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Magnified! VBS

For Children Entering Kindergarten through Grade 5 (Completed)

Date: June 9–12

Time: 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Location: FBC Garland

Details: Join us for Vacation Bible School as we discover the bigness of God in the smallest of things. **Register online at fbcgarland.org/vbs through June 5.** After that, please register upon arrival.

Contact: Sarah Wyatt, 469-429-2576, or sarahw@fbcgarland.org



All-Star Sports Camp (After VBS)

For Children Entering Kindergarten–Grade 5 (Completed)

Date: June 9–12

Time: 12:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m.

Location: MAC Gym

Cost: \$95 (\$105 after June 1)

Details: A multi-sport camp consisting of fun games revolving around classic sports like basketball, flag football, and soccer.

Register: Triumphsports.com/register-for-camp

Contact: Amber Bryant 972-276-7194, x282, or amberb@fbcgarland.org



Father's Day Breakfast

Date: Saturday, June 14

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Location: MAC 281

Cost: \$10 per person (\$15 at the door)

Details: Men, come celebrate Father's Day with us over breakfast. Our speaker will be Pastor Eli Gutierrez, who will speak on Biblical Manhood. Visit fbcgarland.org/mens-ministry to register and pay for this event. Invite a friend!

Contact: Cathy Gharis, 972-276-7194, x236, or cathyg@fbcgarland.org



Adult Vacation Bible School

Living for Christ in the Real World: A Study of the Book of James

Date: Monday, July 28–Thursday, July 31

Time: 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Location: McDonald Activity Center, Fellowship Hall

Details: Taught by Associate Pastor Jack Schmid

VBS Kickoff: Sunday evening, July 27, at 6 p.m. with Scot R. Cameron leading worship and Dr. Greg Ammons presenting an overview of James. Attend in person or watch online at fbcgarland.org/watch-live.

Contact: Terri Carter, 972-276-7194, x239, or terric@fbcgarland.org



June 8 Is Friend Day!

Invite a Friend to Church

Did you know that when people are personally invited to church, they are much more likely to come? We encourage you to invite someone to join you on Sunday, June 8, for *Friend Day*. We have some fun surprises planned!



Kids Camp

For Grades 3–5 (Completed)

Mt. Lebanon Baptist Encampment, Cedar Hill, Texas

Date: July 14–18

Cost: \$250 (deadline to register is June 8)

Details: Join us for an amazing time filled with meaningful worship and fun. For more details or to register, please visit fbcgarland.org/kids-camp. Scholarships are available. Email Sarah Wyatt to inquire.

Contact: Sarah Wyatt, 469-429-2576, or sarahw@fbcgarland.org

REGISTRATION
CLOSING SOON!

Pacesetters

Date: Monday, June 16

Time: 11:30 a.m. (12:15 p.m. online)

Location: MAC Fellowship Hall

Details: We are honored to welcome Pastor Greg as our speaker, he always brings an encouraging word. Chef Greg will provide another delicious meal, and if you would like, you can bring your favorite dessert to share. If you can't join us in person, we invite you to watch online by visiting: fbcgarland.org/watch-live.

Contact: Terri Carter, 972-276-7194, x239, or terric@fbcgarland.org



Memory Support Group

Date: Monday, June 23

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Location: Parlor

Details: A support and education group to assist those who care for individuals affected by memory loss. This month, we will discuss "Where Are You in Your Walk?"

Register: fbcgarland.org/help-care

Contact: Terri Carter, 972-276-7194, x239, or terric@fbcgarland.org

GRACE Women's Summer Bible Study

Date: Thursdays through July 24
(except June 12 and July 3)

Time: 9:30 a.m.—11:00 a.m.

Location: MAC 281

Details: Join Tara-Leigh Cobble in this 7-session study as she breaks down the intimidating doctrine of the Trinity. Discover a beautiful, foundational view of our Triune God that will transform how you relate to Him. Understanding God's three-in-oneness and each of the Persons of God individually—Father, Son, and Spirit—will lead you to deeper intimacy with God and greater joy in knowing Him. For more information and to register visit fbcgarland.org/grace.

Contact: Sarah Wyatt, 469-429-2576, or sarahw@fbcgarland.org



ESL & GED Volunteers Needed (Fall)

We have openings for ESL teachers and substitutes on Sunday and Tuesday nights. No teaching experience necessary.

On Wednesday evenings you can serve in GED by teaching or substituting. Teaching opportunities available in Language Arts, Science, Social Studies, or Math. No teaching experience necessary.

For more information, please contact the Missions Office, 972-276-7194, x233 (Jim Witt), x288 (Teresa Brown) or jimw@fbcgarland.org, or teresab@fbcgarland.org



Friendship House:

Tom Thumb Good Neighbor Program

To link your Tom Thumb rewards to Friendship House, please speak to customer service and give them our ID number of 7184. A percentage of each purchase made goes to Friendship House. *Thanks!*



HAVE YOU JOINED OUR *FIRST FOCUS*
ONLINE COMMUNITY?

Find out more:

fbcgarland.org/online-community

New Members

New Members

5/4/25

Sunday School

Victoria Avelar
Ashley Gass
Hunter Gass
Cameran Jordan
Charlotte Jordan
Lark Jordan
James Smith
Bella Wilson

Baptism

Kevin Carbo III

Letter

Ernesto Lopez
Mia Lopez
Rita Lopez

New Members

5/11/25

Sunday School

M L Toler
Roger Toler

New Members

5/18/25

No new members

New Members

5/25/25

Baptism

T J Dobson
Matthew Ragland

Letter

Amanda Butts
Gavin Butts
Michael Butts
Rilynn Butts
Cameran Jordan
Lark Jordan

Statement

M L Toler
Roger Toler



Brother Greg, Lisa, Camden, and First Baptist Church express sympathy to:


Rhonda Adams in the loss of her husband, Robert Adams Jr.

The family and friends of Ann Parsons.

The family and friends of Melvin Pershan.

Marianne, Meredith, and Brad Giesecke in the loss of Brad's father, Dennis Giesecke.

Pam and Ron Hunt in the loss of Pam's mom, Carrie Buhon.

 FIRST BAPTIST GARLAND	5/4/25 Week 31	5/11/25 Week 32	5/18/25 Week 33	5/25/25 Week 34
Stewardship				
Annual Goal	\$6,752,000	\$6,752,000	\$6,752,000	\$6,752,000
Budget Req. TD	\$4,025,231	\$4,155,077	\$4,284,923	\$4,414,769
Given This Year	\$3,968,109	\$4,067,368	\$4,174,537	\$4,255,867