

First Baptist Church

108 S. Vanderveer Burnet, Texas 78611

May 24, 2009 Graduation Recognition Day

- ◆ *May 31 — Special Music Presentation by
The Two Tenors in Concert*
- ◆ *June 7 — Summer Kickoff, Church-wide Picnic
5:30pm — Youth vs Adults Softball Game
7:00pm — Dinner*
- ◆ *June 8-12 Vacation Bible School (6:00-8:30pm)*
- ◆ *June 22-26 Summer Mission Trip*

Upcoming Events

Sunday—May 24, 2009

- 9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study
- 10:45a Morning Worship Service
- 12:00p Graduates Luncheon (FLC)
- 1:30p Graduate's Reception
- 5:00p Finance Committee Meeting
- 6:00p Business Meeting/Evening Worship

Monday—May 25, 2009

Memorial Day Observed—Church Office Closed

Tuesday—May 26, 2009

- 6:30p PBnJ (YR - Girls)

Wednesday—May 27, 2009

- 5:30p KidZone Leadership Team Meeting (FLC)
- 6:00p Prayer Meeting/Youth Bible Study E-415
- 6:00p CWJC Bible Study (Annex)
- 7:15p Choir Practice

Friday—May 29, 2009

- 8:00p Summer Kick-Off Youth Lock-In (YR)

Saturday—May 30, 2009

- 7:30p Burnet High School Graduation

Sunday—May 31, 2009

- 9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study
- 10:45a Morning Worship Service
- 12:00p VBS Leadership Meeting (Potluck)
- 6:00p Two Tenors in Concert

Monday—June 1, 2009

- 6:30p Dream Team Meeting (FLC)

Tuesday—June 2, 2009

- 9:30a WOM, set-up of Welcome Wagon

Sunday—June 7, 2009

- 9:30a Sunday Morning Bible Study
- 10:45a Morning Worship Service
- 4:00p Oaks Nursing Home
- 5:30p Summer "KICK OFF" Galloway Hammond Pavilion
Youth vs. Adults Softball Game
- 7:00p Dinner (See more info in this bulletin)

FLC—Family Life Center
ANNEX—Rock Building

OFH—Old Fellowship Hall
YR—Youth Room

Youth News

Upcoming Events

Sunday—May 24, 2009

- Graduate Sunday
 - 12p Grads/Family Luncheon
 - 1:30-3:30p Grads Celebration Reception

Friday—May 29, 2009

- 8:00p Summer Kick Off/Lock In

Sunday—June 7, 2009

- Church-wide Summer Kickoff Picnic
- 5:30p Youth vs Adults Softball Game
- 7:00p Dinner

Monday—Friday—June 8-12, 2009

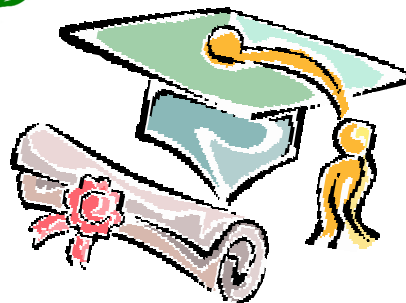
- 6:00p-8:30p VBS

Sunday—June 14, 2009

- 4:00p Parent & Student Mandatory Camp Meeting



Congratulations to Our Graduates 2009



Synthea Arms

Bethany Caldwell

Josh Fritz

Haley Guenther

Katherine Perry

Jayme Wills

Kimberly Breeding

Caleb Christiansen

Lindsey Gholson

Nikia Ober

Mason Starnes

Justin Wills

Also to:

Phyllis Smith and Sherry Weisinger
who each received their Master's
Degree!





The altar flowers today are given
in HONOR of our Graduates!

The flowers in the back are in the celebra-
tion of Mr. & Mrs. William Hartman.

You Are Invited To A
Special Music Presentation
Sunday, May 31, 6:00p.m.

The Two Tenors In Concert

Come and bring a friend
You won't want to miss it!

Church-Wide Picnic June 7 @ Galloway Pavilion

Youth vs Adults Softball Game 5:30 p.m.
Dinner 7:00 p.m.

Hamburgers / Hot Dogs and drinks will be
provided. Please bring any of the following:
Veggies, salads, chips, and desserts!

**Mark your calendars
Come Join in the FUN!!**

Church-wide Summer Missions Trip

This year we will be going to South Texas Chil-
dren's Home (STCH); Week of June 21, 2009.
Leave Sunday evening June 21st and return Friday,
June 26th. Sign-up sheets are located in the foyer.

Forms Required by STCH:

- **Everyone** 14 years old or older **MUST** com-
plete a "request for background check." and;
- For all children **under the age of 18** a "Parental
Swimming Pool Release Form" **MUST** be filled
out.

Sign-up EARLY!

From my hole in the wall...

By Chucky



Congratulations to our Graduates. This is a big time in
your life. It's another of those transitions...those "growing
up" things...Like many of you, I can remember some of
those transitions. I remember when I was learning to run (in
case you haven't noticed, we mice don't walk...we run...
that's how we stay so shapely!) Anyway, when I was only
two days old, Mama Mouse, watched in delight as I scur-
ried around the streets of Main Street Bethlehem...All my
uncles, aunts, cousins, brothers and sisters cheered me on.

Then, came the time when I first went on a shopping trip
to help bring food to the family. Dumpsters can be very
scary places! But I made it with almost no bruises or
scrapes...and you know what? All my relatives were right
there cheering me on...are you seeing a pattern here?

The there was the time I made the move from my famil-
iar surroundings and made the journey over to the church
to begin my new family..the church mice... Mama and
Papa Mouse cried, but they hugged me and sent me off
with words of encouragement.

As we live the life of faith, we are surrounded by a great
crowd of witnesses...some who have already been where
you are, and some who are looking to you to show them
how to live a life of faith in God. So Graduates, you are
making one more step in your life. You will soon take off
to the great dumpster (bad analogy!) the great unknown out
there. It is a little scary. But it is exciting if you are letting
our Lord lead you. You have a great crowd of people here
who are watching and listening for you...and we will be
cheering you on. So take off the heavy stuff...the sin and
self-centeredness...keep your eyes on Jesus who is the light
who can show the way...and never give up...stay in the
race! If you are following Him, you will stay on the track.
When we had my school com-mousement ceremony,
Grandma Mouse gave me this scripture, Hebrews 12. It
talks about running a race before a big crowd. But let me
quote verses 12-13 from the New Living Translation.

*"So take a new grip with your tired hands and stand
firm on your shaky legs. Mark out a straight path for
your feet. Then those who follow you, though they are
weak and lame, will not stumble and fall but will become
strong"*

Congratulations...and don't forget the One who can
mark out your path and who can give you the strength to
keep going...then you can be in someone else's crowd
cheering them on!

I'm glad you are here today. Hey! Do something good
for someone this week! **Chucky Church Mouse**

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:

Email address:

Phone:

Best time to call:

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, May 31
Prayer for Sunday, June 7
Watch Team for May 24-Jun 6

Larry Firestone
Doke Williams
Bill McCoy/
Howard Lange

Vacation Bible School

June 8 — 12, 6:00—8:30 p.m.

Refreshments Needed

Cookies of any Variety

(Homemade or Store bought)

Red Hawaiian Punch

Lemonade

Pre - VBS Help Needed!



Martha Firestone is organizing a group to go into the neighborhood to hand out VBS Flyers. This will probably be done on Tuesday and/or Thursday prior to VBS. If you would like to be a part of this great ministry, please call Martha at 715.0475.

Thought For The Day

"Be cheerful no matter what...This is the way God wants you who belong to Christ to live."

1 Thessalonians 5:15



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

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