

It is hard to believe five months of 2014 has passed us by so quickly. Many (cold-blooded people) are basking in the warm weather while others (warm-blooded people) are trying to hide from the warm weather by staying inside their cool refrigerated homes. Whatever your disposition may be, it is good to be alive!

The month of June is the midway point in our calendar year. It's a pivotal time for many to make changes in their lives, reflect on the blessings of the past and look to the future with hope. We find that God made each season for its own purpose. We benefit greatly when we understand how each season affects our lives.

Notice how God placed everything in order, so we may live in balance. Reading from Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 (NCV) *There is a time for everything, and everything on earth has its special season. <sup>2</sup>There is a time to be born and a time to die. There is a time to plant and a time to pull up plants. <sup>3</sup>There is a time to kill and a time to heal. There is a time to destroy and a time to build. <sup>4</sup>There is a time to cry and a time to laugh. There is a time to be sad and a time to dance. <sup>5</sup>There is a time to throw away stones, and a time to gather them. There is a time to hug and a time not to hug. <sup>6</sup>There is a time to look for something and a time to stop looking for it. There is a time to keep things and a time to throw things away. <sup>7</sup>There is a time to tear apart and a time to sew together. There is a time to be silent and a time to speak. <sup>8</sup>There is a time to love and a time to hate. There is a time for war and a time for peace.*

What season do you find yourself in today? No matter what season you are in, remember to thank God for it. For some seen and unseen reasons God is using this season to bring balance into your life. The Lord knows, we all need balance in an unbalanced world!

Following this wonderful passage of scripture, I want to remind you all, there is a time to attend our annual Bible Conference. It will begin on Sunday, June 22nd and will continue until June 25th.

Our special guest, Dr. Bill Warren, is a dear friend of mine. Not only was he one of my seminary professors, he also was my boss, colleague, tennis opponent and most important of all, my friend.

Dr. Warren is bringing his wife Katie along on this trip. She is an elementary school principle, in need of a well deserved break. I hope you all will make every attempt to attend each session, and make our guests feel at home.

If you would like to read more about Dr. Warren's background, you can see it here at these internet links: <http://nobts.edu/Faculty/StoZ/WarrenW/Default.html> and <http://nobts.edu/Publications/VisionMagazines/VisionFall2010/VisionFall2010.html#/22/>

May God continue to bless you and keep you in his loving care.

Pastor Tim

**"Pray for Our Men and Women in Uniform"**

**Devon Henesley** - Grandson of Jean Johnson  
**Branch** - Navy **Rank** - 2nd Class  
**Assignment** - Virginia Beach

**Megan Hines** - Daughter of Pastor Tim and Donna Hines - **Branch** - Marines  
**Rank** - LC- **Assignment** - South Carolina

**Joshua Woolworth** - Nephew of Chery Hanna  
**Branch** - Navy **Rank** - Basic Training  
**Assignment** - Great Lakes, Illinois

**Brandon Woolworth** - Nephew of Chery Hanna  
**Branch** - Air force **Rank** -  
**Assignment** - Tucson, Arizona



**Father's Day Breakfast**

Sunday, June 15th  
 8:30 am

First Southern Baptist Church would like to take this opportunity to celebrate the value of fathers by inviting everyone to share in a special Father's Day Breakfast on Sunday, June 15th at 8:30 am with a fabulous meal and quality time together.

**Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes**

Here is an opportunity for you to participate in an annual outreach ministry. You will be helping thousands of others to make a child's Christmas something special.

For the month of June we are asking for educational supplies such as felt pens, pens, pencils, pencil sharpener, eraser, coloring book, notepad, picture or puzzle book, chalk, pencil case, and stickers. We also need shoe boxes.

Cash donations are needed to help pay for the shipping of the boxes.

**Church Wide Visitation**

Tuesday, June 3rd  
 5:30 pm

Come join us, here at the church, on Tuesday, June 3rd from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm., as we begin our bi-weekly church wide visitation.

**Business Meeting**

Sunday, June 29th  
 12:15 pm

**Attention All Members** - Our business meeting will be held on Sunday, June 29th following the morning worship service. Your presence will be greatly appreciated as we will be voting on the July through December 2014 budget.

**Mother's Day Breakfast**

Thank you Bob Shaw, Al Thornell and Charles Varady for a fine job well done. They served a breakfast casserole along with a fresh fruit cup. Everyone enjoyed having breakfast together.

**Memorial Day BBQ**

Thank you to Jean Johnson who hosted an annual Memorial Day BBQ at her house. Jean's goal is not just great food, but also bringing people together.

It was a wonderful afternoon of food, fun, games and fellowship, and a great time was had by all.



Sunday School 9:30 am  
 Morning Worship 10:45 am  
 Evening Worship 6:00 pm

Wednesday Evening Family Dinner - 5:00 pm  
 Wednesday Evening Bible Study - 5:45 pm  
 Wednesday Evening Choir Practice - 6:30 pm





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# Newsletter

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## Weekly Messages Lead By Our Pastor

Please come and join our weekly services, held every Sunday morning, Sunday evening and Wednesday evening.

Please join us at 9:30 am for Sunday school. We have a class for every age group, with teachers and teaching materials that complement the various classes.

On Sunday mornings, our pastor is preaching through various passages of Scripture, bringing home to our hearts Biblical truths in a dynamic way.

On Sunday evenings, our pastor is leading our church through a study in the book of Daniel. The book of Daniel is an enchanting study; it is chock full of mystery, suspense, action and faith. Please make plans to attend these evening services, as they will enlighten and encourage you in your daily walk with the Lord.

On Wednesday evening, we offer a dinner which starts at 5:00 pm. At 5:45 pm we have our midweek Bible study. We have been working our way, historically, towards the book of Revelation. Our study, so far, on the subject has been scholarly, educational and informative. Please make plans to come to our weekly dinner and attend our midweek Bible study. I look forward to seeing you!

## First Southern Baptist Church - San Lorenzo

### 2014 Second Annual Bible Conference - June 22nd - June 25th

Sunday 10:45 am and 6:00 pm - Monday & Tuesday - 6:30 pm  
 Wednesday Dinner 5:30 pm - Service 6:30 pm

First Southern of San Lorenzo is looking forward to hosting our second Bible Conference in the history of our church. Dr. Bill Warren will be our featured speaker at this year's conference. Dr. Warren is a dear friend and colleague in the work of our Lord.

Dr. Warren is a seasoned professor of New Testament and Greek with nearly twenty four years of teaching experience in higher education. He occupies the Landrum P. Leavell II Chair of New Testament and Greek Studies and he directs the H. Milton Haggard Center for New Testament Textual Studies at the New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.

Dr. Warren is known around the world for his expertise and knowledge in the area of deciphering and interpreting biblical manuscripts from antiquity. He is regularly sought after to speak on such issues--enlightening the minds of students, pastors and New Testament scholars worldwide.

Please make plans to join us for an exciting time, each night. We will have a nightly social to follow the evening services. You will be glad you attended, and so will I!



## June Calendar

- 3rd - Church Wide Visitation - 5:30 pm
- 4th - Wednesday Dinner & Fellowship - 5:00 pm
- 5th - Prayer Meeting - 10:30 am
- 8th - Lord's Supper - 10:45 am
  - Church Council - 4:30 pm
- 9th - Rest Home Ministry - 11:00 am
- 11th - Wednesday Dinner & Fellowship - 5:00 pm
- 12th - Prayer Meeting - 10:30 am
- 14th - Women on Mission - 10:00 am
- 15th - Father's Day Breakfast - 8:30 am
  - No Evening Service
- 17th - Church Wide Visitation - 5:30 pm
- 18th - Wednesday Dinner & Fellowship - 5:00 pm
- 19th - Prayer Meeting - 10:30 am
- 22nd - 25th - Bible Conference
- 23rd - Rest Home Ministry - 11:00 am
- 25th - Wednesday Dinner & Fellowship - 5:00 pm
- 26th - Prayer Meeting - 10:30 am
  - Open Door Mission - 6:15 pm
- 28th - Men's Breakfast - 8:30 am
- 29th - Business Meeting - 12:15 pm
  - Sunday School Teachers Training Seminar - 1:30 pm

## Happy Birthday

- 15th - Deane Church
- 15th - Timothy Connolly
- 18th - Lillian Kopet
- 20th - Char Fortner
- 28th - Gertie Hankins
- 29th - Dolores Dixon

## Happy Anniversary

- 5th - Bob & Doris Curlett
- 13th - George & Alden Bocar
- 14th - Al & Jane Thornell
- 23rd - John & Roberta King
- 27th - Don & Eldora Walton