

March
2023

First Southern
Baptist Church



Thoughts from Pastor Josh Hargett and Brennan Ward



We Make Disciples
Who Worship, Grow &
Go

Our Winter
Worship & Ministry
Schedule

9am ~ Bible Study for All Ages
10:30am ~
Worship Service
with Children’s Church

Wednesday
6—7:30 pm~ AWANA ~
(AWANA– begins Sept 7th
follows School Calendar)
6pm ~ Youth,
Pastor Josh’s Study—
Worship Center

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Your Staff  
Senior Pastor ~  
**Joshua Hargett**  
  
Music Leader  
**Brennan Ward**

For the month of March, as a church we will focus our prayer efforts on the area of our city that is shaded Green on our Lobby map. This area is bordered by I-25 to the West, Fillmore to the North, Academy to the East and Pikes Peak to the South. Included in this area is Downtown Colorado Springs, Colorado College and the Patty Jewitt, Old North End and Knob Hill neighborhoods as well where our church gathers! Let’s pray together intentionally like this:

- 1) That God would do a great work in this part of our city.
- 2) That we would have eyes to see the people in this area as God does.
- 3) That God would give us wisdom how to reach them with the Gospel and the boldness to follow through.


As you pray remember: prayer is more than just preparation for the work, prayer is the work.

Current Sermon Series



Hey Church!

Pastor Josh



We have so much to celebrate as we continue to see God do incredible things in our gathering. Thank you all for being faithful members of our body as we continue to work to make disciples who worship, grow and go. Over the next couple of months there are some great opportunities to engage in the life of our church and help share the gospel in our city. I wanted to give you some “save the dates” as we look toward these opportunities.

The first is that we will have 3 mission teams coming in to continue to help our church grow and reach our community. By now you should have received some information on this in another email, but we will have FBC Ponca City, OK and FBC Los Alamos, NM with us from March 13-17. These two partner churches will be helping us with a couple pretty major remodel projects as we continue to update our facility and make it as welcoming as we possibly can. FBC Alma, AR will be with us from March 18-22. They will be doing several different projects helping us engage our community with the Gospel and letting people know that we are a church that is for our city. If you’d like to help provide desserts or snacks for them, please contact Debbie Privette as she is helping to coordinate this.

The second opportunity is our “For the Springs Week” which will be March 27-31. Just like last year, we will have opportunities all week long for you to come together and pray for our city as well as engage people with the gospel. Stay tuned for a detailed calendar of this event that will be coming out soon!

The third opportunity is for our ladies, as we will have our Spring Ladies Tea on April 1 from 10-12 am, in the church sanctuary. Ladies, this will be a great time to be encouraged, learn a little bit and enjoy some time together. Save the date, more information will be coming soon!

The final opportunity is “Secret Church”, with Dr. David Platt coming on April 22. This will be an opportunity for you to sit under some of the best Bible teaching available as Dr. Platt teaches from the book of Jonah, as well as become more aware of the desperate needs of churches and evangelism in areas of our world that are hostile to the gospel. Save the date and stay tuned for more information coming out soon.

It is an exciting season in the life of our church and I cannot wait to see what God continues to do as we seek to make disciples who worship, grow and go. Thanks again for being apart of that and I cannot wait to see you Sunday!

Pastor Josh

Important Dates for March

March 12 ~ 5pm Admin Meeting

March 13-17 ~ FBC Ponca City Mission Team

March 18-23 ~ FBC Alma AR Mission Team

March 27-31 ~ For the Springs Week ~Missions Projects & Outreach Events in Our Community

Hey everyone!

Hope all is well! Here’s a little update for you guys! We’ve had a band up on stage now for 5 weeks in a row which is a huge blessing! I’m super thankful for all those who are helping with it. It’s been super encouraging to see the willingness of people to serve! God is doing amazing work in this church and I can’t wait to see what the future holds! As we start looking towards Easter, I just want to remind you of how important it is to worship. We’re going to be celebrating that Jesus rose from the grave defeating death once and for all! That’s no small feat or anything like that, it’s the greatest gift God has given us! That’s more than worthy of praise! So as you worship, whether it’s through singing or reading, or even praying, don’t forget why you worship! Hope everyone has a great rest of the week! Thanks!

Brennan Ward

March Birthdays

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| Mary Eskew          | 3/01 |
| Janetta Chambers    | 3/10 |
| Tom Willson         | 3/12 |
| Mallorie Rutherford | 3/15 |
| Jerry Fortune       | 3/19 |
| Calvin Dozeman      | 3/24 |
| Delanie Pruitt      | 3/25 |
| Sage Spencer        | 3/25 |
| Joan Corcoran       | 3/26 |
| Joe Pyle Jr         | 3/27 |
| Ron Lancaster       | 3/29 |
| Eugene Baker        | 3/29 |
| Henry Adams         | 3/31 |

Praises and Prayer Requests

Margaret Lovett ~ Recovering from Back Surgery

Donny Whitlock ~ Health

Rosie Miller ~ Health

Bill Bo Mosley ~ Health

Sunny Cabell ~ Recovering from Back Surgery

Burlin & Harriet Fayne ~ Health

Ed & Shirley Hernholm ~ Health

Hal and Margaret Seagraves ~ Health

Dorothy Merkle ~ Health

Beverly Wright ~ Health

Roger & Michele Hamilton ~ Family

Morningstar/Nikki Abbett-Webb ~ Health

Ukraine ~ Peace in their country

Betsy Wade ~ Recovering from hip replacement

