



PHILIPPIANS 3:14

Order of Worship

Sunday, August 14, 2022

Welcome & Announcements

Praise

How Great Is Our GodHymn # 5
Our God Reigns.....Hymn # 58

PrayerDeacon of the Week.....Norman Booker Jr.

Bro. Bo's Buddies

Congregation

Leaning on the Everlasting ArmsHymn # 453
The Greatest ThingHymn # 527

Special Music Tiffeni Campbell

SermonBro. Bo Owens

Why God Saved You
 Philippians 3: 12-21

Invitation *Wherever He Leads I'll Go*Hymn # 437

Benediction*Sanctuary*Hymn # 588

Birthdays: Andy Payne (14), Valerie Scalsi (17), Cecile Lites (18), and Terry Brandon (19).

<i>August Offerings:</i>	
<i>Sabine Disaster Relief</i>	
<i>Our Church Goal:</i>	\$500.00
<i>Offerings Received:</i>	\$ 45.00
<i>Amount exceeds Goal:</i>	\$ 455.00

Sabine Disaster Relief
 (Goal \$ 500)
 and *La. Children's Home*
Fall Food Roundup
 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 office.
- Log on to www.fbcmany.org/giving or text FBCMANY to 73256.

First Baptist Church			
Ministry Leaders			
Bro. Bo Owens		Interim Pastor	
Youth Director		Music Director	
Worship Team			
Glenda Merriman	Pianist	Merrill Cummings	Organist

Activities This Week

Today:	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship Service & Livestream
	11:00 a.m.	KWLV (107.1 FM) radio
	5:00 p.m.	Finance Committee Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Deacon's Meeting
Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	Meal
	6:20 p.m.	Prayer Meeting, Youth & Children Studies
	6:30 p.m.	Business Meeting
Thursday	11:00 a.m.	XYZ Bible Study
	1:00 p.m.	Music Team Practice
Next Sunday:	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship Service & Livestream
	11:00 a.m.	KWLV (107.1) radio

Prayer Concerns:

Murrel Blake, Marilyn Booker, Kathy Byles, Becky Horner,
 Kristi Leach, Verda Mains, Eddie Moore, Evelyn Scaife, Dovie Tarver,
 Skeeter & Jan Varnado, Rex & Cindy Wright, Mary Jo Wright,
 The Margaret Oosta Family.

Members in Service :

Greeters

Deacon of the Week

8/14	<i>Linda Cummings, Becky Horner, Anne Richey, and Danny Warmack</i>	Norman Booker. Jr.
8/21	<i>Suzanne Worsham, Dorothy Alford, Don Scaife, Cherie & Chloe Leach</i>	Charles Mains

Wednesday Night Meal Menu for August 17th

Golden Chicken Spaghetti, Salad, Garlic Bread and Dessert.

Vital Statistics

Financial August 2022		Attendance		
		Date	Sunday School	Worship
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$ 29,302.97	8/7	37	51
Gifts Received to date:	\$ 4,295.00	8/14		
Budget Needs Remaining	\$ 24,407.97	8/21		
		8/28		

Sanctuary Flower open dates are: August 21, 28, as well as September 4, 11, and 18. Please call the church office as soon as possible so that we can mark your reservation on the calendar.

Finance Committee Meeting Today @ 5 PM

All members of this committee are urged to attend this vital meeting. If you cannot attend or have questions contact the church office or Paul Morris.



Deacons Meeting Today @ 6 PM

All deacons are urged to attend this meeting to discuss concerns of the church, ways to grow, Deacon Ministry, plus other items. Pray that the Lord will guide our Deacons in how to serve His church.

Business Meeting Wednesday, August 17th @ 6:30 PM

Church members are encouraged to participate in the business decisions. On the agenda for this meeting are several significant matters including the recommendations from the Nominating Committee. Join us as we make decisions and to be informed.



Church Staff Opening: Maintenance & Custodian Associate

The Personnel Committee is accepting applications for a Church Maintenance and Custodian Associate position. This is a full-time position working approximately 30 hours per week and additional hours as requested and needed. Duties expected (but not limited to) include: general cleaning, floor care (sweeping, mopping, buffing, stripping & waxing, etc), general maintenance, minor plumbing, electrical, & carpentry work, etc. To obtain an application, contact the church office asap. Please contact the office of First Baptist Church of Many with questions and to obtain an application form.

Listening Devices now Available

We have the new hearing assistance devices now in operation. These devices amplify the sound that comes through the "house sound system". If you would like to use one of these devices or want more information, please see Ginger Jordan before the worship service to check out one.

NEW XYZ BIBLE STUDY TO BEGIN SOON

"THE JESUS YOU MAY NOT KNOW" BY DR. DAVID JEREMIAH

Too often, when we are asked about Jesus, we say that we know about Him, but we do not truly know Him as we should. Christ has many titles that are found throughout Scripture including Son of God, Teacher, Resurrected Lord, and King of the Jews—but do you know how He personifies each of these roles given to Him by the Father? In *The Jesus You May Not Know*, we are going to journey into knowing Christ better. The journey begins with understanding His eternal nature—and then we will look at the roles He serves here on earth and in heaven. It is a marvelous study—getting to know our Savior more intimately. **If you would like to participate in this XYZ Bible Study, contact the church office NOW so we can order adequate supply of books. The study books are \$12.**

Why God Saved You

Philippians 3:12-21

Have you ever seriously considered why God saved you? If it was just to take you to heaven. He would have immediately stopped your life on earth and received you into heaven. He must have another purpose for saving you. Paul gives us some answers as to why we were saved-it is to serve Him until He does take us to heaven. Let's look at Paul's reason as to why God "grabbed" him and find reason He "grabbed" us.

- I. God has _____ you for a _____. (3:12)

- II. God has _____ you a _____. (3:13-14)
 1. Forgetting the Past
 2. Reaching for the Future

- III. God has _____ you a _____. (3:15-21)

God has a reason for your existence. He has given you gifts to use in serving him. How well are you using your life to glorify Him? Let's determine to follow Jesus and Paul's example of a life that attains what we were grabbed for.



On Sunday, August 21st, we will have Sean Keith (LBC – Sunday School Strategist) with us. He will share a message with all of us during the Morning Worship Service. The Sunday School and small group teachers & leaders as well as the Deacons are invited to stay after Worship Service as we share a lunch and he will share a presentation to encourage our growth in Sunday School and small groups. We encourage everyone to make plans to be here for this special time of encouragement on August 21st.