

## From Pastor Jason

### Twice in Five!

This is our vision. To grow to a point that we are literally "Twice in Five." This means that within five years the goal is to be twice the numerical size. AND, to have doubled in spiritual growth. AND, to have doubled our ministry efforts. AND... we could go on and on....

This vision is suggesting what things will be like in five years. This vision suggests where you and I will be as we strive to advance the Kingdom of God. There is a great deal of work that needs to be done. Sunday School teachers need to continue their strong efforts in contacting those folks who have not been regular in their attendance. (Sunday School teachers – all teachers of all classes, be sure to be at our meeting this Sunday morning at 8:45AM. I am going to address this issue of contacting the people on our roles who need encouragement in their attendance.)

As we have mentioned a few weeks ago, if each Sunday School would increase their average annual attendance by 15% we would reach our goal. For example, if a Sunday School class had an annual average of 10 people, they would need to increase their average annual attendance by 2 people – actually 15 is really 1.5 people....but who wants half a person to attend, so let's round up. This is very doable. However, it will take work. It will take all of us.

Our first big test will be August 22. This is our first high attendance Sunday. There is going to be a special speaker, Vern Charette. Then that evening there is going to be a time of evangelism in the park. Bring your neighbors, friends, and family. Please see his website at [www.verncharetteministries.org](http://www.verncharetteministries.org). Our goal is 300. (Did you know that we have reached this goal in the past. Therefore, I know that we can do this again. Now, let's build the kingdom!

Your pastor,  
Jason

### **OPERATION: CELL PHONE DROP**

**If you have an old cell phone that you no longer use, please consider donating it to the Crime Victim Assistance Center.**  
The drop box is outside the church office.

**The Food Pantry is in need of canned meat, spaghetti sauce, and spaghetti.**

**Please leave donations by the food pantry near the church office.**  
*Thank you for the donations received to date.*

### **Part-Time Secretary Position**

*Applications continue to be accepted in the church office for a part time secretary, 20 hours a week. Knowledge of Microsoft Office, as well as a general knowledge of music, are helpful. For more details or applications, please contact the church office.*

## Music & Worship Ministry

### Thank you for your prayers -

It is in times of crisis when we come to fully realize the love and support we have around of us. Over the past week you have shown God's love through your concerns, comments and prayer for our daughter, Betsy, following her climbing accident. She is back at her home in Bozeman and is facing a long road ahead of her. Jan and I will be going there the first two weeks of August to spend time with her and care for her as she recuperates. We look forward to being with her and then our return to our precious church family.

### Music Ministry of First Baptist Church—

Celebration Choir, Wed. at 7 pm, starting August 18  
Singing Sr's, Tues. at 11:30 am, starting August 24  
Praise Makers, Sun. at 6 pm, starting Sept. 19  
Preschool Choir, Sun. at 6 pm, starting Sept. 19

*I will thank the Lord with all my heart;  
I will declare all Your wonderful works.  
I will rejoice and boast about You;  
I will sing about Your name, Most High.  
Psalm 9:1-2 HCSB*

## Educational Ministries

### Great Expectation - Sunday School

**Sunday School Leadership Breakfast** - This Sunday, August 1 at 8:45 am in the Family Life Center. Bro Jason will be presenting a challenge for our high attendance day, August 22 as well as plans for the coming year.

**The DVD of the Great Expectation Sunday School** training conference is available in the church office along with copies of the listening sheets and book the conference is based on.

**Sunday School Needs:** We are still looking for additional workers in Sunday School this next year. Please contact the Nominating Committee if you feel God's leading to serve in the coming year.

**Come Home,** High Attendance & Promotion Sunday is set for Aug.22 and you need to mark this special day on your calendars. Not only will our preschool, children and students promote to their new departments we will also have a great time of worship together during our morning worship service. We will finish the day out by joining together at the City Park for our Hamburger cook-out and service that evening. So mark it down and begin visiting others to join us for a great day of gathering together of worship and fellowship.



### Mission Arlington—July 25-30

13 Students and 4 adults are in Arlington this week working with Mission Arlington. They have an Apartment ministry VBS in the morning, and will work with the Mission Arlington ministry in the afternoon. Please remember to pray for Kelsey Wilcox, Shelby Wilcox, Chris Nelson, PJ Gilley, JP Caps, Dylan Browning, Hope Nichols, Landre Griffin, Haley Davis, Alex Sims, Kenzie Donaldson, Maggie Tubbs, Jennifer Gonzalez, Kelley Farner, Sonya Morehart, and Efrain Gonzalez, this week.

### Coming events

**Sunday, August 8, 6 pm**-The church will license Chris Nelson to the ministry during the evening service. A reception honoring Chris will be held after the service.

**Weds., August 4** Youth Back to School Party, City Park at 6:30pm, then swimming from 7:45 pm– 9:45 pm

## Children's Ministry News

### Summer Camps

Thank you to all the adult sponsors who gave of themselves for our children to have a great experience. Day Camp Sponsors: Tamara Boone, Tracey Garland, Ruth Taylor and Melinda Stalcup. Preteen Camp Sponsors: Rob Durham, Tracey Garland and Aimee Martin. Lad & Lassie Sponsors: Neal Edwards and Jennifer Gonzalez. And thank you to the generous financial contributors who made it possible for several of our children to attend camp.

**Teachers needed:** The new school year will be here soon and the Children's Ministry is **needing** teachers and assistants in many areas: Sunday School, Team Kids, Bible Drill, Choir, etc. Please contact Bill or Jan Smith if God is leading you to impact His Kingdom through children.

**HONOR CLUB** continues to meet on Wednesdays, 7-8:00 pm for children who have completed Pre-K through 6th grade. Pre-K & K meet in Preschool G, 1st - 6th meet in Children's D.

**Back to School Event**  
August 19

# VITAL SIGNS

## prayer

July 25, 2010

Sunday School.....197  
 Needed for Budget .....\$11,686.00  
 Budget Received.....\$22,624.44  
 Designated.....\$ 1,272.41  
 Total Received.....\$23,896.85

### OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

#### SUNDAY, August, 1

9:00 AM ..... Library Open  
 9:45 AM ..... Sunday School  
 11:00 AM ..... Morning Worship  
 6:00 PM..... Evening Worship

#### MONDAY-THURSDAY

5:30 PM..... Aerobics

#### WEDNESDAY, August, 4

6:30 PM..... Youth Worship  
 7:00 PM..... Adult Bible Study  
 7:00 PM..... Wed. Night for Kids

#### FRIDAY, August 6

6:30 AM..... Men's Prayer

#### SATURDAY, August 7

7:00 AM..... Health Fair

### Hospital

Cliff Lancaster-St. Joseph's, Bryan  
 (Ben Lancaster's brother)  
 Caroline O'Neal-Hendrick's  
 JoAnn Perry-SMH

### Nursing Home/Homebound

Mary Barton  
 Eula Mae Bludworth  
 Toad Copeland  
 Lennie Douthit  
 J. C. and Edith Flournoy  
 Ruth Foster-Frisco  
 Dena Gandy  
 Maxine Hoff  
 Lisa James  
 Mable Larned-Graham  
 Bea Palmer-Graham  
 Marina Perrin  
 Dee Pitts  
 Floyd Ray Vick-Lipan

### New

**Bill Bailey**  
 Marjorie Hardin  
 (Ronnie Hardin's mother)  
 Betsy Smith (Bill Smith's Daughter)

### Continual Prayer

Vanetta Beach  
 Lloyd & Mary Capps  
 Tammy Compton  
 Bruce Curry  
 Norma Dewey  
 (Delena Cantrell's sister)  
 Nichole Doty  
 Boyd Farner  
 Debbie Gaine  
 Dee Gordon  
 Rayma Hannah  
 Sam Harrell  
 Sue Hibert  
 Michael Honea-Iraq  
 Betty Keller (Jackie Garrison's sister)  
 David Keller  
 Steve Kinnard  
 Jerry Knight (Bruce Knight's brother)  
 John Longoria  
 Matt Mackey  
 Jack & Carrol Morehart  
 Pauline Nelson  
 (Chuck Veach's cousin)  
 Hope Nichols  
 Cynthia Reynolds  
 Ella Jane Robertson  
 Tommy Rogers  
 Sally Smith  
 Janie Spain (Scott Wallace's sister)  
 Joel Whitley (the Taylor's son-in-law)

All Military Members

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Jason Martin, Pastor  
 Bill Smith, Jr., Music & Education  
 Efrain Gonzalez, Youth & Recreation  
 Kim McClanahan, Secretary  
 Olga Benitez, Custodian  
 Bill Boothe, Grounds

Sunday Morning Worship Service  
 Broadcast on 93.5 FM, 11:00 AM

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July 26, 2010

## Youth Mission Trip to Mission Arlington

This Week, July 25 - 30, 2010



## Associational Senior Adult Rally

Monday, August 2, 2010

Bethel Baptist Church, Eastland

10:30 AM (Bus will leave at 9:30 am)

Speaker: Dr. Larry McGraw, HSU

Also Special Music & Door Prizes

Noon Meal provided by Bethel Baptist

## Coming Events:

Sunday School Leadership Breakfast

This Sunday, Aug. 1 at 8:45 am

Deacon's Meeting, Sunday Aug. 1, 7 pm

Licensing of Chris Nelson, Aug. 8 at 6 pm

## Come Home

High Attendance & Promotion Sunday

Sunday, August 22 with guest, Vern Charette

Our Christian  
 Love & Sympathy to:  
 the Paul Berton Family

Visitors:  
 July 25, 2010  
 Troy & Carol  
 Begeman  
 Mantua, Utah



Pre-Teen Camp 2010  
 16 Students and 3 Sponsors  
 enjoyed the week at BCBA

DEACON MINISTERS OF THE WEEK  
 John Richey  
 Jim Everett  
 254-559-9008