

First Baptist Church

Lawton/Ft.Sill



First Baptist Church lives
to make disciples by

**WORSHIPING GOD
FOLLOWING CHRIST
SERVING PEOPLE**

The **BAPTIST MESSENGER "SPECIAL EDITION"**

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GOING DEEPER WITH GOD



Dr. Greg Frizzell
*Prayer and Spiritual Awakening
Specialist, BGCO*

Journey Toward Personal and Churchwide Renewal

October 9 & 10
with Greg Frizzell

Sunday, October 9

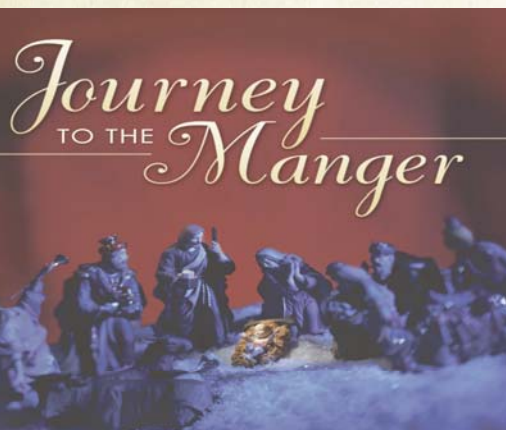
9:30 a.m. All Adult LifeGroups
meet in Sanctuary

10:50 a.m. Worship
6:00 p.m. Worship

Monday, October 10

5:00 p.m. Fellowship Dinner
6:30 p.m. Worship

Come with an open Bible and expectant heart. Together we will discover that
God's grace is greater than our weakness.
His power is stronger than our biggest impossibilities.



LIVING CHRISTMAS TREE

December 9, 10, 11

First Rehearsal

Sunday, October 2

Potluck Lunch following morning worship
Rehearsal from 1:00-3:00 p.m.

There is a place for everyone.
Contact Mike Neff for more information
353-1770 or mike@fbclawton.org

Childcare available by reservation

For the Record

ATTENDANCE

Sunday Life Groups	442
Morning Worship	446
Evening Worship	101

BUDGET REPORT

Weekly required:	\$ 26,826.92
Weekly received:	\$ 17,324.68
YTD required:	\$ 697,499.92
YTD received:	\$ 622,279.91
YTD percentage:	89.22 %

HOSPITALS: Memorial - Venna Lee Cook; Chase Scott

SYMPATHY TO: family of Mary Stropes, who passed away September 26. Her service was September 28

THANK YOU FROM: Lorena Crook

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS: Russell & Carol Newman by transfer of letter; Tabitha Knobbe for baptism.

Sunday Worship Opportunities

10:50 a.m. * Dennis Dawson, preaching
Breakout or Burnout?
I Kings 19:1-16

6:00 p.m. * Dennis Dawson, preaching
Developing a Heart for God
I Samuel 16:7

Primetimers Program/Luncheon Day

Thursday, October 13 * Choir 10:00 a.m.
Program 11:00 a.m. by Dr. Chearlene Johnson, director of J. Roy Dunning Children's Shelter (and daughter of Awanda Glover!). Potluck Luncheon to follow.

Life University

Sunday evening classes 4:30 p.m.
A place for everyone.
Discipleship, fellowship, Bible study

FURNITURE NEEDED

Beds, mattresses, dressers, chairs, tables, etc. for Cameron University International students.
Call Bud Boyd at 585-2181 or the church office 353-1770

The Baptist Messenger Online

Available at www.fbclawton.org
Click *Our Baptist Messenger pages* on home page.
Click *Baptist Messenger.com* for state paper.

State Missions Offering



Church Goal \$10,000

Given to Date \$5512.75

Dear children, let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth. 1 John 3:18

September Emphasis for State Missions ends this week. However, any contributions received after this week will go toward the church goal and be sent to BGCO.



Volunteer Now!

37 workers are needed for each assessment night.
Register today and plan to attend one of the mandatory training sessions

Sunday, October 30 * 5:00 p.m.
or

Wednesday, November 2 * 6:00 p.m.

Registration is Underway

Visit the booth in the Hall of Memories for coach applications, volunteer forms, prayer cards, brochures, basketball & cheer sign up.
Contact Alexis 353-1770 ext. 219 or fbclawton.org/recreation



Operation Christmas Child
Start collecting items to fill boxes for children

Packing party - Sunday, November 6
Regional Collection Week
November 14-20

Church Goal = 1000 Boxes

Contact Nan French or Marsha Naugle to help during collection week.



From the makers of Facing the Giants and Fireproof, cop-dads find defending the streets as second nature but raising kids in a God-honoring way is a whole other battle. Starting September 30 at Carmike 8.