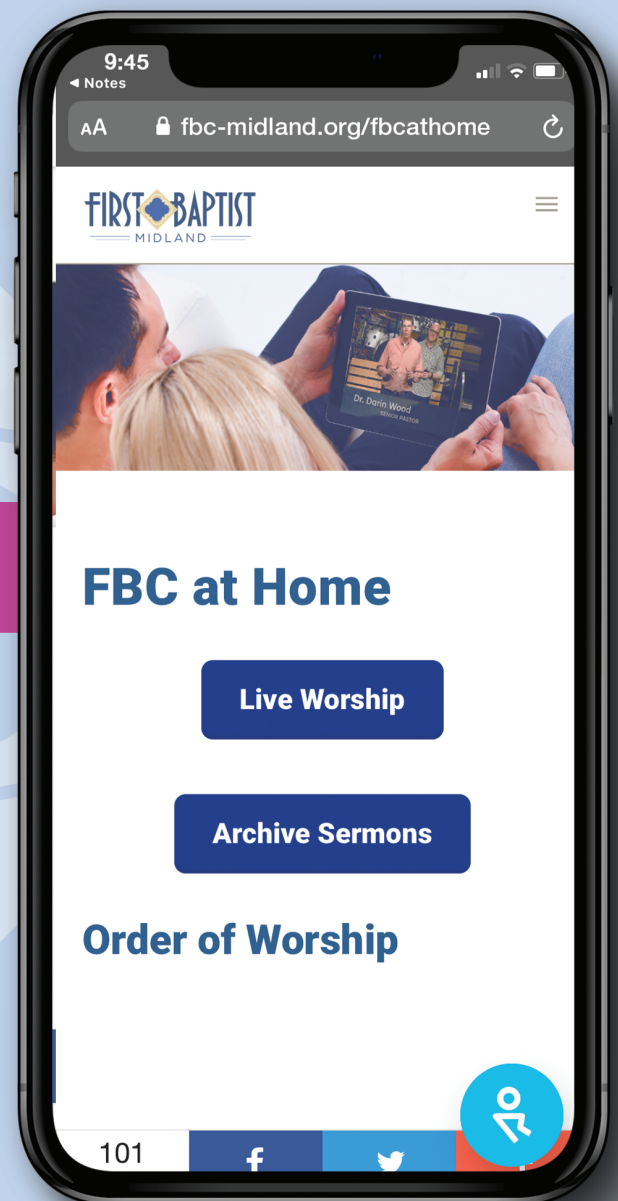


FIRST FAMILY'S SUNDAY WORSHIP GUIDE

fbc-midland.org/fbcathome

- Live Worship
- Worship Order
- Weekly Resources
- Next Steps



AVAILABLE ON ANY DEVICE WITH AN INTERNET CONNECTION.

From The Pastor

Hi First Family,

Grace and Peace to each of you! May your homes be filled with the strength, power and glory of the Holy Spirit. May your prayer be the dangerous one: "Come Holy Spirit, Come!"

VACATION

As I write to you today, I'm writing from time spent away with my family. Through the kindness and generosity of some dear friends, we've been granted a few days in Colorado. The weather is cool and rainy – a welcome break from our beloved Midland. And there's been some unexpected excitement. As we arrived, we were unloading the car. Out of the corner of my eye, I saw something move. When I turned and looked, it was a full grown bear! The bear saw me just as I saw him and we both retreated! I'm not sure who scared who more!

Levity set aside, these are difficult days for all of us. I'm deeply grateful your kindness has given us the chance to slip away. I wouldn't want to do anything else, but this has been among the most challenging days of my 21 years as a pastor and my 32 years in ministry. I'm grateful to the many of you who have called / texted / emailed / mailed me encouraging words. We will indeed get through this, but not because of me – the power of the Holy Spirit will carry us through. Walk with me in that confidence and joy.



Dr. Darin Wood - Senior Pastor

In my absence, our friend Rev. Larry Grimes will be preaching for me this week. Sunday evening's online service will be led by our Pastoral Summer Intern Christian Cotton. I'm confident both men have a word from the Lord for you and will bring it with energy, passion and the blessings of the Holy Spirit. Pray for them as you pray for me.

JULY 26

I'm pleased to tell you we'll welcome a candidate for the position "Associate Minister of Senior Adults and Women's Ministry" on July 26th. She is a candidate well-known to our church and she's excited to share her enthusiasm with you. As has been our practice, we'll wait to announce her name, but I believe this will be a welcome addition to our church. By way of clarity, this replaces the role our friend Robbie Boyd served in for us.

God bless each of you with His power and peace,
Darin

1st Family News

FBC AT HOME

We have implemented an on-line worship guide. As you gathered from the cover of this week's Banner, the worship guide is located at the following link. www.fbc-midland.org/fbcathome

The page is available now, but it will be published every Saturday for that coming Sunday. Now, you will be able to locate all that is happening on Sunday.

To test drive it, simply go to the link from any device, where you have internet access, and type in the link on the address bar. Or, you can access the page from our home page and click the large blue button that says, "FBC At Home".

MOPS

MOPS Registration is open for 2020-2021! We meet the 1st and 3rd Friday of the month, September through May. Please contact us for more information! We look forward to meeting you!

MOPS is looking for MOPS Kids Volunteers! If you are interested in helping minister to our moms, please volunteer to watch these sweet babies while the moms study, fellowship, and bond with one another.

mopsfbcmidland@gmail.com

MISSION MINISTRY

VIRTUAL TORONTO MISSION JOURNEY

When: July 11-16, 2020

What: A Prayer and Educational Experience about Toronto and its Peoples

Who: An IMB Missionary will be Providing an Interactive Digital Daily Prayer Guide

(including pictures, videos, recipes, and stories)

Where: We will have an opening meeting by Zoom with our IMB Missionary at 7pm on the 11th and a closing meeting at 7pm on the 16th again by Zoom. Daily opportunities to learn about and pray for Toronto using prayer guide.

How: Email mhodes@fbc-midland.org or call 683-0623 to register and receive digital or printed prayer guide

Cost: Free! Except Time Spent Praying and Learning

WAINSCOTT/ LACY SCHOLARSHIP

For students attending a Baptist college, university, or seminary in the Fall 2020.

Contact: supham@fbc-midland.org

Applications due 07/15/20

July 12th

SUNDAY WORSHIP

- 10 AM Streaming on our website and Facebook Live
- 5 PM Online Table Talk with Christian Cotton

PRESCHOOL MINISTRY

Preschool Families, one way for you to continue to disciple your kids is by accessing our weekly Sunday School materials at home! Through Lifeway, you can access a weekly video session, download an activity page, and have some great conversation starters for your whole family.

Gain access:

www.fbc-midland.org/article/lifeway-access

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

The Children's Ministry Sunday School lesson can now be viewed on the church Facebook page, Vimeo and the All Star Kids Facebook page, at 1:00PM each Sunday.

Hey families!

Get your Take Out Church Summer Resource bag. Call Sarah Arrambide at 432-683-0633, if you would like one.

Take Out Church Bags are for families to use while on vacation or at home this Summer. In the bag are ways your family can fellowship with others, praise God, pray, give thanks, serve others and remember Jesus.

STUDENTS

Midpoint Wednesday Night Worship: Two different Zoom classes! Jr. High @ 6:30 pm, High School @ 7:30 pm. We'll have Games, Bible Study, Worship, and a drawing for lunch with John-David!

Sunday School: Zoom Sunday School this week! Look for information about your class on email or by text.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Class led by Vernon Stokes will be available, online, for Sunday at: www.fbc-midland.org/resources/sunday-school-lesson

FAMILY MINISTRY

Sunday School (contact your leader for details.)

Meeting via Zoom

- As One
- Compass
- Luke
- Nehemiah
- Evermore

Facebook Live

- Song of Solomon
- Isaac

ADULT 55+

- Grace SS: San Smith sends a recording by email.
- Andrew SS & Stephen SS: Will meet via Zoom. Contact leaders for details.
- Rachel Department: Monday nights at 6:30; call Connie Staton for more information, (432) 559-7705
- Peter Department - Call Mike Fain for more information, (432) 557-2702

First Disciple University



We want you to discover your calling in life and how you can live out that calling everyday so that you can experience a full life in Christ. Online discipleship classes are organized in such a way where you can be on a growth track to following Christ.

All Class registrations at:

www.fbc-midland.org/resources/fdu

P91

A Men's Bible study for recently unemployed or stressed about employment.

Tuesdays at 7:00 AM

Cost: Free

DIVORCE CARE

Don't go through separation or divorce alone.

June 3 to Sept 2 (13 weeks) Wednesdays 7:30 PM-9 PM

Cost: \$20

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

When we're struck with fear, where do we turn? Katy Little leads the study "Fear and Faith" by Trillia Newbell.

June 25 to July 30 (6 weeks) Thursdays 7 PM - 8 PM

Cost: Free

SPIRITUAL PRACTICES

Timeless practices for Christ followers to grow a deeper spiritual life. You will gain a biblical understanding and practical how-tos in listening and obeying the Holy Spirit. Led by: Bryan Pinson

July 8th to 29th (4 weeks) Wednesdays at 7 PM - 8 PM

Cost: Free

THANK YOU

Thank you FBC for the gift sent to Buckner Children & Family Services in memory of my mother, Jolene Bragg Day. We love and appreciate our church family.

Keith & Marilyn Jones

Thank you so much for all your prayers, love and gifts to our ministry. May God richly bless you all as you serve Him. We love you!

Partners in Christ,
DK & Brenda Hale

Thank you for the donation to Buckner's Children Home in memory of my husband "Boots" Goode, and thanks to the staff members who called and found ways to show their concern when "Boots" had his stroke and died, even in the middle of the pandemic.

Louise Goode

BEREAVEMENT

- The family of Virgil Piccolo
- The family of Herman Jones
- The family of Fredda Black.

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Sunday Service Streamed Online

10:00 AM

• fbc-midland.org • facebook.com/fbcmidland • vimeo.com/fbcmidland

Sunday Service Televised at

7:00 a.m. on KOSA (CBS) Channel 7

10:00 a.m. on MyTV, Channel 16 (or DirectTV Channel 40)

Televised services are on a one-week tape delay

Prayer Partners

PRAYER

Our Missionary
in
Toronto, Ontario

Tim Moore
Sanctuary Kerr Village



- Please pray that members of our church would desire to take on new leadership opportunities in and outside the church. This includes embracing new church membership.
- Please pray that our church members share the Gospel in their own lives and circles, that they would see sharing the Gospel as a privilege and their responsibility.
- Please pray that God would continue to add to our numbers as we are faithful to preaching His Word by encouraging our members to live Godly, Kingdom seeking lives.

Looking Forward

MATTHEW WEST

IN CONCERT

SATURDAY, AUG. 1ST
7:00PM

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - MIDLAND, TEXAS

FREE - NO TICKETS REQUIRED



STEWARDSHIP REPORT

July 5, 2020

Offering	Weekly	Year to Date
First Baptist.....	\$ 87,435	\$ 6,768,188
Budget Requirement.....	\$ 135,000	\$ 6,037,082
Over/Under Budget.....	\$ -47,565	\$ 731,106
Hope 1:8.....	\$ 100	\$ 20,168

END OF MONTH REPORT

June 2020

Offering	Monthly	Year to Date
First Baptist.....	\$ 469,016	\$ 6,680,752
Budget Requirement.....	\$ 540,000	\$ 5,902,082
Over/Under Budget.....	\$ -70,984	\$ 778,670
Hope 1:8.....	\$ 650	\$ 20,068