

Morning Worship

9:45 a.m.

The Solid Rock
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Prayer & Welcome

Forever Reign
Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Message

Let's Do This, Church
Matthew 7:7-11
Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

Offertory Prayer

David Ross, Deacon of the Week

Offertory

Brass Quintet

11:11 a.m.

Scripture Reading - Psalm 24:1-6

Only a God Like You

Scripture Reading - 2 Samuel 22:1-7

For Your Name

Welcome & Prayer

Open Up the Heavens

Offertory Prayer

Stay Amazed

Message

Let's Do This, Church
Matthew 7:7-11
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Invitation

Jesus Loves Me

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The flowers are given in memory of
Doug Cagle by First Baptist Church.

Women on Mission Meetings

Our Women on Mission meetings for January will be held at the Missionary House at 448 Genevieve Drive, Lafayette 70503. We plan to have a "shower" for the missionary house. At the meeting, we will distribute a registry so you can then purchase items as a gift to our missionaries who are blessed by this ministry. Women on Mission will meet Tuesday, January 13 at 9:15 a.m. Women on Mission at Night will meet Thursday, January 15 at 6:00 p.m.

December 21, 2014

Main School Enrollment 3,691 Attendance 917
Grand Total Bible Study Attendance 942
Average Attendance since Sept. 01, 2014 1,061

Offerings	\$218,025.23
Budget	\$163,172.59
Designated	\$38,695.64
Vision71:/Promise	\$1,526.00
ALL IN	\$14,631.00
YTD Budget Receipts	\$4,468,782.28
YTD Budget Requirements	\$4,547,600.13

December 28, 2014

Main School Enrollment 3,691 Attendance 781
Grand Total Bible Study Attendance 806
Average Attendance since Sept. 01, 2014 1,046

Offerings	\$192,231.72
Budget	\$140,863.31
Designated	\$12,823.41
Vision71:/Promise	\$2,710.00
ALL IN	\$35,835.00
YTD Budget Receipts	\$4,609,645.59
YTD Budget Requirements	\$4,636,768.76

This Week

SUNDAY, January 11

8:00 AM Library Open
8:30 AM Sunday School 1
9:45 AM Classic Worship
Sunday School 2
Hispanic Sunday School
11:00 AM Sunday School 3
Chinese Sunday School
Hispanic Worship
Sign Language Sunday School
11:11 AM eleven:11 Worship
12:30 PM Chinese Outreach
3:30 PM Deacon's Meeting
4:00 PM DivorceCare
4:00 PM GriefShare
4:30 PM F.A.I.T.H. Orientation
Library Open
Preschool and Children's Choirs
6:00 PM Evening Worship
Mission Friends (3 - 5 year olds)
Kids Bible Drill (grades 1 - 6)

TUESDAY, January 13

9:15 AM Women on Mission Meeting

WEDNESDAY, January 14

6:00 PM Midweek Service
College Bible Study
Ignite Youth Worship
RAs and GAs (grades 1 - 6)
Elevate (3 - 5 year olds)
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
Sanctuary Orchestra Rehearsal

THURSDAY, January 15

6:00 PM Women on Mission at Night

Sympathy

To Vivian Adams on the death of her brother,
Mr. Murphy Curry.

To Charles Wren on the death of his sister,
Ms. Muriel Mayhew.

To Dick Heard on the death of his brother,
Mr. Bart Heard.

To Sylvia Hudson on the death of her mother,
Ms. Maude Carter Hutchins.

To Orville Watson on the death of his wife,
Sonya Watson.

Thank You

First Baptist Church Family,
We want to thank you for the love and support expressed to our family during the recent passing of our loving father and husband. There were so many different ways in which the church family helped us and the memory of that kindness will always remain.

Judy Moon, Mary Mickle,
& Melissa Montealegre

Michael O'Brien to Present "Tour De Romance" February 7



Michael O'Brien is a 20-year veteran of Christian music, including seven years as lead singer of the band Newsong. He has won Dove Awards and been nominated for Grammys. But perhaps one of his greatest contributions is the "Tour De Romance" event he will present here on February 7.

"Tour De Romance" is a night of music and inspiration, a big date night for married couples who need to reconnect with each other and with God. "There's nothing heavy-handed about it. No teaching per se," says Michael, "but it's an opportunity to be together, listen to some music that reminds us of what love is really about, remember how we first met, laugh together, break down some walls, and share stories of struggle and restoration."

Tickets for the dinner and concert are \$25.00 per couple, available at the Information Center. A childcare "Pajama and Pizza Party" is available through 6th grade for \$5.00 per child. You can make reservations and pre-pay for childcare at the Information Center when you purchase your tickets.

Tour Our New Building Today

Open House before and after services



Sunday, January 18

Classes & other activities begin next Sunday

Wednesday, January 21

Suppers resume and service moves to Fellowship Hall

Please help us know how to plan by using the tear-off portion of today's bulletin for supper reservations.

To God Be The Glory!



Successful Students, Strong Athletes, and A Love for the Lord!



Our children have been attending FBCC since they were all three years old. My oldest child has been walking through the halls of our school for almost 12 years, and we would not trade a minute. To our family, our school is like coming home. The love and support from teachers and staff is like having family nearby, and if our family is struggling or celebrating, teachers are always aware and supportive. When we send our children into their classrooms, we know they are walking into an environment where it is safe to fail and their best interest is always the top priority whether it be academically, socially, or most importantly, spiritually.

At First Baptist Christian School, I have watched my children grow into strong athletes, successful students, and most importantly, people who love the Lord. If you ask any of my children, their salvation and acceptance of Christ started in one of these classrooms and that makes this a special place. I am so grateful that God's plan for our family has included FBCC.

Jeff Brown

Open House is Friday, January 16, from Noon - 2:00 p.m. for families of prospective students.



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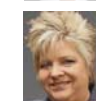
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Your Response

At the invitation time in each service we offer an opportunity for you to publicly make one of the following decisions...

- ...to accept Jesus Christ as your personal Savior.
- ...to join First Baptist by baptism.
- ...to rededicate your life to Christ.
- ...to dedicate your life to vocational Christian service.
- ...to transfer your membership from another Baptist church.
- ...to join First Baptist from another denomination.

I would like more information on...

- how to become a Christian
- how to become a member of FBC
- opportunities for service at FBC
- specific ministry areas including:
 - senior adults
 - single adults
 - jr/sr high
 - preschool
 - prayer
 - Chinese
 - married adults
 - college
 - grades 1-6
 - music
 - media
 - Spanish

I have a request...

- for prayer
- for the staff

I heard about First Baptist from...

- family member
- direct mail
- television
- billboard
- FBC website
- facebook
- friend
- yellow pages
- radio
- newspaper
- internet ad
- other

Wednesday Meals Resume Jan. 21

We plan to resume our Wednesday evening meals on January 21 in the new Fellowship Hall. Adult plates are \$5.00, child plates are \$3.00, family maximum is \$15.00. To help us know that you plan to attend, please indicate below your name and the number of plates for your family. Detach and drop in the offering plate or at the Information Center.

Name: _____

Adult Plates: _____

Child Plates: _____

Thank You For Coming

If you are our guest, we have a special gift for you after today's service. So that we can get to know you better, please fill out both sides of this tear-off section and bring it to the Information Center near the columns. We have a gift bag ready for you.

name

address

city state zip

home phone business/cell phone

email

birthdate occupation / school grade

male female
 married single widowed

are you a church member? yes no

where?

I am a first time guest at FBC
 I am new to the Lafayette area
 I want to be enrolled in Bible Study
 I want more info about Bible Study

I attended at
 9:45 a.m. 11:11 a.m. 6:00 p.m.

today's date

spouse's name birthdate
Is spouse present today? yes no

child's name birthdate

child's name birthdate

child's name birthdate

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From Our Pastor

Welcome to First Baptist Church. If you are our guest, thank you for joining us today. We would love to be able to get to know you. Take a moment to register as a guest using the registration card attached to the bulletin. Our church exists "to know Him and make Him known." We pray our worship today helps you to know Him and equips you to make Him known.



Several times since I have been pastor here, I have taken a Sunday and shared what many would call a "vision" sermon. I am doing this very thing this morning. This is especially exciting for me for a couple of reasons. First and foremost, we spent a considerable amount of time last Fall thinking about what would be the next critical steps we would take as a church to have maximum influence and ministry. This message is very much a product of those discussions. Second, this is exciting because we are very close to entering our new education and fellowship wing. If all goes well with inspections, we hope to hold our first classes in the building next Sunday, January 18.

Though this message is especially exciting, I would also admit to you that this sharing of vision brings about a certain amount of burden. Essentially, I am saying to you as your pastor, I believe this is the direction God wants us to take in the days ahead. I bear the burden for leading us to His will or away from His will. I do not take this lightly, but with Holy fear. I ask you to pray for me that I would have wisdom first, and then, peace.

Along with the Vision-casting sermon, we will also have the exciting opportunity to "walk-through" the new fellowship and education space. I am excited for you to see this new space. Please take a moment to walk through the building this morning.

New F.A.I.T.H. Semester to begin— This afternoon at 4:30 is the Orientation meeting for this semester of F.A.I.T.H. The rest of the semester will be on Tuesday nights as in the past. The orientation meeting is happening on Sunday afternoon to help us to get off to a great start on Tuesday.

Steve

January 11, 2015

Sermon Notes

Let's Do This, Church Matthew 7:7-11

Background Guiding the Vision for Today

A Purpose Statement:

Four Core Values:

A Challenge:

A Biblical Passage Guiding us Today

Ask

Seek

Knock

Prioritizing Next Steps



DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING Spring 2015

SHARE YOUR FAITH

FAITH Evangelism Training & Visitation— Learn to share your faith and testimony using this proven method, organized to help grow your Sunday School class. Orientation today, 4:30 p.m. - Weekly Sessions, Tuesdays, 6:00 p.m. beginning January 13.

LEARN TO BE A DISCIPLE

First Look— Led by Pastor Steve Horn, this two hour seminar will communicate the significance of membership at First Baptist Church. Sunday, 5:30 p.m., January 18.

The Call to Follow Christ— Following Christ is a relationship that leads to a walk of obedience. Led by Julie Fossier, this study will help you understand and practice six biblical disciplines to help you develop a daily and joyful walk with Christ: Abide in Christ, Live in the Word, Pray in Faith, Fellowship with Believers, Witness to the World, and Minister to Others. Sundays, 4:30 p.m., beginning January 18.

Experiencing God: Knowing and Doing the Will of God— Led by Jeff Strassel, this course guides learners to experience the kind of relationship with God through which they come to know and do His will. Sundays, 4:30 p.m., beginning January 18.

How to Have a Daily Quiet Time with God— Led by Andrea McKenzie. Sundays, 4:30 p.m., beginning January 18.

READ & STUDY THE BIBLE

Daniel— A study through the Book of Daniel, led by Kay Davidson. Sundays, 4:30 p.m., beginning January 18.

Acts— A two-part inductive study of the Book of Acts, led by Barbara Hotz, using material from Precept International. Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. or 6:00 p.m., beginning January 22.

Hebrews— Reminds us to continue walking toward Jesus regardless of our culture or our circumstances. Thursdays, 9:30 a.m. or 6:00 p.m., beginning January 22.

