



## OUR STAFF

## FIRST FOCUS

### WELCOME

We gather this morning from all parts of this great city, connected by a common love for Jesus Christ and a contagious joy that we have discovered in Him.

Ours is historic faith. For 150 years, this congregation has added our songs and service to those who for 2000 years have called Jesus Christ, Lord.

We are experiencing new life. In recent days, God has revived our congregation and given us fresh vision and new enthusiasm. We welcome you to join us as God leads you to become part of this growing family.

The card below is intended for use by our guests. We want to know you.

Thanks for coming today.

Don Guthrie, Pastor

**T. Don Guthrie**  
SENIOR PASTOR  
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ASSOCIATE PASTOR,  
STUDENTS AND VENTURE SUNDAY SCHOOL

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PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY ASSOCIATE

*"One of the great uses of Twitter and Facebook will be to prove at the Last Day that prayerlessness was not from lack of time." --John Piper*

*"In a room where people unanimously maintain a conspiracy of silence, one word of truth sounds like a pistol shot." – Czeslaw Milosz*

### TODAY IN WORSHIP.

- 9:15 Josh Vaughan, preaching
- 9:30 Josh Vaughan, simulcast (LOGOS Contemporary Worship)
- 11:00 Josh Vaughan, preaching
- 11:00 Internationals (4 Services)
- 6:00 Friends & Family – No Evening Services

**IRON2IRON MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST.** May 4, 8:30 AM. Guest Speaker: Victor Rodriguez, Senior Pastor, Life Church of San Antonio. FBC men and boys are invited!

**PSALMS AND HYMNS AND SPIRITUAL SONGS.** New Wednesday night Bible study begins May 1. Taught by the Pastor, these inspiring lessons will fill your heart with song. 6:30PM, May 1-29, Fellowship Hall.

**BUILDING FUND NEEDS – DECISION DATE DRAWS NEAR.** Thank you to all who have been contributing to the FBC Building Fund. We are making steady progress toward the replacement of the Sanctuary and West Hall HVAC system. A firm decision by the end of May is required if we want to install by January 2014. Thank you for your prayers and financial support. More information in the next few weeks.

**SENIOR ADULT DAY** in Sunday School is a recognition day for our adults 60 years of age and older. This vital group has contributed and continues to contribute much spiritual leadership in our church. Invite your senior adult friends to join us on May 5...encourage our seniors when you see them and thank them for their example in faithfulness.

**"WHAT DID YOU EXPECT?" MARRIAGE CONFERENCE** – May 17-18, \$10 per person. Register by May 1st to be entered into a Romantic Getaway Drawing for a one night stay at the Riverwalk Vista Hotel or a one night stay at the historic Menger Hotel! Register online at [www.fbcsa.org/whatdidyouexpect](http://www.fbcsa.org/whatdidyouexpect).

**H.O.P.E. TEAM** needs volunteers to help with the Pillow Ministry, help make casseroles in the church kitchen, help with small household repairs. If you are interested in one of these ministries, stop by the HOPE table in Unity Hall.

**FBC MISSION TEAM TO THAILAND.** Boun Phommachanh and Dave and Carrie Cole leave this week for Thailand. They will work in the Shul Refugee Camps where some of our International congregation found shelter before coming to the U.S. Please pray for safety and spiritual effectiveness as they go.

**"PSALMS: SONGS FROM THE HEART OF FAITH"**. In preparation for Sunday, May 5, please read the {Re:Verse} Scripture, Psalm 69.

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### OUR MISSION

IS TO FOLLOW OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,  
AND TO LEAD ALL OTHERS TO A  
JOYFUL LIFE IN HIM

### TODAY'S SERMON

"THE TRUTH ABOUT YOU...AND ME"

April 28, 2013 | 11:00 AM

## GUEST REGISTRATION

11:00

Welcome to First Baptist Church. We are glad you chose to worship with us today. To help us minister to you, please fill out this form and place it in the offering plate.

Today's date \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Mr/Mrs/Ms) \_\_\_\_\_

Single  Married Birthday/Year \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Military Affiliation Y or N Branch of Service \_\_\_\_\_ Installation \_\_\_\_\_

Family Member Deployed? Y or N

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt No. \_\_\_\_\_

City/State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please check grades or ages of children living at home.

Preschool:  under 2  2 yrs.  3 yrs.  4 yrs.  5 yrs.

Children:  1st grade  2nd grade  3rd grade

4th grade  5th grade  6th grade

Students:  7th grade  8th grade  9th grade  10th grade

11th grade  12th grade  College (19-24 yrs.)

I am visiting from out-of-town

I am seeking a church home

I would like to become a member of First Baptist Church. Please contact me.

I would welcome further contact via  e-mail  phone  personal visit

NEW LIFE. HISTORIC FAITH.



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# SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

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APRIL 28, 2013 | 11:00 AM

Prelude "Amazing Grace" arr. Haan

**Rejoice always; pray without ceasing; in everything give thanks; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.**  
**1 Thessalonians 5:16-18**

Call to Worship "Sing and Be Not Silent" McDonald  
*The Sanctuary Choir; Nettie Taylor, director*

*Sing to the Lord and be not silent,  
Sing to the Lord and glorify!  
Sing to the Lord all ye His children.  
Sing to the Lord, O Most High!*

Welcome Don Guthrie

Hymn 231—"Come, Christians, Join to Sing"  
Hymn 184—"Jesus Is All the World To Me"

Reading Wayne Kaminiski

Our Scripture focus this morning is Psalm 53. It says:  
"God looks down from heaven on all mankind to see if there are any who understand, any who seek God. Everyone has turned away, all have become corrupt; there is no one who does good, not even one. "

We are flawed as humans, sinful and unable to achieve goodness on our own. In Romans 7, the apostle Paul said, "I want to do what is good, but I don't. I don't want to do what is wrong, but I do it anyway. I have discovered this principle of life—that when I want to do what is right, I inevitably do what is wrong. Oh, what a miserable person I am! Who will free me from this life that is dominated by sin and death? Thank God! The answer is in Jesus Christ our Lord."

Reading Susan Kaminiski

Therefore no one will be declared righteous in God's sight by the works of the law; rather, through the law we become conscious of our sin. But now apart from the law the righteousness of God has been made known, to which the Law and the Prophets testify. This righteousness is given through faith in Jesus Christ to all who believe. There is no difference between Jew and Gentile, for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, and all are justified freely by his grace through the redemption that came by Christ Jesus. (Romans 3:20-24)

Prayer Don Guthrie

Hymn 471—"Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken"

The Children's Message Josh Vaughan

Message in Song "Rock of Ages" Cox  
*The Sanctuary Choir*

Morning Message "The Truth About You...And Me" Josh Vaughan  
Psalm 40

Decision Hymn 329—"Marvelous Grace"

Instrumental Offertory "God So Loved the World" Smith/Hustad

Welcome, New Members! Bryan Richardson

Life Together Don Guthrie

Benediction Josh Vaughan

Grace, grace, God's grace,  
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within;  
Grace, grace, God's grace,  
Grace that is greater than all our sin.

Postlude "A Mighty Fortress" Peeters

Seth Nelson Laurie Wilson  
Organist Pianist

## Dr. Aaron Hufty Comes in View of a Call

Join us Sunday, May 5 as we invite Dr. Aaron Hufty and family back to FBCSA for a weekend of worship, fellowship and meetings. The entire church family is invited to participate in a 5:30 special called church conference where Aaron will give his testimony, followed by a Q&A time with both Aaron and the search team. We are excited to see God working in this church and with this family. Please come and be a part of this amazing chapter at FBCSA.

### Friday, May 3

6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal (Fellowship Hall)  
Choir Q and A time with Aaron  
Dessert Fellowship (Blanchard Lounge)

### Saturday, May 4

10:00 AM Aaron meets with the Deacons (after Iron-2-Iron, 8:30AM)

### Sunday, May 5

9:15 AM Aaron leads Early Worship  
9:30 AM Aaron speaks in Logos  
11:00 AM Aaron leads Late Worship  
4:30 PM Aaron meets with the Chapel Singers  
5:00 PM Regular Church Conference  
5:30 PM Special Called Church Conference (Sanctuary)  
Aaron shares his testimony with the church  
Church family Q and A with Aaron  
Church family Q and A with Search Team  
Church votes on recommendation to call Aaron Hufty as Associate Pastor of Worship and Music  
Church-wide Ice Cream fellowship in Unity Hall  
(Sponsored by FBCSA Youth)

## I Belong Here

11:00

Belonging to a church is a biblical, beneficial step. Membership in a church says 3 things. I BELIEVE what these people believe. I AM COMMITTED to love them and be loved by them. I WILL SERVE with them as we honor Christ by building His church together. I BELONG HERE!

- I want to become a member of FBC.
- I am interested. Please contact me for conversation and future opportunities to learn about FBC.
- I have questions.

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

E-mail:  \_\_\_\_\_

Phone:  \_\_\_\_\_

(Please check preferred way of contact.)

God bless you!

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