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HEARTLAND FAMILY MINISTRIES

# Heartland Happenings

## From the Pastor by Pastor Danny McCubbin

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Proverbs 29:18: “Where there is no vision, the people perish: but he that keep the law, happy is he.”

If I put on a pair of glasses, it blurs my vision, but for many it allows them to see well. It works the same for spiritual vision. A Vision is essential for us to move forward and expand. Our church is in a transition, and I want to say thank you for making this transition smooth for my family and I. The task force and ministry teams have been meeting for the past year. It is time for us to collect all the data and implement what you as a body have been discussing in your groups. This is an exciting time where we can add or enhance ministry opportunities. We invite any church member or anyone that has been connected with the church in any way to a special service to hear what God is doing in the life of the church and begin to implement the vision that is on our heart as a body of believers. Come join us at 10:15am on July 17th. It is there we will lay out the new things that will happen in this upcoming year.

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**July 17th– Sunday Morning, 10:15am**

### **Preparing a Foundation (Vision Service for the Future)**

Big Vision Casting Service where you will be a part of hearing the vision of the whole ministry for the new year. Thank you for the teams that have met the past few months and will continue to meet. It is in this service that we pull all those ideas, thoughts and plans to come with a church vision for the next year.

Please, invite all family and friends to this exciting service!

# July 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
26	27	28	29	30	1	2 <i>MOPS Mtg, 9-11am</i>
3	4 <i>Independence Day Offices Closed</i>	5	6	7 <i>Global Forgiveness Day</i>	8	9
FBC Youth Camp						
10 <i>Ministry Team 1 Mtg, 4pm</i>	11	12	13	14	15	16 <i>MOPS Mtg, 9-11am</i>
17 <i>Vision Casting Service, 10:15am</i>	18	19 <i>HCS Open House, 5-8pm</i>	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 <i>Ministry Team 2 Mtg, 5:30pm</i>	28	29	30 <i>International Day of Friendship</i>
31 <i>Lord's Supper</i>						

## Youth Section

by Mr. Cole Knowlton

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The end of summer is fast approaching, and we are making plans for the new year! I have been so encouraged by how some members of our youth served with VBS this past month. Praise the Lord for what He has accomplished in the hearts of our youth group.

We have officially decided upon a name for our group - moving forward the youth of the First Baptist Church of Belton will be known as Seekers. This name reflects the reason for our youth group's existence, which is to seek the Lord. The idea for the name came from Psalm 105:1-4. "Give thanks to the Lord, call upon His name; Make His deeds known among the peoples. Sing to Him, sing praises to Him; Tell of all His wonders. Boast in His holy name; May the heart of those who seek the Lord be joyful. Seek the Lord and His strength; Seek His face continually." Our group will call upon God, making His deeds known, and seek Him continually!

Our summer camp this year is from July 5-8th. I am so excited to lead our youth as they prepare to Go Tell It (the Gospel) On the Mountain! At camp, our youth group will dive into God's word, studying apologetics and missiology. We will equip them to explain and comprehend the salvific work of our God and how to wrestle with/understand their own salvation. Please, pray for our leaders and campers as we seek God together.

Your Fellow Servant,  
Cole S. Knowlton

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### **Matthew 6:31-34**

"Therefore do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?'"

For after all these things the Gentiles seek. For your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things.

But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.

Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about its own things. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.



-Ephesians 2:10-

“For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.”

Thank you so much to all of those involved with Vacation Bible School! We couldn't have done it without you! Our theme was: “Created in Christ, Designed for God's Purpose,” and our theme verse was Ephesians 2:10 (listed above).

As believers, we have all been given that certain “spark” in our lives that God wants to use for His glory. What is yours? Are you being a good steward of the gifts God has given you? As the summer winds down, let us all consider how we can be obedient to the call of God in our lives and be the light to the world that He made us to be!

Bro. Brad

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## **Mark Your Calendars**

### **Ministry Team 1**

July 10th, 4pm, Rm 142

If you have been involved in this group, please plan on coming! We will be dividing into specific ministry groups (Children's, Music, Local Outreach, etc.) so that each group can meet individually for planning purposes.

## **Music Notes**

Praise Team Fellowship!  
July 31, 4pm, Krigbaums' House

Meat provided  
(burgers & BBQ chicken).  
Please bring sides and desserts.  
Spouses welcome! Bring a sports chair for the backyard, if you have one.

## Superintendent's Section

by Pastor Danny McCubbin

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Hope you are having a great summer! The new school year is fast approaching and we are excited about the new year. Some things that need your attention. Back to School Night will be August 15th at 7:00pm. New families will have a special meeting on that date at 6:00pm. If you are new family, we would like you to attend this meeting to match a mentor family and get some information covering new families. We encourage all families new and old to attend the Back to School Night on August 15th. You will hear about the changes happening at the school and get to meet the teachers. Middle and High School students can pick up their schedule on Monday August 8th from 8am-3pm. This will give you time to look over the schedule and know where your classes are for the new year on the 15th. The first day of school will be on Wednesday, August 17th, and we will dismiss at noon. Again, there are enough changes that we encourage parents to be there on the 15th or set an appointment with Mr. McCubbin to discuss the new school year.

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### **Important dates**

**August 1<sup>st</sup>-**

Fall Sports Begin

**August 2<sup>nd</sup>-**

Open House, 5-8pm

**August 6<sup>th</sup>-**

Back to School Carnival, 4-7pm

**August 15<sup>th</sup>-**

New Family Orientation, 6pm

**August 15<sup>th</sup>-**

Back to School Night, 7pm

**August 17<sup>th</sup>-**

1st Day of School, 12pm release

**August 21<sup>st</sup>-**

Staff Appreciation Sunday, 10:15am

**August 23<sup>rd</sup>-**

1st Care-a-Thon Turn-In Day

### **Enrollment is Still Open!**

#### **Open Houses**

Tuesday, July 19, 5-8pm

Tuesday, August 2, 5-8pm

Appointments available on request.

(816) 331-1000

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Middle School elective choices should be sent out over the 1st two weeks in July. Be sure to check your emails!

School supply lists will be posted to the website soon.

I can't believe that we are barely a month away from the beginning of the 2022 - 2023 school year! Our enrollment looks great, as does our new track floor around the gym! Work is continuing on the air conditioning system in the gym/elementary building and should be completed by the start of school.

If you have ever thought about hosting a foreign exchange student I would like to hear from you. So far we have one inquiry from a Russian girl. She says that she is an agnostic but coming here is a great way to share Jesus! I am sure that we will have more inquiries in the coming weeks so please pray about hosting a student and then get in touch

with myself or Pastor McCubbin.

There will be some changes in the schedules and course offerings this year. They are not finalized yet, but as soon as they are, we will be sending out forms to pick electives! This is an exciting time at Heartland as we continue to improve our school in order to give your student the best experience possible!

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### **Back to School Night**

**Monday, August 15, 7pm**

Please, mark your calendars for this event!

It will include a meeting in the auditorium for a brief overview of important policy changes being made in the coming school year, including handbook updates and changes to the drop-off/pick-up procedures.

This will be followed by time to meet teachers, view classrooms, and visit the information stations in the gym. Returning students may pick up their year-books and letters from last year, and parents can drop off records. You will be able to sign up for PTF, aftercare, and much more!

## Sports Section

by Mrs. Tamra Atcheson

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Hello all,

Summer is in full swing, and we are excited to be back in the gym with our teams for some fun, skill-building, and team bonding. We will have weekly volleyball, basketball, and weights/conditioning nights for our teams. Below are the schedules and grade levels for each open gym, grade levels are for the 22/23 school year. We will also be having camps and clinics later in the summer. Please, keep a lookout for more information through email, the website, and InstaTeam.

Also, this summer I will be looking for coaches for the 22/23 school year. If you have an interest in coaching, or if you are interested in managing the concessions stand, please reach out to me at [tatcheson@hfministries.org](mailto:tatcheson@hfministries.org). We will need the following coaches next year: JH soccer, elementary basketball (girls or boys), cross country, track or field, disc golf, softball, scholar bowl, and archery.

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### Open Gym Schedules

Monday - Weights and Conditioning

- Grades 9-12
- Times (TBA)

Tuesday - Basketball

- 4:00-5:00 p.m. - Elementary & JH Girls (5-8 Grades)
- 5:00-6:00 p.m. - Elementary & JH Boys (5-8 Grades)
- 6:00-8:00 p.m. - High School/Varsity Girls (9-12 Grades)
- 8:00-10:00 p.m. - High School/Varsity Boys (9-12 Grades)

Thursday - Volleyball

- 6:00-7:30 p.m. - Elementary & JH Girls (Grades 5-8)
- 7:30-9:30 p.m. - High School Girls (9-12 Grades)

Friday - Weights and Conditioning

- Grades 9-12
- Times (TBA)





# First Baptist Church of Belton - Schedules

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## Sunday

### Bible Studies, 9am

Children  
(Infants-5th Grade)  
Rooms 32-39

Teens  
(6th-12th grades)  
Boys: Choir Room  
Girls: Youth Room

Young Adults  
(ages 18-25)  
Room 5

Men's Class  
Room 142

Ladies' Class  
Room 133

Senior Adult  
Ladies' Class  
Room 141

Adults' In-Depth Study  
of the Book of Romans  
Room 9

Sunday Worship  
10:15am

## Wednesday

### Bible Studies, 6:30pm

Patch the Pirate Club  
(K-6th Grade)  
Room 27

Youth Group  
(6th-12th grades)  
Room 33

Worship Service  
(All Welcome)  
Auditorium

### Wednesdays, 7:30pm

Praise Team Practice  
Room 3 (Choir Suite)



## Other Opportunities for Fellowship, Service and Study

Thursdays, 10:00am  
Senior Adults' Bible  
Study on Esther  
Room 205

### Saturdays

MOPS  
July 2, 9-11am  
July 16, 9-11am

### Special Meetings

Ministry Team 1 Mtg.  
July 10, 4pm, Rm 142

Ministry Team 2 Mtg.  
July 27, 5:30pm,  
Youth room

Ministry Team 3 Mtg.  
TBD,  
Rm 141