

— First — BAPTIST CHURCH

MANY, LOUISIANA

Order of Service July 26, 2020

Welcome/Invocation Bro. Jonathan Bost

Prayer

Worship in Song

He Is Here Hymn #94

He Lives Hymn #269

There Is a Fountain Hymn #224

My Lord Is Near Me All the Time Hymn #87

Sermon Bro. Jonathan Bost

Understanding God's Grace

Ephesians 2:1-10

(Pew Bible p. 1076-1077)

Invitation *The Heart of Worship*..... Hymn #127

Benediction

Flowers for today's service are placed by Bruce & Carolyn Gandy in memory of her parents, Sara Ann Volaro, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Mathews, and his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Martin Gandy.

Birthdays: Hoyt Curtis (28), Read Founds (30), Mary Jo Wright (30) & Linda Kirk (1).

July Special Offering: Crisis Pregnancy

<i>Our Church Goal:</i>	<i>\$ 500.00</i>
<i>Offerings Received:</i>	<i>\$ 55.00</i>
<i>Amount Remaining to goal:</i>	<i>\$ 445.00</i>

July's Special Offerings

*Crisis Pregnancy & Children's
Home Fall Food Roundup*

Your support is greatly appreciated.
List of needed Back to School items
are located on the table by the
church office.

Ministry Leaders

Jonathan Bost	Pastor	Mark Jordan	Music Director
Jeffrey Leach	Youth Director		Children's Director

Worship Team

Glenda Merriman	Pianist	Merrill Cummings	Organist
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Activities This Week

Today:	8:00 a.m.	Sunday School via KTEZ (99.9 FM) & KWLTV (107.1 FM)
	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship Service & Livestream
	11:00 a.m.	KWLTV (107.1 FM) radio
Monday:	7:30 a.m.	In One Accord Prayer Time
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	Adult Bible Study
Next Sunday:	8:00 a.m.	Sunday School via KTEZ (99.9 FM) & KWLTV (107.1 FM)
	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship Service & Livestream
	11:00 a.m.	KWLTV (107.1 FM) radio

Prayer Concerns:

Dorothy Alford, Murrel Blake, Marilyn Booker, Cassidy Byles, Carolyn Cook, Dean Corley, Merrill & Linda Cummings, Evelyn Dees, Sussette Housel, Kristi Leach, Cecile & Ellen Lites, Magda McCormick, Margaret Oosta, Ruth Price, Shirley Salley, Evelyn Scaife, Dovie Tarver, Ann Tibbett, Cindy Wright, Mary Jo Wright, Skeeter & Jan Varnado

Vital Statistics

Financial July 2020		Attendance		
		Date	Sunday School	Worship
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$24,818.74	7/5		
Gifts Received to Date:	\$21,814.17	7/12		26
Budget Needs Remaining:	\$3,004.57	7/19		
		7/26		

Ways to Give Your Tithes & Offerings

- Place in offering plate as you enter or exit the Sanctuary.
- Mail to Church (P.O. Box 239, Many, LA 71449).
- Come by the church office during office hours.
- www.fbcmany.org/giving or Text FBCMANY to 73256



As you prepare for worship, please know we are doing everything we can to ensure your health and wellbeing. Here are some precautions you should expect, and we ask for your assistance in implementing these efforts:

1. Contactless entry into the building and gathering of supplies.
2. Masks will be encouraged and supplied, as well as hand sanitizer.
3. Social distancing and respecting of personal boundaries, and no greeting time during worship.
4. Tithes and offerings collected in plates placed near the entrances and exits.
5. A designated "Clean Area" in the Fellowship Hall for those who are more conscientious and desire to practice stricter social distancing, with a simulcast of the service.

On Sunday, July 19th at the conclusion of the Morning Worship Service, Bro. Jonathan Bost announced his resignation to our church as he has accepted the Pastor position at Parkway Baptist Church in Natchez, Mississippi. His last day at First Baptist Church of Many will be Sunday, August 2nd. We do wish the Bost family well and pray for them as they begin their ministry at Parkway. Please keep them in your prayers.

During the Worship Service on Sunday, August 2nd, we will present to the Bost family a card basket from our church family. If you would like to participate, you can turn in a card, letter, note, and/or gift as a part of this presentation as we express our thanks, thoughts, memories, prayers, and well wishes. Please turn in your cards and/or gifts to the church office, Danny Warmack, or Paul Morris prior to Sunday, August 2nd. If you have any questions on this, please contact the church office.

Join Us for Sunday Morning Worship Service @ 10: 30 AM

No Sunday or Wednesday Night Activities

Join us in the Sanctuary each Sunday at 10:30 a.m. for our Morning Worship Service. Sunday School classes will not be held unless individual classes still wish to meet in larger areas of the church on Sundays at 9:15 a.m. or if the class decides to meet at another time or online. Beginning in August, Sunday Night and Wednesday Night Activities will be postponed until further notice. We will continue to evaluate our re-gathering details again soon. Please keep an eye on Sunday bulletins, your email, our Facebook page & our website for updates on church events, activities, & services.

NEW XYZ BIBLE STUDY STARTING SEPTEMBER 8TH

"THE HANDWRITING ON THE WALL" BY DR. DAVID JEREMIAH

Studying the book of Daniel will give you a solid spiritual foundation, a determined heart for God, a hunger for His Word, a habit of daily prayer, and a grasp of His absolute sovereign power. ***If you would like to participate in this XYZ Bible Study, contact the church office. The books are \$15.***



Sunday School Leadership Training through the Louisiana Baptist Convention will be hosted online August 10th and 11th with sessions at 6:00 and 7:30 PM both nights:

Monday, August 10

6:00 PM - Pastors/Staff/Key Ministry Leaders 7:30 PM - Adult Leaders

Tuesday, August 11

6:00 PM - Next Gen, Preschool & Children's Leaders

7:30 PM - Next Gen, Youth Leaders

Click <https://louisianabaptists.org/event/digital-regroup-2020> for more information and to register for each of the time slots for training.

Pray for our church and God's direction during this time of transition.



Prepared
to Grow:

Understanding God's Grace

Ephesians 2:1-10

I. P_____ (vv. 1-3)

There is a way that seems right to a man,
but its end is the way to death.

Proverbs 14:12

... If anyone loves the world, love for the Father is not in
him. I John 2:15

He saved us—not by works of righteousness that we had
done, but according to His mercy... Titus 3:5

Walking Point:	D_____ in S_____!
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II. P_____ (vv. 4-7)

God's love was revealed among us in this way: God sent
His One and Only Son into the world... I John 4:9-10

... But I received mercy... I Timothy 1:13-14

... if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation...
2 Corinthians 5:17

Walking Point:	A_____ in C_____!
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III. F_____ (vv. 8-10)

... and all our righteous acts are like a polluted garment...
Isaiah 64:6

And God is able to make every grace overflow to you, so
that... you may excel in every good work. 2 Corinthians 9:8

Walking Point:	W_____ in O_____!
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The Big Idea:	God's grace provides s_____ through f_____ enabling g_____ w_____.
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He Is Here

He is here, hallelujah! He is here, amen!

He is here, holy, holy; I will bless His name again.

He is here, listen closely; Hear Him calling out your name.

He is here; you can touch Him. You will never be the same.

Fairest Lord Jesus

I serve a risen Savior, He's in the world today;

I know that He is living, whatever men may say.

I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer,

And just the time I need him, He's always near.

(Chorus) – He lives, He lives! Christ Jesus lives today!

He walks with me and talks with me along life's narrow way.

He lives, He lives, salvation to impart!

You ask me how I know He lives? He lives within my heart!

In all the world around me I see His loving care;

And though my heart grows weary, I never will despair.

I know that He is leading through all the stormy blast;

The day of His appearing will come at last.

(Chorus)

Rejoice, rejoice, O Christian, lift up your voice and sing

Eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ, the King!

The Hope of all who seek Him, the help of all who find,

None other is so loving, so good and kind.

(Chorus)

There Is a Fountain

There is a fountain filled with blood drawn from Immanuel's veins;

And sinners, plunged beneath that flood, lose all their guilty stains:

Lose all their guilty stains, lose all their guilty stains;

And sinners, plunged beneath that flood, lose all their guilty stains.

The dying thief rejoiced to see that fountain in his day;

And there may I, though vile as he, Wash all my sins away:

Wash all my sins away, Wash all my sins away;

And there may I, though vile as he, wash all my sins away.

Dear dying Lamb, thy precious blood shall never lose its power

Till all the ransomed church of God be saved, to sin no more:

Be saved, to sin no more, Be saved, to sin no more;
Till all the ransomed church of God be saved, to sin no more.
Ever since by faith I saw the stream thy flowing wounds supply,
Redeeming love has been my theme, and shall be till I die:
And shall be till I die, And shall be till I die;
Redeeming love has been my theme, and shall be till I die:

My Lord Is Near Me All the Time

In the lightning flash across the sky
His mighty power I see,
And I know if He can reign on high,
His light can shine on me.

(Chorus) – I've seen it in the lightning,
Heard it in the thunder and felt it in the rain;
My Lord is near me all the time, My Lord is near me all the time.

When the thunder shakes the mighty hills
And trembles every tree,
Then I know a God so great and strong
Can surely harbor me.

(Chorus)

When refreshing showers cool the earth
And sweep across the sea,
Then His rainbow shines within my heart
His nearness comforts me.

(Chorus)

The Heart of Worship

When the music fades, all is swept away and I simply come;
Longing just to bring something that's of worth
That will bless Your Heart. I'll bring You more than a song
For a song in itself is not what you have required.
You search much deeper within through the way things appear;
You looking into my heart.

(Chorus) – I'm coming back to the heart of worship,
And it's all about you, it's all about You, Jesus
I'm sorry, Lord, for the thing I've made it,
When it's all about you, it's all about you, Jesus