



# First Baptist Church

108 S. Vanderveer Burnet, Texas 78611

## June 28, 2009

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- ◆ *July 3, Church Office is Closed in Celebration of America's Birthday*
- ◆ *July 5-10, Youth Seek Week Camp, Brownwood*
- ◆ *July 17, New 7th Grader's Retreat (Location TBA)*
- ◆ *July 19, Finance and Business Meeting  
5:00p.m. and 6:00pm, respectively*
- ◆ *July 26—29, Youth Fusion Week 6:30p.m.—10:00p.m.*
- ◆ *July 30-31, Summer's Last Stand  
Six Flags and Schlitterbaun*

## Upcoming Events

### Sunday—June 28

9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study—Promotion Day  
10:45a Morning Worship Service  
12:00p Teacher's Meeting (OFH)  
6:00p Evening Service

### Monday—June 29

2:00p Fellowship of Church Women (Sanctuary/OFH)

### Wednesday—July 1

6:00p Prayer Meeting (OFH)  
6:00p CWJC Bible Study  
7:15p Choir Practice

### Friday—July 3 Office Closed

In Celebration of America's Birthday



### Sunday—July 5

9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study  
10:45a Morning Worship Service  
4:00p Oaks Nursing Home  
6:00p Evening Service

### Sunday-Friday—July 5-10

Youth Seek Week Summer Camp, Brownwood

### Tuesday—July 7

9:30a Welcome Wagon Committee

### Wednesday—July 8

6:00p Prayer Meeting (OFH)  
6:00p CWJC Bible Study

### Sunday—July 12

9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study  
10:45a Morning Worship Service  
12:00p Teacher's Meeting (OFH)  
6:00p Evening Service

FLC—Family Life Center  
ANNEX—Rock Building

OFH—Old Fellowship Hall  
YR—Youth Room

## Youth News

### Upcoming Events

#### Sunday-Friday—July 5-10

Seek Week Camp, Brownwood, TX

#### Friday-Saturday—July 17-18

New 7th Grade Retreat

#### Sunday-Wednesday—July 26-29

Youth Fusion Week  
(Mini-VBS)

#### Thursday-Friday—July 30-31

Six Flags / Schlitterbaun

### Family Fitness Night

Join us each Tuesday

Family Life Center from 6:30—8:30 p.m.

Walking, stretching, Pilates,  
flexibility and movement along  
with low-impact aerobics, etc.

Persons 15 years of age and  
under, please come with an  
older family member.



Fellowship of Christian Women

June 29 at 2 p.m.

First Baptist Church of Burnet

Old Fellowship Hall



The altar flowers today are in honor of  
Caity Williams for her "Gotcha Day" anniversary.  
We love you so very much, Mom, Dad, Justin, Jeff, and Cody.

From my hole in the wall...



By Chucky Church  
Mouse

I overheard Bro. Doug talking the other day...you know me...I'm a little nosy about hearing good stuff! Anyway he may not want me to tell his secrets, so don't let him know that I told on him! He may start turning off his computer, and I may have to go all the way over to Bettie's computer to send these articles...that's almost a day's walk for a little guy like me.

Bro. Doug has a pile of dirt in his back yard that is waiting on him to get the rest moved around. Last week he had other things to do, and he just didn't have time to mess with the pile or just mowing his back yard...You know how it goes...sometimes you just don't feel like doing what it takes to keep things in order. (In his defense, it has been sort of hot.) So he decided that he would just mow the front yard (that was the part you could see from the street) and get to the back yard later. It had a fence around it, and most human-types would never see it.

Now since we haven't had much rain, the grass didn't grow very much. But, as you know, his yard used to be a pasture and a creek bottom...I even had some relatives that used to live under the trees in the back...that's another story... anyway...where was I? Oh yes. You see, the problem was not the GRASS but the WEEDS. Some of those weeds got to be a foot high (exaggeration...when you are my size, things tend to look taller than they are!) due to the fact that he neglected it last week. I heard that all kinds of weeds and vines were growing in his back yard. They had taken advantage of the chance to "rear their ugly heads" due to the lack of attention. He finally got it done, but there are still weeds in the flowerbeds. Please don't look too closely! And please don't let him know I told you this! Pride, you know.

I got to thinking about it...it is weird how my brain works...I began to think about how we, as Christians, tend to keep up the things that people see. We show up for church on Sunday, and then we go about our business, acting like we have forgotten all about what God wants during the week. Before you know it, bitterness, lust, pettiness, selfishness, doubt, and \_\_\_\_\_ (you fill in the blank) begin to creep into our "back yard" just like weeds. And if we don't begin to keep those weeds pulled or cut off, and the yard edged, the weeds and grass begin to overtake the flowers (fruits) of being a Christian.

Summertime is an easy time to let things go. Don't forget to let the "Master Gardener" help you to keep your Christian life...all of it...not just what others see on Sunday morning...as beautiful as He intended it to be. If we do this, then coming to church becomes the fertilizer that we need for the "flowers" of Christ's love to the world. And as others see our lives, they will see that we are the same in the "back yard" of our lives as we are in the part that shows!

I'm glad you are here today! Hey! Do something good for someone.

**Chucky Church Mouse**

## Christian Life University

Renew your strength,

Soar like the eagle

2009-2010

A Survey will soon be sent out. Check the possible upcoming classes listed below and let us know which ones you would prefer to attend and if you are interested in teaching .

### Possible Upcoming Classes

Becoming a Contagious Christian	Stages of Spiritual Growth	Outreach
Parenting	Lord Change My Attitude	Beginning Music Reading
Drama for Worship	Finding Your Place	Guitar
What we Believe as Baptists	Adult Sunday School Lesson	Teaching Improvement
How to Read the bible for all it's Worth	(From This Morning)	Living a Life of Love and Laughter
Foundations	Secrets of the Vine	The Measure of a Man
Conversational Spanish	Establishing Boundaries	

**Semesters: CLU 1 Sep 20—Nov 1**

**CLU 2 Jan 2—31**

**CLU 3 Feb 21—Mar 14**

## THANK YOU FOR VISITING!

- I am New to the Community  
 I am looking for a new church home  
 Visitor

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle: Mr. Mrs. Miss Ms.

Age Group: 0-5 6-12 13-19 20-39 40-60 UP

Circle

Mailing / Physical Address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
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Email address:

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone:

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Best time to call:

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## MY COMMITMENT TODAY

- I asked Jesus to be my personal Savior  
 I want to be baptized  
 I asked Jesus to renew my faith

I am interested in:

- How to become a Christian  
 Joining First Baptist Church, Burnet

Special Needs:

- I want to talk with the Pastor  
 I want to know more about FBC

If you are our guest or desire to communicate with us, please fill out the tear-off panel above and place it in the offering plate. Again, thank you for worshipping with us. We welcome you!

We're glad you're here!

Thank you for choosing to worship with us.

Please turn off cell phones or pagers during services. Thank you.



## Deacon's Corner

Prayer for Sunday, June 28  
Prayer for Sunday, July 5  
Watch Team for June 28-July 4

Eddie Whitehead  
Sherl Halliburton  
Kevin Baker/  
Chad Nelson

Due to the storm damage in our buildings,  
the Volunteer Appreciation Dinner  
has been postponed.  
More information to follow!

## FBC SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

Team	Day / Date / Time
FBC Men	Thursday, 6/25 at 7:30 p.m.
FBC Beacons vs One	Monday, 6/29 at 8 p.m.
FBC Beacons	Tuesday, 6/30 at 7 p.m.
FBC One	Tuesday, 6/30 at 8 p.m.
FBC Men	Thursday, 7/2 at 9:30 p.m.
FBC One	Monday, 7/6 at 7:00 p.m.
FBC Beacons	Monday, 7/6 at 9:00 p.m.
FBC One	Tuesday, 7/7 at 9:00 p.m.



Please no food or drink in the Sanctuary.



PLEASE **DO NOT** PARK IN THE ALLEY-WAYS  
DURING WEDNESDAY AND SUNDAY SERVICES.

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