This week I've spent several days in Jacksboro working SBTC Disaster Relief following last week's tornado damage there. A chainsaw/recovery unit from NW Arkansas accomplished much of the work in damaged neighborhoods. With only 2 jobs remaining, early Wednesday morning they started receiving calls and texts from loved ones and friends that storms had just roared through their home area, causing tornadic damage. Ironic -- while working in a tornado damaged area, they are now called to do the same thing in their own home area.

We must do the same thing with missions. We put forth effort to go and serve willingly on a foreign or distant field, ministering to needs and sharing Jesus -- that has so much value! But how about when that same need shouts at us from our home territory? Will we put forth effort and serve willingly on those fields one house over or one street away? There is just as great a need and just as valuable a task. Think about it! Pray about it! Do what God asks you to do about it!

April is an exciting month! We say "Bless you!" to our longtime pianist and friend Shelia Turner. We celebrate "Resurrection Day!" (for everybody else out there, that's Easter). We do some much needed clean-out / clean-up on and around the church facility. Plus, student ministry gets our focus with plans for camp and leadership. Pray much over these things and participate, church family!

As always, I am grateful to be your...

Pastor Wade



CHURCH EVENTS

- April 10 Deacon's Meeting
- April 10 Reception honoring Sheila Turner
- April 15 **Good Friday** Office/Day Care Closed
- April 17 Resurrection Sunday
- **Spring Cleaning** • April 23
- April 24 **Youth Parent** Camp Meeting @ 2pm

Remember you can scan the QR code below to access your Sunday Morning Bible study at anytime.



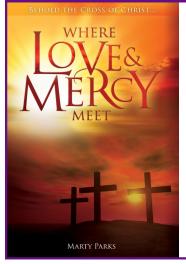












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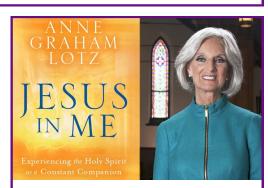
WHERE LOVE & MERCY MEET

Resurrection Sunday APRIL 17

WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO INVITE YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY



We look forward to seeing you!



Monday Mornings at 10:00 at FBCA Led by Lisa Richardson, books are \$16.00



She Stands is a regional conference that provides training for women in ministry and leadership teams. We'll be introducing our brand new women's ministry model in our breakout sessions that cover a variety of topics to equip and enrich leaders while providing creative ideas to aid women and their ministries. Teen track & women's track available. With keynote speaker Rebecca Carroll. See Laura, Brandi or Melissa if you are interested in attending.

FBC Mansfield April 23 & 24

FINANCIAL UPDATE: (3/30/2022)

Current Checkbook Bal \$82,155.75 Designated Funds Bal. \$15,891.35 \$66,264.40 **Total Available Funds**

2022 YTD Total Giving Received \$109,544.55 2022 YTD Total Giving Needed \$88,482.81

MISSING TABLE CLOTHS



IF YOU HAVE BORROWED OR TAKEN HOME TO WASH ANY OF THE CHURCH TABLE CLOTHS PLEASE RETURN THEM.

THANK YOU!

YOUTH CAMP PARENT MEETING



SUNDAY APRIL 24 2:00 PM

CAMP COST \$245 DATES 5/30-6/4

LATHUM SPRINGS, TX



THE FBCA PERSONELL COMMITTEE WOULD LIKE TO RECOGNIZE

PASTOR WADE TAYLOR

FOR 27 YEARS OF SERVICE AND CHURCH SECRETARY TARA MONROSE 5 YRS



You are invited to a reception to show our appreciation to

Sheila Turner

for her many years of service as our píaníst. Join us as we bless her on her new journey.

Apríl 10th, dírectly after worship in the Fellowship Hall.