

Year One and Counting

As of today, I've served as your church Business Administrator for one year. What a year it has been! Of course, there have been a few challenges, but what I remember most are the tremendous victories we've shared this year. Internationally, over 2,200 souls were saved through our church's mission trip to Kenya. Our people saw a need and started "The Butterfly Project" to help the Kenyan orphans. Our people also went to Honduras and forty more souls were saved. Only God knows how far the flame of evangelism will burn in Honduras and Kenya because our people were willing to go.

Our church also took the lead in local Car Care Clinic evangelism, Vacation Bible School evangelism, ministry to those who grieve, to those in financial need, and to those who are hurting from the ravages of divorce. Our prison ministry is flourishing. We minister to working women and we host one of the largest interdenominational Bible Studies in our region. **People in our world and in our community are getting saved because God works through our people.**

I am grateful to be associated with Marble Falls First Baptist Church. Yes, I work at the church, but it's not just where I work... It is *my church*. It is where I serve along side of my brothers and sisters in Christ and know I am making an eternal difference in this world. I did not go to Kenya or Honduras, but I did help make it possible for someone else to go. I didn't pray with a child to receive Christ at Vacation Bible School, but I did get to love many of them in Jesus' name by serving where I could. I don't lead any of our church's ministry outreaches, but I get to participate in them all by being faithful in giving to God's work through my tithe every week.

Many of our church ministries and projects need to be funded right now. Because we love our church and love our Lord, Sharon & I are going to do what we can to make sure our church's summer ministry is funded by *doubling our tithe during the month of May*. Will you join us in making a similar love offering to Jesus just for the month of May? If you can't double your tithe, give what you can as God directs you. If you have never tithed regularly, commit to do it for the month of May. Test God and see if He doesn't pour blessing out on you as He promised in Malachi 3:10-12.

I know you love your church, too. Together, we can ensure our church starts the summer ministry season on healthy financial footing.

Gary Stone
Business Administrator

Trip Date: June 4—June 14 *Hope to the Nations Capitol*

\$40
Deposit

Cost
\$333

Washington D.C. Mission Trip Meeting

The meeting will answer all of your questions about the trip.

BRING YOUR PARENTS!

PARENTS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND

*Meeting will cover trip cost,
fundraising, what we will be doing,
what to expect and what to bring.*

*This trip is not a sight seeing excursion,
we will be there to share Jesus*

*(Ministry items could include children's programs, soup kitchens,
homeless shelters, thrift stores, and elderly centers)*

Meeting

Sunday, April. 11

@ 7:00 PM

in Youth Building

Meeting should last about an hour.

For students in grades 8-12

Adult Sponsors Needed

Abundant Life Fellowship

April 8th
Fellowship Hall
11am-Noon

Program: Susan Weagant
Inspirational Christian Woman's Speaker
Missionary in Christian Camping Ministry
at Camp Peniel, Marble Falls, TX

12-1pm
Covered Dish Luncheon

You won't want to miss this speaker!



GARAGE SALE



Held by multiple participants of
Financial Peace University

April 10 - 8am til 12noon
First Baptist Church-Marble Falls
church parking lot

\$10 per family for ads - - - set up @ 7am
some tables provided



Power Lunch

For Women in the Workplace
Tuesday, April 13th

Fellowship Hall \$4 donation
Door Prizes, Fellowship, Devotion
RSVP: Jill McCurdy 693-5610



Pictorial Directory

In-House pictorial directory coming soon!
We'll begin taking photographs in May



Church Goal is \$10,000
Every dollar helps

- \$1** Ten witnessing tracts
- \$5** Bible study leadership materials for children's on-site weekly Bible lesson
- \$10** Gas gift card for GED student to attend class and mentoring session in a ministry meeting
- \$25** Sports Bible for athletes at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs
- \$50** Provides food for a Family Movie Night outreach in an apartment community
- \$100** Reusable promotional signs advertising a multi-housing church plant
- \$250** Summer camp scholarship for an unchurched child to attend camp for the first time
- \$500** Food, materials, and promotion needed to conduct a Christmas program in a manufactured home

Wednesday Night Menu

Chicken Spaghetti, salad, bread dessert

Ichthus Christian Community Car Care Clinic Marble Falls First Baptist Church



Saturday May 1, 2010
9am

100 cars cared for by members of
MFFBC and the Ichthus Study
Group

Christian Community Car Care is preparing for our Annual Car Care Ministry for Widows & Single Women of our community. This year we will have grown from serving 61 cars to over 100 cars. We will need 300 volunteers to provide this much needed service to the women of our community. Child care will be provided workers as well as guests, and lunch will also be provided.

There are many different areas in which to serve. This gives us the opportunity to share the gospel the women and their families whose cars we will be servicing. Anyone can become a part of this ministry, so please contact the church office to sign up for your place of service.

The Car Care Clinic is supported by individual donations and contributions. Please pray and seek God's will to make your contribution to this wonderful ministry.

