Welcome To First Baptist Church Many, Louisiana



September 3, 2023

First Baptist Church					
Ministry Leaders					
Rev. Mark Robinson	Interim Pastor				
Mike Collier	Music Leader				
Worship Team					
Glenda Merriman Pianist	Merrill Cummings Organist				
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Welcome & Announcements Call to Worship *Amazing Grace*Hymn # 104 Invocation......Deacon of the Week.....Mark Jordan Giving of Tithes & Offerings Luke's Little Leaders



Love Offering for The Southern Plainsmen Invitation Benediction

<u>Birthdays:</u> Keaton Booker, Kayden Booker, Ann Wright, Haley McCarty (6), Rocky Wright (7), and Drew Payne (9).

August Offerings: Sabine Disaster Relief					
Our Church Goal:	\$	500.00			
Offerings Received:	\$	670.00			
Goal Exceeded:	\$	170.00			

Georgia Barnette Mission (Goal \$ 3,500) and Nursing Home Store Your support is greatly appreciated.

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) or bring to the church office during the week.
- Log on to <u>www.fbcmany.org/giving</u> or text FBCMANY to 73256. (Messages and data rates may apply. Message frequency varies. Text HELP to 73256 for help. Text STOP to 73256 to cancel.)

	Members in Service	
	Greeters	Deacon of the Week
9/3	Cathy Kelly, Nancy Wright	Mark Jordan
9/10	Kathy and Danny Warmack	Danny Warmack

Activities This Week				
Today	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School		
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service & Livestream		
	11:00 a.m.	KWLV (107.1 FM) radio		
Wednesday	5:45 p.m.	Meal		
	6:15 p.m.	Prayer Meeting & Bible Study		
Nest Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School		
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service & Live Stream		
	11:00 a.m.	KWLV (107.1 FM) radio		

Prayer Concerns:

Merilyn Booker, Kathy Byles, Linda Cummings, Dub Gentry, Becky Horner, Ginger Jordan, Terry Kelly, Sr., Kristi Leach, Margaret Leach, Eddie Moore, Jeff Morrow, Evelyn Scaife, Valerie Scalisi, Dovie Tarver, O.E. Varnado, Claude & Louise Weatherford, Cindy Wright, and Mary Jo Wright

Vital Statistics								
Financial	Attendance							
August 2023		Date	Sun. School	Worship				
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$25,960.40	8/6	51	63				
Gifts Received to date:	27,283.38	8/13	37	61				
Budget Needs Exceeded	\$ 1,322.98	8/20	36	47				
		8/27	40	55				

Wednesday Night Meal Menu for Sept. 6th Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Potato Salad, and Dessert. Cost of Meal is \$3 per person max of \$15 per family. Note: If you plan to eat with us, **RSVP to the Church**



Office by Tuesday at noon. Call 256-5655 or email <u>fbcmany@bellsouth.net</u>



We have the following dates open for Sanctuary Flowers: September 10, September 24, and October 8th. Please call the church office as soon as possible so that we can mark your reservation on the calendar.

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, September 4th for Labor Day. Office hours will resume on Tuesday, September 5th. We are excited to have the group "The Southern Plainsmen" to perform during our Worship Service this morning. A love offering will be received. They are a fabulous group that presents a great gospel message with their music. Please lift them up in prayer as they perform for us today. If you are going to write a check, please make the check out to "The Southern Plainsmen".

XYZ RESUMES THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH @ 11 A.M. WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THAT XYZ WILL RESUME THIS WEEK. COME JOIN US FOR A TIME OF BIBLE STUDY AND CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP. WE WILL RESUME THE BIBLE STUDY "FACING THE GIANTS IN YOUR LIFE".



Georgia Barnette State Missions Offering Week of Prayer & Emphasis September 10 - 17

The Georgia Barnette Louisiana Missions Offering is focused on helping missions and ministries reach people right here in Louisiana. We can do so if we work together through this mission strategy. Every year Louisiana Baptists take up an offering dedicated to help fund missions and ministries around the state. The money received through the offering is used by God to transform the lives of people and churches in Louisiana.

Watch our Sunday Morning Worship Services live on our Facebook page. If you cannot join us in person, please use this way to worship with us each week.

For the latest on what is happening stay connected with First Baptist Church through our website. There you can find service times, our weekly bulletin is online, and our latest newsletter that will update you on upcoming events and happenings for the month.



It's almost time to wrap up our drive for the annual Children's Home Fall Food Roundup. The home will be here to pick up the food on Monday, September 11th. A box is located by

the church office and upstairs by the water cooler to put purchased items in. The Children's Home is also accepting monetary donations. You can turn in your donation to the church office but please make checks payable to the La. Children's Home. Please be generous.

September Meeting Schedule

Sunday, 9/17 @ 5 PM – Finance Meeting Sunday, 9/17 @ 6 PM – Deacon's Meeting Tuesday, 9/19 @ 9:30 AM – WMU Meeting Wednesday, 9/20 @ 6:30 PM - Business Meeting

<u>Missions & Evangelism Committee Meeting on</u> <u>Wednesday, Sept. 20th @ 4 PM</u> This important committee meeting will be to plan missions and outreach events for the remainder of the year as well as discuss the 2024 missions budget needs. Members of this committee include: Delores Geoghagan, Mary Gore, Cathy Kelly, Charles Mains, Ramona Moore, Shirley Salley, and Nancy Wright. Please make plans to attend.

Sabine Baptist Association Annual Meeting Antioch BC on Monday, September 25th

Church members are encouraged to attend this meeting. If you would like to be elected as messengers for this meeting, please let the church office know so that you can be elected at the Business Meeting on September 20th. At the meeting, the meal will be served at 6:00 PM and the meeting will follow. Come be a part of this meeting and get the reports of what all is happening and works all across our association.

Sermon Notes:

How to Join First Baptist Church of Many:

At the close of the service, a hymn of invitation will be sung. During this time, you may go forward and tell the pastor that you desire to unite with this church. You may share that you:

- Want to receive Christ as Lord and Savior and follow Him in baptism.
- Have already trusted Christ as Savior and want to signify that commitment through Believer's baptism by immersion.
- Want to transfer your letter of membership from another Baptist church of like faith and order to this church.
- Want to join the Church by statement of your prior conversion and symbolic baptism by immersion (when no letter is obtainable from a Baptist church of like faith and order).