



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

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DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL/ASIAN MINISTRIES

*"So then, turn your eyes upon Him, look full into His face
and you will find that the things of earth acquire a strange dimness."
—Lilias Trotter*

"Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart." (Ancient Irish Prayer)

TODAY IN WORSHIP.

- 9:25 Don Guthrie, preaching
- 9:30 LOGOS Contemporary, Don Guthrie, preaching (simulcast)
- 11:00 Don Guthrie, preaching
- 11:00 Internationals (4 services)
- 6:00 Church Picnic – Raymond Russell Park

ALL-CHURCH PICNIC - TODAY. Raymond Russell Park, Pavilion #2. Tickets sold in Unity Hall. Schedule: 4PM Recreation; 5PM Meal; 6PM Worship. Musical guests will be Wires & Wood, gospel/bluegrass ensemble. This will be the 2nd installment of our "First Fine Arts" series.

WELCOME WIRES AND WOOD. This bluegrass ensemble will be the featured entertainment at this year's Church Picnic. They will be sure to lift your spirits and get your toes tapping.

FBC SIGNS LETTER OF INTENT WITH TOBIN CENTER. On Sunday, September 29, our congregation overwhelmingly voted approval for a letter of intent for a 50-year land lease for the Tobin Center Parking Garage. On Tuesday, October 1, the letter was signed by FBCSA and the Bexar County Performing Arts Center Foundation.

Preparations are being made now to help Metro House residents with relocation. Plans are well underway, also, to assign new ministry space for the Internationals who use 4th Street Café and the Circle Building.

Thank you for your prayers and support of this positive new step for our church and city.

STATE OF THE CHURCH – October 27, 6 PM. This is an ALL-CONGREGATIONAL MEETING. It is the only time all year (apart from some emergency) that we are all called to come and think together. This is a meeting that builds unity in our fellowship and helps us make better decisions. Please mark your calendars now.

FALL FESTIVAL – FREE FAMILY FUN. Saturday, October 26. Community event for preschoolers and children (grades 1-5), 11 am – 1pm. Fall Fest Volunteer Training/Meeting—Sunday, October 13, 12:15, Webb 207. Sign up with Jan at jan@fbcsa.org or 210.226.0363.

"FACING LIFE WITH FAITH". In preparation for Sunday, October 13, please read the {Re:Verse} Scripture, Hebrews 12:25–13:9, 20-21.

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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

"AN UNWEARIED LIFE! HOW?"
T. DON GUTHRIE, PREACHING
October 6, 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

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OCTOBER 6, 2013 | 11:00 AM

Prelude "Concerto in a, BWV 593" Bach

Call to Worship Hymn 337 "I Know Whom I Have Believed" TO GOD BE THE GLORY

Scripture Reading and Prayer Don Guthrie
Philippians 3:12-14

Not that I have already obtained it or have already become perfect, but I press on so that I may lay hold of that for which also I was laid hold of by Christ Jesus. Brethren, I do not regard myself as having laid hold of it yet; but one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and reaching forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.

Welcome

Voices in Praise "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" arr. Bailey/Mayo
The Young Musicians
Julie De Hoyos, director; Nancy Bowren, accompanist

The Children's Message Don Guthrie

Hymns 122 "Tell Me the Story of Jesus" STORY OF JESUS
475 "Must Jesus Bear This Cross Alone" MAITLAND

Message in Song "One Faith, One Hope, One Lord" Courtney
The Sanctuary Choir; Jennier Zaccagni, piano

One faith, one hope, one Lord,
One church for which he died,
One voice, one song we lift in praise
To him who was and is and shall be evermore.
There is one body, one spirit,
As you were called to one hope.
One Lord, baptism and faith,
One God and Father of all who is in you all.
Though we be many people, diverse with various gifts,
We are given to each other for the unity of faith,
That we may grow in the knowledge of the Son of God,
In the fullness of Christ.

Morning Message "An Unworned Life! How?" Don Guthrie
Hebrews 12:1-4

Hymn of Decision 320 "Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus" LEMMEL

Offertory "These Bare Hands" Helton
Wires and Wood

Life Together Don Guthrie
"New Horizons...New Hope"

Welcome, New Members! Bryan Richardson

Going Out Together Hymn 476 "Be Strong in the Lord" STRENGTH

Be strong in the Lord, and be of good courage;
Your mighty Defender is always the same.
Mount up with wings, as the eagle ascending;
Victory is sure when you call on His name.

*Be strong, be strong, be strong in the Lord;
And be of good courage, for His is your guide.
Be strong, be strong, be strong in the Lord;
And rejoice for the victory is yours.*

Postlude "Sortie Festivo" Boslet

Seth Nelson
Organist

*The red rose honors
Mabrey Jane Kirk
born September 24, 2013.
She is welcomed by her parents, Maranda and John,
big sister and brother, Linley and Jake.*

*Today's altar flowers are given to the glory of God
and in loving memory of
Texas Ranger Captain John Wood
on the occasion of his 100th birthday, October 9, 2013
by his family.*

*Morning Worship telecast live on KSAT-TV
"Touching lives through television for over forty years."
Song lyrics are reprinted by permission CCLI #631849.*



All-Church Picnic

Sunday, October 6

Raymond Russell Park, Pavilion #2.

Tickets for sale in Unity Hall.

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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!