

Dilley First Baptist Church

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Offertory Servants for September:

Travis Hurt
Fred Seal

A Word From Lance

Dear Church Family,

I hope that you are being challenged as much as I am by our study of the book of Mark. It is refreshing to study through this gospel and be reminded of the life, works and teachings of Jesus' earthly ministry. Study ahead. We will be looking at Mark 4:21-25 for "Because We Are Free" Sunday. We will be celebrating the privilege that God has given us to live in this free country, but we will also explore the responsibilities that go along with it!

In light of that, I want to make you aware of a mighty work that the Lord is doing in various places around the world. One place that has been highlighted for me lately is what God is doing in China (yes, I said China!). There are over a billion people in China with very few believers historically. But this year there are over 90 million Christians there and they are expecting that number to rise to over 150 million in the very near future. That church is very evangelistic even with political (and military) resistance. However, there is a gigantic need in that church right now. The pastors and leaders of the church are woefully lacking in biblical training. We have an opportunity to help meet that need. If you are interested in financially participating in that, please let Kay know. We will be putting together an offering for them very soon.

In His Grip!

Lance

Youth Corner

The youth group has started a new study on the life of Christ. It begins with the Old Testament prophecies about Christ, then walks through the events of His life on earth and His interactions with people, and finishes looking toward His coming return. We would love to have you join us!

"See you at the Pole" is September 22 at 7:30 am. Breakfast will be provided. Come join us in prayer for our schools!

Eric & JoAnna Collier

Events for September:

- Sept. 5 "Welcome to First Baptist"
Sunday School Class
- Sept. 8 Awana begins
- Sept. 11 Youth Skating Trip
Leave @ 3:00 pm
- Sept. 12 "Because We Are Free"
- Sept. 19 Business Meeting after
PM Service
- Sept. 22 "See You At The Pole"
@ 7:30 am/Breakfast
- Sept. 26 Host Belen/PM Service

Awana News

Wednesday, September 8, 2010, Awana will start registering and training young children pre-K to 6th grade in the gospels of Jesus Christ, to know, serve and love Him. A quick meal will be available from 5:30 pm until 5:50 pm. Awana program will start at 6:00 pm and end by 7:30 pm. Pray for all involved for spiritual growth to trust in God for the program He has given us as a tool to show Him to the children of this community. Pray for the parents of the children that they may become like-mannered and receive Jesus into their homes and workplaces; and that they will know and serve Him and not be a hindrance, but a blessing to their children's spiritual growth. Paul