Thank You For Coming

If you are our guest, we have a special gift for you after today's service. So we can get to know you better, please fill out both sides of this tear-off section and bring it to the Information Center near the columns. We have a gift bag ready for you.

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I attended at 9:45 a.m 11:11	a.m 6:00 p.m.
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child's name	birthdate

From Our Pastor

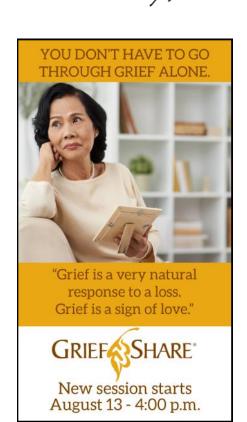
Welcome to First Baptist Church. If you are our guest, thank you for joining us today. We would love to be able to get to know you. Take a moment to register as a guest using the



registration card attached to the bulletin. At the end of our service, bring your completed card by the Information Center located in the main lobby. We have a gift waiting there for you.

This morning we are beginning a series that will occupy our attention for the rest of July. We are going to be talking about a subject that requires great spiritual maturity—our speech. I pray that you will fully engage in this topic with me over the next four weeks. I pray you will begin to see the great power of words—both in what we say and in what we write. I pray you will join me in asking God "to set up a guard for my mouth." (Psalm 141:3)

Finally, men, I want you to be thinking about the next Daniel's Men Breakfast scheduled for July 18th. Get your tickets today at the Information Center.



July 9, 2017

mouth!

Matthew 12:36-37-Get_

The Power of our Words

Sermon Notes

3 Convictions about the Power of our Words:

1. Our words	be brought under
• The control of our	tongue is an indicator of our
• The control of our	tongue is an indicator of the One who
	us.
• The control of our	tongue is an indicator of how we deal with our
2. Our words	great
• A Sin of	
• A Sin of	
• A Sin of	
3. Our words	our
So What?	
• James 1:19	!
• Psalm 141:3—Ask	God to vour

James 3:2-12



about this issue!



Morning Worship

9:45 a.m.

Hear Our Praises

Welcome & Prayer

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone) My Jesus, I Love Thee

> This is Amazing Grace First Baptist Choir

Message

The Power of our Words James 3:2-12

Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

Grace Greater Than Our Sin

Offertory Prayer Boone Gilbert, Deacon of the Week

Offertory

11:11 a.m.

Here for You

Welcome & Prayer

Desert Song Elohim

Offertory Prayer

Cornerstone

Message

The Power of our Words

James 3:2-12 Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

Forever Reign

CCLJ#615645

The flowers are given in memory of William "Bill" Donner Mizelle, Jr by Marlene Mizelle Domingue

This Week

SUNDAY, July 9

8:00 AM Library and Coffee Shop Open 8:30 AM Sunday School 1

Deaf Sunday School

9:45 AM Worship

Sunday School 2 Hispanic Sunday School

11:00 AM Sunday School 3

Hispanic Worship Chinese Sunday School

11:11 AM Worship

12:30 PM Chinese Outreach

4:30 PM English Outreach (Chinese)

5:30 PM Library Open

6:00 PM Evening Worship B.L.A.S.T. (3-5 year olds)

MONDAY, July 10

9:00 AM FBC Lafayette Arts Camp

TUESDAY, July 11

9:00 AM FBC Lafayette Arts Camp

WEDNESDAY, July 12

9:00 AM FBC Lafayette Arts Camp

6:00 PM Midweek Service Hispanic Bible Study

The College Hour

Ignite Youth Worship Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, July 13

9:00 AM FBC Lafayette Arts Camp Prayer Blanket Ministry

FRIDAY, July 14

9:00 AM FBC Lafayette Arts Camp 7:00 PM Arts Camp Live Production

United Christian Outreach

UCO needs volunteers who can help bag groceries for distribution to the needy. Open times are Wednesdays or Fridays from 10:00 a.m.- 1:30 p.m. You need to be able to lift 15 pounds. Call 234-7830 for more information.



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RAs learn a biblical worldview. ways to demonstrate Christ's love to others, how God is working around the world. and their part of God's plan.

6:00 p.m. Wednesdays

beginning August 16

Boys in grades 1 – 6

for the needy

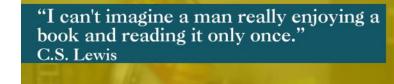


Please purchase items from this list and drop them off at the AND BACKPACKS collection baskets July 2 - 23.









Looking for something to read?

Check out the Church Library Sunday 8:00 - 11:15 am 5:30 - 6:00 pm

June 25, 2017

Main School Enrollment 3,486 Attendance 968 Average Attendance since Sept. 04, 2016 945 Offerings \$125,256.91 Budget \$121,394.17 Designated \$2,689.74 ALL IN \$1,173.00 YTD Budget Receipts \$2,057,299.03 \$2,180,801.48 YTD Budget Requirements

July 2, 2017 Main School Enrollment 3,490 Attendance 926

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Monday - Friday 5:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m. Sunday 11:00 a.m. & 10:00 p.m. Cox Ch. 97 LUS Ch. 18 Uverse Ch. 40

Your Response

At the invitation time in each service we offer an opportunity for you to publicly make one of the following decisions...

- ...to accept Jesus Christ as your personal Savior.
- ...to join First Baptist by baptism.
- ...to rededicate your life to Christ.
- ...to dedicate your life to vocational Christian service.
- ...to transfer your membership from another Baptist church.
- to join First Rantist from another

denomination.	motriei
I would like more informatio how to become a Christ how to become a memble opportunities for service specific ministry areas i senior adults single adults jr/sr high preschool prayer Chinese	tian ber of FBC e at FBC
I have a request for prayer	for the staff

We pray for and visit those who are in the hospital. If you know of someone who needs a visit, please list the information below

name	of	person	needing	visit

hospital or location to visit

dates of hospitalization

name and phone of person submitting request