

Thank You For Coming

If you are our guest, we have a special gift for you after today’s service. So 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

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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.



We trust that God will use this time to speak to all of us this morning and draw us closer to Him. If you have pre-school children, we suggest for your benefit, as well as for all who worship with us, that you allow for us to care for and teach your children during the worship hour. We have a well-equipped area and well-trained staff to take care of your little ones while you and those around you worship this morning. Please help us in this matter.

Our student ministry, under the direction of our Student Pastor Brad Gill, has had their annual D-Now emphasis this weekend. Please pray with me this morning that every student who has participated will be a life-long disciple of Jesus.

This morning I am preaching on what I could argue is the most important message I could ever preach. I am preaching on this subject: “How Do We Know the Bible is God’s Word?”

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

Steve

Thank You

Thank you so much for the ham and paper products during the sad time of losing our son, brother, father and husband! He is so missed! Fifty-six years is not long enough, but I trust God and know he has a plan. The people of First Baptist Church were so wonderful to all of us! What a great family of Christians to be a part of. We love all of you. Thanks so much!

Mary Pray & Family

Thank you church family for your prayers, words of encouragement, cards, phone calls and food provided for our family during the illness and passing of our son Brian.

Richard and Mary Brimage

Sympathy

To the family of Edna Louise Hathorn.

February 19, 2017

Sermon Notes

How Do We Know the Bible is God’s Word?

Why I Personally Believe that the Bible is God’s Word

- Reasons
- Reasons
- Reasons
- Reasons
- Reasons

If the Bible is God’s Word

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- The Bible demands our
- The Bible - us in

JOY CLUB
February 23
11:30 am
Fellowship Hall

MOTHER'S DAY OUT
REGISTRATION BEGINS FEBRUARY 22

First Baptist Lafayette
February 19, 2017
We're glad you're here!

Today's Message:
How Do We Know the Bible is God's Word?

Morning Worship

9:45 a.m.

God of the Ages

Baptism

Welcome & Prayer

Wonderful Words of Life

Ancient Words

Overcome

First Baptist Choir and Orchestra

Message

How Do We Know the Bible is God's Word?

Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

Just As I Am

Offertory Prayer

Rodney Manning, Deacon of the Week

Offertory

11:11 a.m.

Mercy Tree

Baptism

Welcome & Prayer

Praise Him

Divine Romance

Offertory Prayer

Jesus, Only Jesus

Message

How Do We Know the Bible is God's Word?

Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

Healing Is In Your Hands

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The flowers are given in memory of Myrthe C. Walker by First Baptist Church.

February 12, 2017			
Main School Enrollment	3,518	Attendance	1,061
Average Attendance since Sept. 04, 2016			964
Offerings	\$86,217.45		
Budget	\$71,745.82		
Designated	\$11,885.25		
ALL IN	\$2,586.38		
YTD Budget Receipts	\$485,883.95		
YTD Budget Requirements	\$587,138.86		

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This Week

SUNDAY, February 19

8:00 AM Library and Coffee Shop Open

8:30 AM Sunday School 1

Deaf Sunday School

9:45 AM Classic Worship

Sunday School 2

Hispanic Sunday School

11:00 AM Sunday School 3

Hispanic Worship

Chinese Sunday School

eleven:11 Worship

12:30 PM Chinese Outreach

4:00 PM DivorceCare

GriefShare

4:30 PM Adult & Youth Discipleship

Preschool & Children's Choirs

English Outreach (Chinese)

Library Open

5:45 PM Youth Choir

6:00 PM Evening Worship

Bible Drill (grades 1-6)

B.L.A.S.T. (3-5 year olds)

7:00 PM SNL at the College House

TUESDAY, February 21

5:00 PM FAITH Supper

6:00 PM FAITH Visitation

WEDNESDAY, February 22

4:45 PM Family Fellowship Supper

6:00 PM Midweek Service

Hispanic Bible Study

The College Hour

Ignite Youth Worship

GAs and RAs (grades 1-6)

Mission Friends (3-5 year olds)

Choir Rehearsal

Orchestra Rehearsal

THURSDAY, February 23

9:00 AM Precepts Bible Study

Ladies Morning Bible Study

Prayer Blanket Ministry

11:30 AM JOY Club

6:00 PM Precepts Bible Study

Ladies Evening Bible Study

Family Fellowship Supper

Menu for Wednesday, February 22

Shrimp Etouffee

Rice

Zucchini & Squash

Bread

Salad

Dessert

Children's Menu:

Grilled Cheese Sandwich

Bean Salad

FirstLook

with Steve Horn

For prospective and new members

History, Beliefs, and Opportunity for Ministry

Sunday, March 12

5:30 PM

Meet in room D101

a day of worship

Steve Green

Sunday, March 19

Both morning worship services

Free concert at 6:00 pm

GALACTIC STARVEYORS

VBS

June 5 - 9

9:00 am - noon

VOLUNTEER NOW!

CONTACT DUSTIN.LEE@FBCLAF.ORG

LEADERS TRAINING MEETING

MARCH 20 @ 6:00 PM

First Baptist Christian School

Dinner/Silent Auction Fundraiser

March 10 - 6:30 pm

Fellowship Hall

Tickets \$25⁰⁰

Available soon.

SILENT AUCTION

To donate items for the auction call Kim at 552-6419

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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

___ church 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