

Morning Worship

9:45 a.m.

Come, Now Is the Time to Worship

Prayer & Welcome

*In Christ Alone
The Love of God*

Forever

Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra
Dyan Schnaars, Soloist

Message

Defining Moments: Birth

Psalm 139:1-24
Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

Just As I Am

Offertory Prayer

Bobby Philips, Deacon of the Week

Fanfare and Fantasy on "Lobe Den Herren"
Sanctuary Orchestra

11:11 a.m.

*Come Thou Fount, Come Thou King
Everlasting God*

Welcome & Prayer

Stay Amazed

Offertory Prayer

One Thing Remains

Message

Defining Moments: Birth

Psalm 139:1-24
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Invitation

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

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Shirley Davis by First Baptist Church.*

This Week

SUNDAY, January 18

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
4:00 PM DivorceCare
GriefShare
Youth Discipleship
4:30 PM Adult Discipleship
Library Open
Preschool and Children's Choirs
6:00 PM Evening Worship
Mission Friends (3 - 5 year olds)
Kids Bible Drill (grades 1 - 6)
7:00 PM SNL at the College House
English Outreach (Chinese)

TUESDAY, January 20

5:00 PM F.A.I.T.H. Supper
6:00 PM F.A.I.T.H. Evangelism Training

WEDNESDAY, January 21

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 22

9:00 AM Precept Bible Study
9:30 AM Ladies Bible Study
6:00 PM Precept Bible Study
Ladies Bible Study
Greece Trip Info Meeting

FRIDAY, January 23

6:00 PM Hispanic Bible Study

New Security Procedures for Preschool and Children Areas

Effective today, parents of children birth - 6th grade will be required to check their child in at the age appropriate desk and receive a "pick-up tag." Parents must have a tag to enter the secure area. Only adults will be able to drop off and pick up children. Children will not be allowed to pick up other children.

Mending the Soul Begins Feb. 8

Mending the Soul is an 11-week healing/support group for adult women who are survivors of childhood sexual abuse. For more information or to register, call Willa at 349-2199 or Lynn at 278-6420.

**Lottie Moon Offering
For International Missions
Goal \$175,000.00
Received \$122,444.45**

It's not too late to make your contribution.

Sympathy

*To Anne Devillier in the death of her mother,
Ruth Corkern.*

*To Fran Lindsey in the death of her husband,
Jim Lindsey.*

*To Bob Weldon in the death of his wife,
Rachel Weldon.*

"Do Something" Progress Report

If you did not hear last Sunday morning's message regarding "Do Something," we encourage you to go to our website and watch it. This will help you understand where we are right now.

During the process last fall, we developed six ideas. Concerning one of the ideas, to expand First Baptist Christian School to a High School, Steve said in his message:

"I want to see us do this as soon as possible—even beginning next school year (if we can be ready.) We will need some people to step forward to be financial partners. We also need some families to step forward to be pioneers."

We are aware that many have lots of unanswered questions about this action. The Sunday morning sermon was not the place to go into these specifics. We will do that on **Wednesday night, January 28, at 6:00 p.m.** There will be a time for discussion. Then, on **Sunday, February 1**, we will vote by ballot whether or not to move forward with a high school.



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. Tuesdays, 6:00 p.m. Assembly Room 1.

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. Today, 5:30 p.m., January 18. *Coffee Shop*

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. *D206.*

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. *D201.*

How to Have a Daily Quiet Time with God – Led by Andrea McKenzie. Sundays, 4:30 p.m., beginning January 18. *D203.*

READ & STUDY THE BIBLE

Daniel – A study through the Book of Daniel, led by Kay Davidson. Sundays, 4:30 p.m., beginning January 18. *D208.*

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. *D206.*

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. *D201.*

Childcare available on Thursday mornings. Make your reservation by January 19 by calling 593-3295.

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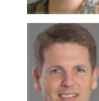
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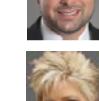
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Your Response

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 married adults
 single adults college
 jr/sr high grades 1-6
 preschool music
 prayer media
 Chinese Spanish

I have a request...

for prayer for the staff

I heard about First Baptist from...

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

We pray for and visit those who are in the hospital. If you know of someone who needs a visit, please list the information below.

name of person needing visit

hospital or location to visit

dates of hospitalization

name and phone of person submitting request

February 7
6:30 P.M.

Michael O'Brien

Tour De Romance

A date night for couples.
Dinner & Concert

Tickets available at the Information Center

\$25/couple

Childcare through grade 6
\$5/child - pre-pay when you purchase ticket

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

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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. We invite you to bring this registration card to the Information Desk located near the front columns. We have a gift waiting for you there.



Today, I am beginning a series called "Defining Moments." Our lives are sprinkled with defining moments—moments that shape the rest of our lives, moments that are so important that the rest of our lives hang in the balance of these moments. Over the next weeks, we will study from Scripture some of these defining moments that dot our lives. You may not experience every single one of them, but in those weeks, I hope that you will hang with us understanding that others need to view these defining moments through a Biblical lens. Today, we start with a moment that certainly we have all experienced—birth.

I want to call your attention this morning also to the fact that this week is Sanctity of Human Life Week, marking the anniversary of the U.S. Supreme Court's *Roe V. Wade* decision legalizing abortion on demand in America. Southern Baptists are affiliated with some 250 crisis pregnancy centers scattered across the United States. Every time you give to the offering at First Baptist Church, a portion of your offering, through our denominational planned giving effort known as the Cooperative Program, is going to these Pro-Life Centers. In fact, our Louisiana Baptist Children's Home now has a mobile unit that is traveling the state. The unit is equipped with an ultrasound machine showing pregnant women, who might be contemplating abortion, the precious life inside of them.

Locally, there is a multi-denominational ministry called *A Pregnancy Center and Clinic*. The clinic is located in the Medical Building at 913 S. College Road, Suite 206, Lafayette, LA 70503. The phone number is 232-5509. The LORD may want you to be involved in that ministry at some level. I have included their address in hopes that you might send them a donation to support their ministry.

I am praying for you that today will prove to be an awesome encounter for you with the Living God.

January 18, 2015

Sermon Notes

Defining Moments: Birth Psalm 139:1-24

God _____ all life.

- The _____ Responsible for Creation
- The _____ that Life Begins
- The _____ of God

So What? How does this view of theology of creation impact our defining of life?

Impacts My View of _____

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- My life is not _____.
- I am _____ and _____ made.

Impacts My View of _____

- He _____ me.
- He created me for _____.
- He is _____ with me.
- He created me for a _____.
- He _____ me.

Impacts My View of My _____

Community Connection Fair
 January 25
before and after both morning services

Connect with a Compassion Ministry including Love INC, Food Net, Escape from Poverty, The Bridge, A Pregnancy Center & Clinic, United Christian Outreach and more.

Welcome to
First Baptist Lafayette
Knowing Him—making Him known

**DEFINING MOMENTS:
Birth**