



Douglas Falknor  
pastor

*But I have received everything in full and have an abundance; I am amply supplied, having received from Epaphroditus what you have sent, a fragrant aroma, an acceptable sacrifice, well-pleasing to God. Philippians 4:18*

The images of the devastation in Moore, OK, startle our senses. As I checked the news last night and this morning, fatalities had been reported at 51 and even higher with many more suffering injury. Remarkably, that number has been declining with "only" 24 confirmed deaths. After seeing the images, many people flashed back to Joplin's disaster and considered the fatalities could dramatically rise.

Our hearts break for our neighbors facing physical and financial loss. We can picture ourselves searching for our kids at the schools, sifting through shattered belongings to rescue a treasured memory, wondering where we will work or live or worship. How will we feed our family today, tomorrow, next week?

We want to help. What can we do? At this writing, there are two primary needs: prayer and money. Both are needed in abundance.

I am confident that you have already been praying. Please pray again. As you see a picture of a person in distress, pray specifically for that one. When you hear about a family in grief, pray for that family. Seek God's face. He hears. He cares. He comes to the rescue of the wounded, broken, and weary. Let us trust in Him.

I am also confident that you are ready to give. Be as generous as you would hope people would be with you in a time of disaster. And, be wise as you give. There are many good groups and organizations that will request money. Some will use it wisely, but others will not. Give so that your money will go to help people, not to pay for administrative costs or salaries.

Because you tithe through First Baptist Church, our partnership with the Arkansas Baptist State Convention has already supported the foundation for disaster relief ministries. You can help people in Oklahoma by giving to the Disaster Relief Ministries of the Arkansas Baptist. Here is an update from that team:

#### Arkansas Baptists:

You are mostly likely aware of the tornado devastation in Oklahoma. We have been in contact with Oklahoma Baptist Convention Disaster Relief people since this morning due to the storms there last night and today. We have offered to assist them in any way possible. Thank you for your prayers for our friends in Oklahoma.

If you would like to contribute to aiding the people of Oklahoma, click [HERE](#). All funds are used in providing direct relief to those in this terrible tragedy.

God bless you.

Missions Ministries Team

Click on the link above to give directly to the Arkansas Disaster Relief or give a designated gift through First Baptist Church. All of your money will be for disaster relief in Oklahoma.

Bro. Doug

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**LOOKING AHEAD**

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**SUNDAY, MAY 26**

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Summer Schedule Begins

9:45 Sunday School

11:00 Morning Worship

No Evening Service or Events Today

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**MONDAY, MAY 27**

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Memorial Day—Church Closed



**REMEMBER**

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**TUESDAY, MAY 28**

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4:30 pm Adult Golf, Brush Creek

5:00 Adult Golf, Brush Creek

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**WEDNESDAY, MAY 29**

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9:30 am Ladies' Quilting, 320

4:45 pm *Mission Bells & Choir* Rehearsal

5:15 S.D. Mission Trip Mtg., P

5:30 Family Meal, MH

Library Opens

6:00 Safety C., 174

6:15 Children's Activities

MS & Youth Summer Bash,

Williams' house

College Book Study

Bible Study/Prayer Mtg., LA

6:40 Sanctuary Choir

7:15 ENGAGE Rehearsal

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**THURSDAY, MAY 30**

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9:30 am Women's Bible Study, N125

7:00 pm Adult Basketball, MH

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**SATURDAY, JUNE 1**

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8:30 am South Dakota Mission

Trip Begins

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**SUNDAY, JUNE 2**

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Food Pantry Day

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 Morning Worship with

Lord's Supper

3:30 pm Youth Praise Team

3:45 *Mission Bells & Choir* Rehearsal

4:45 ENGAGE Rehearsal

5:00 Youth Choir Rehearsal

Evangelism/Missions C., P

6:00 ENGAGE Worship



**Begins Sunday, May 26**

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**Sunday Schedule**

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9:45 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

6:00 p.m. ENGAGE Worship

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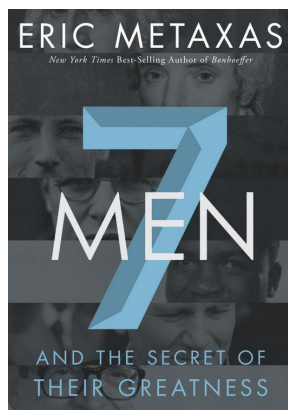
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**Wednesday Schedule**

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5:30 p.m. Family Meal

6:00 p.m. All Activities



**Women's Book Club  
will meet  
July 2 at 10am  
Carol Brunner's home**

***Book selection:*  
7 Men by Eric Metaxas  
(author of *Bonhoeffer*)**



**AT THE GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING  
ON MAY 19, FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH:**

- A. Approved the April financial report.
- B. Recommended Andrew Eaton for Admission GGBT Seminary.
- C. Elected the following people to serve on committees listed: Women's Ministry—Melinda Bunyard; Stewardship—Tommy DeWeese; Constitution/Bylaws Review Committee—Katie Papasan, Scott Lambert, Carol Brunner, Jason Hall, Emery Scism; Historical—Karen Patterson; Evangelism/Missions—Mary Kay Weathers; Pastoral Ministries—Joan Hicks.
- D. Elected messengers to the Southern Baptist Convention annual meeting to be held June 11-12 in Houston, TX.
- E. Adopted the June 2013 Calendar of Activities

# Music & Missions Celebration

**Fun City in Springdale**

Wednesday, May 22

6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

**Meet at Fun City**

For children 3 yrs old - 5th Grade

This event is a reward for our children who have participated in Music & Missions activities this year. Children who have participated in Music & Missions this year and the workers will be paid for and will have unlimited play time in the play area, 2 slices of pizza and a drink, and 10 tokens to play games.



Parents who are not Music & Missions teachers and younger siblings can have pizza with us at a cost of \$2.00 each.

Parents of preschool - kindergarten must stay with their children. Sign up at the children's hallway or Information Center.

Questions: contact Lisa Wheat at 442-2387 ex 20.



## University Summer Missions

This summer most of us will take some time off, try to relax, visit the beach, visit family, or even relax by visiting family on the beach. Several students from our College Ministry will spend their summers serving with the North American and International Mission Boards. These students will devote their time

fully to ministry, have opportunities to share the gospel all around the world while engaging various cultures, and have once in a lifetime experiences. They also will get tired, and perhaps lonely and even discouraged as they spend their summer away from friends, family, and often anything familiar.

Would you pray for these who will serve this summer? Pray that they would learn to trust God fully. Pray that they would have many opportunities to share the gospel. Pray that those with whom they share would be open to the gospel and respond in faith. Pray for strength, wisdom, and provision. Pray that God would show them the reality that "there is no one who has left house or wife or brothers or parents or children, for the sake of the kingdom of God, who will not receive many times more in this time, and in the age to come eternal life" Luke 18:29-30.

Some of those serving are *Hannah Anderson*, Australia, May 23-July 31; *Grace Monk*, Australia, May 23-July 31; *Shi Shi Chen*, Toronto, June 5-July 29; *Josh Settlemoir*, Tennessee, June 2-July 27; *Rachel Falknor*, Washington-Madison Counties & Mexico, June 3-August 2.



Wednesday, May 29

6:15 pm

# Summer Bash Party

Caleb & Josh Williams' home



**Register  
NOW**

[www.campsiloam.com](http://www.campsiloam.com)

**Summer  
Youth  
Camp**

**July  
15-19**

**\$150**  
\$50 Deposit



**FACING FEARS  
TRUSTING GOD**

**MIDDLE SCHOOL VBS 2013**

**JUNE 24-28 9:00AM-12:00N**

Phone: 479-442-2387 Fax: 479-442-2265

**Church Staff Extension**

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# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

## PRaise RECORD—MAY 19

Sunday School Enrollment.....	1020
Sunday School Attendance.....	508
New Sunday School Members.....	1
Morning Worship.....	609
8:30.....	254
11:00.....	355
Children's Mission Night.....	169
New Members.....	2
Received for week.....	\$23,600.72
Required for week.....	\$39,451.37
Received in month to date.....	\$98,074.48
Required in month to date.....	\$118,354.11
Received in 2013.....	\$632,437.23
Required in 2013.....	\$749,576.05
One Heart One Treasure	
This week.....	\$2,065.00
Since 9/27/09.....	\$1,469,649.22

## HOSPITALIZED:

Asher & Adelyn Fowlkes, WRMC  
Del Brooks, WRMC #3312  
Dolores Pickard-HealthSouth 126

## DEACON OF THE WEEK MAY 26-JUNE 1

Marion Williams 443-0414

## VAN DRIVERS~

### SUN., MAY 26

David Savage (200-7401)  
Malcolm Wilson (305-2489)

## FAMILY MEAL-

### WED., MAY 29 @ 5 P.M.

Cost: \$3 per person. Free for preschoolers,  
Family maximum: \$12

**MENU:** Chicken Tenders, Mashed Potatoes,  
Corn, Rolls, Potato/Salad Bar, Dessert

**CHILDREN'S MENU: (PS-GR.5 ONLY):**

Chicken Tenders

### WORKERS:

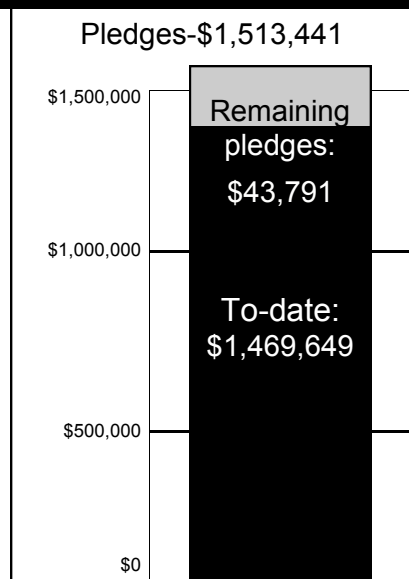
Shannon Newman, Carole Simpson  
Rick McCoy, Rick Tanneberger

## NEW MEMBERS

On Promise of Letter

Clarence & Alice Watson  
444 Browning Circle  
Farmington 72730  
479-300-6066

## ONE HEART ONE TREASURE



Loan balance: \$2,374,178

## ETC ~ MAY 26—SUMMER SCHEDULE BEGINS

### 11:00 service:

Babies 1 - DiAnne & Rachel Deeds  
Babies 2 - Rick & Carolyn Tanneberger  
Toddlers - Jennifer Bunger, Dawn Mabry  
Twos - Lisa & Nicole McClelland  
Threes - Dan & Jennifer Skoff  
Fours - Chris & Hadley Williams

## SYMPATHY

The church extends Christian love and sympathy to Lowell and Peggy Snow on the loss of her mother, Pauline Sisson, on May 14, 2013.

## LETTER

Dear Church Family,  
Thank you so much for your prayers, cards, and delicious meals, following my surgery. I have missed being a part of the worship service and look forward to coming back very soon.

I'm so blessed and grateful for being a part of such a loving and caring fellowship of believers.

Sincerely,  
Rita and David Savage



### IN MEMORY OF DAVID ADAMS

Dan & Nancy Eckels

### IN MEMORY OF LARRY BREWER

Rick & Carolyn Tanneberger

### IN MEMORY OF MILLARD GOFF

James & Doris Barrentine  
Dan & Nancy Eckels  
Craig & Connie Edmonston  
Buddy Ledford

Rick & Brenda Hoyt

Gerald & Anne Jones

Rick & Carolyn Tanneberger

Jim & Sherry Watson

### IN MEMORY OF BETTY LOVELL

Rick & Brenda Hoyt

Rick & Carolyn Tanneberger

### IN MEMORY OF JAMES SUGG

James & Doris Barrentine

Gerald & Anne Jones



### IN HONOR OF EVELYN McDONALD

Dan & Nancy Eckels