

discoverEFBC

Sunday, August 12 | 9:30 or 11:00 AM | Room 107

You are invited to a brunch. *discoverEFBC* is for everyone: new to EFBC, a member, or wanting to know what EFBC is about.



Meet in Room 107 at either 9:30 AM or 11:00 AM.

Follow the signs or ask at an Information Center. Register online or call the Church Office. Walk-ins welcome.

FBCedmond.org/discoverEFBC

Parents of Pre-Teens Connection Group

Do you have a pre-teen in your home or a child who will be one soon? We have a Connection Group just for you in our 11:00 AM Connection Group hour. Not only do we have pre-teens in common, but we like to have fun together and support each other through this sometimes difficult life stage. For more information contact Richard and Laura Piatt, 405-359-0235 or our Associate Pastor: Children, Christian Lloyd, clloyd@fbcedmond.org.

re|engage Marriage Support

Sunday, August 26 | 5:00 – 7:00 PM | Children's Wing

re|engage is a marriage enrichment and restoration ministry where marriages in any condition can benefit. This 14-session experience will help couples move toward oneness through stories of grace, teaching, and small group time. Children's programming is available for birth through 4th grade. Cost is \$50 per couple (nonrefundable), and financial aid is available. Register online by Sunday, August 19.



FBCedmond.org/REengage

CRISP: Be a Global Family

Applications are now open for the *Community Responding to International School Program (CRISP)* Fall 2018 semester and will close August 31. If you know of friends who enjoy getting to know students from different cultures, help us tell them about UCO's CRISP program! CRISP's goal is to give international students a better understanding of American culture, and a first-hand experience of an American family while giving them a "home away from home".



FBCedmond.org/CRISP

Proclaim! Concert this Friday

Friday, August 10 | Edmond's First Baptist Church

Open to everyone, join us in the Worship Center for a worship experience featuring Tommy Walker, and the combined choirs from EFBC and Moore First Baptist Church. Guided by humility and unity, Tommy Walker's songs are inspired by, written from, and filled with the Word of God. Free tickets (*required to attend*) for EFBC members are available at the Information Centers. Doors open at 6:00 PM and the concert begins at 7:00 PM.



We are a Family of Faith, Passionately Connecting to Christ, His Church, His Word, and His Mission, for His Glory.

BAPTIZED LIKE JESUS?

Mark 1:9-11

Dr. Blake Gideon, Senior Pastor

engagingthemind.org facebook.com/dr.blakegideon

Celebration Worship Service

August 5, 2018

Awesome AUGUST

For more details about these activities and other Awesome August events, visit our website @ FBCedmond.org/summer

Leadership On Parr, Better Than Parr Parenting Seminar, Project Oak Ridge Mission, OBHC Style Show, Proclaim! Concert with Tommy Walker, Getting Baptism Right Sermon Series Begins, 7th Grade Welcome Lunch & Activity, Back to School Prayer, Promotion Sunday, Welcome Week, Summer Splash, College Scavenger Hunt, Fall TOPICS Begins, BAPTISM Celebration, Events Coming in September ...

September 3-7 - Adult Trip to Kentucky Thursday, September 6 - Men's Fish Fry Friday, September 7 - Men's Friday Event Sunday, September 9 - 1st Grade Bible Day Friday, September 21 - Junction

Sermons Live on Sundays Plus Podcasting!

Livestreaming at 9:30 AM at www.FBCedmond.org or "like" @EdmondsFirst on Facebook. Podcasting at FBCedmond.org/podcast or iTunes at "FBCedmond".



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UCO Move-In Day

Saturday, August 11 | 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM | UCO Campus

Hundreds of new students will be moving into their new homes at The University of Central Oklahoma. Help serve that day by passing out bottled water and helping many move into their dorms. Meet us on the east side of the UCO Library, located at Ayers and University. For more info, contact Billy Fuller, 405-473-2836.

College Ministry Welcome Week

Cookout: Sunday, August 19, 1:00 – 3:00 PM

Scavenger Hunt: Tuesday, August 21, 5:00 – 9:00 PM FBCedmond.org/college

Back-to-School Prayer Night

Sunday, August 12 | 6:00 PM | Local Schools

Be part of our community wide prayer event! This year meet at the flag pole of your children's school to pray. Pastor Pastor Blake will kick off our prayer time with his family from their school on Facebook Live @edmondsfirst. Those without children or students, come and pray in EFBC's Preschool Wing for the education that takes place in our church and in our community. Share on social media #efbcfamily #backtoschoolprayer #efbcprayer FBCedmond.org/prayer



Friendship International Welcome Tea

Thursday, August 23 | 9:15 – 11:30 AM | Henderson Hills

Friendship International is a ministry of women reaching out to women from around the world with Christ's love. Invite an international friend and join us for a Welcome Tea and enrollment day. Classes include English Classes, U.S. Citizenship, Sewing, Quilting, Watercolor, Bible, Choir, and much more. FBCedmond.org/friendship

Summer Splash Night (1st-6th Grade)

Wednesday, August 15 | 6:00 – 7:30 PM | South Lawn

Invite a friend and join us. We are going to have fun water games, activities, and popsicles! FBCedmond.org/summer



Pre-Teen Ministry (5th-6th Grade)

Family Service Project: For all 5th-6th graders and their families, help serve at the **Project 66 Food & Resource Center** in Edmond by sorting donation items. Then lunch at Mazzio's Pizza ("at your own expense"). Meet at the Church Office on Wednesday, August 8, at 8:30 AM and carpool together from there.

Pool Party: On Saturday August 18, 2:00- 4:00 PM the **Pre-Teens** (completed 4th and 5th graders and their families) will be having a pool party! The party will be located at Richard and Laura Piatt's. This is a great opportunity for the upcoming 5th graders to be able to meet the Pre-Teen team, as well as meet the 6th graders. We will swim, enjoy ice cream sundaes, and discuss the vision of the preteen ministry. If you would like more info or have any questions, please contact our Associate Pastor: Children, Christian Lloyd, 405-341-0253, or at clloyd@fbcedmond.org.

FATHERson Bowling

Monday, August 13 | 6:30 – 7:30 PM | AMF Boulevard Lanes

For all ages, join us for a casual evening of bowling and a devotional for boys. \$5.00 per family includes two games and shoe rental, including any friends you invite! Show up and enjoy a guys' night! FBCedmond.org/FATHERson

Student Ministry (7th-12th Grade)

Incoming 7th Grade: All NEW 7th Graders and their families are invited to join us for a Welcome Luncheon Sunday, August 12, at 12:15 PM, in the Student Life Center. RSVP by Monday, August 6, by emailing ablankenship@FBCedmond.org or contacting the Student Ministry Office at 405-726-9758. Afterwards, they will head out for Sno Cones and then to Blazers Ice Centre for Broom Ball. Cost: \$10.00.



Welcome Weekend: Worship, Fellowship, and Fun for all incoming 7th – 12th grade students. Join us on August 15, 16, 17, and 19. FBCedmond.org/students

Men's Ministry

Men's Prayer Group and BIG BREAKFAST: Meet on Tuesday, August 7, at 6:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall with other EFBC men. Guest speaker, Keith Haygood, will share a special message. Bring a friend and fellowship while enjoying a Big Breakfast, cost \$2.00.

Second Saturday Fellowship: Saturday, August 11, 8:30 AM Worship God together with other men at EFBC each second Saturday of each month at 8:30 AM in Room 113. This is a time of inspiration and support to help men live a special forces lifestyle for Jesus Christ. FBCedmond.org/men

Women's Ministry

TOPICS: Join us on Wednesdays, 6:00 – 7:00 PM, in Room 115 for:

- **AUGUST 8 - Missions Emphasis:** Christa Ellis, Principal at John Ross Elementary, will share about being an administrator in the Edmond Public Schools and how parents can pray for them, the teachers, and the staff. We will write encouraging notes to all school administrators and put goodie bags together for them.
- **AUGUST 15 - The Importance of Mentoring:** Join Sarah Cochran and Sheryl Kennedy, as they share about the importance of having mentoring relationships. Whether you are the mentor or the mentee, these relationships are vital for our church and our women.



Sewing Ministry: Monday, August 6, 9:30 AM in Room 231.

New Bible Studies: From Jen Wilkin's *God of Creation* to Lina Abujamra's *Thrive*, visit www.FBCedmond.org/BibleStudy for a complete listing on upcoming new women's Bible studies. FBCedmond.org/women

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5, 2018

8:15 AM **Connection Groups (Sunday School)**
Orchestra Rehearsal

9:30 AM **Connection Groups (Sunday School)**
Worship Service
Bridges: Special Needs Connection Group
WorshipCare (Birth - 3 Years)
KIDS Church (PreK - Kindergarten)
KIDS Church (1st - 4th Grade)

11:00 AM **Connection Groups (Sunday School)**
Worship Service
Bridges Meeting

MONDAY, AUGUST 6, 2018

9:30 AM Sewing Ministry

TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 2018

6:00 AM Men's BIG BREAKFAST

10:00 AM Women's Prayer Group

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2018

9:00 AM Pre-Teen Families Service Project

4:45 PM EFBC Dinner

5:30 PM Student Hang Out Time

6:00 PM **TOPICS** Bible Study Classes

Endurance (7th - 12th Grade)

HYPE (5th - 6th Grade)

KIDS G.L.O.W. (Kindergarten - 4th Grade)

CLUB 252 (3 Years - Pre-K)

Childcare (Birth - 2 Years)

7:00 PM Celebration Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 2018

12:00 PM Men in Prayer for Revival

FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, 2018

7:00 PM **Proclaim!** Concert with Tommy Walker

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 2018

8:30 AM Second Saturday Men's Fellowship

Proclaim! Worship Seminar

9:00 AM UCO Move-In Day

Church Wide

Worship Center

Church Wide

Worship Center

Children's Wing, 1st Floor, 118 & 133

Children's Wing, 1st Floor

Children's Wing, 1st Floor

Children's Wing, 2nd Floor

Church Wide

Fellowship Hall / 106

Room 119

Room 231

Fellowship Hall / 106C

Room 113

Fellowship Hall / 106C

Room 113

Fellowship Hall / 106

Student Life Center / 211

Church Wide

Student Life Center / 211

Children's Wing, 2nd Floor

Children's Wing, 2nd Floor

Children's Wing, 1st Floor

Children's Wing, 1st Floor

Choir Room / 103

Room 113

Worship Center

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Worship Center

Off-Site

EFBC Dinner Menu for AUGUST 8

Enjoy food and fellowship each Wednesday evening at 4:45 PM in the Fellowship Hall for a catered meal. Prices: \$6 for adults, \$5 for children, with a \$25 max per family, and complimentary for first time guests. We accept cash or checks, no credit cards.

Chicken Kabob, Rice, Mixed Vegetables, Salad Bar, Dinner Roll, Cake, Tea, Lemonade, & Coffee.

FBCedmond.org/happenings

Online Guest Registration

Please scan this code and complete the guest registration.



opportunities of the week

New C.G. Members

JUNE 03	
061. John Gentry	Platt
062. Vicky Gentry	Platt
063. Jeffery Biswas	9th Grade Boys
064. Stephanie Biswas	9th Grade Girls
065. Alfred Biswas	International
066. Smrity Biswas	International
067. Cicilia Fernandez	International
068. David Biswas	International
069. Remington Simms	Babies "B"

JUNE 10	
070. Scott Kennedy	Hurd
071. Sali Kennedy	Hurd
072. Chris Pollitt	Inman
073. Crissy Pollitt	Inman
074. Noah Pollitt	Middle School 9:30
075. Caleb Pollitt	Middle School 9:30
076. Levi Pollitt	5th & 6th Grade 9:30
077. Hannah Pollitt	2nd Grade
078. Lon Critchfield	Wulf
079. Sharon Critchfield	Wulf
080. Rebecca Perkins	Jacks

JUNE 17	
081. Colter Morey	Inman
082. Ginny Morey	Inman
083. Alton Hall	Williams
084. Margie Hall	Williams
085. Stella Gallegly	Babies "B"
086. Juniper Harlin	Babies "B"
JUNE 24	
087. Caleb Hathcock	Abla
088. Katherine Hathcock	Abla

Birth Announcements

We thank God for the safe arrival of the child listed below. Our church family will join with his parents and family in praying for his health and development according to God's plan.

Camden Crawford, born Thursday, June 7. Proud parents Monica Crawford. Proud grandparents are Phil and Janey Anderson, & uncle, Michael Anderson.

Sunday's Decisions

LETTER or STATEMENT:	
Lucy Yuwuno	(06/03)
Chris Pollitt	(06/10)
Crissy Pollitt	(06/10)
Noah Pollitt	(06/10)
Caleb Pollitt	(06/10)
Levi Pollitt	(06/10)
Hannah Pollitt	(06/10)
Lloyd Biggers	(06/10)
Jody Biggers	(06/10)
Brianna Hoover	(06/10)
Alton Hall	(06/17)
Margie Hall	(06/17)
Ginny Morey	(06/17)
Caleb Hathcock	(06/24)
Katherine Hathcock	(06/24)
PROFESSION of FAITH:	
Genna Callahan	(06/17)
Colter Morey	(06/17)
BAPTIZED:	
Samantha Armstrong	(06/17)
Colter Morey	(06/17)
CHRISTIAN SERVICE:	
Robert Shanley, IV	(06/17)

Deepest Sympathy to...

Tom & Joyce Alsip on the death of Joyce's cousin, Carolyn Burchett Davis, on Wednesday, May 30.

Roberta Cothrum and Family on the death of Roberta's husband, Phil Cothrum, on Wednesday, May 30.

John & Cathy Fitch and Family on the death of their friend, Catina Briney, on Tuesday, June 5.

Lois Graves, Byron & Sheila Guinn and Family on the death of Lois' son, James Guinn, on Wednesday, June 6.

Jim & Dolores Berry and Family on the death of their son, Kenny Berry, on Thursday, June 7.

Tom & Joyce Alsip on the death of Joyce's cousin's wife, Jerri Burchett, on Wednesday, June 20.

June's End of Month Report

	MONTHLY	YEAR-TO-DATE
BUDGET REQUIRED	\$ 241,192.32	\$ 1,507,452.00
BUDGET RECEIVED	206,428.81	1,405,499.19
BUDGET CREDITS	10,054.93	115,757.58
DESIGNATED RECEIPTS	4,129.84	65,742.84
WORLD MISSIONS	6,221.00	43,267.40
OTHER MISSIONS	11,333.00	115,220.74
BUILDING FUND OFFERING	42,604.12	311,989.79
TOTAL RECEIVED	\$ 280,771.70	\$ 2,057,477.54

MEMORIALS LISTED BELOW:

BUILDING FUND:

IN MEMORY OF: Phil Cothrum

FROM: Bailey/Brown C.G.

IN MEMORY OF: Kenneth Wagner

FROM: Charis C.G.

IN MEMORY OF: James Guinn

FROM: Charis C.G.

IN MEMORY OF: June Taylor

FROM: Charis C.G.

LOCAL CHURCH MISSIONS:

IN MEMORY OF: Mary McPhail

FROM: Ruth C.G.

IN MEMORY OF: Ruth Wilson

FROM: Ruth C.G.



Renovation Update

We are excited to report that the renovation to the Preschool entrance and hallway has begun and the LED lighting retrofit is nearly complete. Directional parking lot and building signage is in production and will be installed in about four weeks. The renovation to the Foyer should begin in about a week. This type of renovation takes a significant amount of prep work to include, clearing/repairing walls and relocating furniture. We appreciate your understanding and patience during this transition. We all look forward to the use of the renovated space that we believe will improve navigation and the guest experience.



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