# **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 this tearoff section and bring it to the Information Center near the columns. We have a gift bag ready for you.

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## From Our Pastor

Welcome to First Baptist Church! We are certainly glad you persevered through the time change to make it here. I trust that all of us will have a significant encounter with God today.



If you are our guest, thank you for joining us. We would love to be able to connect with 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 Center located near the front columns. We have a welcome gift waiting for you there.

I look forward to continuing our message series today called "Easter! So What?" Our church has grown accustomed to my question, "So What?" at the conclusion of my messages. I fell into this practice a few years ago as the result of making sure that every message ends on a note of action. As I routinely say, "We gather not so much for information, but for inspiration and transformation."

Today, we are considering another question from Pilate. Struggling with his own feelings about what to do with Jesus, Pilate asked the crowd, "What should I do then with Jesus?" This question is a question that every person faces.

**Deacon Ordination**—Join us Sunday evening for a special service of Deacon Installation and Deacon Ordination. I am so proud to be involved in the ordination of two of our young men-Frank Courmier and Rob Richardson.

Here for You Acadiana! We are two weeks away from our annual service day in our community. We need you to sign-up to work on a project. You will find the sign-up lists in the Main Street area.

We are now less than one month away from Easter. Who will you invite to be with you this coming Easter Sunday? We need to be actively sharing the "So What" of Easter. All of our hope rests in the truth of the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus.

Steve

March 11, 2018

### **Easter! So What?** What Should I Do Then With Jesus? Matthew 27:1-2, 11-26

Sermon Notes

Pilate's question, "What should I do then with Jesus who is called the Christ" (v. 22) is the same question that each of us faces. Pilate made the wrong choice. The reasons that caused Pilate to make the wrong choice are the same factors that cause many to reject Christ today.

What are those factors?

by what other people think.
Pilate's Position
1. As Governor, he was trained to
2. As Judge, he was trained to
Pilate's Problem:
• of who Jesus is.
in temporary favor at the expense of eternal favor.
• to make a choice.
So What?
You will find that it is to not make a decision about Jesus.
You will discover that the decision you make about Christall other decisions.



So What?



THEN WITH JESUS?

Matthew 27:1-2, 11-26



# Morning Worship

Hope Alive In Me First Baptist Choir and Orchestra

All That Thrills My Soul

Welcome & Prayer

He Touched Me Be Thou My Vision

Message

What Should I Do Then With Jesus?

Matthew 27:1-2, 11-26 Pastor Steve Horn

**Invitation Hymn** Room at the Cross for You

**Offertory Prayer** Lucius Hornsby, Deacon of the Week

Offertory

11:11 a.m.

This Is Amazing Grace

Welcome & Prayer

Lion and the Lamb At Your Name

**Offertory Prayer** 

What A Beautiful Name

Message

What Should I Do Then With Jesus?

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**Invitation Hymn** 

You Alone Can Rescue

The flowers are given in memory of Mary Anna Granberry by First Baptist Church.

#### March 4, 2018

Main School Enrollment 3,379 Attendance Average Attendance since Sept. 03, 2017 976 Offerings \$120.588.44 \$108,144.24 \$10,524.20 Designated ALL IN \$1,920.00 YTD Budget Receipts \$815,452.69 \$790,962.57 YTD Budget Requirements

#### Family Fellowship Supper Menu for Wednesday, March 14

Chicken & Eggplant Parmesan Fettucine Alfredo Zucchini & Squash Salad Garlic Bread Dessert

Children's Menu

Zucchini & Squash Chicken Alfredo

# This Week

SUNDAY, March 11

8:00 AM Library and Coffee Shop Open 8:30 AM Sunday School 1 Deaf Sunday School

9:45 AM Worship

Sunday School 2 Hispanic Sunday School

11:00 AM Sunday School 3 Hispanic Worship Chinese Sunday School

11:11 AM Worship

12:30 PM Chinese Outreach

3:45 PM Coffee Shop Open 4:00 PM DivorceCare

GriefShare Deacon's Meeting

4:30 PM Adult/Youth Discipleship Classes English Outreach (Chinese) Preschool and Children's Choirs Library Open

5:45 PM Youth Choir

6:00 PM Worship

Bible Drill (Grades 1-6) BLAST (3-5 year olds)

TUESDAY, March 13

9:15 AM Women on Mission 5:00 PM FAITH Evangelism Supper 6:00 PM FAITH Evangelism

WEDNESDAY, March 14

12:00 PM Prayer Blanket Ministry 4:45 PM Family Fellowship Supper

6:00 PM Midweek Service Hispanic Bible Study Ignite Youth Worship RAs and GAs Mission Friends

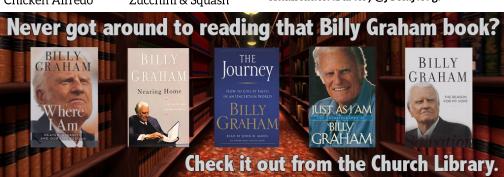
Choir and Orchestra Rehearsals

THURSDAY, March 15 9:00 AM Precept Bible Study **Prayer Blanket Ministry** 

Women's Bible Study 6:00 PM Precept Bible Study Women's Bible Study Women on Mission at Night

### Passion Play Trip in 2020

Join Luther and Michelle Burney on an exciting "trip of a lifetime" to The Passion Play of Oberammergau (Germany) from June 17-27, 2020. The trip includes visits to other cities in Germany as well as Austria and Switzerland. If you would like to find out more about this trip, plan to attend an informational meeting on Sunday, March 18, at 7:15 p.m. at Alesi's Pizza. You can also email luther.burney@fbclaf.org.









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# THIS ONE THING

**Governor John Bel Edwards** and the Legislature as they begin the 2018 Regular Session.

