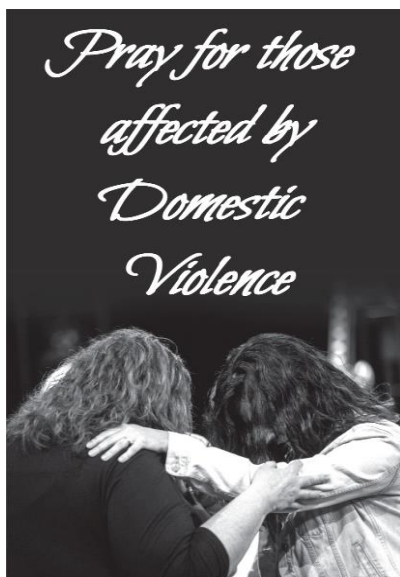


Welcome To First Baptist Church Many, Louisiana



October 26, 2025

Our Mission Statement:

Our purpose is to be a unified body seeking to reach up to God, out to people, and down within ourselves to expand God's Kingdom for God's glory.

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

*Since Jesus Came into My Heart.....*Hymn # 624

Prayer Deacon of the Week Don Burkett

Heaven Came Down..... Hymn # 573

My Jesus, I Love Thee Hymn # 552

I Love You, Lord..... Hymn # 555

More Precious than Silver..... Hymn # 557

Special Music Merrill Cummings

Message.....Bro. Mark Robinson

Invitation *I Need Thee Every Hour*Hymn # 423

Benediction *The Bond of Love*Hymn # 387

Flowers for today's service are given by Doug & DeAnne Patrick in loving memory of Connie and Robert Ammons and Don and Glenda Zick.

Birthdays for this Week: Tara Rushing (27), and Tripp Brant (30).

Ways to Give Your Tithes & Offerings

- Place in offering box 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.
- Log on to www.fbcmmany.org/giving or Text FBCMANY to 73256.

October Offerings: Taylor House Offering:

Our Church Goal: \$ 500.00

Offerings Received: \$ 50.00

Goal Remaining: \$ 450.00

October Special Offering's

*Taylor House
(Goal \$500)*

*and Operation Christmas
Child Shoe Boxes.*

Your support is greatly
appreciated.

Members in Service :

Greeters

Deacon of the Week

10/26

*Delores Geoghagan, Shirley Salley,
and Rocky Wright*

Don Burkett

11/2

*Cathy Kelly, Nancy Wright
and Rocky Wright*

Phillip Roark

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	5:30 p.m.	Church Meal
	6:00 p.m.	Prayer Meeting
Next Sun.	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:

Dorothy Alford, Marilyn Booker, Linda Cummings,
 Lucille DeWitt, Dub & Catherine Gentry, Marsha Gentry,
 Becky Horner, Terry Kelly, Sr., Jared Leach, Kristi Leach,
 Margaret Leach, Eddie Moore, Jeff Morrow,
 Rev. Claude Weatherford, Pat Wiggins,
 Suzanne Worsham, Mary Jo Wright

Vital Statistics

Financial October 2025		Attendance		
		Date	Sun. School	Worship
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$ 27,670.29	10/5	43	60
Gifts Received to date:	\$ 14,823.00	10/12	34	38
Budget Needs Remaining:	\$ 12,847.29	10/19	44	55
		10/26		

Wednesday Night Meal Menu for Oct. 29th

Pot Luck Please bring a Main Dish, Side, or Dessert.

Note: If you plan to eat with us, **RSVP to the Church Office**

by Tuesday at noon. Call 256-5655 or email fbcmany@bellsouth.net

Remember
to 



Don't forget to set your clocks back 1 hour
 when you go to bed on Saturday,
 November 1st We want you to be on time
 for Sunday School and Church Sunday
 Morning. Also it is a good time to check
 the battery in your smoke alarms.

*We only have 2 Sundays left open in the year for flowers
 for the Sanctuary. These dates include November 2nd and
 November 9th. Please contact the church office so we can
 schedule you for a date. The flowers that are placed in the
 Sanctuary add so much beauty to our worship experience.*

**Our Church to Participate in Town of Many
Trick or Treat on Friday, October 31st
3 - 5 p.m.**



We will pass out candy and tracts to the kids on Friday, October 31st as part of the Town of Many Trick or Treat. We plan to distribute 1,300+ bags. Pray for the volunteers as we reach out to share the love of God and First Baptist Church to the children of Sabine Parish.

Tailgating Opportunity on October 31st

Many FBC is teaming up with Siloam Baptist Church to participate in tailgating at the MHS home Football games. The next date will be Friday, October 31 this will be our last tailgating opportunity for the year. Bring a chair and come join us. Siloam is providing the main menu and Many FBC will bring snacks and water. This is a great way for our church to do tailgating, food, and Christian fellowship. Make plans to be there on Oct. 31st @ 5 p.m



**Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes
Pick up Your Boxes Today!**

Our Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box project is about to come to a close. If you haven't done so we urge you to take a box or two and fill them to be used by Samaritans Purse to be distributed around the world as they share about Christ. Monetary donations are also welcome so that items can be purchased to fill and ship boxes. Boxes will need to be returned by Sunday, November 2nd. Thank you for always supporting this ministry.

November Schedule

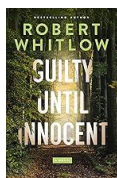
Sunday, 11/16 – Finance Meeting @ 5 p.m.
Tuesday, 11/18 – WMU Meeting @ 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday, 11/19 – Business Meeting @ 6 p.m.
Wednesday, 11/26 – No Wed. Night Activities

Bereavement Committee In Need of Volunteers

We are in the process of updating our list of people to help the Bereavement Committee. If you could possibly make a dish or help serve during the meals, please contact the Church Office at 256-5655.

Grateful Hearts Book Club

Ladies! Looking for a Christian book club? Come join us at Many First Baptist Church. Everyone is welcome. The group meets the first Thursday each month. The next book we will discuss is "Guilty Until Innocent" by Robert Whitlow. Get your book at your favorite bookstore or the library and come ready to discuss it at meeting on Thursday, November 6th @ 2 PM. Bring a friend. For more information, contact the FBC office at 256-5655.



Nursery Worker Position Opening

First Baptist Church is currently looking to hire an additional nursery worker. This would be a part time position. The applicant would need to be available Sunday mornings, Wednesday evenings, & as needed for special events. If you or someone you know is interested, please have the applicant contact the church office to pick up an application as soon as possible.



Shoe Box Packing Party & Lunch Fellowship on Sunday, November 9th after AM Worship

We encourage everyone to join us Sunday, November 9th after AM Worship service in the fellowship hall. We will have a covered dish lunch. We encourage everyone to bring their favorite Louisiana Dish. Bo Campbell will be serving his delicious Gumbo. After the meal we will be packing the shoe boxes, preparing them for shipping, and will pray over them. We hope that you will be here for a great time of service and fellowship.

La. Baptist Convention Annual Meeting November 10th & 11th at Randolph Riverfront Convention Center in Alexandria

Please pray for the messengers from our church as well as other messengers that will be attending, for traveling safety and for the Convention.



Sermon Notes:

Notes from the Pastor Search Committee:

Church Family,

From your search committee we thank you for continued prayers, encouragement, and patience through this process. As we pray for His guidance, unity, and clear vision we will patiently wait for the Lord's will and the shepherd His preparing for our church.

Psalm 27:14

"Wait for the Lord; be strong and take heart and wait for the Lord."

David knew from experience what it meant to wait for the Lord. He had been anointed king at age 16, but didn't become king until he was 30. During the interim he had been chased by through the desert by a jealous King Saul. David had to trust and wait on God for the fulfillment of His promise to reign.

Waiting for God is not always easy. Often we feel He isn't going to answer our prayers. By thinking this way implies he is not in control but we truly know He is in total control of all things and we must trust and wait for things to come in His timing not ours. God's answered prayers are worth waiting for and often he uses the waiting period to refresh, renew, and teach us. We, as individuals and collectively as a family of God should use this time to seek and discover what the Lord may be trying to teach us. Pray that we will all be unified with a clear vision to God's plan for our church.

Romans 15:5-6

"May the God who gives endurance and encouragement give you the same attitude of mind toward each other that Christ Jesus had, so that with one mind and one voice you may glorify our God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ"

Continue to pray for patience and one another as we wait for our Lord's will to be done. And that all will be done to Glorify His Kingdom!

Your Pastor Search Committee