



WELCOME TO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
OF SPRINGFIELD
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APRIL 5, 2009

10:30 AM

PALM SUNDAY

Preparation for Worship
Video: "Blood Sacrifice"

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Prelude Music: "The Holy City"
David Roberts, Trumpet - Chris Kang, Piano

***We Greet One Another in Christian Fellowship** Jim Weaver
***A Song of Fellowship:** #128

"Lift Up Your Heads"
Lift up your heads, ye mighty gates,
Behold the King of glory waits;
The King of kings is drawing near;
The Savior of the world is here!

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***Prayer of Invocation** Jim Weaver

***Worship Sequence:**
"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" (Stzs. 1, 3) #130
"In the Name of the Lord" #174
"All Glory, Laud, and Honor" (Stzs. 1, 3) #126

***Prayer for our Offering** Don Blake, Deacon

Weeping Tree

A Service for Holy Week

by Joseph M. Martin

Presented by
The Sanctuary Choir
with Soloists and Narration
Chris Kang - Accompanist
Connie Jenkins - Organ
Kim Yi - Keyboard Strings
Roger and Paula Price - Narrators
Chris Jenkins - Director

SEQUENCE

Introduction and Narration: "Come to the Weeping Tree"

"The Weeping Tree"

Narration: "Come and See the Robe"

WELCOME!

We are delighted that you have joined us to worship today. We want you to feel at home in our Fellowship. In order to provide you with additional information about our ministries, we invite you to take a few moments to fill out this guest form and place it in the offering plate or return it to the Welcome Center in the foyer after the service. Thank you for being a part of the First Baptist family today. May God bless you and touch you with the joy of His presence.

Date: _____

Mr. Mrs. Ms.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Are you a member of another church?

Yes: No:

Church: _____

City: _____ State/Zip: _____

Please check the applicable items:

- First-time visitor
- New to the area
- Returning visitor

Age Group:

- 18-19 40s 60s
- 20s 50s 70+
- 30s

Single Married

Names and Ages of Children:



Visit us online at
www.fbcspringfield.org



Sanctuary Flowers

If you wish to place altar flowers in memory of or to honor a loved one on any Sunday during the year, please contact the Church Office to request a date for your donated arrangement. You may pick up the arrangement on the following Monday morning for extended enjoyment in your home or simply indicate when you call that the flowers may be shared with our homebound members.

Crafts

Tuesday, April 14
10:00 am

Visit Your Church Library and Media Center

(Second Floor near the Elevator)

Open:

Sundays 8:45-10:30 am

Wednesdays 6:30-8:00 pm

Check the table marked "FREE ITEMS" outside the Library periodically for media being retired. Help yourself!

Mission Resources for April:

"OM-On Mission" NAMB magazine: articles/photos on the AAEO featured missionaries

"PrayerPoints" - emphasis on Central & Eastern Europe

"Prayer-Gram" - "People Groups Among Us" & "How To Pray For People Groups"

"Pray for Missions": Back page of the "Midweekly Prayer Calendar"

Copies are in the foyers & office.

Service Recordings Available

Recordings of the 10:30 am worship services held in the Sanctuary are now available on CD by request (\$1).

"30-Hour Famine"

April 24 and 25

The Students will be fasting for 30 hours in April as a way to raise money to feed the hungry. Help them make a difference for those suffering hunger. Students will fast together at the Youth Lock-In Friday, April 24 at 7:00 pm at the church. Visit www.exit20cafe.com.

Construction is Underway!



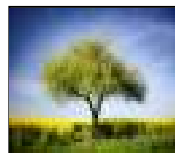
We are so excited about the remodeling of our Youth Room. Check it out!

Youth Selling Prepaid Giant Cards

See Mark or Irene Rosenbaum after church to purchase a Giant card. A percentage of the sales will offset the Youth Summer Mission costs. During the week, you can contact the church office about a card.

Schedule for Youth

To see a full calendar of Student Ministry events, please visit www.exit20cafe.com.



DRIVEN is our Wednesday night service for Jr. and Sr. High students. We play games and worship with our student led band, then we discover what the Bible teaches us about being a Christian in a crazy world.

Wednesdays:
6:30 pm - Hang Time
7:00 pm - Driven



things you are in life.

Sundays:
4:00 pm - Student Band Practice
5:00 pm - Drama, Creative Arts
6:00 pm - Game On
7:00 pm - Friend Groups (Small Groups)

CHURCH STAFF MINISTERS

James A. Weaver, Pastor
Hammond A. Coates, Minister of Discipleship and Congregational Ministries
Christopher T. Jenkins, Minister of Music and Worship
Jay Rawls, Minister to Students
Jey Kim, Minister to Korean Fellowship
Fernando Mangieri, Minister to Hispanic Fellowship
Zelleke Alemu, Minister to Ethiopian Fellowship

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WEEKDAY OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

"Of Tears and Sorrows"
Chris and Janette Moman - Soloists

Narration: "Come and See the Crown of Thorns"

"Lamentation of the Cross"
Libbie Trester - Handchimes

Narration: "Come and See the Nails"

"Wondrous Love, Wondrous Cross"

Narration: "Come and See the Drops of Blood"

"Alas, And Did My Savior Bleed?"

Narration: "Come and See the Weeping Tree"

"Without the Cross"

The Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Jim Weaver

***Song of Invitation:** "Have You Been to Calvary"

#324

Church Concerns and Announcements

Jim Weaver

***Benediction Prayer**

Jim Weaver

***Congregational Response:**

#151

"The Way of the Cross Leads Home"
(Chorus only)

The way of the cross leads home,
The way of the cross leads home;
It is sweet to know as I onward go,
The way of the cross leads home.

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***Postlude:** "The Weeping Tree" (Epilogue)

*Congregation Standing

CONTEMPORARY SERVICE
Fellowship Hall - 10:30 am

Worship Led by the Praise Band
Tim Kim, Worship Leader

Morning Offering

Offertory Prayer - John Hardy, Deacon

The Message
"Passion Week"

Matthew 21:1-11
Jay Rawls

Women's Ministry Presents

Deepen Your Prayer Life

Saturday, April 25, 2009

9:00 am - 11:00 am

Fellowship Hall

Light Lunch following the program

LEADER

MaLinda McLendon

REGISTRATION

Call church office by **April 19th.**

\$1.00 admission fee at the door on the day of the event

Call Ellen Chenoweth or Judy Joiner with questions.

No Children's Church

There will be no Children's Church today, Palm Sunday, or Easter Sunday, April 12.



Maundy Thursday, April 9

Fellowship Dinner - 6:00 pm, Fellowship Hall

(Sign up or call the church office for this meal if not already on the Permanent List.)

Service and Lord's Supper - 7:00 pm, Sanctuary
PACE Choir's Easter Musical



Good Friday, April 10

Worship Service - 12:00 pm, Sanctuary

Luncheon - 12:30 pm, Fellowship Hall

Easter Sunday, April 12

No Sunrise Service

Sunday School - 9:15 am

Celebration Services - 10:30 am

Baptism and special music by
the Young Musicians, Children's Choir,
Adult Handbell Choir and the Sanctuary
Choir in the Traditional Service



(No Evening Activities)

Volunteers Needed to Prepare for Easter!

After the Good Friday luncheon, Chris Jenkins needs volunteers to decorate the Sanctuary. Let him know if you are available.

Also, the last order plants! today is day to Easter



Vacation Bible School



June 22-26

Visit <http://www.fbcspringfield.org/vacationbibleschool>
For more information and registration.

Hand-in-Hand Day

Saturday, May 16
9:00 am - Noon



Church Goal:
\$25,000
Given to Date: \$9,824.96

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF April 05, 2009

(The Nursery is available for all English-language worship services)

SUNDAY, APRIL 5:

8:45-10:30 am - Library Open
9:00 am - Hispanic Worship
9:15 am - Sunday School
9:15 am - Youth AWAKEN/Youth Area
10:15 am - Sanctuary Choir
10:15 am - Instrumental Ensemble/Sanc
10:30 am - Contemporary Worship/FH
10:30 am - Traditional Worship/Sanctuary
10:30 am - Hispanic Sunday School
12:00 pm - Hispanic Fellowship/FH
12:15 pm - Ethiopian Worship/Sanctuary
1:00 pm - Korean Worship/FH
4:00 pm - Youth Praise Band
4:00 pm - Deacon Council Mtg./C302
5:00 pm - Youth Creative Arts, Drama
5:30 pm - Children's Bible Drill/C104
5:30 pm - Adult Handbells
5:45 pm - Youth Snack/Supper FH
6:00 pm - Youth Game On/Gym
7:00 pm - Youth Small Groups/FH
7:00 pm - Bible Study/Sanctuary

MONDAY, APRIL 6:

10:30 am - PACE Choir/Choir Room

TUESDAY, APRIL 7:

7:00 pm - Bonus Choir Rehearsal/Choir Rm.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8:

6:30 pm - Youth Hang Time/Gym
7:00 pm - Driven, for Youth/FH
No Meal or Any Other Activities

MAUNDY THURSDAY, APRIL 9:

4:15 pm - FACETS
6:00 pm - Fellowship Dinner/FH
7:00 pm - Maundy Thursday Service/Sanc.
8:00 pm - ESOL Classes/"A" Wing Classrooms

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 10:

12:00 pm - Worship Service/Sanctuary
12:30 pm - Good Friday Luncheon/FH

SATURDAY, APRIL 11

6:00 am - Hispanic Prayer/C211
7:00 am - Men's Prayer/C302
2:00 pm - Praise Band Rehearsal/FH

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN HELPING TO BUILD A TOOL TO SPREAD THE GOSPEL?

Consider joining the Builders for Christ team from FBC Springfield. We will be traveling to Eudora, Kansas to work May 25-30, 2009, to help build a new church building for First Southern Baptist Church, Eudora.

If you are interested, plan to attend an information meeting on **Tuesday, April 7, 2009, at 7:15 p.m. in room C211.**