be worried about next week.

But what tends to happen is that we rely on ourselves. We trust that we can figure it out and fix whatever it is that we are worried about. We don't think we are relying on ourselves because we said a 5-second prayer to give it to God. But since God didn't answer when we said "amen" we immediately took control of the reins again. I know that we are trusting in ourselves because we are still worried about it.

Anxiety is at an all-time high in our culture. There are several factors as to why this is, but a lot of it has to do with social media, finances, and family. I'm not making light of the anxiety that people face. it is a real problem and can be crippling for some. But what I am suggesting is that we (parents and adults) have not modeled and/or taught others how to properly deal with hard things. Maybe that's because we weren't taught, but at some point the trend needs to stop.

Christians talk a lot about prayer, and rightfully so as it is mentioned over 600 times in the Bible. The problem is that we talk a lot about it without actually believing in it. Sure, we believe in it for some things, like when we pray for healing and missionaries. But we don't actually believe in it when it comes to raising our kids, our finances, our dispute at work, or for our own shortcomings. If we believed in it's power, we would spend significantly more time doing it and then turning it over to God rather than still trying to fix it ourselves.

Maybe we need to start at the beginning, by just being still in God's presence. Maybe we need to learn to give up control and let God lead. Maybe we need to let God dictate our schedule so that we can have quality uninterrupted time with God. Maybe we need to model with our words, actions, and thoughts that we actually believe in the power of prayer through the all-powerful and all-knowing God. Maybe then He will respond to our prayers and we will actually feel close to Him again.

Andrew

2025 Weekly Budget Requirement:
\$16,596.15

2025 World Mission Offering YTD:
\$16,698.05

Attendance for July 13, 2025

Sunday School	153
Morning Worship	229
Evening Worship	24

Attendance for July 23, 2025

Adult Bible Study	22
Falls Creek Youth Camp	41

Receipts for July 13, 2025

Budget Offerings	\$8,982.55
World Mission Offerings	\$626.00
Building Fund	\$400.00
Benevolence Ministry	\$636.00
Horseshoe Ministry	\$130.00
Lottie Moon	\$25.00
Send Relief	\$100.00
Youth Ministry	\$4,034.00

Mulvane Old Settlers Days Parade
August 23
Tract distribution only

Kansas State Fair
September 5-14

Greater Andover Days
September 27

General Pleasanton Days
October 4

Goddard Fall Festival
October 11

BSBC Trunk or Treat
October 31

College Hill Tract distribution
October 31

Wichita Veterans’ Day Parade
November 8
Tract distribution only.

Derby Christmas Parade—
December 6
Tract distribution only.

Please Pray For
Debbie Dawson
Terry Larson
Mary McLaughlin
Family of Leon Clevenger
Ezra

Dixie LaBrue
Texas Flooding
Mary Barker
Dale Dawson
Don Dodds
Joyce Powell
Carol Winegarner
Stacy Otto
Elaine
Jail & Prison Ministry
Law Enforcement
Our Countries Leaders
Revival

The Nation of Israel
Long Term Illness

Audra Arnold
Greg Benge
Dale Bernhardt
Virginia Bigelow
Carolyn Catlin
Mike Edwards
Dennis Ensley
Kaysen Galindo
Ray Hodge
David Hopkins
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