



# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



March 31, 2024

**CHAD THOMPSON**  
LEAD PASTOR



## Called, Capable, and Complete

Too often we allow lies to flood our minds. We believe that there is no way that God could use us because of the way people see us or because of the failures of the past. The truth: You are not who others say you are. You are not what happened in your past. You get your identity from God, your heavenly Father. Let's see who He says you are:

### 1. You are called by Christ.

"After you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who called you to His eternal glory in Christ, will Himself perfect, confirm, strengthen *and* establish you." (1 Pet. 5:10).

You are so special that you are on Jesus' mind. He came and sought you out. He not only says you are good enough but that He wants you on His team. He has come to you just like He did to the first disciples, saying, "Follow Me," "Come to me and I will give you rest."

### 2. You are capable through Christ.

"I can do all things <sup>1</sup>through Him who strengthens me." (Phil. 4:13). "But in all these things we overwhelmingly conquer through Him who loved us." (Rom. 8:37). You may not be the most talented or even the most qualified, but through Christ, you are capable. He equips those He calls. He has called you and will surely make you capable of doing all that He calls you to do.

### 3. You are complete in Christ.

"Seeing that His divine power has granted to us everything pertaining to life and godliness, through the true knowledge of Him who called us by His own glory and excellence" (2 Pet. 1:3)

"For in Christ all the fullness of the Deity lives in bodily form, and in Christ you have been brought to fullness. He is the head over every power and authority. (Col. 2:9-10).

We have everything we need in Christ. Let me remind you that JESUS + NOTHING = EVERYTHING! When Satan speaks his native language to you, respond back with truth. "I am *called*, made *capable* and *complete* in and through Christ.

## STEWARDSHIP & ATTENDANCE

Numbers for March 24, 2024

Small Group Total: 322

Worship Total: 590

	March 24	To Date 2024
Budget Projected	\$ 21,963.15	\$ 263,557.80
Budget Received	\$ 22,269.54	\$ 300,349.67
Spent to Date		\$ 243,236.40

## COOPERATIVE & WORLD MISSIONS TO DATE

BGCO To Date \$ 30,034.96

WOBA To Date \$ 6,006.99

(Includes funds received in house, by USPS and through Realm.)



Worship Services : 8:00am,  
9:30am & 11:00am

**5 PM** **QUARTERLY CHURCH CONFERENCE**  
**Sunday, April 7**  
**South Campus**

## SCOTT NEIGHBORS

EXECUTIVE PASTOR

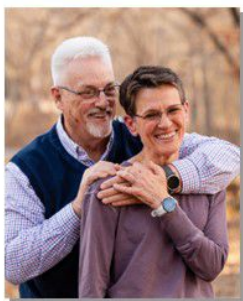


### YOUR "INFORMAL INVITATION"

Recently a young couple congratulated me on my upcoming wedding and remarked about the recent shower they heard we had been given. Then they said, "That's so cute. But, what do you get old people who get married?" I wanted to reply, "Orthopedic shoes and Depends," but I decided instead to brag on the generosity of our friends and the wonderful gifts we were given.

All joking aside, I do realize that our situation, while certainly not unprecedented, is not the norm. You usually associate weddings with 20-somethings just starting their adult lives and careers, not 60-somethings approaching their retirement and "sunset years." As such, Kim and I had toyed with the more common scenario of a small ceremony with a few family members. But many of our friends and family encouraged us (some even requested or required us) to think about a larger, more inclusive public service. We're glad they did. After our shower we remarked what a great time it was that people from various groups...family, church friends, work associates, out of town friends, etc...got to know each other and just visited. It was a great time of fellowship, celebrating what Kim and I believe is a real work of God in our lives.

In that vein, that's exactly what we want our wedding to be. A testimony of how God provides for us...even us old people...in the most unique and personal ways. And we want it to be a relaxed time of fellowship for you all to celebrate God's blessing with us and just get to know each other better. So, with that in mind, consider this your "informal invitation."



***We would love for you to  
join us at the celebration  
of our marriage  
April 27, 2024 @ 10:00 am  
First Baptist Church  
West Rogers Campus***

As it will be a Spring Saturday morning, we know many families will have sports and other outdoor activities scheduled. Therefore, we want this to be an informal occasion with a brief time of worship and testimony followed by an extended time of fellowship.

So, feel free to come dressed casually for the rest of your day's activities (soccer & baseball uniforms are welcome) and if you can't make the 10:00 ceremony, we plan to stay around until at least 1:00 pm, so drop by when you can and have some cake with us.

God has been so good to us...please help us celebrate!

***Kim & Scott***

## MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

1st THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH

**APRIL 4**  
7:00pm LOCATION VARIES

James Breeding (918) 695-3925

**Outreach** FBC Women's Ministry  
**Craft Night**  
**THURS**  
**APRIL 11 | 6-8PM**  
**West Rogers Campus**

Dinner, Testimony, Fellowship and making an outreach craft

***Save the Dates:*** Super Summer June 2-7  
Mobile Missions June 16-20  
Falls Creek July 1-6

"Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is abundant, but the workers are few. Therefore, pray to the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into his harvest.""  
Matthew 9:37-38

It is fair to say that the harvest is PLENTIFUL in our area right now. In the past 2 months, we have had 24 students give their lives to Jesus! Between Newman Middle School, Skiatook High School, and Sperry schools, there has been a surge of students who God has saved! I believe this is just the beginning. We have been praying for the Lord to move in public schools since I got here over 4 years ago. The Lord is indeed at work right now! Praise Him for His FAITHFULNESS!!

Would you join me in praying for these new believers? Would you also join me in praying for us and the Christian leaders at these schools as we try to get these new believers plugged into a local church and involved in discipleship?



**DREW POSADA**  
STUDENT & WORSHIP PASTOR

## SHEREE JORDAN

DIRECTOR OF PRESCHOOL

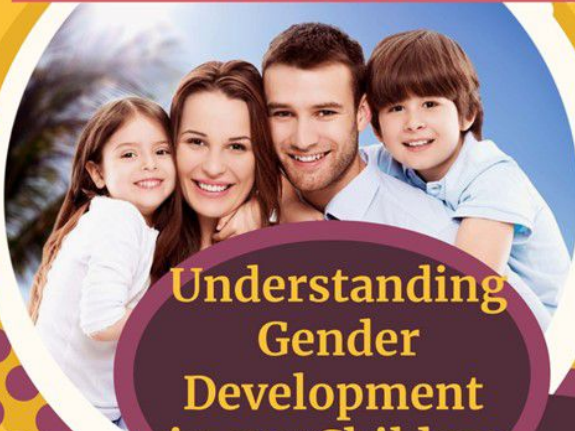


**EQUIP**  
THE HOME

Our Equip The Home will look a little different for April. Sunday, April 21, Ricky Chelette with

Living Hope Ministries will be with us at our 8:00am & 11:00am services. He will lead a session during our small group time at 9:30am in the WRC sanctuary and will lead his final session at 5:00pm Sunday evening in the SC gym.

### First Baptist Church Skiatook "Equipping Homes"



### Understanding Gender Development in our Children

**Sunday**  
**April 21**  
8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am  
5:00 pm

**Ricky Chelette,**  
**Living Hope Ministries**

Understanding the components of sexual identity is key to helping people embrace God's design for sexuality. Parents will get help in fostering healthy gender formation in their children.

### Preschool & Children's Worship

## SUNDAYS at the 11:00am SERVICE

**MARCH 31 EASTER**

**APRIL 7**

CHILDREN: 9:30am-  
11:00am- Krystal Corley & April Turley

Isabella Nix

PRESCHOOL: 9:30am-  
11:00am- LaDonna Harrison  
& Cheryl Earp

Lindsey, Ali  
& Annlee  
Thompson



## Derby Garage Pit Crew

**Sunday, April 7, 3:00pm**  
**at the South Campus Gym**

*We will have tools available to help  
you work on your cars together*

NO ARTICLE AVAILABLE



## JANAE JORDAN

DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN

# FBC Schedule

## WORSHIP SERVICES

**8:00 AM & 11:00 AM** (Live at West Rogers Campus)

*Kid's Worship @ 11:00 service*

*Live streaming is still offered as an option*



## SMALL GROUPS

**SUNDAYS: 9:30 -10:30 AM**

*Median & Senior Adult (West Rogers Campus)*

*Preschool, Children, Youth & Young Adults (South Campus)*

## WEDNESDAYS: 6:30-8:00 PM

*Youth | Games, Food, Worship & Bible Study (SC)*

*BLUEPRINT | Preschool & Children (SC)*

*Adult Small Group (SC)*

*Celebrate Recovery (WRC)*

*Time of Prayer (WRC)*



## **TUESDAY @ 6:30AM & WEDNESDAY @ 6:30PM**

Gather with us Tuesday mornings or Wednesday evenings  
at the West Rogers Campus

## **FBC STAFF / OFFICE**

CHAD THOMPSON	<i>Lead Pastor</i>
SCOTT NEIGHBORS	<i>Executive Pastor</i>
DREW POSADA	<i>Pastor of Students / Worship</i>
JANAE JORDAN	<i>Director of Children's Ministries</i>
SHEREE JORDAN	<i>Director of Preschool Ministries</i>
KELSEY LLOYD	<i>Lead Pastor Admin. Assistant / Media</i>
MARTHA HOFFMAN	<i>Financial / Membership Secretary</i>
JESSE JORDAN	<i>Facilities Manager</i>
SAMANTHA STOUT	<i>West Rogers Custodian</i>

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**West Rogers Campus** (Worship Center)

825 W. Rogers Blvd, Skiatook, OK

### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Thursday 8:30 am-4:30 pm



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and stay connected!

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/ OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE / TITHING /  
CONNECTING WITH YOUR SMALL GROUP**



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Jared Basey  
Mike Earp  
Dennis Harrison  
Judd Jordan  
Keni Kennedy  
Kelly Maddoux  
Michael McQuay

Mike Mullins  
Micah Nix  
Scott Robinson  
Earl Rozell  
Jeremy Stout  
Gary Yarbrough

**FBC DEACONS**