



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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"There are two days on my calendar:
This day and 'that Day!'" –Martin Luther

⁵Therefore do not go on passing judgment before the time, but wait until the Lord comes who will both bring to light the things hidden in the darkness and disclose the motives of men's hearts; and then each man's praise will come to him from God. - (1 Corinthians 4:5)

TODAY IN WORSHIP.

9:25 Early Service (Traditional), Don Guthrie, preaching
9:30 LOGOS (Contemporary), Don Guthrie, simulcast
11:00 Late Service (Traditional), Don Guthrie, preaching
11:00 Internationals (4 services)
11:00 Spanish Worship (Chapel), René de Alejandro, preaching
6:00 Lord's Supper/Agape Meal

FIRST FINE ARTS – SETH NELSON, ORGANIST. TODAY! 3:00 PM, Sanctuary. Please join us for a recital by N. Seth Nelson, FBCSA staff organist, featuring Symphonie No. 1, Op. 14 by Louis Vierne (French organist/composer and organist at Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris). No charge. All are welcome! This recital is given in association with the San Antonio French Cultures Festival: Mois de la Francophonie 2014.

SPECIAL CALLED DEACON'S MEETING. TODAY, 5:00 PM – Kokernot 301.

LORD'S SUPPER/AGAPE MEAL. TONIGHT! In an effort to bring our many congregations together for a time of fellowship, we invite you to the Lord's Supper (Sanctuary) followed by the Agape Meal (Fellowship Hall). Agape ("Christian love" in the original Greek) is the love we have for one another. FBC staff members will be serving this meal. Let us come and fellowship together as one congregation.

IRON-2-IRON MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST. Saturday, March 22, 8:30 AM, Unity Hall. An opportunity to partner with our city and its elected officials as together we strive to serve and meet the needs of our community. These friendships also allow First Baptist Church San Antonio to share the gospel. Come join us on March 22 when City Councilman Ron Nirenberg (District 8) will share his vision for the city. Men and boys of FBC and guests are invited.

SENIOR ADULT SPRING LUNCHEON. March 20, noon - a luncheon for senior adults (70+) in Unity Hall. Come for lunch and a musical program presented by Patricia and Ron Owens. Tickets are on sale in Sunday School Classes and the ASK ME booths. Cost is \$10/person; or call the church office to make a reservation 210.226.0363. Come celebrate the first day of spring with great fellowship, good food, and beautiful music.

ASSOCIATE PASTOR SURVEY. Inserted in your bulletin today is a short survey regarding the Associate Pastor for Married Young Adults and Yes, Lord! Your input will help the search team develop a profile for this position. Your thoughts, insights and prayers are needed. Thank you!

SPRING SERMON SERIES – JEREMIAH AND EZEKIEL: SPEAKING TRUTH... SEEING HOPE. In preparation for Sunday, March 23, please read the {Re:Verse} Scripture: Jeremiah 11:18-12; 17:14-18; 20:7-18.

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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

"DOES GOD HAVE A PLAN B?"

T. Don Guthrie, Preaching
March 16, 2014 | 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 16, 2014 | 11:00 AM

2nd Sunday in Lent

Prelude "Voluntary on St. Patrick's Breastplate" arr. Peeters

Portrait of Faith **Believer's Baptism** Don Guthrie

Call to Worship "When in Our Music God is Glorified" Courtney
The Sanctuary Choir

Hymn 552 "Jesus Is the Song" SIMPSON

Welcome Bryan Richardson

Scripture **Hebrews 12:14-17**

¹⁴ Pursue peace with all men, and the sanctification without which no one will see the Lord. ¹⁵ See to it that no one comes short of the grace of God; that no root of bitterness springing up causes trouble, and by it many be defiled; ¹⁶ that there be no immoral or godless person like Esau, who sold his own birthright for a single meal. ¹⁷ For you know that even afterwards, when he desired to inherit the blessing, he was rejected, for he found no place for repentance, though he sought for it with tears.

Prayer

Hymns
25 "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" WELLESLEY
294 "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" ADELAIDE

The Children's Message Don Guthrie

Lenten Thought **St. Patrick's Breastplate** Aaron Hufty

Christ be with me, Christ within me
Christ behind me, Christ before me
Christ beside me, Christ to win me
Christ to comfort me and restore me.
Christ beneath me, Christ above me
Christ in quiet, Christ in danger
Christ in hearts of all that love me
Christ in mouth of friend or stranger.

Message in Song "Open Thou Mine Eyes" Harlan
The Sanctuary Choir

Morning Message "Does God Have a Plan B?" Don Guthrie
Jeremiah 18:1-11

Decision Hymn 276 "O Jesus, I Have Promised" ANGEL'S STORY

Offertory "Toccata on Old Hundredth" arr. Burkhardt & Lau
Seth Nelson

Life Together Don Guthrie

Welcome, New Members! Bryan Richardson

Going Out Together Hymn 4 "To God Be the Glory" TO GOD BE THE GLORY

To God be the glory, great things He hath done;
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son,
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son,
And give Him the glory, great things He hath done.*

Postlude "Toccata on Engelberg" arr. Burkhardt
We thank You, Lord Jesus Christ,
that You died for us and have made us, through Your precious blood,
just and good in the sight of God.

Seth Nelson Patti Williams
Organist Piano

*The red rose honors
Ava Grace Deemer
born March 6, 2014. She is welcomed by her mother: Brandi,
grandparents: Jennifer and Tim Deemer, and uncle: Dustin.*

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

*Morning Worship telecast live on KSAT-TV
"Touching lives through television for over forty years."
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PALM SUNDAY – SUNDAY, APRIL 13

Begin your Holy Week as we celebrate Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem.

JOURNEY TO THE CROSS - WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 6:00-8:30 PM

Visit, as families, small groups, or as individuals, interactive stations designed to foster discussion and reflection for everyone on the true meaning of the events leading up to Resurrection Sunday.

MAUNDY THURSDAY–Thursday, APRIL 17, 7:00 PM

We will gather to celebrate the Lord's Supper together to begin our Maundy Thursday service. Immediately following that the Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra at First will present Théodore Dubois' *The Seven Last Words of Christ*.

RESURRECTION SUNDAY, APRIL 20

Hallelujah! He is Risen Indeed!

6:30 AM Sunrise Service | 7:15 Breakfast | 8:00 Special Sunday School
9:25 Traditional Worship | 9:30 Contemporary Worship/Core Sunday School
11:00 Traditional Worship/Venture Sunday School

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!