



# 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

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ASSOCIATE PASTOR,  
WORSHIP AND MUSIC

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ASSOCIATE PASTOR,  
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ASSOCIATE PASTOR,  
YOUNG MARRIEDS, AND YES, LORD! MINISTRIES

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DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL/ASIAN MINISTRIES

“You have to be burning with an idea...  
if you’re not passionate from the start, you’ll never stick it out.”  
–Steve Jobs

“I cannot trust a man to control others who cannot control himself.”  
--Robert E. Lee

### 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  
Friends & Family Night/Area Fellowships (No Evening Services)

**INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER.** Today FBCSA focuses prayer toward the persecuted Church around the world. Please remember our brothers and sisters who serve Christ in difficulty and danger.

**YES, LORD! VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION LUNCHEON.** Thank you volunteers who serve with At-Risk Children, Disaster Relief, Poverty Ministry, Military Ministry, HOPE team, and International Support. The luncheon today is an expression of our gratitude. New volunteers are needed. Contact Rita at 226-0363 and make your reservation for next year’s luncheon!

**PARDON OUR PROGRESS.** We are steadily moving forward with the Webb Hall HVAC project and additional office space, while also adding 10 more handicapped spaces in the McCullough parking lot. We are working to minimize interruptions and room displacements during this time. Thanks for your flexibility.

**CHRISTMAS CARE.** Please bring select food items (until December 14) for delivery to low income families in the downtown area and to our International families. Full details are in the Highlights.

**HARVEST GATHERING HYMN SING.** The Music Ministry is sponsoring an all-church hymn sing on Sunday, November 9 at 3 PM. Come and add your voice as we sing through these old familiar songs together. Guests invited. Outdoor baptism also planned at 2:30.

**CHRISTMAS AT FIRST TICKETS** will be available November 9 beginning at 9AM in the Great Hall. Tickets are limited to 7 tickets per person.

**CHRISTMAS AT FIRST SATURDAY NIGHT!** An extra performance will be added this year, Saturday, December 13 at 5 PM. Extra volunteers (ushers and greeters) are needed to help host this additional night. Will you consider being a part of this grand tradition? Please contact [barbie@fbcsa.org](mailto:barbie@fbcsa.org) or call 226.0363.

**FALL SERMON SERIES.** “Instructions to the Church”. In preparation for Sunday, November 9, read the {Re:Verse} Scripture 1 Timothy 4.

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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

“LOOKING FOR LEADERS”  
T. DON GUTHRIE, PREACHING  
November 2, 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



NOVEMBER 2, 2014 | 11:00 AM

Preparation for Worship **"Een Vaste Burg"** arr. Kee

Call to Worship **"For All the Saints"** arr. Barthels  
*The Sanctuary Choir*

To all the Saints who from their labors rest,  
Who Thee by faith before the world confessed,  
Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.  
Alleluia!

There wast their Rock, fortress and their might:  
Thou, Lord, their Captain in well fought fight;  
Oh Lord, the one true light,  
Alleluia!

The golden evening brightens in the west;  
Soon to faithful warriors cometh rest:  
Sweet is the calm of Paradise the blest.  
Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,  
Through gates of pearl streams in countless host.  
Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,  
Alleluia!

Hymn 8 **"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"** EIN' FESTE BURG

Prayer Don Guthrie

Hymn 350 **"The Church's One Foundation"** AURELIA

Hymn 497 **"The Master Hath Come"** ASH GROVE

The Children's Message Pastor

Message in Song **"The Very Thought of Thee"** Fettke  
*The Sanctuary Choir*

Morning Message **"Looking for Leaders"** Don Guthrie  
1 Timothy 3:1-3; 7-11

Decision Hymn 282 **"Living for Jesus"** LIVING

Offertory arr. Rogers  
**"Chorale and Fughetta on 'A Mighty Fortress Is Our God'"**  
*Seth Nelson, organ*

Welcome, New Members! Bryan Richardson

Life Together Don Guthrie

Going Out Together  
Hymn 486 **"Lord, Here Am I"** BECK

Master, Thou callest, I gladly obey;  
Only direct me, and I'll find Thy way.  
Teach me the mission appointed for me.  
What is my labor and where it shall be.

*Master Thou callest, and this I reply,  
"Ready and willing, Lord, here am I."*

Postlude **"Ein feste Burg"** arr. Detjen

Seth Nelson Jennifer Zaccagni  
Organ Piano

*Today's altar flowers are given to the glory of our God,  
with deep gratitude for the FBCSA family,  
and in loving memory of  
**Cleo Crouch**  
by his wife, Letha.*

*Morning Worship telecast live on KSAT-TV  
"Touching lives through television for over forty years."  
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## Thanksgiving and Christmas

### November

- 23 Celebration of Gratitude (Thanksgiving Service); 6PM Chapel
- 30 Hanging of the Greens; 6PM Sanctuary

### December

- 2 Advent Lunch and Concert
- 6 Logos Saturday Night Service; 6PM Chapel
- 7 Marathon-No SS; 11:00 Joint Worship Service!  
Children's Choirs Christmas Program; 6PM Sanctuary
- 9 Advent Lunch and Concert
- 13/14 Christmas at First Concerts; 5PM Sat.; 5:30 & 7:15PM Sun.
- 16 Advent Lunch and Concert
- 19/20 Christmas Care
- 21 Lessons and Carols; 6PM Sanctuary
- 23 Advent Lunch and Concert
- 24 Memorial Service, 4:45PM and Lord's Supper, 5:30PM

### 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!