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"The harvest is plentiful..."
 Luke 10:2
 Join GROW Outreach and get involved in the harvest.



Good Friday Service
 April 2, 7 pm



FBCWS will have a new directory this spring. Photo sessions will be May 5-8 and you'll be able to sign up soon. Watch and listen for more details.

Please submit any announcements for the First Forward Newsletter, by the 15th of the month prior to the event. Call or email the office for announcement submissions.

(for example, if an event is scheduled for March 22, the announcement must be submitted by February 15th)



Steve's Song

Music Ministry Happenings!
 Ok, I had some wonderful stimulating biblical thoughts to share but because of over commitment on my part let me share this import news in the music ministry. The choir is busy getting ready for the Easter season. It is not too late to get involved. I need some non singers help for the monologues and stage help. Be ready should I approach you for assistance.

We will have some exciting special music for Palm Sunday morning, March 28. Then to change from our past history we will have a Good Friday service. So put on your calendars April 2nd at 7:00pm. It should be a wonderful night as we concentrate on "Without the Cross" a collection of songs and monologues using the handbell choir for one and several of FBCWS finest soloists.

And then there will be Easter, April 4th, a day to celebrate. We will bring back the cut flowers on the cross like last year and worship with joy and excitement. What a day it will be! April 15th the Singing Men of Texas will be at Dallas Baptist University in their new auditorium. Look for more information

April 16th our handbell choir and First Light, ladies trio, will be at the River Oaks Gospel Show. And on April 18th thru May 1st. I will be with the Singing Men of Texas as we go to Ukraine to sing the gospel. Wow! I am so excited to serve by my Lord! Join with me and others to proclaim His Story!



Children's Corner

Hi everyone, we have a lot of activities coming up in our children's ministry. There are many ways for you to be involved and make a difference in the life of a child. Get with me if want more information on these activities and how you can be

involved.

Easter Egg Hunt

Our annual Easter egg hunt will be on Easter Sunday immediately following the morning service. We need lots of candy filled eggs. Please bring you eggs to the church office.

Vacation Bible School

We will have Vacation Bible during the week of June 13 (13th-18). This year's theme is a cowboy theme called "Saddle Ridge Ranch." This will be a great time for us as a church to reach out to children and families in White Settlement and we will need lots of volunteers. Please be in prayer about how you will help out.

Children's Camp

Children's camp this year will be June 30th – July 4th. We already have several kids signed up and our counselors are getting excited, but we still need sponsors for camp. If you're interested in helping one of our kids go to camp this year, please put your donation in an envelope and mark it designated for "children's camp." The cost of camp this year is \$175.00.

Summer Activities

It's going to be an exciting summer at FBC White Settlement with VBS and camp, but that's not all of it. We will also have a fun-filled summer for our children starting Sunday June 6th with a picnic at the park and then going on through the summer with a different activity every Sunday evening.

Thanks to each and every one of you for supporting on children's ministry here at FBCWS. Remember, God must really love children; He makes so many of them.



Mike's Mic

I know you've grown accustomed to my deep, thought provoking articles in this little publication, but this month I've got something a little different for you.

I'd like to express my thanks to all who attended the *Jumpstart Sunday School Leadership Workshop*. It was a great time of fellowship and training.

My prayer is that we will continue to make an effort in making our Sunday School the best it can be. For those teachers and workers who were not able to attend, I'll be passing around the DVDs and your copy of the participant guide. So you won't be left out.



I'd also like to remind you that GROW is still an ongoing outreach effort on the part of our church. If you're not involved, please consider what you could do to help reach people in our community for the Kingdom of Christ—for His Church, and for ours.



Nursery Schedule

March

- 7- Jennifer Ferguson, Heather Kinkel, Colleen Dow
- 14- Phyllis Hill, Rick Smelley, Lanelle Libby
- 21- Marsha Smelley, Cara Bailey, Mary Berry
- 28- Christina Roberts, Lonnie Moore, Pam Hrabal

If you cannot volunteer on your week, please contact the Pre-School Director, Brenda Allen.



Brenda's Bit

Dear Church Families,

I am very excited to be the new Pre-School Director. Thank you so much for your confidence, support and most of all your prayers. After observing the pre-school area this past Sunday I feel that some changes need to be made.

I need your help to make the Pre-School Department a safe, caring, inviting and comfortable place for our children, grand-children and visitors.

My immediate concern is the lack of adult help during Sunday school and Church services. I am asking that anyone who is able and willing to help during Sunday school, church or on Wednesday night to please chose a day or days and write your name on the calendar outside the nursery area. Also, If you have a child in the pre-school department I am asking that you volunteer at least 1 Sunday or Wednesday per month. It can be Sunday School, Church, or both or a Wednesday night.

Thank you so much for helping and loving our Pre-Schoolers.

Brenda Allen
 FBCWS Pre-School Director

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Regular Service Times

- Sundays**
 9:45 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Worship Service & Children's Church
 5:00 pm Evening Service
 5:00 pm AWANA (during school year)

- Wednesdays**
 5:30 pm Meal for Youth & Children
 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting (Chapel)
 6:00 pm Plunge - Youth Worship
 6:00 pm Kidz Clubhouse (Grades 1-6)

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 G-Team (Letters) 1 pm	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 R-Team (Visits) 6:30 pm	9 WMU Meeting 10:30 am LLL Choir-1:15 pm	10	11 Windows of Faith 2 pm	12 LLL Breakfast 7:30 am	13
14	15 O-Team (Calls) 6:30 pm	16	17	18	19	20
21 CiCi's Sunday	22 W-Team (Follow-up) 6:30 pm	23	24	25 Windows of Faith Eat Out—11:15 am	26	27
28	29	30 Dinner—6 pm	31			