



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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SENIOR PASTOR
Scott R. Lane
ASSOCIATE PASTOR,
STUDENTS AND VENTURE SUNDAY SCHOOL

R. Bryan Richardson
ASSOCIATE PASTOR, SINGLES,
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AND *YES, LORD!* MINISTRIES

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SPANISH LANGUAGE MINISTER

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DIRECTOR, MEDIA AND BROADCAST

*"There is no such thing as a 'global village'.
No matter how much one may love the world as a whole,
one can live fully in it only by living responsibly in some small part of it."
—Wendell Berry*

*"We are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works."
(Ephesians 2:10)*

TODAY IN WORSHIP.

- 9:15 Bryan Richardson, preaching
- 9:30 Josh Vaughan, preaching (LOGOS Contemporary Worship)
- 11:00 Bryan Richardson, preaching
- 11:00 René De Alejandro, preaching (Spanish Worship - Chapel)
- 11:00 Internationals (4 Services)
- 6:00 Jonathan Juedes, preaching

PALM SUNDAY. March 24, 6 PM - Holy Week Lord's Supper service led by FBCSA Sanctuary Choir. A beautiful, life-strengthening service for the entire FBC Family. All of us together as we prepare for Easter.

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE. 6:45 AM - Courtyard. Come, celebrate our risen Savior in a traditional worship service setting. A hot breakfast will be served afterward, beginning at 7 AM, for the whole church family.

HEAVEN: EASTER'S FIRST MESSAGE. A special Sunday School class taught by the Pastor in Webb 212 at 8:15 AM on Easter morning. Everyone invited.

iSERVE MICRO-GRANTS. iServe is a *Yes, Lord!* Community Ministries program which provides micro-grants up to \$1,000 for groups initiating NEW community and neighborhood ministries. Call 210.226.0363 or visit fbcsa.org/iserve for more information and to apply!

CONNECTIONS CLASS. Not in a Sunday School class? Looking for something new? You are invited to attend an FBC "connection class". It is a 3-week class that will help you identify a "fit" in an existing class or help the staff shape/dream a new class. Venture schedule begins April 7, 11 AM—led by Josh Vaughan. Core schedule begins April 28, 9:30 AM—led by Larry Soape. Class size limited. Call 226-0363 (Kappie to register).

NEXT GEN REPORT.

- 3/24 4 PM Meeting with Parents of Preschoolers, Children, and Youth (*Workers, if you missed the last meeting, you are invited.*) Webb 212
- 3/24 5 PM Presented in Church Business Conference
- 3/27 7 PM Q and A (all invited)

NEW MID-WEEK STRENGTH SERIES. "Compassion and Conviction: What Can A Christian *Say* About Homosexuality?" Our culture has much to *say* on the topic of homosexuality, but fear and uncertainty have left many Christians *silent* as they and the people they love are tossed about by conflicting ideas and agendas. We can reenter the conversation and find stable ground once again. Wednesdays at 6:30, April 3, 10, 17, 24. Josh Vaughan, teaching.

"PSALMS: SONGS FROM THE HEART OF FAITH". In preparation for Sunday, March 24, please read the {*Re:Verse*} Scripture, Psalm 22.

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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

"THE GOD YOU KNOW"
R. Bryan Richardson, preaching

March 17, 2013 | 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.



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SAN ANTONIO

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

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MARCH 17, 2013 | 11:00 AM

Prelude "3 Variations on Lobe den Herron" arr. Karvonen

Call to Worship "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" arr. Harlan
The Sanctuary Choir, Benjamin Harlan, Director

Welcome and Prayer Jonathan Juedes

Hymn 411 "'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" arr. Harlan

Reading "Who Am I" Dietrich Bonhoeffer
Seth Witcher

Who am I? They often tell me I stepped from my cell's confinement Calmly, cheerfully, firmly, Like a squire from his country-house.

Who am I? They often tell me I used to speak to my warders Freely and friendly and clearly, As though it were mine to command.

Who am I? They also tell me I bore the days of misfortune Equably, smilingly, proudly, Like one accustomed to win.

Am I then really all that which other men tell of? Or am I only what I myself know of myself? Restless and longing and sick, like a bird in a cage, Struggling for breath, as though hands were compressing my throat, Yearning for colors, for flowers, for the voices of birds, Thirsting for words of kindness, for neighborliness, Tossing in expectation of great event, Powerlessly trembling for friends at an infinite distance, Weary and empty at praying, at think, at making, Faith, and ready to say farewell to it all?

Who am I? This or the other? Am I one person today and tomorrow another? Am I both at once? A hypocrite before others, And before myself a contemptibly weebegone weakling? Or is something within me still like a beaten army, Fleeing in disorder from victory already achieved?

Who am I? They mock me, these lonely questions of mine. Whoever I am, Thou knowest, O God, I am Thine!

Hymn 410 "It Is Well with My Soul" arr. Harlan

The Dedication of a Home Bryan Richardson
Meghann and Mark Allison, Michaela Suzanne

The Children's Message Bryan Richardson

Message in Song "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" arr. Wilberg
The Sanctuary Choir

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!
All ye who hear, Now to His temple draw near;
Praise Him in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord! Who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,
Shelters thee under His wings, yea, so gently sustaineth.
Hast thou not seen how thy desires e'er have been
granted in what He ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord! Who doth prosper thy work and defend thee.
Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee.
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,
If with His love He befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord! Oh let all that is in me adore Him!
All that hath life and breath comes now with praises before Him!
Let the "amen" sound from His people again,
Gladly for aye we adore Him.

Morning Message "The God You Know" Bryan Richardson
Psalm 16

Decision Hymns
321 "The Savior Is Waiting" CARMICHAEL
320 "Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus" LEMMEL

Offertory "Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee" DeFord
Eve Wallace

iServe Josh Vaughan

Welcome, New Members! Vic Haney

Life Together Bryan Richardson

Postlude "Toccata" Gigout

Seth Nelson Laurie Wilson
Organist Pianist

*Today's altar flowers are given to the glory of God
and in loving memory of James E. Winget,
on the occasion of his birthday, by Sheila Winget Murray.*

*Morning Worship telecast live on KSAT-TV
"Touching lives through television for over forty years."
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EASTER RESURRECTION CELEBRATION

Sunday, March 31 is a day for celebration!

- 6:45 AM Sunrise Service
- 7:30 AM Breakfast service begins
- 8:15 AM Special SS Class – "Heaven: Easter's First Message"
- 9:15 AM Traditional Service
- 9:30 AM LOGOS
- 11:00 AM Traditional Service
- Spanish Service
- International Services (4)

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!