

FUTURE GENERATIONS

We are asking for all who made a one-time commitment to give soon, and those who made monthly commitments to give faithfully each month!

From July 1, 2011-Jan 22,2012, \$430,357 has been given to Future Generations as we move toward our goal of \$667,000 by the end of the year.

Future Generations is our faithful preparation in the present generation for all those who will come behind us at FBC Irving.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT GATHERING SERIES "FROM HIM TO US"

On Wednesday nights we are discovering how the Bible came to us in the form that it is in now. God carried His Word and it is an amazing story of history, providence, and protection that gives us God's Word today. A fellowship meal is served from 5:00 p.m.—6:15 p.m. and then our Wednesday Gatherings begin at 6:15 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

EQUIPPING U CONTINUES TONIGHT

Equipping University continues tonight and goes through Sunday night, February 19. Classes are at 5:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. The Equipping U class schedule is found in the HUB and Welcome Center as well as www.fbcirving.org. We had 537 chairs filled last Sunday with learners - it's not too late to get started!

CELEBRATION:

SOUTHERN AFRICAN BAPTIST CHURCH

We are so honored to begin a ministry partnership with a Southern African Baptist Church called Celebration! The members of this exciting congregation will worship with FBCI in the 10:00 a.m. service, and will have their own ethnic worship experience and Bible study in the Chapel at 11:15 a.m.

SERMON SERIES ON CD

"Unwrapped" CD series are now available for purchase in the Hub.

PARENTS NIGHT OUT

Parents Night Out is this Friday, February 3 from 6:00 - 10:00 p.m. Childcare will be provided for babies - 5th grade. Cost is \$10 per child. Sign up by emailing Leann Callaway at lcalloway@fbcirving.org.

¡LLENOS DE VIDAI SPANISH ABF

A Spanish-speaking ABF takes place at 10:00 a.m. in the Fireside Room. Please share with others this great new ministry to reach out to our Spanish-speaking neighbors and friends. Leadership for the class is Eddie and Rita Lopez, Carlos and Liseth Aviles, and Manny and Jennifer Garcia.

GRIEF RECOVERY SUPPORT GROUP

Those who are grieving the death of a family member or friend are invited to begin the healing process through the ministry of GriefShare. The 13-week class will continue tonight, 6:30—8:00 p.m. Email counseling@fbcirving.org for more information or to register.

COUNSELING MINISTRY AT FIRST IRVING

First Irving offers a counseling ministry to members and non-members under the direction of Julie David, a Licensed Professional Counselor-Intern and graduate of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. Appointments are open to individuals, couples, and families suffering from a variety of issues. Please call the church office or email counseling@fbcirving.org to schedule an appointment or learn more about Renew: The Counseling Ministry at First Irving.

SENIOR LIFE MINISTRY

Our annual trip to see the Texas Rangers play is set for April 12 against Seattle. The game begins at 1:05 pm. We will leave from the East parking lot at 11:30 to go to the game. Tickets are priced at \$15 each. Please sign up beginning today in the Hub if you would like to purchase tickets and go with our group to the game.

BBMOI NEEDS FOOD

After the rush at Christmas time, BBMOI needs to restock their food pantry. They are in great need of the following items: peanut butter and jelly, boxes of macaroni and cheese, and saltine crackers. Other non-perishable food items would be accepted as well, but they are in particular need of these items. Two baskets will be placed in the Go Global Center for you to drop off any donations this evening.

HONDURAS 2012 MISSION TRIP

First Irving is taking a team to Honduras May 12-19, 2012. Applications to be a part of the team are available at www.firstirvingfamily.org/missions.html. Application and deposit of \$150 is due by 2/1/12. Total cost of the trip is approximately \$1200. For more information contact Melissa Murrell at mmurrell@fbcirving.org or Jonathan Galvan at jonathandavidgalvan@gmail.com.

NICARAGUA INTEREST MEETING

An interest meeting will be held February 12 at 4:00 p.m. in the Choir Room for all those wanting more information on the October 2012 mission trip to Nicaragua. This will be the 6th trip to Nicaragua and is sponsored by Salvation Safari. It is a men's only trip and involves the construction of a church and/or pastor's house.

MISSION SOUTH IRVING

Join the church for Mission South Irving this year, March 11—16. Register in the Hub by February 3. Cost is \$150 per person or \$300 for families of 3 or more.



Sermon Notes

Don't know what this symbol is? Go to www.firstirvingfamily.org/qrcode.html to find out!

Wednesday Fellowship Meal February 1, 2012

Chicken Tenders
Hamburger Steaks

Serving from 5:00 - 6:15 p.m. in Fellowship Hall
Adults - \$4.50
6th - College - \$3.50
Kindergarten - 5th Grade - \$2.50
4 Yrs and under - Free
Prayer Gathering at 6:15 p.m.

Weekly Planner

SUNDAY	1.29.12
8:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Time
8:45 a.m.	Classic Service
10:00 a.m.	Contemporary Service
11:15 a.m.	Contemporary Service
5:30 p.m.	Equipping U Session I
6:30 p.m.	Equipping U Session II
MONDAY	1.30.12
9:00 a.m.	Kids Day Out
10:00 a.m.	Holy Spirit—Women's Study
3:00 p.m.	CHAMPS
TUESDAY	1.31.12
11:30 a.m.	Evergreen
3:00 p.m.	CHAMPS
6:00 p.m.	S.E.A.L.S Team
6:30 p.m.	Cub Scout Meeting
7:00 p.m.	James—Women's Study
WEDNESDAY	2.01.12
3:00 p.m.	CHAMPS
5:00 p.m.	Fellowship Meal
5:45 p.m.	Handbell Choir Practice
6:00 p.m.	Children's Choir
6:15 p.m.	Prayer Gathering/ From Him to Us
7:00 p.m.	Adult Choir Practice
7:00 p.m.	TeamKid
7:00 p.m.	MS/HS Synergy
THURSDAY	2.02.12
3:00 p.m.	CHAMPS
6:30 p.m.	Hebrews Part I/Women's Precept
FRIDAY	2.03.12
9:00 a.m.	Kids Day Out
11:30 a.m.	Walk the Walk? - Women's Study
3:00 p.m.	CHAMPS
SATURDAY	2.04.12
8:30 a.m.	Upward Basketball and Cheer begins
9:00 p.m.	Ladies' Prayer Time

STEWARDSHIP:	January 22, 2012
Tithes & Offerings	\$ 35,481
Future Generations	\$ 3,346
Designated	\$ 1,214
Budget Gifts YTD	\$ 632,505
Budget YTD (under)	(\$11,234)

ATTENDANCE:	January 22, 2012
ABF	900
Worship	1033
Equipping U	537

ADDITIONS:	January 22, 2012
Letter	3
Baptism	3
Statement	3



Welcome to First Irving

We are in a series called "Ekklesia" as we study the first Church in the book of Acts. Today we see the importance of power and prayer in the early church; are we experiencing that here? Are we experiencing that in our lives?

-John Durham

Welcome Center Reception

Our Ministers would like to meet you at the conclusion of each Worship Service. Please stop by the Welcome Center after the service for the opportunity to get acquainted with some new friends. Exit through the double doors by the piano to the Welcome Center.

January 29, 2012