

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 _____

child's name _____ birthdate _____

child's name _____ birthdate _____

child's name _____ birthdate _____

child's name _____ birthdate _____

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. At First Baptist Church we are passionate about two things. First, we want to connect you to Jesus. Second we want to connect you to some other folks who can help you in a life-long journey to follow Jesus.



Today, we continue to focus our attention toward Easter. Easter is on Sunday, April 16, this year. On the Thursday and Friday of Holy Week, our Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra along with Ballet Magnificat will present a musical oratorio titled, **Saviour**. Ballet Magnificat is a professional Christian ballet company that has been described as the premiere Christian dance company in the United States. Their professional touring companies have performed both nationally and internationally.

To prepare us for our own reflection and celebration of Easter, I want to explore the same theme of **Saviour** for our preaching times as we approach Easter. Today, we turn to the Gospel of Matthew and the life of Jesus. We will observe, in a fast-moving survey, the message and ministry of Jesus, which both point to His being our Saviour.

Remember to walk through the **Main Street** area today and sign-up to be on one of our "Here for You, Acadiana" Teams. This is the local missions day that we have formerly called "First Baptist Church Loves Lafayette." The reason for the change is that the other Southern Baptist churches of our four parish Baptist association are going to do the same thing as us all on one day. The day is set for next Saturday, April 8. Sign-up today and be a part of this exciting plan to impact Acadiana in the name

Steve

April 2, 2017

Sermon Notes

Saviour: Saviour in His Life Matthew 16:13-19

Recognizing Jesus as Saviour

Jesus, the _____

- His _____
- His _____
- His _____

Jesus and His _____

Jesus and His _____

Responses to Jesus

Why do some find it hard to follow Jesus?

1. The _____ of following Jesus
2. The _____ of following Jesus.
3. The _____ of following Jesus.

Requirement to Follow Jesus

Reward of Following Jesus



We're glad you're here!



Saviours

TODAY'S MESSAGE:
SAVIOUR IN HIS LIFE
 MATTHEW 16:13-19

Morning Worship

9:45 a.m.

Forever Reign
How Great Is Our God
How Great Thou Art
Welcome & Prayer
My Jesus, I Love Thee

Message
Saviour In His Life
Matthew 16:13-19
Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation
He Is Lord

Offertory Prayer
Randy Prather, Deacon of the Week
My Heart Belongs To You
John Frank Reeve and Joel Hilbun, Duet
First Baptist Orchestra

11:11 a.m.

Hallelujah to the King
Mercy Tree

Welcome & Prayer
One And Only
Offertory Prayer
Jesus, Only Jesus
Worthy, Worthy

Message
Saviour In His Life
Matthew 16:13-19
Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation
Nothing But the Blood

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The flowers are given in memory of
Yuxin Ma
by First Baptist Church.

Thank You

Thank you for the cards, calls, contacts and especially your prayers during my recent surgery and recovery. Your thoughtfulness was so greatly appreciated.

Gwen Richard

We are blessed to be part of the loving and caring fellowship at First Baptist. Thank you for lifting us up in prayer daily as we deal with the death of Kim. We know she is with the Lord. Thank you for all the cards, visits, calls, food, flowers and donation.

Marilyn Lee, Kenny and Family

We would like to thank all those involved for the food provided. The gift of the food made our time together as a family celebrating the life of Stephen Stith, Jr enjoyable.

The Stith Family

This Week

SUNDAY, April 2

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
11:11 AM 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, April 4

5:00 PM FAITH Supper
6:00 PM FAITH Visitation

WEDNESDAY, April 5

4:45 PM Family Fellowship Supper
5:00 PM Haiti Information Meeting
6:00 PM Midweek Service
Hispanic Bible Study
The College Hour
Ignite Youth Worship
GAs & RAs (1-6 grades)
Mission Friends (3-5 year olds)
Choir Rehearsal
Orchestra Rehearsal

THURSDAY, April 6

9:00 AM Precepts Bible Study
Ladies Morning Bible Study
Prayer Blanket Ministry
6:00 PM Precepts Bible Study
Ladies Evening Bible Study
6:30 PM Youth Leadership Meeting

SATURDAY, April 8

7:30 AM Here for You Acadiana

Sunday morning messages now on iTunes



Editor's Note

Our sincere apology to Ray Culter and family for the misspelling of their name in last week's bulletin.

At First Baptist Lafayette, our core values are taken from Psalm 71:14-19... to preach the same gospel, to the next generation, until all the nations know, and do it all for God's glory.

INSIDE THIS BULLETIN you should have two cards promoting "Saviour." Use these cards to invite friends, neighbors, relatives, work associates, and other people to the presentations April 13 and 14. Another way to use these cards is on bulletin boards at work and elsewhere.

This week we will be posting on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram several times. When you see these posts, be sure to engage with them by sharing, liking, or commenting. This is a great "free" way to get the word out about this program.

At the Information Center and on Main Street there are additional cards as well as posters if you need to pick up extras.



Women's Ministry Book Club

NEW!

April 21 6:30 - 9:00 p.m.
Assembly Room

Roundtable discussion of
The Insanity of God
by Nik Ripken

Purchase book and READ it BEFORE the meeting so you'll be ready to discuss this amazing book.

Movie and refreshments.

Family Fellowship Supper

Menu for Wednesday, April 5
Chicken Cacciatore Green Beans
Penne Marinara Garlic Bread
Dessert Salad
Children's Menu:
Fish Sticks Cole Slaw

March 26, 2017

Main School Enrollment	3,527	Attendance	957
Average Attendance since Sept. 04, 2016			957
Offerings		\$121,425.90	
Budget		\$100,079.90	
Designated		\$19,026.00	
ALL IN		\$2,320.00	
YTD Budget Receipts		\$966,608.84	
YTD Budget Requirements		\$1,090,400.74	

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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

