This Week

SUNDAY, November 18

8:00 AM Library Open

8:30 AM Sunday School 1 9:45 AM Classic Worship

> Sunday School 2 Spanish Sunday School

11:00 AM Sunday School 3 Chinese Sunday School

11:11 AM eleven:11 Worship 12:30 PM Chinese Outreach

1:30 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary Orchestra Rehearsal

4:00 PM Celebrate Recovery Step Study DivorceCare

Griefshare Library Open Youth Choir

4:45 PM Discipleship Training (Yth/Adult) Children's Choir

6:00 PM Evening Worship/Annual Meeting Bible Drill (Grades 1-6)

7:00 PM SNL at the College House

TUESDAY, November 20

5:00 PM Family Fellowship Supper College House Supper Library Open 5:30 PM Orchestra Rehearsal 6:00 PM Midweek Service/Business Mtg

Celebrate Recovery College Bible Study Ignite Youth Worship RAs and GAs Team Kid Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

SATURDAY, November 24

5:00 PM Chinese Open House

Wednesday Moves To Tuesday

Wednesday evening activities this week will meet on Tuesday evening, November 20, due to the Thanksgiving holiday.



November 11, 2012

Main School Enrollment 3,525 Attendance 1,062 Grand Total Bible Study Attendance Average Attendance since Sept. 02, 2012 1,049

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Family Fellowship Supper

Menu for Tuesday, November 20 Turkey Green Beans Cornbread Dressing Rolls Tossed Salad Holiday Dessert

Morning Worship

9:45 a.m.

Awesome God

Welcome

Jesus Loves Me

Parent-Child Dedication

My Only Prayer Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra

Message

The Hard Part about Being a Family

Luke 15:11-32 Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

Have Thine Own Way, Lord

Welcome New Members

Offertory Prayer

Don Carr, Deacon of the Week

Lead On, O King Eternal Sanctuary Orchestra

11:11 a.m.

Here For You

Welcome & Prayer

Love The Lord

Parent-Child Dedication

The Family Prayer Song

Offertory Prayer

Beautiful Things Josh and Lana Carver

Message

The Hard Part about Being a Family

Luke 15:11-32 Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

One Pure And Holy Passion

The flowers are given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pringle and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bowlin by their children and grandchildren, Al, Marguerite, Jenny and Greg Pringle.

Annual Membership Meeting

Tonight during the evening service, we will adopt the church budget for 2013. Nomination of deacons and election of committees will also be a part of the meeting.

Copies of the proposed budget, deacon ballots, and committee recommendations are available at the Information Center if you would like to pick up a copy to look over before tonight's meet-

Do you have your tickets for The Singing Christmas Tree?





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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.

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television	radio
billboard	newspaper
FBC website	internet ad
facebook	other

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family member

Christmas Volunteers Needed

There are many "behind the scene" roles necessary to make "The Singing Christmas Tree" happen. Some of them are: set construction, tree assembly, tree lighting and decorations, costumers, lobby decorators, parking attendants, ushers, ticket takers, technicians, stage hands, publicity, and much more. If you can help, please fill out the form below, drop it in the offering plate, and we will contact you.

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From Our Pastor

Welcome to First Baptist Church! If you are our guest, please take a moment to register as a guest using the tear-off portion of this bulletin. We ask that you place this registration card in the offering plate as we receive our offering this morning. Thank you for joining us for worship this morning. Guests, please excuse us for just a moment this morning as we conduct some very important annual business as a church. We will be nominating deacons. We will try to do this as quickly as possible as not to detract from our worship of Almighty God this morning.

Our focus for worship this morning is on the family. Many of you will be spending time with family this week. I've got a question for you: Are you ready to do that? Are you ready to be Jesus to your family this week? We will look at a familiar story—the Prodigal Son—for life application. We will take some time in our morning worship to have a special time of parent-child dedication. Be praying for these thankful families as they dedicate themselves to the LORD.

I invite you back tonight as we carry out a couple of additional matters of annual church business in our annual membership meeting. First, we will take a moment to adopt our operating budget for 2013. In addition, we will elect various committees for our church.

Finally, don't forget that this week, we will be having Wednesday on Tuesday. All scheduled events for Wednesday will occur on Tuesday evening this week.

2013 SUMMER CHIMPS

Middle School - XFuge June 16-20 Jackson, MS

High School - MFuge June 30-July 5 Houston, TX

Save the date and turn in your \$50 non-refundable deposit. Sign up before the price goes up January 1.

November 18, 2012 Sermon Notes

The Hard Part about Being a Family Luke 15:11-32

1.	No	_ can be allowed to	_ the rest of the home.
2.	If rebellion necessitates	,	
3.	When separation happe	ns,	
4.	When true	_ happens, let true	abound.

Week of Prayer for International Missions
December 2 - 9
Lottie Moon Offering
National Goal \$175,000,000 FBC Goal \$100,000

Meet Our New Administrative Pastor

Ray Swift will join our ministerial staff November 26 as Administrative Pastor. Ray comes to First Baptist from a similar position at First Baptist Church of Moss Bluff, where he has served for eight years. Prior to that he pastored churches in Oklahoma for twelve years, and also served in music and youth ministry for several years.

Ray is a graduate of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He and his wife, Diana, have three children, ages 15, 12, and 9. We look forward to having the Swift family as a part of First Baptist Lafayette soon.





