

# Welcome!

We are honored you have chosen to worship with us today. Please help us get to know you by providing the requested information and placing this tear off tab in the offering plate during the Worship Service.

August 5, 2012

I would like to receive the church mailings

Mr./Mrs./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

email \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday \_\_\_\_\_

What brought you to us today?

- New to town
- HPU student
- Looking for a new church home
- Website
- Yellow Pages
- Invited by a friend: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of a church?  Yes  No

Church name \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Did you attend a class today?  Yes  No

Which class \_\_\_\_\_

Best time to contact you:

Day \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Names and birthdates of children living at home:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

*Our Pastor would love to meet you today. He will be at the center door as you exit the Worship Service. Please introduce yourself to him before you leave.*

## Today's Worship Music

Victory In Jesus • Hymn #426  
It Is Well With My Soul • Hymn #410  
As He Gathered At His Table • Hymn #369  
How Beautiful

In Christ Alone  
How Great Thou Art • Hymn #10  
Doxology

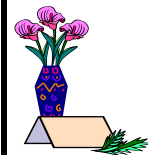
Today's Scripture Reading: John 6:24-35

### Service Team Enrollment

Service Teams are a major way FBC members are involved in the life of our church. All members are encouraged to sign up for AT LEAST one team each year (more if you wish). Whether you are new to FBC or have been here all your life, you are needed! Sign up sheets are at the doors or you can take and return a Service Team Card. Sign up during August so teams can organize & be serving by back to school!

#### Service Teams:

Hospitality	Weekday Education
Family Care	Recreation Ministry
Ushers & Greeters	Music & Worship
Outreach & Prayer	University Ministries
Preschool & Children's Ministries	Denominational Relations
Women's Ministries	Meals on Wheels
Local Ministries	Church Ordinances
Library	Promo and Decor



### Happy Anniversary!

Greg Church celebrated six years of service to our Lord through His church on August 1. Congratulations, Greg!

## How to unite with the First Family

At First Baptist Church, Brownwood, we welcome you to become a part of our family of faith. We invite you to visit one of our Sunday School classes & Bible Study groups, as well as the worship choir, student & children's groups.

Membership in the church is offered to anyone who professes Jesus Christ as their Savior and follows Him in believer's baptism. One of the ministers will be glad to visit with you during the invitation or make an appointment to discuss this or any other questions you may have about FBC at your convenience.

*If you have a decision to make or wish to talk or pray with someone, we invite you to come to the front of the Sanctuary during the invitation hymn, immediately following the sermon, and speak with one of the ministers.*

# @First

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**Dr. Rodney McGlothlin**  
Senior Pastor

Electric chihuahuas! That is how someone referred to children at camp. It's a bad analogy. It would imply that they could be unplugged, or at least have their batteries removed. Such is not the case. Let me just say it was a busy week. It was also a great week. Celeste Church and her sponsors did a tremendous job.

The children were pretty good too. I enjoyed my time with them. These are great kids. We should expect great things from them.

If we are to expect great things from our children we need to invest in them. We are doing that with our facilities. One of our renovation goals is improved space for children's ministry. We will have a children's wing in the education suite. We will have improved recreation space in the Brick for outreach to children and their families. Only one thing is lacking. We need more workers in our children's ministry. At camp we were required to have a ratio of one sponsor for each eight children. We need at least that many for every child in Sunday School. Would you like to see 120 children learning about God's love every Sunday morning. We have the space. I can assure you the children are here. We need the workers. At least 15. More to do it really well. It is our calling. It is why we are here. Give me or Celeste a call and let us tell you how you can be a part of our children's ministry. It will keep you young! It will keep us growing.

We celebrate Lord's Supper today. We remember the sacrifice of our Lord. Let us also remember that he calls us to give ourselves in service to others. All followers of Jesus are called to serve. Have you found your place of service? I am glad to be

Your Pastor,

# @ First Glance

## Youth

Mon	6:00 a.m.	Diakonos
Tue	7:00 p.m.	Olympic Hangout
Wed	6:30 p.m.	R.I.O.T. in the Park
Thurs	7:00 p.m.	Movie Night
Fri	7:00 p.m.	Frisbee Friday

## Adults

Wed	6:00 p.m.	Pastor's Bible Study
	6:30 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
Thurs	6:00 p.m.	Ladies Night Out
Sun	5:00 p.m.	Handbell Rehearsal

## Children

Wed	6:00 p.m.	Wonderful Wednesday
Thurs	9:00 a.m.	PreK Play Party



### Attention FBC Members!

FBC will be serving some new and returning HPU students on Friday, August 10 at 7:00 p.m. We will be grilling burgers and hot dogs! If you are able to help serve or provide a dessert for these college students, contact the church office.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<b>10:00 a.m.</b> Church Staff Meeting <b>6:00 p.m.</b> <i>Diakonos</i>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b> Youth Olympic Hangout	<b>5:45 p.m.</b> <i>Women's Ministry Service Team Meeting</i> <b>6:00 p.m.</b> Wonderful Wednesday <i>Pastor's Bible Study</i> R.I.O.T. <b>6:30 p.m.</b> <i>Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal</i>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b> PreK Play Party <b>6:00 p.m.</b> <i>Ladies Night Out at Mi Familia</i> <b>7:00 p.m.</b> Youth Movie Night	<b>6:00 p.m.</b> <i>HPU Band &amp; RA Hangout</i> <b>7:00 p.m.</b> Frisbee Friday <i>HPU Band &amp; RA Dinner</i>		<b>9:30 a.m.</b> Sunday School <b>10:50 a.m.</b> <i>Worship Service</i> <b>5:00 p.m.</b> Handbell Rehearsal <b>6:00 p.m.</b> <i>Evening Worship Service &amp; Sunday Social</i>



Safe, loving child care is available during the worship service for newborns through 5 year olds. See an usher for more information and assistance.



### FBC Fantasy Football League

Do you play fantasy football? Would you like to play with some church friends?

Email [football@fcbrownwood.org](mailto:football@fcbrownwood.org) and we will send you sign up info.



### Sunday Night is Family Time!

Children join their families for worship and fellowship afterwards.

### Summer Sunday Social! Tonight



Following the Evening Worship service, join the entire church family for fun and fellowship in The Brick.

### Women's Ministry Service Team Meeting This Wednesday, August 8 5:45 p.m. Fellowship Hall



### Budget Update...

Given through July 29 - \$373,071.85  
 Needed through July 29 - \$464,743.01  
 Over/(Short) to budget - (\$ 91,671.16)



### Ladies, Remember! This Thursday, August 9 6:00 p.m.

Mi Familia Mexican Restaurant



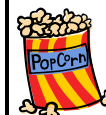
Our Kids Day Out Program is in need of classroom teachers for the 2012-13 school year. If you are interested, please contact the church office as soon as possible. This is a great ministry to the children at FBC and in our community.



### Youth Olympic Hangout This Tuesday, August 7 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. The BRICK



### Youth Movie Night This Thursday, August 9 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.



Meet us at the BRICK!

### Pre K Play Party This Thursday, August 9 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. FBC Playground



### FBC Pastoral Team

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## My Decision Today:

- I prayed to receive Jesus Christ as my personal Savior
- I want to renew my commitment to Christ
- I would like to be baptized
- I want to join this church
- I would like to join a Sunday School class
- I wish to visit with a pastor about my decision

## I'd like information on:

- How to become a Christian
- How to join the church
- Sunday School classes
- University Ministries
- Adult Ministries
- Youth Ministries
- Children's Ministries
- Preschool Ministries
- Recreation Ministries
- Music Ministries
- Missions Ministries
- Media Ministries
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## Please pray for:

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