



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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*"Light of the World, you stepped down into darkness;
Opened my eyes, let me see..."*
—Chris Tomlin ("Here I Am to Worship")

*"I thank God...that he has set in my darkness the lamp of faith,
...that I have another life to look forward to –
a life joyous with light and flowers and heavenly song."*
—Helen Keller

TODAY IN WORSHIP.

- 9:15 Don Guthrie, preaching
- 9:30 Josh Vaughan, preaching (LOGOS Contemporary Worship)
- 11:00 Don Guthrie, preaching
- 11:00 René De Alejandro, preaching (Spanish Worship) Chapel
- 11:00 Internationals (3)
- 6:00 Blake Coffee, preaching – Chapel Singers, singing

MEETINGS.

- Committee on Committees, 1:30 in Williams Conference Room.
- Deacons, 4:30 in Webb 212

WMU – MANY FACES. ONE HOPE. September 16-23 FBCSA will join in a week of Prayer for Texas Missions. Twelve million neighbors and family members, representing many faces, are without the hope of Christ. May we be compelled to pray and do whatever it takes to lead them to the Cross. Prayer guides are available at the Prayer Table and ASK ME Booths.

ANGEL TREE. It's the time when our church family helps provide money for Christmas gifts of toys, books and clothing for children whose parent(s) are in prisons. Our goal this year is to sponsor 65 children. For information on how to help, look in the *Highlights*.

INTERNATIONAL MINISTRIES NEED – TRANSPORTATION. Volunteers are needed to provide bus transportation, donation pick up and health care transportation. Contact Rita or Wayne at 210.226.0363 to find out how you can help serve our Burmese families.

HELPING YOUR STRUGGLING TEEN. We are happy to welcome back Biblical Counselor Ellen Dean on October 6, who will share practical ways to help struggling teens/children with many issues they face. Sign up today in Unity Hall.

ALL-CHURCH PICNIC. Join us on Sunday, October 14; 4 PM at the Raymond Russell Park, Pavilion 2, for catered BBQ with all the trimmings. Cost is \$4 per person (free for children 4 and under.) Bring desserts to share. Tickets are on sale in Unity Hall.

SEPTEMBER SUNDAY NIGHTS.

- 9/16 Blake Coffee, preaching/Chapel Singers
- 9/23 Bryan Richardson, preaching/Chapel Singers
- 9/30 Brad Livingston, preaching/Chapel Singers

CONVERSATIONS – "CONTINUING WHAT JESUS BEGAN". The fall series features 13 weeks of studies in the book of Acts. The focus will be on the Holy Spirit and the power to witness to those who do not know Christ. In preparation for September 23, please read the {Re:Verse} passage: Acts 4:5-31.

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OUR MISSION

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

TODAY'S SERMON

"HOPE FOR HEALING"

September 16, 2012 | 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 _____

Military Affiliation Y or N Branch of Service _____ Installation _____

Family Member Deployed? Y or N

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.



SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

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SEPTEMBER 16, 2012 | 11:00 AM

Prelude "Hyfrydol" arr. Haan
 Portrait of Faith **Believer's Baptism** Wayne Williams
 Call to Worship "Bear the News to Every Land" arr. Danner
The Sanctuary Choir; Aaron Hufty, director

Give the winds a mighty voice: Jesus saves!
 Let the nations now rejoice: Jesus saves!
 Shout salvation full and free,
 Highest hills and deepest caves.
 This our song of victory: Jesus saves!

Welcome **Romans 10:1, 12-15** Don Guthrie

¹Brothers and sisters, my heart's desire and prayer to God for the Israelites is that they may be saved.

¹²For there is no difference between Jew and Gentile—the same Lord is Lord of all and richly blesses all who call on him, ¹³for, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." ¹⁴How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? ¹⁵And how can anyone preach unless they are sent? As it is written: "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"

Hymn 544 "Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It" REDEEMED

Who Told You? Spenser Eggleston

Prayer Bryan Richardson

Hymn 185 "Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners" HYFRYDOL

Children's Message Pastor

Message in Song "I Have Felt the Hand of God" Courtney
The Sanctuary Choir

Morning Message "Hope for Healing" Don Guthrie
 Acts 3:1-8, 11-13, 19

Decision Hymn 467 "There Shall Be Showers of Blessing" SHOWERS OF BLESSING

Offertory "Fairest Lord Jesus" arr. Wilson/Nelson
Piano/Organ duet

Broadcast Blessings Julie Webster

Life Together Bryan Richardson

Welcome, New Members!

Benediction "The Lord Bless You and Keep You" BENEDICTION
The Sanctuary Choir

Postlude "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart" arr. Travis

Seth Nelson Laurie Wilson
 Organist Pianist

*The red rose honors
 Rebekah Paige Huff
 born September 8, 2012 to proud parents: Ben and Andreyia.
 She is also welcomed by her grandparents:
 Melissa and Whyllie Welch and Cindi and David Huff.*

*Morning Worship telecast live on KSAT-TV
 "Touching lives through television for over forty years."
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THE TABLE PROJECT – Private Social Network Launches 9/23

Church doesn't end just because the worship service is over. "Church" is the body of Christ seeking God's kingdom, not just an event on Sunday morning. Prayer, service, study and fellowship are important aspects of faith that shouldn't be restricted to the hour we sit in a pew. That's what the Table is all about. It's a private social network, just for our church, that enables us to connect 24/7, not just on Sunday.

Additional information is available at the ASK ME Booths or at tableproject.org.

I Belong Here

11:00

Belonging to a church is a biblical, beneficial step. Membership in a church says 3 things. I BELIEVE what these people believe. I AM COMMITTED to love them and be loved by them. I WILL SERVE with them as we honor Christ by building His church together. I BELONG HERE!

- I want to become a member of FBC.
- I am interested. Please contact me for conversation and future opportunities to learn about FBC.
- I have questions.

Name: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone: _____

(Please check preferred way of contact.)

God Bless you!