

Morning Worship

9:45 a.m.  
Battle Hymn of the Republic  
Louisiana Stars Drum and Bugle Corps

The Star-Spangled Banner  
America, the Beautiful  
Welcome & Prayer  
My Country, 'Tis of Thee  
Salute to Our Patriots  
Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra  
Lord, Have Mercy  
Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra  
Message  
What Can I Do For My Country  
Amos 7:1-8:2  
Pastor Steve Horn  
Invitation  
Have Thine Own Way, Lord  
Offertory Prayer  
Ed Junk, Deacon of the Week  
The Stars and Stripes Forever  
Louisiana Stars Drum and Bugle Corps

11:11 a.m.  
Welcome  
America, the Beautiful  
God of Our Fathers  
Prayer  
My Country, 'Tis of Thee  
Offertory Prayer  
Never Once  
Message  
What Can I Do For My Country  
Amos 7:1-8:2  
Pastor Steve Horn  
Invitation  
Just As I Am

CCLI#615645

The Fifth Sunday Benevolence Offering  
will be received at the conclusion of  
each morning worship service.  
The flowers are given in honor of all  
those who have faithfully served  
and are now serving our country  
by Maude Page and family.



**BLAST OFF BOUNCE CAMP**  
July 1 - 3 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.  
1<sup>st</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> grades \$30 per person  
Space is limited - Call 593-3661 to check availability

This Week

**SUNDAY, June 29**  
8:00 AM Library Open  
8:30 AM Sunday School 1  
9:45 AM Worship  
Sunday School 2  
Hispanic Sunday School  
11:00 AM Sunday School 3  
Chinese Sunday School  
Hispanic Worship  
11:11 AM eleven:11 Worship  
12:30 PM Chinese Outreach  
4:00 PM CR Step Study for Men  
5:30 PM Library Open  
6:00 PM Evening Service  
7:30 PM Reception for Noble Mosby  
**MONDAY, June 30**  
6:00 PM Youth Movie Night  
**TUESDAY, July 1**  
9:00 AM Bounce Camp  
6:00 PM Church-wide Visitation  
**WEDNESDAY, July 2**  
9:00 AM Bounce Camp  
6:00 PM Midweek Service  
Chalk Night (3-5 yr. olds)  
Celebrate Recovery  
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal  
**THURSDAY, July 3**  
9:00 AM Bounce Camp  
6:00 PM Ladies Evening Bible Study  
**FRIDAY, July 4**  
Church Office Closed

**Thank You**  
To our Church Family ,  
Keith and I wanted to thank each of you  
for your prayers, cards, visits, food and over  
all support after Keith's accident. He is mak-  
ing a speedy and full recovery. We could not  
have done it without you. It's been hard being  
on this side of the fence, but we can say that  
we have truly experienced Christ's love in  
this congregation. Love and many thanks to  
you all.

Sammye and Keith Bates

**PRETEEN INVASION**  
August 23  
Students entering 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> grade  
593-3661

Coming Events

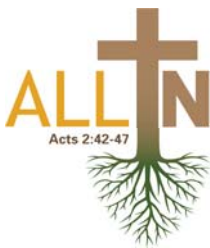
more details at [www.fbclaf.org/coming-events](http://www.fbclaf.org/coming-events)

- JUL 14 Art Camp 1 - for boys and girls 7–12 years old
- JUL 21 Art Camp 2 - for boys and girls 7 - 12 years old
- JUL 21 Athletic Fun Camp - for boys and girls in grades 1 - 6
- JUL 23 GA Camp - at Tall Timbers for girls in grades 1 - 6
- JUL 27 Churchwide Fellowship 3:00 - 7:00 p.m. at Girard Park
- JUL 28 Cheer Camp - for girls enter- ing PreK5 through 4th grade
- AUG 16 Sunday School Leadership Training - for all age groups
- AUG 17 Support Groups Begin - DivorceCare and GriefShare
- AUG 19 F.A.I.T.H. - Evangelism Train- ing begins fall semester
- Continue to pray for these summer trips
- JUL 3 Romania Mission Trip July 3 - 14
- JUL 7 Philippine Mission Trip July 7 - 17
- JUL 17 Ridgecrest Leadership Training - July 17 - 22
- JUL 18 Brazil Mission Trip July 18 - 30
- AUG 2 National Collegiate Week August 2-10

STAND UP COMEDIAN  
**Tim Hawkins**  
First Baptist Lafayette  
April 18, 2015  
tickets at [fbclaf.org/tim](http://fbclaf.org/tim)

Construction Progress Report

The Lord continues to bless the progress of the work being done on our Phase 2 project. This new ministry facility will provide opportuni- ty for over 500 people to be seated at banquet tables or over 700 peo- ple to be arranged for large conference and meetings in the fellowship hall.



This new ministry facility will also accom- modate 17 adult Sunday School rooms, an elevator, large restrooms on 1st and 2nd floor and an extended commons area.

The fireproofing in the remainder of the building continues this week, as well as the installation of the fire sprinkler sys- tem. Framing walls and duct work in fel- lowship hall will begin around June 30th.

Perhaps the most notable at this point is the exterior brick. In addition, much of the ceiling electrical and plumbing is progress- ing.

We anticipated the Lord doing great things as we look forward to its opening at the end of 2014. Continue to pray for the workers safety, the work progress and the faithfulness and generosity of the giving.

Stressed? Overworked?

**The One-Life Solution** by Henry Cloud examines today's workplace with it's stress, heavy workload, and blistering pace. He shows you how to construct better bound- aries against the technological devices, bullying bosses, and distracting coworkers who invade our time and space. Check out this book and others on succeeding in the workplace in your church library.

Meet Our Ministers

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First Baptist is on TV  
Monday - Friday 5:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m.  
Sunday 11:00 a.m. & 10:00 p.m.  
Cox Channel 97 LUS Channel 20

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

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

Adopt A College Student

This ministry is an opportunity for our church family to be a "home away from home" for college students living away from their family. Activities need not take up a great deal of time, energy or finances. If you would like to know more about this ministry, complete the form below and we will contact you.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_



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 worship at First Baptist Church. We welcome those of you who are our guests. Please take a moment to fill out the guest registration card you will find in your bulletin. We invite any first time guest to go by our Information Desk to receive a free gift.




Today, I am preaching from the Old Testament prophet Amos. My message is titled, “What Can I Do for My Country?” Let us be mindful of the warning and the hope of God’s Word as we approach this week, our nation’s celebration of Independence Day.

I want to invite you back for tonight’s 6:00 p.m. service. Dr. Earl Taylor, retired professor from Southern University, accompanied by Dr. Benji Harlan, will present a concert. I met Dr. Taylor a few weeks ago as he sang here with the Louisiana Baptist Singing Ministers. I am excited to invite you to hear him tonight. At the conclusion of the service, we will have a reception for Noble Mosby, who is leaving our staff to take a position at FBC, Jonesboro, GA.


Later this week, a team led by John Frank, will depart for a week of ministry in Romania. Please be in prayer that God will provide physical and spiritual safety. Pray for this group to return to First Baptist more ready than ever to **Know Him and Make Him Known.**

Lastly, at the conclusion of our service today, we will carry out a First Baptist Church 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday tradition by receiving a special offering to be used only for benevolence purposes.

Steve



CDs & DVDs of our Pastor’s messages are available at the Information Center the following Sunday.



June 29, 2014

Sermon Notes

What Can I Do for My Country?  
Amos 7:1-8:2

I can \_\_\_\_\_ in a \_\_\_\_\_ way.

The Reason for the Burden

- We begin to be burdened when we \_\_\_\_\_. (7:1-2)
- We continue to be burdened when we understand that the \_\_\_\_\_. (7:4-6)
- We do not cease in our burden when we understand that this could be the \_\_\_\_\_. (7:7-9)

The Result of the Burden

The Response of the Burden

I can \_\_\_\_\_.

The Rejection of God’s Word (7:10-13)

The Resiliency of God’s People (7:14-17)

IN CONCERT

Earl Taylor

WITH BENJI HARLAN

TONIGHT! 6:00 P.M. DURING EVENING WORSHIP

