



August 14 **PROMOTION**

SUNDAY

**CELEBRATION BREAKFAST
AT 8:30 AM IN FLC**

*Let's celebrate our children and students as
they are promoted to the next class level!
All are welcome to join us for breakfast!*

**Denton Baptist Association
Leadership Training
Saturday, Aug 20
8:30 AM-12:45 PM
First Baptist, Denton**

The logo for Leadership Training, featuring a stylized torch with a green flame and the words "Leadership Training" in a cursive font.
**Leadership
Training**

*Classes and breakout sessions for church leaders and
teachers of all age groups.*

**Deadline to Register: Contact our church office by
Monday, Aug 15, if you plan to attend or need childcare.**

This is a free event



Denise, Zach and I enjoyed a week away from the heat of Texas. The week away was a time of refreshment before Zach takes off for College Station and his first senior year of college. He will be graduating with his Bachelor's Degree in May, hopefully! Then he has another year of Education courses before moving into the real world.

One of the highlights of our trip was attending worship in the church we served before coming to Sanger. The church has experienced the mixed blessing of helping two churches close due to the pandemic and join their ministry. These two churches brought just enough new life to Sunset to lead to continued growth. There was a great sense of fellowship which, to me, was the best sight. This was a church, that until about halfway through my ministry there had experienced tremendous turmoil. Seeing the work I had the privilege of being part of continue and expand was emotional.

The next few weeks will be busy. We have Leadership Training Saturday August 20, and school begins this coming week. With the beginning of the school year, things will return to some kind of normal here at FBC Sanger. Make sure you are ready to continue working for Jesus wherever He leads you.

Pastor Grant Bowles - Senior Pastor



I Love to Tell the Story

I love a good story, especially true stories. In fact, one of the great ways to get to know someone you've just met is to ask them to tell you something about themselves — their "story." The stories that they tell will usually reveal what they see as important about themselves.

As Christians, we should all have an important personal story to tell: that is, how the Gospel (the "good news" of Jesus) has intersected with our life story.

We know it is important to share the Gospel; we talk about it in church often. What does that mean? We need to be able to share the story of what God has done in our lives!

The first thing to understand about our story is our spiritual condition before the Gospel's intervention in our lives. People need to know that we have all sinned against God, and our sin separates us from him. God is holy, and sin cannot be in his presence. Being righteous and just, God must judge sin; he cannot just overlook it. Every single person is justly condemned in their own sins, deserving death and eternal separation from God. Further, there is nothing we can do to save ourselves. No amount of good works, or expressions of religion, philosophy, or morality can overcome the overwhelming impact of our sin against God.

That's where the Gospel comes in! The good news is that, while we were sinners, God loved us. Through his love, God provided a way for us to be saved from our sin and guilt. Jesus -- God in the flesh -- came to dwell among his creation. He lived the sinless and righteous life that we could never live, and then willingly died on a cross as a perfect sacrifice for our sins. He then rose from the grave on the third day, victorious over death forever. Jesus paid our debt! When we turn from our sin and come to him in faith, trusting in who he is and in his finished work for us, we are saved. We no longer trust in our own empty self righteousness; we place our trust in Jesus's righteousness given to us as a gift.

The Gospel forever changes our life story. We are no longer our own; we were bought with a price. We live to glorify him. (1 Cor. 6:20)

So, is the Gospel story a part of your personal story? If not, it can be today! Come to Christ and be saved! If the Gospel is part of our story, we need to tell it!

Praise God for his mercy and love!

Pastor Chris Jones-- Worship Pastor

For the Record

Aug 7, 2022 Receipts	\$20,388
YTD Budget Receipts.....	\$513,771
YTD Budget.....	\$606,534

Upcoming Mission Trips



Matamoros, Mexico *October 6-10, 2022*

Medical services and outreach to all ages. Some possible light construction. We will start collecting items to take with us later this month.



Ecuador

October 13-20, 2022

Encourage and support the churches involved in pastor training program.

Contact John for more information. We also need prayer partners for these mission trips.



RA'S, GA'S
Grades 1st- 5th
MISSION FRIENDS ages 4-5
Wednesdays: 6-7 PM

First Kids Pool Party



Saturday, Aug 20, 6-7:30 PM
Location: Grant & Denise Bowles home.
700 Chaparral

For Kids who have completed K-5th
Children and Parents are invited



MEET THE TRIBE

Sunday, Aug 14, 6:00 PM
at SHS Stadium

Our church will be serving lemonade.
Set up between 5:30 PM.

Fall 2022 Minick Scholarship

Scholarships available to Church Members who are seeking a ministry degree.

Packets are available in the church office.

Worship Choir Returns!

Rehearsals resume on
Wednesday, Aug 31, 7:00 PM



SANGER STUDENT MINISTRIES

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday Mornings: CBS, 9:15 AM
Wednesday Evenings: 6:00 PM
Doors open at 4:00 PM

BACK TO SCHOOL PARTY

Wednesday, Aug 17, 6:00 PM
Join us for food and fun!

Important Parent Meeting

Sunday, Aug 21, 6:00 PM
in FLC

Parents of all 6th-12th grades are highly encouraged to attend



UPCOMING EVENTS



Saturday, Aug 13, 9:00 AM: Women's Coffee Chat (Jus a Cup)
Sunday, Aug 14: Promotion Sunday and Breakfast
Sunday, Aug 14, 4:30 PM: MDO Parent Meeting
Sunday, Aug 14, 5:30 PM: Meet the Tribe
Wednesday, Aug 17, 6:00 PM: SSM Back to School Party
Saturday, Aug 20, 8:30 AM - 12:30: DBA Leadership Training
Saturday, Aug 20, 6:00 - 7:30 PM: First Kids & Parents Pool Party (Bowles home)
Sunday, Aug 21, 4:30 AM: MDO Meet the Teacher
Sunday, Aug 21, 6:00 PM: SSM Parent Meeting (FLC)
Tuesday, Aug 23, 9:00 AM: Moms in Prayer Kick-off (CR)
Sunday, Aug 28, 3:00 PM: FBC Lake Day (Lake Ray Roberts)
Wednesday, Aug 31, 7:00 PM: Worship Choir Rehearsals Resume (WC)



FBC Lake Day

Sunday, Aug 28, 3:00 PM

Location: Lake Ray Roberts, Pavilion #2
Johnson Branch Unit - 100 PW 4153,
Valley View, TX

Contact Trey Bledsoe or Frank Wardlow for more info.
Bring chairs and food for your family or to share.

**** Sign up via Connection Card if you can bring a cold watermelon.***



Park Admission: 12 and under - free. Ages 13+ - \$7 per person.
Vehicles with a person with a state park pass - everyone in vehicle is free.

Sign up via Connection Card if you want to ride as a group with a park pass for free entry.

Volunteers in Preschool, Sunday, Aug 14, 2022

Ava Nelms, PaulaSu Grisham, Marjan Schram, Melyssa Wardlow

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