



OUR STAFF

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

Aaron C. Hufty
ASSOCIATE PASTOR,
WORSHIP AND MUSIC

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

Danny M. Panter, Jr.
ASSOCIATE PASTOR,
YOUNG MARRIEDS, AND YES, LORD! MINISTRIES

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DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL/ASIAN MINISTRIES

FIRST FOCUS

“For I have chosen him (Abraham) in order that he may command his children and his household...to keep the way of the Lord...in order that the Lord may bring upon Abraham what He has spoken...”
(Genesis 18:19)

“What will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and lose his children?”
—Clyde Narramore

TODAY IN WORSHIP.

- 9:25 Early Service (Traditional), Don Guthrie, preaching
- 9:30 LOGOS (Contemporary), Danny Panter, preaching
- 11:00 Late Service (Traditional), Don Guthrie, preaching
- 11:00 Spanish Worship (Wilson Chapel), René de Alejandro, preaching
- 11:00 International Services (4 Services)
- 6:00 Church Conference – Fellowship Hall

TONIGHT CHURCH CONFERENCE. Join us as we conduct our monthly business meeting in Fellowship Hall.

A FAMILY FOURTH - CELEBRATING GOD & COUNTRY TOGETHER. Saturday, July 4 – 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM. FBCSA new holiday tradition. Enjoy music, an art show, a car show, crafts for the kids, games for all ages (including a watermelon eating contest and water balloons!) The event will begin in the Sanctuary with “A Patriotic Concert” presented by the Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra of First Baptist Church San Antonio. Entertainment will be followed with Bluegrass and Country band, *Down for the Count*. Food will be available for purchase from local food truck vendors. Stay for all the activities and end the day by watching the downtown fireworks from our parking lot.

FORWARD IN REVERSE. FBCSA to make strong start in September. The Bible says, “His mercies are NEW every morning.” (Lamentations 3:23) If so, the church must ever be RENEWING its plan for connecting people in community around the Word of God. On September 6 and 13, FBCSA will begin a new year in Bible study (Sunday School). Our unique approach is called *Re:Verse* (read daily, come Sunday, find a circle of friends to keep you accountable, change and experience the blessings of God)! It works! New classes are planned. Existing classes will begin with new enthusiasm and a new schedule. Are you in? We are moving forward in *Re:Verse*!

WOMEN’S SUMMER BIBLE STUDY. “Living Free” by Beth Moore. Wednesdays, July 1 - August 12 • 6PM in Kokernot 305 • Cost \$5.50. Childcare registration deadline is TODAY, June 28. Signup online at fbcsa.org/womensbiblestudy.

HEART2HEART SUPPORT GROUPS. Heart2Heart will begin fall support groups Tuesday, August 25. Groups will include: “Considering Forgiveness” (for women), “Grief Share”, “Journey to Restoration”, “Trusting God’s People Again”, “Facing Cancer Together”, and “Men’s Freedom” (on-going). Go to heart2heartsa.org for full descriptions or to signup online.

FIRST ON MISSION-CHINA. Please pray for Dora Parnell as she travels to China to teach English in a 3-week program for Chinese English Teachers.

RE:VERSE – SUMMER BIBLE STUDY. CREATED FOR RELATIONSHIPS. “Come Unity! How To Fill Your Life With Friends.” In preparation for Sunday, June 28 please read Exodus 20:12; Luke 2:45-52; John 19:25-27. You may also read daily reflections on the *Re:Verse* scripture at TheEverydayPrayer.com.

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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

“PRODIGAL PARENTS”
T. DON GUTHRIE, PREACHING
June 28, 2015 | 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



SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

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JUNE 28, 2015 | 11:00 AM

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
SAN ANTONIO

Preparation for Worship
"Voluntary on NUN DANKET ALLE GOTT" arr. Travis

Scripture Reading Psalm 138:1-2 Aaron Hufty

I give you thanks, O LORD, with my whole heart; before the gods I sing your praise; I bow down toward your holy temple and give thanks to your name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness, for you have exalted above all things your name and your word.

Hymn 638* "Now Thank We All Our God" NUN DANKET

Welcome Don Guthrie

Greet One Another

Prayer

Hymn 507* "Would You Bless Our Homes and Families" NETTLETON

Anthem "Children of the Heavenly Father" arr. Scholz
The Sanctuary Choir

Children of the heavenly Father
Safely in his bosom gather;
Nestling bird or star in heaven
Such a refuge ne'er was given.

God his own doth tend and nourish,
In his holy courts they flourish.
From all evil things he spares them,
In his mighty arms he bears them.

Neither life nor death shall ever
From the Lord his children sever;
Unto them his grace he showeth
And their sorrows all he knoweth.

Though he giveth or he taketh
God his children ne'er forsaketh;
His the loving purpose solely
To preserve them pure and holy.

The Children's Message Pastor

Hymn 508* "Lord, for the Gift of Children" NYLAND

Anthem "The Lord's Prayer" Malotte
The Sanctuary Choir

Morning Message "Prodigal Parents" Don Guthrie
Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Decision Hymn 329* "Grace Greater than Our Sin" MOODY

Offertory "Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy" Goeller
Orchestra at First

Heart to Heart Video

Welcome, New Members! Larry Soape

Life Together Don Guthrie

Going Out Together Hymn 592* "Jesus Loves the Little Children" CHILDREN

Jesus loves the little children,
All the children of the world.
Every color, every race,
All are covered by His grace;
Jesus loves the little children of the world.

Postlude "Recessional on Now Thank We all Our God" arr. Travis

Seth Nelson Patti Williams
Organ Piano

Today's altar flowers are given to the glory of God
and in celebration of the 60th wedding anniversary of
Harrell and Norma Farrar
by their children.

*Those who are able, please stand.

Morning Worship telecast live on KSAT-TV
"Touching lives through television for over forty years."
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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Planning to attend "A FAMILY FOURTH" on Saturday, July 4? If so, we need your help. Volunteers are needed to set up, tear down, sell beverages, work the dunking station, etc. Timeslots will be brief, 30 minute intervals, so that everyone can enjoy the day.

Please contact Barbie in the church office at 210.226.0363 to help us fill in all of the slots.

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!