

PLAYDATE
January 9 / 9:00-10:30 am
South Campus Gym

MOVIE NIGHT
January 21 / 6:30 pm
South Campus Sanctuary

For more information contact Mary Ann Phillips or Sheree Jordan



OH BOY! A little gentleman is on his way! Please join us for a brunch as we celebrate with the parents to be **MARIAH & JACOB**

Saturday, January 21 @ 11:00 am
At the Hickman Home / 2231 S. Osage Avenue
Registered @ Target / Colors Black & White Tribal



"Help us reach the world?"
WORLD MISSIONS OFFERING

You don't have to wait for a seasonal offering emphasis to give to missions. You can give throughout the year via our WMO...at church or online. At year's end, the total annual donations to the WMO will be divided to the various mission offerings.



GUNS & Gravy COMING JANUARY 28th!

Mark your calendars and invite a friend to join you for breakfast and a blessing! Watch for more details in next Sunday's newsletter!

Questions? See James Breeding.

Make it **EASY** to put **GOD** in your finances.

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Sign up today for online giving! Go to fbcskiatook.com and click the **Online Giving tab.**

On line app available through your App Store under "EasyTithe."

THIS WEEK AT FBC SKIATOOK

SC=South Campus WRC=West Rogers Campus

SUNDAY, January 8
8:00 am—Praise Ensemble Rehearsal (WRC)
8:30 am—Prayer Time (WRC)
10:30 am—Worship Service (WRC)
6:30 pm—Sunday Night Worship (WRC)

MONDAY, January 9
9:00 am—First Moms Playdate (SC)

TUESDAY, January 10
6:30 am—Prayer Time (WRC)

WEDNESDAY, January 11
12:00 pm—Chamber Luncheon (SC)
6:00 pm—Youth Café
6:25 pm—AWANA Clubs (WRC)
6:30 pm—The Front Porch (Youth Bible Study) (SC)
6:30 pm—Praise Ensemble Rehearsal (WRC)
6:30 pm—Adult Prayer Meeting (WRC)

STEWARDSHIP

The 2016 accounts payable books will stay open until Jan. 31 to be sure all 2016 bills are accounted for, so a final spending number will be available at that time. However, the final giving report for 2016 shows receipts of \$828,026.76 or nearly \$47,000 over budget! **Praise the Lord!**

Numbers for January 1, 2016
New Years Day Worship: 291

	January 1	To Date 2016
Budget Projected	\$ 15,002.00	\$ 15,002.00
Budget Received	\$ 11,044.49	\$ 11,044.49
Capital Campaign	\$ 3,883.00	\$ 3,883.00
Spent to Date		\$

COOPERATIVE MISSIONS TO DATE

BGCO To Date	\$ 1,104.44
WOBA To Date	\$ 220.88

JOURNEY of FAITH Current JOF loan balance
Capital Campaign **\$ 703,054.06**

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Bro. Heath Tucker, Lead Pastor

Sunday, January 8, 2017

TONIGHT!
A new opportunity to grow, serve and fellowship in 2017!
Sunday Nights @ FBC!

Sundays @ 6:30 pm
West Rogers Campus

Sunday Nights **STARTING JANUARY 8th!**

Read more inside about how you can be involved on Sunday nights in 2017!

- Childcare will be provided during the service for birth thru 4 years old
- A "pie & coffee fellowship time" for everyone will follow the service

Scott Neighbors Executive Pastor Worship	Landon Warren Pastor of Student Ministries	Sheree Jordan Director of Childhood Ministries
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First Kids - First Church

We are always looking for additional volunteers who are willing to work a First Kids rotation. The more workers we have the fewer & shorter the shifts will need to be. If you didn't sign a volunteer card already and would be willing to serve, please contact Sheree Jordan or Anni Nix.

Jan. 8: 10:30 am (WRC)

Babies: Kevin & Diane Trego

1's & 2's: Amy Warren & Kendra Vail

3's & 4's: Kristian & Amanda Foster

K5-3rd: Anni & Micah Nix

Jan. 15: 10:30 am (WRC)

Babies: Brad & Denise Butler

1's & 2's: Johnathon & Gaylyna Miller

3's & 4's: Colt & Sarah Herren

K5-3rd: Anni & Micah Nix

BAD WEATHER POLICY

It's winter in Oklahoma and at any moment the weather could turn ugly! If we have severe weather (ice, snow, flooding, etc.) keep in mind the following...



- 1) We will contact the Tulsa TV stations as soon as we make a decision regarding closure. Also check church social media and network with other church members as TV stations are not always able to get announcements on at the last minute. If power outages are an issue, we will contact KRMG radio, too.
- 2) We will always attempt to open the church for Sunday morning services. If the weather is extremely bad, we may open for worship only, but we usually have people who can make it and some who may need to make it because of power outages at home.
- 3) Decisions concerning Sunday night services will be announced at the morning services.
- 4) If school is cancelled on Wednesday because of weather, we will also cancel the evening church activities.
- 5) ***BOTTOM LINE! The best rule is your own common sense and personal comfort. If you do not feel safe getting out, then please don't. Better safe than sorry.***

WHY START A SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICE?



IT'S AN OPPORTUNITY FOR OUTREACH

"Sunday morning only" often presents a problem for those looking for a worship experience but who work on Sundays or pull the late Saturday night shift; plus there is a laundry list of circumstances which can cause the regular folks to miss Sunday morning worship. So, starting next week, we will hopefully help these people and more with a new Sunday night service at 6:30 pm at the West Rogers Campus. It will be a repeat of the Sunday morning sermon, but will have some unique features, too.

IT'S AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SERVICE

While we are especially reaching out to those who cannot come in the morning due to extenuating circumstances, we hope to also create some new opportunities for our Sunday morning crowd to minister. Here is just a sample of some areas of service...

- 1) As we enlist members to serve a shift in our First Kids Worship on Sunday morning, we often hear that people hate to miss the worship time, especially since the sermons are coordinated with their small group studies. The Sunday night service will allow them to serve a month Kid's Worship and still get the message on Sunday night.
- 2) We will need greeters, prayer warriors and invitation encouragers on Sunday nights just like we have on Sunday morning.
- 3) Childcare workers for younger preschoolers will be needed immediately and will expand to older ages as the service grows in number.
- 4) Eventually we will look at creating small groups attached to this service to extend the full "Sunday morning experience" to those for whom Sunday night is a better fit. So we will be looking for small group leaders.
- 5) If you're a Sunday morning regular who had to miss because of a visit to grandma, a sick child, a late Saturday night event, etc. you don't have to miss out on the teaching and experience of corporate worship. Just come Sunday night!

IT'S AN OPPORTUNITY FOR FELLOWSHIP

If nothing else, Sunday night provides another opportunity to fellowship with other believers and broaden the FBC family. As an added feature of the Sunday night worship experience, we plan to follow up the service with a time of fellowship in the gathering area. Think of it as a sort of "internet café" with coffee and dessert...a time to catch up with each other before the new week starts.

So, start telling people you know or meet who have difficulty making a morning service that we've got them covered! If you have questions or would like to help with this service, see Bro. Heath!



Our next partnership missions trip to Taxco is coming up in two weeks and it will be a unique trip as we will be working in a medical clinic alongside the Baptist Convention of Guerrero. This ministry has produced tremendous fruit in Guerrero the last 3 years, but it comes with some additional needs for finances and resources. The extra needs include:

- **\$700** for the medicine that will be purchased in Mexico January 18th.
- **\$500** for food that will feed the entire mission team while we are there, which includes our eight team members AS WELL AS the local team we will be assisting.
- **Eye-glasses** in any of the 11 strengths from .5 to 2.75. Ideally we could use 50 of each strength, but will use whatever we get. You may have used glasses at home that you are willing to give or these can be purchased relatively cheaply at places like Walmart and Dollar Tree.
- There will be 8 members from FBC Skiatook going and the cost for each team member is **\$600** for transportation, lodging, food, and travel insurance. Any financial support is greatly appreciated. If you would like to help support any portion of this you can drop it by the church office or give through the regular church offering envelopes or online. Simply designate it for TAXCO on the envelope or online app.
- **FBC team members going are:**

Landon Warren	Kim Linton	Justin & Brooke Heckrote
James Breeding	Sarah Mummy	Colt & Sara Herren

DEADLINE IS JANUARY 12



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JANUARY 15 & 16, 2017

SUNDAY & MONDAY
MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY WEEKEND

Starts at 4:00pm on Sunday
Dismisses at 4:30pm on Monday

Falls Creek, Davis, OK

Oklahoma's Premier Teen Evangelism
Training Event!

REGISTER NOW AT

<http://fbcskiatook.com/ministries/youth/>



WEDNESDAYS
@ 6:25 PM
West Rogers Campus