



## **This Week @ First:**

- .: *Get in the Game* series continues
- .: Ministry Fair today after both services
- .: Service Central Grand Opening
- .: Wonderful Weekend for Women
- .: Time change this Saturday night

## **Next Week:**

- .: Blood Drive from 2-7 p.m.

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**Sunday, March 7, 2010**

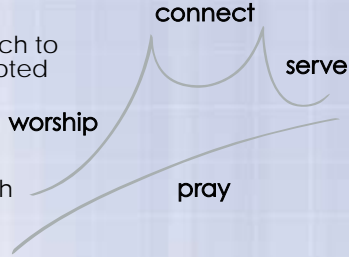
## Welcome to the First Family!

Wherever you are - single, married, married again, with or without children, there's a place for you in our family!

It would be our privilege to help you get to know Christ or to get to know Him better.

We exist as a church to develop fully-devoted Christ-followers.

We do that by providing opportunities each week to worship, connect, serve, and pray.



### Our Pastoral Staff

Sid Woodruff, *Transitional Pastor*

Stan Breeden, *Lead Pastor, Operations*

David Simmerman, *Lead Pastor, Connections*

Rick Blevins, *Lead Pastor, Emerging Generations*

Deron Henry, *High School and College Pastor*

Joey Scruggs, *Preschool Pastor*

Gary Townsend, *Church & Community Ministries Pastor*

Billy Kimbrough, *Mature Adults Pastor*

Angel Ortiz, *Hispanic Pastor*

### Our Worship Leader

Luke Gambill, *Interim Worship Leader*

### Information Central

Your one-stop place to learn about our church. Get details about and sign up for upcoming events, learn about our small groups, and meet a smiling face! Hours: Sundays from 8 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

### Resource Central

Get the resources you need to grow as a Christ-follower. Check out books, pick up materials, order CDs and DVDs of today's sermon, and more. Hours: Sundays from 8 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. and Wednesdays from 5-7 p.m.

### Service Central

Stop by Service Central to learn all the ways you can use your gifts in life-changing ministry. Service Central is located around the corner from Resource Central near Faith Hall. Hours: Sundays from 8 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

### This Week's Schedule

#### Sunday, March 7

8, 9:30, & 11 a.m.: Small Groups

9:30 & 11 a.m.: Worship

6 p.m.: Celebrate Recovery

#### Monday, March 8

11:15 a.m.: Mature Adult Luncheon

#### Tues., March 9

6-8 p.m.: Career Workshop

#### Wednesday, March 10

4:30-6 p.m.: Mid-Week Meal

6:15 p.m.: The S.P.O.T. (preschool)

6:15 p.m.: K.I.D.S. Club (elementary)

6:15 p.m.: merge (middle school)

6:15 p.m.: the PEAK (high school)

6:15 p.m.: Mid-Week Worship

#### Friday-Saturday

Wonderful Weekend for Women

**Christian sympathy** ... is extended to the family of Mary Richez (mother of Jay Richez).

### Last Week's Offering/Attendance

Budget Goal: \$34,135

Budget Offering: \$39,918

Budget Goal YTD: \$307,215

Budget Offering YTD: \$284,131

Budget Expenses YTD: \$284,170

Annual Missions YTD: \$5,891

### Kingdom Initiative

Total Commitments: \$1,585,833

Received this week: \$3,208

Received to date: \$981,520

### Attendance

Worship: 1,189

Small groups: 991



## Help Us Get to Know You

Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/2010  9:30 a.m.  11 a.m.

My contact information has changed.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

I am a:  1st time guest  2nd time guest

regular attender  member

I am:  single  married

Spouse's name \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date \_\_\_\_\_

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I'd like to talk with someone about:

becoming a Christ-follower

renewing my commitment to Christ

being baptized

joining this church

other \_\_\_\_\_

## Coming Soon

.: ***Get in the Game***, a 12-week series about living as fully devoted Christ-followers, continues today with a message titled "Selection Sunday."

Stop by the Ministry Fair and check out our new Service Central to learn how you can use your gifts at the First Family.

.: **Wonderful Weekend for Women - this coming Fri.-Sat., March 12-13.**

You can still sign up! Brochures available at Information Central or [www.thefirstfamily.org/wonderfulweekend](http://www.thefirstfamily.org/wonderfulweekend).

.: **Blood Drive next Sun., March 14, from 2-7 p.m. in the Student Ministry Center.** See insert for details and to sign up.

.: **Third Thursdays for Women - "Spring Break for Your Soul" coming Thurs., March 18, from 6:30-8:45 p.m.** [Details inside]

.: **Bring Hope to Life: Easter Sunday, April 4.** Services at 8, 9:30, and 11 a.m. Please share your story of hope as we prepare for Easter: [www.thefirstfamily.org/hope](http://www.thefirstfamily.org/hope).

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### Contact Us

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### Church Office Hours

Mon.-Thurs.: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. | Fri.: 8 a.m.-noon

### After-Hours Emergency Contact:

If you have an after-hours emergency and need to talk with a pastor, call the office, dial ext. 49, and leave a message. The on-call pastor will return your call.