

Calendar 2017

Sunday - July 30

- 8:30 a.m. Adult Small Groups
- 9:30 a.m. Small Groups
Worship Service
- 11:00 a.m. Small Groups
Worship Service
- 12:15 p.m. Scholarship Committee Meeting

Tuesday - August 1

- Staff Planning Day
- 11:00 a.m. Office closed

Wednesday - August 2

- 10:00 a.m. Midweek Service
- 6:00 p.m. Big Splash (Students meet @ Annex)
- 6:30 p.m. Assemble College Welcome Baskets @ the BCM

Sunday - August 6

- 8:30 a.m. Adult Small Groups
- 9:30 a.m. Small Groups
Worship Service
- 11:00 a.m. Small Groups
Worship Service

Monday - August 7

- 9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting

Wednesday - August 9

- 10:00 a.m. Midweek Service
- 6:00 p.m. Planted & Rooted Leaders Dinner
- 6:30 p.m. Big Splash (Students meet @ Annex)

Sunday - August 13

- 8:30 a.m. Adult Small Groups
- 9:30 a.m. Small Groups
Worship Service
- 11:00 a.m. Small Groups
Worship Service

Sunday Morning Stats

07/16/17

Tithes//Offering
\$10,009.50

Building Fund
\$2,250.00

07/23/17

Tithes//Offering
\$9,599.50

Building Fund
\$559.00

	<u>Avg.2015-16</u>	<u>07/16/17</u>	<u>07/23/17</u>
Small Groups	369	Sabbatical	296
Worship Att.	535	467	482

Thank You!

I would like to say "THANK YOU" to all who prayed or gave scholarships to Falls Creek this year. We took a total of 137 people to camp, and experienced God in a powerful way. There were 10 salvations, 7 rededications, and 4 students called to ministry. None of this would be possible without the support of our entire church family! Thank you for your faithfulness to God and to spreading the Gospel to the next generation!

In Christ,
Derek McCarver

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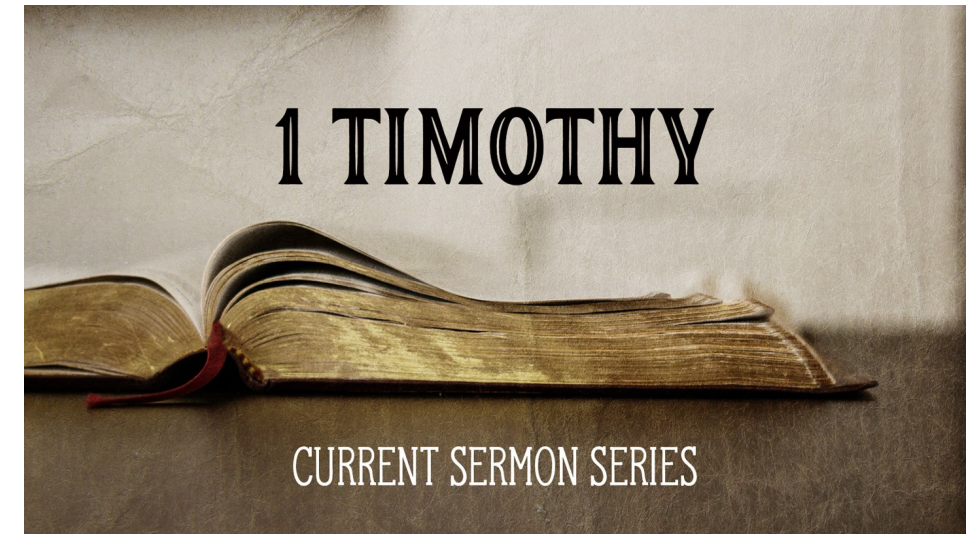
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A Word from Pastor Charlie

Believe it or not, summer break is rapidly coming to a close. It seems like just yesterday we were finishing up the school year, and now in less than a month a new school year is beginning. There is a silver lining to the launch of a new year; we are blessed to be able to get back into the swing of things at FBCER.

We are always in need of men and women to serve on one of our Sunday morning serve teams. If you are not currently serving, let me encourage you to minister in one of these areas. On Sunday evening, August 20th we will have a fellowship meal followed by training for our serve team members. There you will be informed of your responsibilities as a member of a serve team. Sign up soon to help us in these essential areas.

On August 23rd we kick-off our Wednesday night ministries. Our evening meal begins at 5:30pm with our kids and youth ministries along with men's and women's small-groups following at 6:30pm. This is a great night of discipleship for the entire family.

Summer is almost over, but we have great things ahead. Plan now to get involved and join us with all that God is doing at FBCER.

For His glory and your joy,
Pastor Charlie

Upcoming Events & Opportunities

More Abundantly Campaign

Through the first 10 months of the More Abundantly Campaign, \$283,823.13 has been given. Over the next 3 years, we are attempting to raise between 1 and 1.5 million toward our building fund. Currently we are on pace to raise just over 1 million. We're thankful for how God is providing through your sacrificial giving.

College Welcome Baskets

We are gearing up to provide a welcome basket to every person living on campus at Redlands this next year. You can be a part of this ministry by giving (just mark your gift "college baskets") or by helping assemble the baskets on Wednesday, August 2 @ 6:30pm at Redlands BCM.

Wednesday Night Activities

Our Wednesday night activities will resume on Wednesday, August 23rd.

Serve @ FBCER

Every week people sacrifice and serve at FBCER in many different ways. One of the main ways to serve is on a Serve Team. As we are nearing the end of our current Serve Team year, we would like to encourage anyone that isn't currently serving at FBCER to consider serving with us this next year. Please grab a Serve Team Brochure at the Welcome Desk or go to www.fbcclreno.com/connect to see where you might fit. If you are currently serving and cannot continue next year, please let us know. Otherwise we look forward to having everyone back.

FBCER Devoted T-shirts

The new summer t-shirts are here and on sale in the foyer. The shirts are in adult sizes only (small - 2X) and are \$10.00. We also have a clearance on the T-shirts we have in stock from last year, they will be \$5.00, we have a few youth sizes in the clearance shirts.

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Church Survey

Please help us minister better to people of FBCER and El Reno by giving us your input and completing a short survey. Go to www.fbcclreno.com/survey to take the survey or scan the QR code to the right for a direct link.



Operation Christmas Child

We are so grateful for the funds collected during VBS which will allow us to ship 200 shoeboxes in November! Now would you please partner with us to purchase all the wonderful items to fill these shoeboxes? This month, we are asking for school supplies such as pencils, 16 or 24 packs of crayons, pencil sharpeners, colored pencils, glue sticks, and spiral notebooks. A box for donations will be by the welcome desk. Contact Leava Major or Tonya Pope if you have any questions.

Shoebox Partners

On Thursday, July 27, from 10:00am to noon, you are invited to join us in fellowship hall to prepare items to include in the Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. Please join us in this 'hands on' mission opportunity. Every child who receives a shoebox hears the gospel.

Following Jesus Class

Has your child made a decision to put their faith and trust in Jesus to save them from their sins recently? Has your child been asking you lots of questions about what it means to be a follower of Jesus? If so, we would love for them to be part of the *Following Jesus Class* on Sunday mornings in August at 11:00am. For more info and to sign-up your child, go to www.fbcclreno.com/kidsclass.

Sunday Serve Teams

07/30/17

Nursery Team Flex

Dolores Brown
Jessica Crain
Donna Eisenhour
Darby Eisenhour
Jamie Todd

Parking Lot Team Flex

Larry Hodges
Jim Phariss
Stephen Thompson
Ray Young

Welcome Team Flex

Cindy Baker
Maria Black
Misty Corwin
Dan & Delpha Miklautsch
Carolyn Phariss
Vicki York
Rusty & Jessica Shamblin
Sandy Cagle

Bus Driver - 07/30/17

TJ & Sheryl McCullough

08/06/17

Nursery Team 1

Allora Bellymule
Sierra Bellymule
Renee Blount
Scotti Charmasson
Kim Eisenhour
Kristy Peffer
Dianna Spott

Parking Lot Team 1

Cory Charmasson
Andy Corwin
Ronnie Funck
Jason McClure
Darrin Peffer

Welcome Team 1

Bob & Kandy Connor
Jan Ford
Adam Hall
Connie Hodges
Cleta Mullin
Robin Robinson
Cathy Knott
Karen Chadwick
Jackie Ogilvie

Bus Driver - 08/06/17

Ray Young

Falls Creek Centennial Celebration

Falls Creek Centennial

Falls Creek turns 100 this year and the BGO has invited us to celebrate this special occasion on Labor Day Weekend. On Saturday, September 2 from 6:30pm to 9:30pm, there will be a Night of Praise featuring Charlie Hall, Jami Smith, The Skit Guys, and others. Tickets are \$5 and Derek will be taking a group of students. On Sunday, September 3, from 6:00pm to 8:00pm, there will be a Homecoming Service featuring Bill Green, Dr. Anthony Jordan, and the Falls Creek Centennial Choir. We will take a bus to this service. Sign-up begins soon.