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Sunday Schedule for March 10

- 8:45 a.m.** Small Groups
Starting Point
- 10:00 a.m.** Worship
- 2:00 p.m.** Open Gym
- 4:30 p.m.** Discipleship classes
WAM

Daylight Saving Time Begins Sunday

It's time to spring forward, so remember to set your clocks forward one hour this Saturday evening so you will be on time for church Sunday morning.

Wednesday Schedule for March 13

- **Wednesday Night Meal Menu**—Lasagna, vegetable, salad, garlic bread, dessert; (Menu is subject to change, so watch our **Facebook page** for updates and corrections.) Adults—\$5; Children (6th grade & under)—\$3; Family Max—\$20.
- **Pastor Joshua Babb** will lead the adult Bible study, beginning at **6:30 p.m.** Our Students (7th–12th grades), children (K–6th grades), and Mission Friends (three and four year olds) will meet at **6:00 p.m.** All groups will dismiss at **7:30 p.m.**

The Full Wednesday Schedule

- 5–6:00 p.m.** Family Night Meal
- 6–7:30 p.m.** Nursery, Mission Friends, God's Amazing Kids [GAK], Student Night of Worship, and Adult Worship Choir
- 6:30–7:30 p.m.** Adult Bible Study
- 7:00–8:00 p.m.** Orchestra Rehearsal

FBC Family Beach Party

Join us next **Friday, March 15**, in the gym at FBC Centerton for a Beach Party! We'll have games (many involving pool noodles!), food and drinks, and we'll even decorate a pair of flip-flops! Come hang out with your friends from church and have a great time! **RSVP today so that we have enough craft supplies and food for everyone:** <https://myfbc.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/178/responses/new>

Life Way Christian School

As a ministry of this church, Life Way is blessed to be able to hold up Christ as preeminent in everything that is done at the school. Next year will mark Life Way's 20th year of offering a Christ-centered education to the families in NW Arkansas. If you would like to learn more about the school, there will be four Experience Life Way days this spring. These events will be held on **April 4**, and **May 9 at 9:00 a.m.** Please call the school at **479-795-9322** if you would like to come to one of these events or find out more about the school.

Thanks for your continual prayers and know you are welcome to attend any of the following events:

- March 18-22—Spring Break
- April 4—Experience Life Way for new families
- April 26 and 27—Life Way Drama Department presents *Sound of Music*
- May 9—Experience Life Way for new families
- May 10—Class of 2019 Graduation
- May 24—Last Day of School

May God be glorified and continue to do a work in the hearts of young people at First Baptist Centerton!

Women's Ministry Update

For more information, contact the church office. Phone: 479.795.2591

Email: info@fbccenterton.org

- **Bible Study Opportunities**
 - **Precept Class, Jeremiah Part 1**—January 7–April 8 (10 weeks) at **9:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m.**
Gail Lambert will lead this class in her home (306 SW E St., Bentonville). The workbook cost is \$25.00, payable to FBCC.
 - **Precept Class, Ignite your Passion for God**—February 10–April 7 (9 weeks) at **4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.** **Gail Lambert** will lead this class here at the church in room **A224**. Workbook cost is \$6.00, payable to FBCC. This class has no homework.

If you are interested in participating in either of these classes, please contact Gail Lambert at **757.570.0786**.

The STUDENT Section

For more information, contact the church office. Phone: 479.795.2591

Email: students@fbccenterton.org; Website: www.fbccenterton.org.

- **Wednesday nights**

Following the meal in the Fellowship Hall at **5:00 p.m.**, the Student Center will be open for games and fellowship for students. At **6:15 p.m.**, the students' worship service will begin. After worship concludes at **7:00 p.m.**, the students can enjoy extended fellowship by participating in a group activity/competition.
- **DNOW 2019—April 5-7**; Disciple Now Weekend (DNOW) is an annual Student Ministry event that is centered around small group discipleship in a home setting. The weekend consists of prayer, Bible study, music, food and relationship-building. The event will kick off on Friday evening, **April 5**, and students will stay in host homes on Friday and Saturday, wrapping up on Sunday morning during Small Groups and the Worship Service.

DNOW 2019 registration is now open at the link below. Share with your friends and get them signed up too! The cost is **\$60**.

We still need volunteers to help with transportation, help in the kitchen to prepare meals with Shelby, and other various roles. A sign-up for food and monetary donations will be coming through a SignUpGenius email. For more information or to volunteer, you may contact **Craig Langford** at craig.langford@jbhunt.com. You may register at this link: <https://myfbc.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/177/responses/new>.

- **Save the Dates**—Mark your calendars for these summer events:
 - Youth Mission Trip to Wyoming—June 22-29
 - PraiseWorks—July 8-12
 - VBS—July 15-19

Children’s Ministry Update

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- **GAK and Mission Friends**—The GAK Bible verse for March is **John 1:12-13**. In fact, our entire church will be trying to memorize this passage in March!
- **WAM (Worship Arts Ministry)** —WAM (Worship Arts Ministry) is **BACK** at FBC Centerton **each Sunday!** WAM will be 10 weeks of music, drama, worship, and fun! Bring your kids (ages 4 years-6th grade) to WAM each week starting at 4:30. Sign-in is in building B (the student center) near the preschool hall.

WAM will be leading worship this Sunday (1st grade and up) with our choir and orchestra. You won't want to miss it!

- **Save the Dates**—Mark your calendars for these upcoming events:
 - FBC Family Beach Party—March 15
 - Camp Siloam—June 17-21
 - MAX Camp—July 1-3
 - JoyWorks—July 8-12
 - VBS—July 15-19

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Sunday Small Groups.....	NA
Sunday AM Worship Gathering	NA

Focus on Giving for March 3, 2019

General Fund:

Weekly Average Need	\$24,190.00
Weekly Receipts	\$16,290.57

Designated Funds:

World Mission Weekly Receipts.....	\$325.00
World Mission YTD	\$7,686.00
Building Forward Receipts.....	\$20.00
Building Forward Balance	\$42,731.07
Walkers in Ecuador	600.00
Seattle.....	175.00