

WELCOME to FBCScottsdale

We're glad you've chosen to worship at FBCScottsdale this morning. This church desires to serve the people of South Scottsdale. We invite you to join us as we connect with God, grow in relationships, serve our community and go to those in need.

The vision of FBCScottsdale is to be a light in the community, where people come as they are to worship and explore God, connect with people, and get involved in ministry to the whole person: body, mind, and spirit.

what YOU need to KNOW...

- 1. Summer Bible Reading**
Join us this summer as we explore God through scripture. We challenge you to read your Bible and pray for 10 minutes a day for family, friends, FBCScottsdale, and the unchurched. Pick up a bookmark with the list of scriptures at Welcome Central or the Office today.
- 2. Register for Summer Camps**
Don't forget to register your kids for Summer Camps. Junior High camp is July 21st - 26th and Senior High Camp is July 14th - 19th. Both camps are at UCYC in Prescott, AZ this year and are \$311. Register online today at FBCScottsdale.org and reserve your spot for \$50.
- 3. Women's Bible Study - Malachi**
Join the women on Thursday mornings from 10:00 - Noon. They will be using the book Malachi - a love that never lets go by Lisa Harper. This study will begin July 11th and will meet in C2.
- 4. 1824**
This group is open to anyone age 18-24 years old. We meet at 8:00 - 9:30p every Sunday starting July 7th in Winfield's Café. We would love to have you and your friends come and explore God's will and our place in His will. Whether you are entering college, in college, joining the workforce, or trying to figure out your life, we would love to help build that support system with you.
- 5. Special Business Meeting - Call of Pastor to Children & Families**
Join us on July 14th after the 10:30a service as we call and vote on Brenda Goodman as Pastor to Children & Families. We will have a meet and greet from 6:00p - 8:00p on Saturday, July 13th in C1. Come and get to know Brenda and her husband Steven. Also, to vote on Dan Almblade as the Treasurer elder.

WELCOME CENTRAL

Are you new here? We're glad you chose to worship with us today. Are you looking for more information on the ministries we do here at FBCS? Visit the Welcome Central desk in the Lobby, or check out our website at fbcscottsdale.org.

SERMON NOTES

June 30th, 2013

Elijah: Keeping Faith in Tough Times - Building Faith

1 Kings 17:1 Now Elijah the Tishbite, from Tishbe in Gilead, said to Ahab, "As the Lord, the God of Israel, lives, whom I serve, there will be neither dew nor rain in the next few years except at my word."

24 Then the woman said to Elijah, "Now I know that you are a man of God and that the word of the Lord from your mouth is the truth."

**Faith is only as strong as the object in which it is placed.
Elijah and his people faced really tough times. Do we?**

Elijah's experience shows us that the key to a growing faith is a greater realization of who the LORD is.

The LORD is the God who is _____.

The LORD is the God who _____ there.

The LORD is the God who gives _____.

The LORD is the God who _____ people.

Do you want to be effective for God?

Where is your faith placed?