

# —First— BAPTIST CHURCH

M A N Y , L O U I S I A N A

## *Order of Service* July 8, 2018

Special Music .....	Handbell Choir	
Welcome & Announcements .....	Bro. Jonathan Bost	
<i>The Wonderful Cross</i> .....	Hymn # 239	
<i>I Stand Amazed in the Presence</i> .....	Hymn # 237	
Offertory Prayer		
Giving of Tithes and Offerings		
<i>Come, Christians, Join to Sing</i> .....	Hymn # 32	
<i>I Exalt Thee</i> .....	Hymn # 36	
Special Music .....	Handbell Choir	
Sermon .....	Bro. Jonathan Bost	
<i>Instructions for Kingdom Living: Be Aware</i>		
Matthew 7:15-23 (Pew Bible p. 891)		
Invitation .....	<i>Speak to My Heart</i> .....	Hymn # 428
Benediction		
Chorus of <i>Speak to My Heart</i> .....		Hymn # 428

*Flowers for today's Service are placed by Ashley Morgan & Jason Tibbett  
in loving memory of their father, Kenny Tibbett.*

**Birthdays:** Matt LaFollette (8), Jan Varnado, John David Scaife, Jr. (9),  
Renetta Geoghagan (10), Gary Moore (11), Sandra Brandon, Cherry  
Williams (12), and Cynthia Lindsey (17).

Ministry Leaders			
Jonathan Bost	Pastor	Mark Jordan	Music Director
Jeffery Leach	Youth Director		Children's Director
Worship Team			
Glenda Merriman	Pianist	Merrill Cummings	Organist

## ***Activities This Week***

Today:	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Service
	5:00 p.m.	Finance Committee Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Bible Studies, Children & Youth Activities, Choir Practice
Monday:	7:30 a.m.	“In One Accord” (Prayer Time)
Tuesday:	11:00 a.m.	XYZ Bible Study
Wednesday	10:00 a.m.	Sabine Rehab Center Worship Service
	5:00 p.m.	Handbells
	6 – 8 p.m.	DivorceCare
	6:15 p.m.	Prayer Meeting
	6:30 p.m.	Bible Study, Youth & Children Activities
Next Sunday:	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Service
	5:00 p.m.	Deacons Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Bible Studies, Children & Youth Activities, Choir Practice

### **Looking Ahead:**

- 7/18 [Wednesday]: Business Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.
- 7/27 [Friday]: “I Can Only Imagine” Movie Night @ 6:30 p.m.

*For more details on these activities, refer to our newsletter, web-site, or call church office!*

### **July Special Missions Emphases:**

Lottie Moon Offering for International Missions &  
School Supplies for Sabine Back to School Rally

### **Prayer Concerns:**

Oscar Alford, Robert Ammons, Cassidy Byles, Carolyn Cook,  
Dean Corley, Evelyn Dees, Gayle Fisher, Bro. Hoy Leach, Kristi Leach,  
Shirley Lee, Geneva Lewing, Dr. Richard & Margaret Oosta, Ruth Price,  
Dovie Tarver, Doris Wright

## **Vital Statistics**

Financial July 2018		Attendance		
		Date	Sunday School	Worship
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$30,312.76	7/1	56	69
Gifts Received to Date:	\$10,823.00	7/8		
Budget Needs Remaining:	\$19,489.76	7/15		
		7/24		
		7/29		

<u>Members in Service :</u>		
	<b>Greeters</b>	<b>Deacon of the Week</b>
<b>Today:</b>	Anne Richey, Becky Horner, Danny Warmack, and Terry Geoghagan	Paul Morris
<b>Next Week:</b>	Suzanne Worsham, Dorothy Alford, Don Scaife, and Jan Varnado	Don Burkett

**July's Finance Committee Meeting**  
**Tonight @ 5 PM**

*All members of this committee are urged to attend. If you have any questions, contact the church office.*

**School Supplies Needed for Sabine Back to School Rally**

Lists of needed items are placed in various locations. Please take one to use as you shop. Bring your donated items to the box by the church office.



**Deacons Meeting to be held Sunday, July 15<sup>th</sup> at 5 PM**

PLEASE NOTE - The time will be changed to 5:00 p.m. for this meeting. We are so thankful for the men who serve as Deacons for our church. Please remember to keep them in your prayers and offer your words and acts of encouragement to these men.

**DivorceCare Group -- Wednesday Nights @ 6 – 8 PM**

Divorce Care is a divorce recovery ministry support group. The group meets weekly to help in the challenges and in moving toward rebuilding lives. Each session has two distinct elements: a 30-40 minute video followed by group participants spending time as a support group, discussing what was presented in that week's seminar and what is going on in the lives of group members. Workbooks are \$ 15 and scholarships are available. Childcare will be provide for children up to the sixth grade. Please contact the church office, Mark Jordan (318)332-9114, or Glenda Merriman (970)596-0090 for more information or to sign up.

*June Special Offering: Back to School Rally*

<i>Our Church Goal:</i>	\$ 500.00
<i>Offerings Received:</i>	\$ 364.06
<i>Amount Short of Goal:</i>	<u>\$ 135.94</u>

**Church Business Meeting**  
**Wednesday, July 18<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 PM**

All church members are encouraged to come and take part in the vital business matters of our church. We have several important items on the agenda so your voice is needed. This meeting will take place in the fellowship hall.

# Instructions for Kingdom Living:

19.

Be Aware

(Matthew 7:15-23)

19.1 A \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 15-20)

“Her officials within her are like wolves tearing their prey, shedding blood, and destroying lives in order to make profit dishonestly.”  
Ezekiel 22:27

Among the prophets of Jerusalem also

I saw a horrible thing:

They commit adultery and walk in lies.

They strengthen the hands of evildoers,  
and none turns his back on evil.

They are all like Sodom to Me;

Jerusalem’s residents are like Gomorrah. Jeremiah 23:14

For the time will come when they will not tolerate sound doctrine, but according to their own desires, will multiply teachers for themselves because they have an itch to hear something new.  
2 Timothy 4:3

Action  
Step:

I \_\_\_\_\_ C \_\_\_\_\_ !

These will pay the penalty of eternal destruction from the Lord’s presence and from His glorious strength.

2 Thessalonians 1:9

19.2 M \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 21-23)

“Why do you call Me ‘Lord, Lord,’ and don’t do the things I say?”  
Luke 6:46

Action  
Step:

A \_\_\_\_\_ W \_\_\_\_\_ !

Depart from me, all evildoers,  
for the Lord has heard the sound of my weeping.

Psalms 6:8