



OUR STAFF

FIRST FOCUS

WELCOME

We gather this morning from all parts of this great city, connected by a common love for Jesus Christ and a contagious joy that we have discovered in Him.

Ours is historic faith. For 150 years, this congregation has added our songs and service to those who for 2000 years have called Jesus Christ, Lord.

We are experiencing new life. In recent days, God has revived our congregation and given us fresh vision and new enthusiasm. We welcome you to join us as God leads you to become part of this growing family.

The card below is intended for use by our guests. We want to know you.

Thanks for coming today.

Don Guthrie, Pastor

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*"If I have to stop my work every time someone shoots at me,
I would never get anything done." --Teddy Roosevelt*

*"Let love be without hypocrisy...rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation,
devoted to prayer...never pay back evil for evil." (Romans 12:9, 12, 17)*

WELCOME DR. THOMAS HIBBS. You are invited to hear Baylor Professor, Thomas Hibbs, and his interesting presentation on American movies and what they say about our culture. Tonight, 6 PM. Single adults: City Sunday Nights follows at 7 PM – Radius Building.

"HIS PLAN...MY PART". Have you signed a commitment card for 2012? This important campaign enlisting enthusiastic support for FBC and the new year will end November 6. Will you be a prayerful, regular, sacrificial giver? Cards available today or online at www.fbcso.org/stewardship.

TONIGHT. Deacons meet at 4:30 (Webb 212); Church Conference, 7 PM (Fellowship Hall). We will hear the presentation of the 2012 Budget and the report of the Worship Study Committee.

"FIRST FEST". A day full of fun for the whole family with a bounce house, giant inflatable slide, face painting, crafts, games, Frito Pie, snow cones, popcorn, lemonade, and lots of candy. Wear your costume! October 29, 11 – 1 PM, Courtyard and Unity Hall, FBC.

{RE:VERSE} – A new way to do Bible study: Our {Re:Verse} passage for this week is 2 Corinthians 2:17-3:6; 4:1-6. You are invited to join members of the FBC family in preparing for Sunday, October 30. For inspiration, and instruction, join the conversation on the Pastor's blog, www.theeverydayprayer.org.

HOW ARE WE DOING? "Pardon our progress." Church budget funds in 2011 will play a significant part in the following facilities improvements: Monument signs and campus improvements along Broadway and McCullough, as well as repairs to Wolfson House, Circle Building, and Webb Hall. Also included this year are sound reinforcement in the Sanctuary and upgrades and improvements to our Information Technology systems. Your faithful giving helps make these beautiful buildings remain efficient and effective for ministry and a real indication that the Lord is growing a downtown church.

CAREER DAY AT LAMAR ELEMENTARY. Lamar Elementary, our partner school in San Antonio ISD, is hosting Career Day on Friday, November 4 from 9 – 11 AM. FBC volunteers will be assigned a table to which children will come every 5 – 10 minutes to hear about your work. Please contact Rita Schuetze (226-0363) if you are willing to help inspire these students to stay the course and stay in school.

HARVEST HYMN and SONGFEST. A church-wide night of worship for family and friends. October 30, 6 PM, Sanctuary. Plan now to choose your favorite hymn as requests will be taken from the floor. Come comfortably and enjoy the praise and celebration of southern gospel hymns and songs!

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SAN ANTONIO

OUR MISSION

IS TO FOLLOW OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,
AND TO LEAD ALL OTHERS TO A
JOYFUL LIFE IN HIM

TODAY'S SERMON

PASTORS AND PEOPLE: WHAT SATAN KNOWS
October 23, 2011 | 11:00 AM

GUEST REGISTRATION

11:00

Welcome to First Baptist Church. We are glad you chose to worship with us today. To help us minister to you, please fill out this form and place it in the offering plate.

Today's date _____

Name (Mr/Mrs/Ms) _____

Single Married Birthday/Year _____ Age _____

Address _____ Apt No. _____

City/State _____ Zip _____

Phone: (H) _____ (W) _____ E-mail _____

Please check grades or ages of children living at home.

Preschool: under 2 2 yrs. 3 yrs. 4 yrs. 5 yrs.

Children: 1st grade 2nd grade 3rd grade

4th grade 5th grade 6th grade

Students: 7th grade 8th grade 9th grade 10th grade

11th grade 12th grade College (19-24 yrs.)

I am visiting from out-of-town

I am seeking a church home

I would like to become a member of First Baptist Church. Please contact me.

I would welcome further contact via e-mail phone personal visit

NEW LIFE. HISTORIC FAITH.



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
SAN ANTONIO

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

WWW.FBCSA.ORG

OCTOBER 23, 2011 | 11:00 AM

Prelude "Processional 'Praise to the Lord, the Almighty'" Shaw

Welcome to First Baptist Pastor

How blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked, nor stand in the path of sinners, nor sit in the seat of scoffers! But his delight is in the law of the LORD, and in His law he meditates day and night. He will be like a tree firmly planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in its season and its leaf does not wither; and in whatever he does, he prospers. *Psalm 1:1-3*

The elders who rule well are to be considered worthy of double honor, especially those who work hard at preaching and teaching. Do not receive an accusation against an elder except on the basis of two or three witnesses. Those who continue in sin, rebuke in the presence of all, so that the rest also will be fearful of sinning. *1 Timothy 5:17,19-20*

Adoration and Praise "A Glad and Joyful Song" McDonald
The Sanctuary Choir; Spencer Brown, organ

Hymn 7 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" HYMN TO JOY

Mortals, join the mighty chorus which the morning stars began;
Father love is reigning over us, brother love binds man to man.
Ever singing, march we onward, victors in the midst of strife.
Joyful music leads us Sonward in the triumph song of life.

Pastoral Prayer Stephen Carrell

The Fellowship of Worship Pastor

Congregational Song "In This Very Room" Harris

In this very room there's quite enough love for one like me,
And in this very room there's quite enough joy for one like me;

*And there's quite enough hope
And quite enough power to chase away any gloom,
For Jesus, Lord Jesus, is in this very room.*

In this very room there's quite enough love for all the world,
And in this very room there's quite enough joy for all the world;

Hymn 382 "God, the Father of Your People" HOLY MANNA

Response "Let It Be Said of Us" Fry

Let it be said of us: we were marked by forgiveness,
We were known by our love and delighted in meekness.
We were ruled by His peace, heeding unity's call,
Joined as one body that Christ would be seen by all.

*Let the cross be our glory and the Lord be our song,
By mercy made holy, by the Spirit made strong.
Let the cross be our glory and the Lord be our song
'Til the likeness of Jesus be through us made known.
Let the cross be our glory and the Lord be our song.*

The Children's Message Pastor

Witness in Song "Healer of My Heart" arr. Fettke
Laura Stephenson

Morning Message "Pastors and People: What Satan Knows" Don Guthrie
2 Corinthians 2:1-11

Decision Hymn 390 "We Are Called to Be God's People" AUSTRIAN HYMN

Offertory "I Have Felt the Hand of God" Courtney
The Sanctuary Choir

Life Together! Bryan Richardson

Presentation of Decisions

Going Out Together "And Can It Be" arr. Danner

No condemnation now I dread; Jesus, and all in Him is mine!
Alive in Him, my living Head, and clothed in righteousness divine,
Bold I approach the eternal throne,
And claim the crown through Christ, my own.

*Amazing love! How can it be?
That Thou, my God, should die for me!*

Postlude "Toccata on Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" Burkhardt

Seth Nelson Organist Laurie Wilson Pianist

*The red rose honors Julia Ann Joan Gsell born October 18, 2011.
She is welcomed by her parents: Sheri and George Gsell;
siblings: Sarah and Nathan;
and grandparents: Marsha and Bill Ocain.*

*Morning Worship telecast live on KSAT-TV
"Touching lives through television for forty years."
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His Plan...My Part



2011 Stewardship Campaign

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FBC 2011 Stewardship Campaign

October 2– November 6, 2011

Dear Friends,

We begin the 3rd week of our campaign to secure enthusiasm and support for the mission of our church and to teach the duty and privilege of kingdom generosity. The theme is "His Plan...My Part" and it reflects our belief that FBC is in an outstanding position for near-term service to Christ.

The grace of God, the steady growth of our congregation, the stability of our staff and vision, and recent developments in the downtown district make 2012 an exciting and strategic year of opportunity! Our priority goal during the campaign will be the commitment of every member to be a "REGULAR, PRAYERFUL, and SACRIFICIAL GIVER". This year, members and friends will be encouraged to also consider support for the newly established "FBC Building Fund." Thank you for your help as the FBC family moves forward in service to the Lord.

Calendar:
11/6 Campaign last day

REQUEST FOR MEMBERSHIP

Membership is an important spiritual step. It is the beginning of an accountable and beneficial relationship with a church. Sometimes it marks the first profession of faith in Christ. Always it marks a commitment to Christ and a sincere desire to serve Him. We encourage you to prayerfully consider membership in First Baptist Church and to make your desire known through this card. A member of the church staff will contact and help you.

Name _____

Address _____

City/Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

I desire membership:

- I have received Christ as Savior.
- I want to receive Christ as Savior.
- I am a member of a church of another denomination.
- I am a member of a Baptist church and want to transfer my membership.