

Opportunities For Worship & Service

Regular Weekly Events

Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Instrumentalist Rehearsal
	9:45 a.m.	Bible Fellowship
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship
	4:00 p.m.	Worship Choir Rehearsal
	5:00 p.m.	Evening Worship
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	Student Bible Study
	6:30 p.m.	Bible Study
Thursday	11:30 a.m.	Senior Adult Game Day

Upcoming Events

Sunday, October 8		
Business Meeting	5:00 p.m.	
Tuesday, October 10		
Ladies Bible Study	10:00 a.m.	
Wednesday, October 11		
LCC	4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	
Fields of Faith	6:30 p.m.	
Thursday, October 12		
Ladies Bible Study	10:00 a.m.	
Sunday, October 15		
Tri-Rivers Annual Meeting	4:30 p.m.	
Monday, October 16		
WMU	3:30 p.m.	
Tuesday, October 17		
Ladies Bible Study	10:00 a.m.	
Wednesday, October 18		
LCC	4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	
Thursday, October 19		
Ladies Bible Study	10:00 a.m.	

Sunday Service Broadcast on KCYL 1450 at 11:00 a.m.
Deadline to submit info for the next edition: Tuesday, October 10

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First Family Footnotes

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
LAMPASAS, TEXAS
October 8 - 21, 2017



Sunday, October 8 @ 5:00 p.m.



- I. Membership Report
- II. Review and Approval of Minutes
- III. Reports
 - A. Pastor's Report
 - B. Committee on Committee Report
 - C. Weekday Preschool Report
 - D. Property & Space Committee Report
 - F. Finance Committee Report
- IV. New Business
- V. Adjourn



Tri-Rivers Annual Meeting
Sunday, October 15
First Baptist Church Hamilton
 4:30 p.m. Messenger Registration
 5:00 p.m. Lampasas Assoc. Business Session
 5:30 p.m. Catered Meal
 6:30 p.m. Worship



How do you handle fear? Is it a motivator for your growth and fruitfulness, or is it an obstacle that often holds you back? Fear is designed into us by God in order to compel us to trust him, but when we misplace or lose control of our fears they block our relationship with God. The Apostle Paul counseled his young apprentice Timothy, "God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control" (2 Timothy 1:7 ESV). Here are a few ways to turn fear around for power, love, and self-control.

Notice your fear, and expose it as a feeling that you can think about and control. Paul admitted a situation that left him dazed and confused by "fighting without and fear within," but he got help from his co-worker Titus and overcame his fear with God's help. (See 2 Corinthians 7:5-6.) Fear can't "make you" do anything if you take the upper hand and get help.

Sometimes it helps to make fun of your own fear, starting with the old question, "What's the worst that can happen?" Deliberately go crazy with your fear for 45 seconds and imagine out loud the worst case scenario, and then worse than that. Blow up your fear like a balloon—until it pops.

Preach the gospel to your fear. "For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, 'Abba! Father!'" (Romans 8:15) "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea" (Psalm 46:1-2).

"For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain." (Philippians 1:21) "There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear. For fear has to do with punishment, and whoever fears has not been perfected in love." (1 John 4:18)

Turn your fear into motivation. A popular speaker learned to reframe his fear of getting up in front of a big audience by consciously noticing the butterflies in his stomach, the perspiration on his palms, his heart rate increase, and saying to himself, "Okay. This is fear. This is how my body prepares for peak performance."

May you "walk in the fear of the Lord" (Acts 9:31) and experience power, love, and self-control.

Fear not,
Bro. Rick



**Senior Adult Game Day
Thursdays 11:30 a.m.
in Fellowship Hall**

**Sunday School Greeter Schedule
October 8: Bell, King**

October 15: Holloway, Greaves, Lawton

**Deacon Greeter Ministry Schedule
October 8:**

Nelson Bynum, Jody Cummings, Gib Webb

October 15:

Dick Parker, Bill King, Wiley Holloway

Deacon of the Week

October 8 - 14

Bill King 512-556-0118

October 15 - 21

Nelson Bynum 512-556-8192

MORE Women's Event

October 9, 2017

6:30 p.m. Old Middle School Cafeteria

Guest speakers: Amanda Allen, Betty

Hatley, D'Anne Willis

Light meal provided, no reservations

needed. Free admission.



FIELDS OF FAITH

Wednesday, October 11th

Badger Stadium

6:30 p.m.

WMU Meeting

Monday, October 16

3:30 p.m. in Heritage Hall



Help us reach our goal of 120 filled boxes! Shoe boxes are available in the church foyer. Please return your filled shoe box along with \$9 for mailing by *November 5th*.

SYMPATHY AND LOVE TO:

The Family of Elizabeth Roberts at her death.
David Brooks and Family in the death of his mother, Ima Jean Brooks.

Thank You Notes & Letters



Global Ministries
Asuncion, Paraguay
Lampasas Mission

(cards & letters are posted in the foyer)



Psalm 106:1 Praise the LORD. Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever.

As we approach Thanksgiving day, I want to share with you some things I am thankful for.

September 22 marked the first day of fall... A Texas fall meaning the temperature was in the 90s. It also marked the 50th birthday of my baby sister, Dr. Elizabeth Mattson Hankins of Temple.

In my family, I was the baby for 4 years and then Lizzy arrived. She came in 1967 while my father was in Vietnam to make 6 kids in the Mattson family.

From the beginning, she became my best friend. We remain very close. I've watched her life for 50 years now, there has never been a rift between us. I couldn't be prouder of the Christian woman she has become.

Thankful for Lizzy!

Give thanks to the Lord for someone special in your life today!

Robert

Key Ave Cafe Menu

Wednesday, October 11

Beef Stew, Cornbread,

Salad Bar, Cookies

Wednesday, October 18

Chicken Pot Pie,

Salad Bar, Neiman Marcus Bars