

**SUNDAY NIGHT
DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES
BEGINNING SEPTEMBER
13TH!**

Esther—7 weeks, (ladies only), Mary Kephart, \$10, Rm 124

Becoming Like Jesus—6 weeks, Geoff Buhlig, \$10, Rm 123

Better Man: Becoming Christ-like in the workplace, Mike Wright, FREE, Fellowship Hall



In Sympathy

The pastor and church family extend Christian sympathy to the family of **Michael Wright** in the death of his father; to the family of **Steve Robinson** in the death of his father.



Sundays

8:20-9 a.m. & 10:10-10:25 a.m.

This service is available to anyone (under 12 must have a parent) and is by DONATION. It is not free and proceeds go toward various needs. Get here early so you can be in your area before 9 a.m.! **The September donations, after expenses, will go to Project 111.**

You can now donate with your phone at the Coffee Corner!!

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OUR SERVICES

Sundays

9:00 a.m.: Connection Hour
10:30 a.m.: Worship
5:00 p.m.: Discipleship –Starts Sep 13
5:00 p.m.: Children's Choirs –Starts Sep 13

Wednesdays

5 p.m.: Meal Service
6 p.m.: GLOW Kidz
6 p.m.: Wednesday Live!
6 p.m.: Adult Bible Study
6:15 p.m.: Adult Choir

Non-Profit Organ.
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Lawton, Oklahoma,
73501

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Students

August was an incredible month for our students! We are thankful for an incredible Olympics night and for the opportunity to share the Gospel with so many students as we kicked off the new school year. Thank you to every leader and volunteer who helped make the night possible.

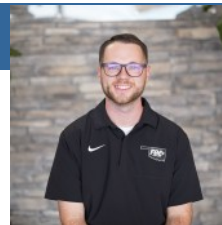
This month we are looking forward to our 5th Quarters on September 4 and 11. These nights give us a great opportunity to welcome students from our community into the Bunker and build relationships with them. Thank you to everyone in our church who donated gift cards to help us with giveaways!

Discipleship begins September 13. For the first four weeks, students will walk through the Gospel and the biblical narrative of Creation, Fall, and Redemption. Our goal is to help students understand not only what we believe, but the why behind the what and how the Gospel shapes everything we do.

Fall Back registration will also open this month for October 16–17, and FBE Students sweatshirt orders are due September 16.

We are excited for a great year ahead and thankful for a church that continues to pray for, support, and invest in the next generation!

Justin Smart, Student Pastor | First Baptist East

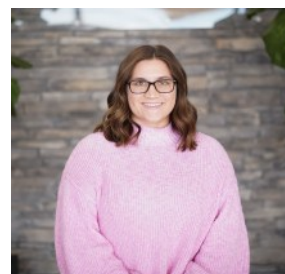


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September 1, 2026



FirstEastChildren

Children & Families

Wednesday Nights are for 1st-5th graders, Wednesday nights 6:00-7:30

Connection hour starts at 9:00 am on Sundays. I would love to see you there!

Children's church is for Kindergarten through 2nd graders during service. Kids Church is for 3rd-5th graders during the service.

What's happening?

We had a great August with Switch Sunday and GLOW kidz kick off. We are looking forward to a cooler September. We have our Drive In movie on September 6 at 7:30. FBE Kids Tshirts are still available with the first 50 kids to sign up getting a FREE one! I can't wait to see you all at FBE!



*Welcome to the Family
Sunday
September 20th
11:30 immediately following the
worship service*

From the Pastor

School has started back and our schedule is starting to fill up. Our Sunday night activities begin on September 13. We will have some great classes starting at 5:00p.m.

Then September 20th is the "Welcome to the Family" luncheon. This is right after church Sunday morning. This for those who would like to join our church or get more information about our church. Join us for lunch to see what it takes to be apart of FBE. Then on September 27, we will start a new members class. It you have joined in the last six months or would like to join our church, this class is to inform you on what we believe and how you can be involved. It will be at 5:00p.m.

October 4th is our Tailgate Party in the parking lot. It was such a success we decided to do it again. Each department is responsible for their food and grills. Bring your food and chairs and after church we will set up in the far west parking lot.

Also on October 4th during the worship time, we are going to hear the testimony of a lady from Latvia. Her husband was part of the KGB. She got saved and started a Christian school. Then her husband got saved. It is an amazing story. You don't want to miss it. Put this date on your calendar .

Bro. Doug



Discipleship / Missions

Last month I shared that as a 57 year-old man I still dread the end of summer. That remains true, but I am looking very forward to some fall weather. I am also looking forward to many things that this time of year brings in the way of church-wide activities and fellowships. September 6 we will be having our annual drive-in movie. This is great fun for all ages. It gives us an opportunity to visit and get to know one another in a more relaxed setting and enjoy a movie, games, and food. On September 13 our Sunday night discipleship training classes will kick off with three great classes to choose from. On the 20th we will have our Welcome to the Family lunch. This is a great opportunity for people who are new to the church to feel welcomed and get acquainted. Then on the 27th we will celebrate the Lord's Supper together. I am excited to see how the Lord is going to use FBE in the coming days. Please join me in praying that all of our efforts would be used to glorify Jesus.

In Christ, Steve McKee



Music

ADULT CHOIR IS BACK! (AND WE'VE GOT A SEAT RESERVED FOR YOU!)

Adult Choir kicked off rehearsals on August 19 with 41 SINGERS! That was a great start, but we've still got room for YOU!! We're raising a mighty army of singers, and you can be a part of it. Join us next Wednesday at 6:00 P.M. in the Choir Room. We'll be preparing some excellent worship music for Sunday's, PLUS this year's Christmas program!



For Your Information



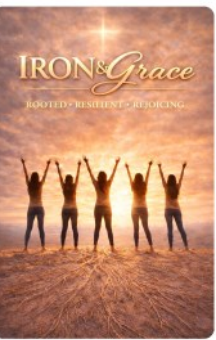
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...sign up now to begin giving online!

Giving to our church has never been easier! Visit www.firstbaptisteast.com and click the REALM button, then click give online, then click Sign Up for Realm. If you have any problems, call the church office at 355-6190. Sign up today! If you prefer to use offering envelopes, you can put the offering in the black boxes located in the auditorium or in south foyer!



SENIOR ADULT LUNCHEON
SEPT. 15 @ NOON - SAFETY & PREVENTION
with Michael Wright, retired Fire Marshal with the Lawton Fire Department

Following a delicious lunch prepared by Holly Wells, Michael Wright will share valuable, life-saving tips on Safety & Prevention. Join us!



Women's Ministry
Iron & Grace
September 10
6pm in the Bunker

Come be part of something special—food, fellowship & a night that will strengthen your faith & friendships.



\$5 Craft Night!!!
⇒ Iron & Grace



Men's Breakfast, Saturday, September 12th, 8:00am

Monthly Recap	
Average Attendance (August)	
Connection Hour Average Attendance	330
Monthly Giving (August)	\$ 94,183
Monthly Budget Requirements	\$ 109,892
Year to Date Budget Receipts	\$ 782,623
BFHG (August)	\$ 510
BFHG Year to date	\$ 6,280
Legacy of Faith	\$ 13,739
Legacy of Faith Year to Date	\$ 125,122
Additions (August)	
By Baptism	4
By Letter	0
By Watchcare/Statement	0



Meals Return August 19th
Adults: \$5 Children: \$3
Or \$25 per Household

Reservations can be made week by week or permanently by texting: Holly Wells at 580-695-2595. Serving from 5 to 5:45 p.m.

September 2nd: Chicken Strips
September 9th: Pulled Pork
September 16th: Salisbury Steak
September 23rd: Baked Potatoes
September 30th: Beef/Chicken Tacos
October 7th: Chicken Alfredo

Spiritual Enrichment
Materials Available to You for Free!

Here's three opportunities for you to further your growth using your electronic devices!

Right Now Media
Go to the "Resource" tab on our church website and select Right Now Media. You can download the app for your devices. You will need to create an account.

Grace 101 (www.grace101.org)
Click on login and use firsteast as both the password and user name.

Sampson Resources (www.sampsonresources.com)
Go to and click on "start streaming". Click on the resource you want to watch and enter the password: 36715SAP.