



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

- T. Don Guthrie**
SENIOR PASTOR
- Scott R. Lane**
ASSOCIATE PASTOR,
STUDENTS AND VENTURE SUNDAY SCHOOL
- R. Bryan Richardson**
ASSOCIATE PASTOR, SINGLES,
SMALL GROUPS, AND PASTORAL MINISTRIES
- Larry D. Soape**
ASSOCIATE PASTOR, CORE SUNDAY SCHOOL,
MEDIAN AND SENIOR ADULTS, AND MISSIONS
- Charles L. Wedge**
ASSOCIATE PASTOR,
ADMINISTRATION AND OPERATIONS
- Josh M. Vaughan**
ASSOCIATE PASTOR, YOUNG MARRIEDS
AND *YES, LORD!* MINISTRIES
- Boun Phommachanh**
INTERNATIONAL/ASIAN MINISTER
- René De Alejandro**
SPANISH LANGUAGE MINISTER
- Charlyne H. Bryant**
DIRECTOR, CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES
- Tobey J. Cleek**
DIRECTOR, PRESCHOOL MINISTRIES
- Mikel Allen**
DIRECTOR, COMMUNICATIONS
- Glen F. Cameron**
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- Wayne Williams**
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- Marynne Hildreth**
DIRECTOR, FIRST LEARNING CENTER
- Sheila Jennette**
DIRECTOR, FINANCIAL SERVICES
- Chris Lair**
DIRECTOR, MEDIA AND BROADCAST
- Julie Webster**
CHAPLAIN, TELEVISION MINISTRY
- Rick Evans**
ASSOCIATE MINISTER TO SINGLE ADULTS
- Vic Haney**
PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY ASSOCIATE

*"The whole law of human existence lies in this:
that man be able to bow down before the infinitely great."
--Fyodor Dostoevsky*

*"Come unto me all who are weary and heavy laden. I will give you rest."
--Jesus (Matthew 11:28)*

TODAY IN WORSHIP.

- 9:15 Bryan Richardson, preaching
- 9:30 Don Guthrie, preaching (LOGOS Contemporary Worship)
- 11:00 Don Guthrie, preaching
- 11:00 Internationals (4 Services)
- 6:00 No PM Services

RAISING KIDS IN 3D. April 12, 7:30 PM, Fellowship Hall. Dinner with your family. Dessert (7:30 PM) in Fellowship Hall. Devotion (7:45 PM) featuring Dr. Richard Ross, "Becoming Your Child's Most Important Spiritual Leader." For information or to register go to www.fbcsa.org/raisingkidsin3d

CONNECTIONS CLASS. Not in a Sunday School class? Looking for something new? You are invited to attend an FBC "connections class". 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 TODAY, 11 AM in the Pastor's Office—led by Josh Vaughan. Core schedule begins April 28, 9:30 AM—led by Larry Soape. Class size limited. Call 210.226.0363 (Kappie to register).

CHILDREN'S DAY - Sunday, April 14. Children will lead in worship along with children's choirs. Come be a part of the future of FBCSA.

"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 10, 17, 24). Josh Vaughan, teaching.

MISSIONS ORIENTATION & TRAINING. Join us Saturday, April 13 from 8:30 AM until 2:30 PM in Webb 212-214 to understand ministry in a cross-cultural setting. The orientation class is required for all Mission Team leaders and is highly recommended for all team members. Boxed lunches will be available by reservation. To register, call Kappie at 210.226.0363

WELCOME NEW ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS. We welcome three new Administrative Assistants to the FBCSA family. Susan Garner is Administrative Assistant to Communications, Jan Larson is Administrative Assistant to Preschool and Children's Ministries, and Jenica Lee is Administrative Assistant to Administration & Operations. Thank you, Marilyn Gentry, (Interim, Preschool and Children's Ministries) and Beverly Webb, (Administrations & Operations) for your work at FBCSA.

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

"PSALMS: SONGS FROM THE HEART OF FAITH". In preparation for Sunday, April 7, please read the {Re:Verse} Scripture, Psalm 34.

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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

"THE DAVID DIFFERENCE: CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS"

T. Don Guthrie, Preaching
April 7, 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.



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
SAN ANTONIO

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

WWW.FBCSA.ORG

APRIL 7, 2013 | 11:00 AM

Prelude "Air" Hancock

Call to Worship "Surely the Lord Is in this Place" Colvin
The Sanctuary Choir
Dr. Loyd Hawthorne, director; Amy Rutherford, violin

Surely the Lord is in this place.
This is none other than the House of God,
And this is the Gate of Heaven.
Surely the Lord is in this place.

Welcome and Prayer Don Guthrie

Hymn 535 "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story" HYFRYDOL

Scripture 1 John 1:1, 5-8 Becky Nelson

That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked upon, and our hands have handled, concerning the Word of life—

This is the message which we have heard from Him and declare to you, that God is light and in Him is no darkness at all. If we say that we have fellowship with Him, and walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. But if we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin. If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

Hymns 531 "Redeemed" ADA
342 "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me" TOPLADY

The Children's Message Don Guthrie

Message in Song "Search Me, O God" Dennis
Susan Spoon

Morning Message Don Guthrie
"The David Difference: Confession and Forgiveness"
Psalm 32

Decision Hymn 307 "Just As I Am" WOODWORTH

Offertory "My Eternal King" Marshall
The Sanctuary Choir

My God, I love Thee; not because I hope for heaven thereby,
Nor yet because who loves Thee not must die eternally.
Thou, O my Jesus, Thou didst me upon the cross embrace;
For me didst nails and spear, and manifold disgrace.

Why, then why, O blessed Jesus Christ, should I not love Thee well?
Not for the hope of winning heaven, or of escaping hell;
Not for the hope of gaining aught, not seeking a reward;
But as Thyself hast loved me, O ever-loving Lord!

Even so I love Thee, and will love, and in Thy praise will sing;
Solely because Thou art my God, and my Eternal King.

Welcome, New Members! Bryan Richardson

Life Together Don Guthrie

Going Out Together "Peace of God" Crouch
The Sanctuary Choir

May the peace of God go with you,
May He hold you in His hand;
May the peace of God be in you
And strengthen you to stand.
May the peace of God enfold you
And fill you and hold you.
May you know the peace of God.

Postlude "Carillon de Westminster" Vierne

Seth Nelson Organist Laurie Wilson Pianist

*Today's altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of
Anna & Brandon Flynn and Becky & Seth Nelson
by their loving aunt, Lisa Holland Smith.*

*Morning Worship telecast live on KSAT-TV
"Touching lives through television for over forty years."
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Welcome Dr. Loyd Hawthorne!

We are happy to welcome back Dr. Hawthorne. We experienced his talent and passion for church choral music in January and we now are privileged to have him with us for the months of April and May.

Dr. Hawthorne served as Choral Director at Hardin Simmons University for 33 years. He also came out of retirement during the 2008-2009 academic year to serve as Interim Director of Choral Activities at Baylor University. He knows many of our Sanctuary Choir members and other FBCSA members, with several former students in the ranks.

Welcome, Loyd and Brenda! We are grateful the Lord has given us this time together.

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!