

FIRST EDITION

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July 13, 2008



GOD PROVIDES

GOD PROVIDES: THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

Exodus 20:1-11

This Sunday, July 13, Pastor Gregg continues the series entitled Promised Land with "God Provides."

Pastor Gregg Matte



Get Connected
in a Bible Study Class

- 8:00, 9:10 & 10:30 AM
- 12:00 & 5:15 PM

iFUSION

Lead. About. You.

Newlywed or Close Retreat
July 25-27 • Round Top, Texas

See inside for more details.

BAND OF BROTHERS
COURAGE • HONOR • TRUTH

**SAVE THE DATE:
MEN AT THE CROSS
CONFERENCE**

August 22-23
The Toyota Center
Houston, Texas

*"Radically committed men
serving Christ, church, family
and the workplace"*

MenAtTheCross.org

FALL & WINTER MISSION TRIPS

Join one of HFBC's many Fall and Winter mission trips! Destinations include **Guatemala, Spain, Italy, Russia, India and the Philippines.**

See inside for more details, stop by the HFBC Missions & Connection Center or read about the trips online at **HoustonsFirst.org** (Ministries: Other).

Sunday message CDs are available for purchase in the Garden Bookstore and the Sloan Memorial Library.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



"We are so pleased to welcome **Joy Bolin** to Houston's First Baptist Church. Joy is from Canton, TX. She has just recently graduated from California Baptist University with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Music Education. Last year alone, Joy performed in front of over 200,000 people while touring in the United States and Canada. She is pursuing a career in music and looks forward to what the future holds."

THE HUB - STUDENT MINISTRY

MS Summer Rush 2008: iT'Z

Wednesday, July 16. Leave HFBC

11:00 AM-3:00 PM Return.

Cost: \$25 includes food & games. Middle school students, join us for a feast of food and fun!



MISSIONS MINISTRY

Mission Trip

Informational Meetings

Sunday, July 13.

Spain Mission Trip

12:15-1:15 PM, Missions & Connection Center. 4:15-5:15 PM, Chapel. Trip dates: October 15-27. Cost: \$2800; 12 days. Questions? Contact **713.957.5861** or email rochelle.ferrada@hfbc.org.

Italy Mission Trip

12:15-1:15 PM, Room 249. 4:15-5:15 PM, Room 249. Trip dates: October 10-19. Cost: \$2200; 10 days. Questions? Contact **713.264.2614** or email stan.kwan@gmail.com.

*Fundraising manuals are available.

MUSIC MINISTRY

New Summer Choir!

Wednesdays, 7:00-8:30 PM. Choir Room. You are invited to experience a *new* and *dynamic* choir ministry centered around authentic worship, dedicated to musical excellence, and committed to effectively communicating Jesus Christ. If you enjoy worshipping the Lord with songs of praise, then the Summer Choir is for you! Please contact John Bolin at **713.957.5887** for more details

Worship Guide

July 13, 2008 • 9:10 AM

The Assembly



Call to Worship

Who Can Satisfy

The Solid Rock
Sing to the King

Greet/Worship

Lord, I Lift Your Name on High

Welcome/Announcements

Prayer/Offering

Message in Song

All I Know

John and Joy Bolin

Baptism

Message

Pastor Gregg Matte

Response

I Surrender All

Benediction

Postlude

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name
Orchestra

Gregg Matte, Pastor
Stephen Smith, Worship Pastor

For the purpose of love and support of the Body, everyone is encouraged to stay through the decision time.

Thank you for turning off your cell phones during the service.

DECISIONS JULY 6, 2008

For Baptism

Chad Niemeyer, S2EA

From Other Fellowships

Arthur Beckey, AUBN
Sherry Beckey, AUBN
Judy Jackson, AUAF
Garland Morgan, S3BA
Paul Osborne, AUBG
Paige Reid, SPBA
Hector Reyes, AUCF
Bonnie Slattery, Y7BA
David Slattery, AUBP
Emma Slattery, YJBA
Lisa Slattery, AUBP
Stuart Slattery, ACBA
David Van Zandt, S2EA

CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES

Using the offering envelopes pre-printed with your name and envelope number greatly reduces the research time spent by Financial Services and aids the tracking of your contributions for year-end statements. To order pre-printed envelopes, please call Membership Services, **713.957.5870**.

WEEKLY SUMMARY

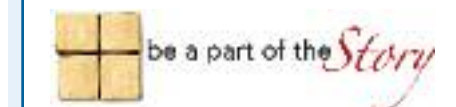
ATTENDANCE, JULY 6, 2008

Sunday Bible Study2,765
Mission Bible Study890
Weekday Bible Study627
Total4,282
Wednesday Night721

GIVING, WEEK ENDING JULY 6, 2008

Tithes & Offerings\$288,644
Weekly Requirements\$293,142
Over/(Under)(\$4,498)
Designated Gifts\$163,820
Over/(Under) for July(\$4,498)

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN



WEEK ENDING JULY 6, 2008

Total Pledged\$24,270,303
Donations Received\$105,318
Total Received\$7,059,329

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED

Please complete tear-off and place in the offering plate.

- I am a member of Houston's First Baptist Church.
- I am a member of a church in the Houston area. (name) _____
- I am **not** a member of a church in the Houston area.

Please accept in the mail a complimentary 4-week subscription to our newsletter, "The First Edition."

- I would like to talk to someone about the Christian life.
- I would like to talk to someone about Church membership.
- I prayed to receive Christ today.
- Please contact me with more information about HFBC ministries.
- I would like to receive information about Sunday Bible Studies.

Guests: How did you hear about First Baptist?

- Newspaper, Magazine, or Internet Ad (name) _____
- Phone Book/Yellow Pages
- Invited by a friend or family member
- HFBC Website Radio
- Other (describe) _____

Name: _____

Check if this is a change of address.

Address: _____

Please send me the church newsletter for 4 weeks.

Apt. #: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Home # (his) (____) _____

Home # (hers) (____) _____

Work # (his) (____) _____

Work # (hers) (____) _____

E-mail (his) _____

Address: (hers) _____

Birth (his) _____

Date: (hers) _____

School Grade: _____

Marital Status:

- Single Married (# of years) _____
- Widowed Engaged

Military Service:

- Active military (Branch: _____)
- Veteran (Branch: _____)

▶ **ADULT ENRICHMENT MINISTRIES - ADULTS 50+**

Game Day

Every Tuesday. 12:00 NOON–4:00 PM. Room 143. Bring snacks and games. Beat the heat, enjoy good company and play mind-stimulating games!



Thursday Bible Study

Every Thursday. 10:00–11:30 AM. Fellowship Center. Enjoy fellowship followed by an in-depth study of the Word.

Astros vs. Pittsburgh

Tuesday, July 22. 5:30 PM. South Parking Lot. Cost: \$16. Don't miss a great game as our hometown heroes play the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Branson, Missouri Adventure

October 20–24. Cost: \$679 for Doubles. Shoji, Andy Williams, the Twelve Irish Tenors and Noah. Oh My! Price includes accommodations, shows, all breakfasts and two lunches, transportation, plus a few surprises. Register by September 2.

Register for Adult Enrichment events by phone at **713.957.7691**, via email **adult.enrichment@hfbc.org** or stop by the AEM office in Room 260.

▶ **BAND OF BROTHERS - MEN'S MINISTRY**

Climb! Men's Summer Event

Climb! **Saturday, July 19.** 9:00 AM–12 NOON. Texas Rock Gym. Bring a friend, come with your Bible Study class, or come alone and join the Band of Brothers for a day of rock climbing followed by lunch at Goode Company Barbeque! For pricing and registration information, visit **HoustonsFirst.org** and click on "Sign Up for Events". Questions? Call **713.957.7681** or email **christen.barrios@hfbc.org**.

Save the Date: Men at the Cross Conference

August 22–23. Toyota Center. Speakers include Joe White, Rick Rigsby, Larry Jackson, Max Lucado, and Crawford Loritts. Music and Worship leaders include Steven Curtis Chapman, Chris Julian, Rick Cua and the Men at the Cross Worship Team. For registration information please visit the Men's Ministry page at **HoustonsFirst.org** or call Christen Barrios at **713.957.7681**.

Off-Site Parking: An Important Ministry!



When you park off-site, you free up a parking space and make room for somebody to be ministered to on Sunday morning — somebody who may otherwise drive away due to a lack of parking! Not sure where to go? Refer to the map of available parking options, shuttle routes, and drop-off/pick-up locations. **Parking off-site is an easy way to support the ministry of HFBC!**

▶ **COUNSELING MINISTRY**

First H.O.P.E. Job Ministry

First H.O.P.E.'s monthly meeting will not meet during the month of July. The next scheduled meeting will be **Saturday, August 2** when we'll discuss resume writing, interviewing and networking. JDA Professional Services, Inc. will be in attendance recruiting candidates for the following positions: Recruiters, Sales and Information Technology.



F2F – "Father to the Fatherless"

Wednesdays beginning August 6. (11 weeks) 7:00–8:30 PM. Counseling Center. Cost: \$35 per session + workbook. A therapy group specifically designed for women who struggle in finding fulfillment in a relationship with their earthly fathers. The group's theme verse is Psalm 68:5 "A father to the fatherless...is God in his holy dwelling." Group topics will include, but not limited to: identity and worth, relationship patterns, and how to relate to God as Father. Led by Counselors, Jennifer Griffith and Courtney Strong. For more information or to sign up*, please call Jennifer or Courtney at **713.335.6463**. *Registering for the group requires a screening interview with one of the counselors.

Men of Integrity

Thursdays beginning July 17. 5:30–7:00 PM. Counseling Center. Cost: \$35 per session + workbook. This group is for men who are struggling with sexual purity. The duration of the group is 19 weeks, and requires work outside of the group meeting. A required prescreening session can be scheduled by calling Greg Curnutte or Young Lee at **713.335.6462**. Members will need to purchase *Facing the Shadows* by Patrick Carnes, available at the Garden Bookstore. For more information contact Greg Curnutte at **greg.curnutte@hfbc.org** or **713.335.6465**.

▶ **FUSION MINISTRIES - MARRIED YOUNG ADULTS**

Metro Live

Friday, August 1. 7:00-8:30 PM. CLC. For young adults 20-40: college, single or married. This free event features worship by Tyler Dodds Band with speakers Steve Knox and Jerrell Altic. Free childcare provided through kindergarten. Questions? Call **713.957.7681** or email **christen.barrios@hfbc.org**.



Newlywed Retreat: Mad About You

July 25–27. Round Top Retreat, Texas. Cost: \$195 per couple. Join other newlywed or engaged couples for a weekend in the country to relax, refresh, reflect and reconnect with each other. Leaders for the weekend will be Alex and Christy Kennedy. To register, visit **HoustonsFirst.org** and click on "Sign Up for Events." Deadline to register is July 13. If you need assistance, please call **713.957.7681** or email **christen.barrios@hfbc.org**.

Acuna Mexico Mission Trip

Interested in foreign missions but don't want to travel far? Looking for an opportunity to serve together as a couple? This summer, Fusion Ministries is offering two mission trips to Acuna, Mexico (just across the border). The dates are August 7–10 and August 14–17. Cost is \$200 per person. To register, visit **HoustonsFirst.org** and click on "Sign Up for Events." Questions? Call **713.957.7681** or email **christen.barrios@hfbc.org**.

▶ **PASTORAL CARE UPDATE**

Now Available!

Latest pastoral updates on the web
http://www.houstonsfirst.org/pastoral_care/pastoral_care.htm

BIRTHS: Pastor Gregg, the staff and people of the First Family extend congratulations to:

Caity Coborn in the birth of her daughter, **Bailey Grace Coborn**. Grandmother: **Susan Coborn**. Great-grandparents: **Jerry and Rose Gibbs**.

Rich and Jacque Hardy in the birth of their daughter, **Madalyn Hardy**. Brothers: **Trip and Jax Hardy**.

John and Erin Griffin in the birth of their daughter, **Sara Elizabeth Griffin**.

Ray and Candace Vasquez in the birth of their daughter, **Anessa Vasquez**. Brothers: **R.J., Andrew, and Julian**. Grandparents: **Raymond and Eva Duran**.

SYMPATHY: Pastor Gregg, the staff and people of the First Family extend sympathy to:

Shelly Haidari in the death of her father, **Jerome Gehlhausen**.

Doug Unverzagt (Staff) in the death of his sister, **Jeanne Ellen Dodd**.

Sandi Williams in the death of her brother-in-law, **Scott Winterhalter**.

Jason (Staff) and **Paige Swiggart** in the death of his mother, **Pat Swiggart**. Grandchildren: **Chambers, Harrison, and Preston**.

Austin and Norma Ann Anthis in the death of his sister, **Fay Couch**.

Amy Kuntz (Staff) in the death of her grandmother, **Louise Kuntz**.

Paul St. John in the death of his mother, **Mary Francis St. John**.

* Memorial Acknowledgements will be mailed to the family. Please watch the First Edition for all other Honorariums.

▶ **HFBC BUSINESS CARDS**

Invite family, friends, and neighbors to HFBC. Take this opportunity to let others know about the Sunday Night service **"Ascend"** @ 6:30 PM (Bible Study for All Ages @ 5:15 PM)

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9:10 & 10:30 AM, 12:00 & 5:15 PM All Ages Bible Study:

6:30 PM Ascend (Ascend Band)
10:45 AM The Gathering (Gathering Band)
9:10 AM The Assembly (Choir & Orchestra)
Sunday Schedule:

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▶ **IMPACT MINISTRIES - SINGLES 40+**

Sunday Lunch

All Singles 40+ are invited for lunch on Sundays following The Gathering.

July 13: IMPACT Pot Luck Luncheon – HFBC, Room 259

July 20: Pei Wei Asian Diner – 1413 S. Voss Road 77057, 713.785.1620

July 27: Pappas Burgers – 5815 Westheimer, 77057, 713.975.6082

August 3: Niko Niko's – 2520 Montrose, 77007, 713.528.1308

Wednesday Night Prayer

Every Wednesday. 6:00 PM. Room 259F.

Impact Singles gather as one to pray for the church, pastor and each other!

Breakfast for Dinner

Tuesday, July 15. 6:00 PM. Denny's 16822 NW Frwy.

Food, fellowship and fun. It's breakfast for dinner, but leave the pj's at home!

Servant Saturday

Saturday, July 19. 9:00 AM. Meet in front of the CLC.

This is a great opportunity to be the hands and feet of Christ by helping someone else that cannot help themselves.

Monthly Friday Night Bible Study

Friday, July 25. 7:00 PM. Room 143.

Adam Mason will be speaking on *The Journey of Spiritual Formation*.

Becoming...More Like Christ! Labor Day Retreat

August 29–September 1. Forest Glen Christian Camp, just outside Huntsville.

Cost \$120.00 including meals. Come along for a great single's weekend with good food, fellowship and Bible study. HFBC's own Adam Mason will serve as our Bible study leader as we learn about *Becoming*. Enjoy free time with canoeing, archery, swimming and lots of other fun activities. Registration cost is \$120 with a \$25.00 non-refundable deposit. Final payment is due August 15.

For information, questions or to register for an event contact Impact Ministries at **713.957.7694** or via email impact.ministries@hfbc.org.

▶ **GIFTS AND MEMORIALS TO THE SLOAN MEMORIAL LIBRARY**

Francis Schaeffer: An Authentic Life
by Colin Duriez

Lost Boy: My Story by Greg Laurie
with Ellen Vaughn

Mistaken Identity: Two Families, One Survivor, Unwavering Hope by Don & Susie Van Ryn and Newell, Colleen & Whitney Cerak with Mark Tabb

Wide Awake: The Future Is Waiting Within You by Erwin Raphael
McManus

Pagan Christianity?: Exploring The Roots Of Our Church Practices
by Frank Viola and George Barna

Have A New Kid By Friday: How To Change Your Child's Attitude, Behavior & Character In 5 Days
by Kevin Leman

What Women Wish Pastors Knew: Understanding The Hopes, Hurts, Needs, And Dreams Of Women In The Church by Denise George

The Unchurched Next Door: Understanding Faith Stages As Keys To Sharing Your Faith by Thom S. Rainer

The Temple and Bible Prophecy
by Randall Price

For older children:
Girls Only! Volumes One & Two
by Beverly Lewis

KINGDOM KIDS MINISTRIES - CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

Kids' Worship

Sunday Mornings. 9:10 AM. Chapel.

Come join the HFBC Children's Programming Staff for an exciting and action packed hour of worshipping Jesus! Children attending Kids' Worship will be taken to their 10:30 AM Sunday School Class.



Pep Rallies

Wednesdays, Now through August 13. 9:00–10:30 AM. Chapel.

Hey Kids, who have completed Kindergarten through 5th Grade, join us for a morning filled with fun and learning about the Lord! This action packed time will contain crazy games, deep lessons, and FUN! This is a FREE event and parents can sign-in their children at the door.

Field Trips

Thursdays, Now through August 14. 9:00 AM meet at CLC–3:00 PM pick up. Cost: \$30 for each field trip. Bring a sack lunch. Kids who have completed Kindergarten through 5th grade are invited to join Mr. Chad and his staff as they partner with the Day Camp staff to visit different sites around town!

Register online at HoustonsFirst.org under "Sign Up for Events" or call the Children's Programming office by 3:00 PM on the Wednesday prior to the field trip. Here are the dates and trips:

July 17: Old MacDonald's Farm

August 7: Quillian Pool

July 24: Mountasia

August 14: Astros Game

Check us out at HoustonsFirst.org (Ministries: By Groups: Children). For more information contact the Children's Programming office via email cassi.odom@hfbc.org or call Chad Overton at **713.957.7626**.

▶ **MISSIONS TRAINING CENTER**

Volunteers & Supplies Needed!

The MTC youth will be taking a retreat to Enchanted Rock in Fredricksburg from July 25 to 27. We need volunteers and camping equipment such as tents, lanterns, sleeping bags, etc. If you can help, contact Khaleel Lott at **713.681.3521**.

▶ **MISSIONS MINISTRY**

College Brazil Mission Trip

Please pray for the HFBC college mission team while they are on their mission trip from July 11-23, 2008. Steve Knox, HFBC College Catalyst, is their team leader.

Lindsay Bakke
Diana Banner
Leslee Plum
Jon Paul Clayton

Shannon Davis
Timothy Honeycutt
Steve Knox
Meg Knox

Blake Land
Tommy Lynch

Help Feed the Mission Interns

The Residential Discipleship and Ministry Training Interns need you! If you would like to provide meals (to feed approx.10-12 ppl.) for our mission interns serving this summer, contact Jerrell Altic at jerrell.altic@hfbc.org or **713.335.6450**.

▶ **MISSIONARY BIRTHDAYS 7/13**

Lily L and SB,

Asia

Mike Boone and Eric Laffoon,

Central, Eastern & Southern Africa

HP,

Last Frontier

Cheryl D, David N, Jonja J,

Teresa S, Terry B, and William G,

Pacific Rim

Ron Greenwich and Brian Nystrom,

South America

Carolyn W,

South Asia

Fayrene Willet,

Western Europe

▶ **MISSIONS MINISTRY**

2008 Fall and Winter

Mission Trips

Manila–Quezon City, Philippines

Team Leaders: Gary Cunningham

and Scott Nute

September 17–28, 2008

\$3000

Torino, Italy

Team Leaders: Huan Gamblin

and Stan Kwan

October 10–19, 2008

\$2200

Spain: Granada, Toledo, & Aranjuez

Team Leader: Rochelle Ferrada

October 15–27, 2008

\$2800

Nizhniy Novgorod, Russia

Team Leader: Sue Marshall

November 6–15, 2008

\$3500

Guatemala City, Guatemala

Team Leader: John Markle

November 22–29, 2008

\$1600

Chandigarh, India

Team Leader: Bob Caldwell

December 27, 2008–

January 10, 2009

\$3000

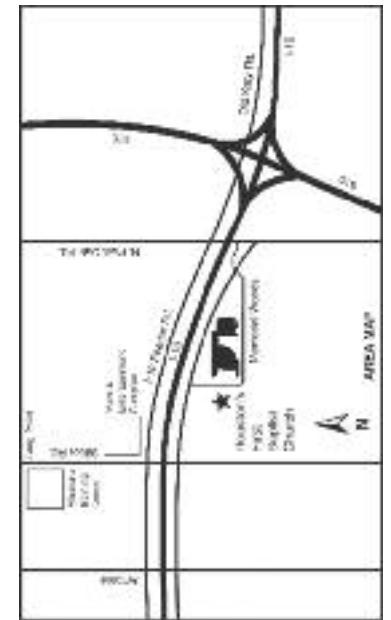
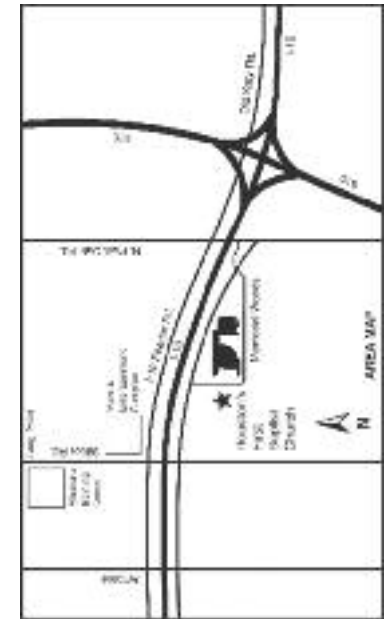
Sign Up Today! Call the Missions

Office at **713.957.5861** or email

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PASTORAL CARE MINISTRIES

2008 Greece Tour

September 16–26. How would you like to tour Southern Greece, Patmos, and Rome? Think about going to many of the sites the Apostle Paul visited; where he shared the Gospel of Christ, instructed the new Christians and helped to establish churches. The tour also includes a three day cruise on the Aegean Sea as we visit the Greek Isles. Plan now to spend eleven captivating days in Greece and Rome. Only twelve spaces remain! For more information contact: Rick and Peggy Jones at **713.957.6760** or Jim and Wanda Jean Hickey at **281.496.1525**.

Stephen Ministry Training

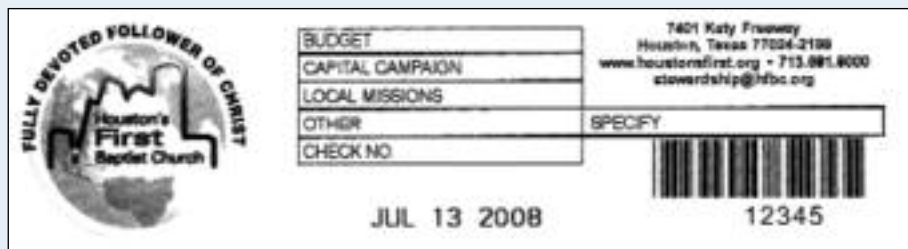
The Stephen Ministry Fall Training classes are scheduled to start **Monday, September 15**. Dedicated and compassionate church members who are called according to His purpose will attend thirteen weeks of classes to begin a two year commitment of service to people that need someone to walk with them through a crisis in their life. If your gift of the Holy Spirit is a compassion for hurting people, the Stephen Ministry is the place to be trained to use your gift.

Also, if you are currently experiencing a crisis in your life and think you would benefit from a confidential, understanding relationship with a Stephen Minister please stop by the Stephen Ministry information table in the Welcome Center Sunday or call **713.957.6761** or **713.957.6762**.

Why is your Contribution Envelope Important?

Each month, members are sent envelopes that are specifically made for each member. The envelope has a number that is unique to the member. This number is what the church office uses to properly account for members' gifts for tax reporting purposes as well as applying toward pledges. With the "Be a Part of the Story" campaign in full swing, it is increasingly important to use the envelopes that have your unique number.

When completing the envelope, remember the following:



- BUDGET** - The "Budget" line indicates the amount of your gift you wish applied to our operating budget.
- CAPITAL CAMPAIGN** - The "Capital Campaign" line indicates the amount of your gift you wish applied to our "Be a Part of the Story" campaign.
- LOCAL MISSIONS** - The "Local Missions" line indicates the amount you wish to have applied toward our local missions support.
- OTHER** - The "Other" line is for any of your gift intended for any other church-supported function.
- CHECK NO.** - The "Check No." line is for the check numbers that are placed in the envelope.

Following these simple steps will better help us serve you in accounting for your gifts!

SUMMIT MINISTRIES - YOUNG SINGLES



Metro LIVE

Friday, August 1. 7:00–8:30 PM. HFBC. For young adults 20–40: college, single or married. This free event features worship by the Tyler Dodds Band with speakers Steve Knox and Jerrell Altic. Free childcare provided through kindergarten. Questions? Contact Dana Moya at **713.957.7671** or email dana.moya@hfbc.org.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Can We Talk?

Tuesdays, Now through July 29. 10:00–11:30 AM. Room 249. Facilitator, Marianne Gardner. Why do we go to such lengths to talk to people but neglect God? Priscilla Shirer shows you how your time in God's Word can be a two-way conversation with the Father. For more information contact Jessica Martinez at jessica.martinez@hfbc.org or **713.957.7642**.

Let's Play!

Thursdays, Now through July 31. 9:30–11:30 AM. CLC Promise Land. Preschoolers, toddlers, babies, and their moms are invited to an open playtime and fellowship at the Promise Land (indoor play area) hosted by Kim Williams with refreshments provided by the Women's Ministry! The play area is located in the HFBC Christian Life Center and is an ideal playground during the hot summer months. Pre-registration is not necessary. For more information contact Jessica Martinez at jessica.martinez@hfbc.org or **713.957.7642**.



The Power of a Word - Women's Retreat



October 10–11. Omni Houston Hotel Westside. Words have a tremendous affect on us—they can wound and they can heal. Whether the words are spoken, thought or written, they have the power to change our lives as we hold those words in our hearts. Join us as we explore the impact of words in our lives, and most importantly, the power of God's word to change us forever. Vicky Wright, Speaker. Star Smith, Worship Leader. Register today at HoustonsFirst.org under "Sign Up For Events."

WORSHIP ETIQUETTE

Worship requires our full attention—whether we're in the Worship Center or a temporary home such as the CLC, Fellowship Center or Chapel.

To provide a worshipful environment for everyone during this time of transition, we ask that you:

- not bring food or beverages into any of the venues,
- turn off cell phones and pagers,
- go to the restroom or get a drink of water before the service begins (including your children), and
- remain seated once our time of Bible study begins.

If you must leave during the service, you may either

- reenter through the rear doors of the venue and find a new seat in the back, or
- watch the service on a TV monitor in the Main Foyer or the CLC Game Room.

At the end of the worship service, an invitation will be extended to people to accept Christ or join the church. Please remain in your venue during this time and pray for God to move in the hearts of those around you. **Pastor Gregg and other worshippers will appreciate your display of worship etiquette!**

WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE



Each Wednesday, Lower level of the 1010 Lamar Building. Lunch available for \$6.00, 11:30 AM. Bible Study begins at 12:10 PM and ends at 12:40 PM.



July 16: Dr. David Self, "Christianity's First Martyr" Acts 6:8-7:60

MIDLINK

MidLink Cafe

Please Note: MidLink Café is on break until Fall MidLink programming begins in August.

We will be offering a light meal on the First and Third Wednesday's of the summer months. This meal will be available from 4:30–5:30 PM. The schedule is as follows:

Wednesday, July 16
Wednesday, August 6

WNBS

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

A mid-week service for the entire HFBC family. Wednesday at 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Center. Will resume with MidLink in August.

Orchestra Rehearsal (by audition) 7:00–8:30 PM, Worship Center

Choir Rehearsal 7:00–8:45 PM

Explore: Bible study and recreation, 1st–5th grade, 7:00–8:30 PM, CLC

Sloan Library/Resource Center Open until 6:50 PM

Garden Bookstore 9:00 AM–7:30 PM



19 Saturday Prayer time in the Sloan Library 5:00–6:00 PM	26 Saturday Prayer time in the Sloan Library 5:00–6:00 PM
18 Friday	25 Friday
17 Thursday Senior Adult Bible Study 10:00–11:30 AM, Fellowship Center Celebrate Recovery 6:00–9:00 PM, Fellowship Center GriefShare Support, 7:00–8:30 PM, Room 143	24 Thursday Senior Adult Bible Study 10:00–11:30 AM, Fellowship Center Celebrate Recovery 6:00–9:00 PM, Fellowship Center
16 Wednesday Orchestra, Choir Rehearsals 7:00–8:30 PM, Room 318 General Support Groups 7:00–8:30 PM, Room 265 Divorce Care 7:00–8:30 PM, Room 265	23 Wednesday Orchestra, Choir Rehearsals 7:00–8:30 PM, Room 318 General Support Groups 7:00–8:30 PM, Room 265 Divorce Care 7:00–8:30 PM, Room 265
15 Tuesday Senior Men's Prayer Time 9:00 AM, Room 258 Senior Adult Games Noon–4:00 PM, Room 143	22 Tuesday Senior Men's Prayer Time 9:00 AM, Room 258 Senior Adult Games Noon–4:00 PM, Room 143
14 Monday Stephen Ministry Continuing Education & Supervisory Groups, 6:30 PM	21 Monday Stephen Ministry Supervisory Groups, 6:30 PM
13 SUNDAY WORSHIP Pastor Gregg Matte The Assembly, 9:10 AM The Gathering, 10:45 AM Ascend, 6:30 PM	20 SUNDAY WORSHIP Pastor Gregg Matte The Assembly, 9:10 AM The Gathering, 10:45 AM Ascend, 6:30 PM

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