

Welcome To First Baptist Church Many, Louisiana



January 11, 2026

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. Wade Penfield Pastor

Mike Collier Music Leader

Worship Team

Glenda Merriman	Pianist	Merrill Cummings	Organist
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Nursery is available for infants, toddlers, and preschoolers

Welcome Bro. Wade Penfield
Announcements
Prayer Deacon of the Week Danny Warmack



Love Offering for The Southern Plainsmen
Invitation
Benediction

Flowers for today’s service are given by Gary & Ramona Moore in memory of Eddie Moore.

Birthdays for this Week: Donna Lites, Emma Penfield, (11), Joanne Pickett, (12), David Jordan (13), Ramona Moore, (14), Debbie Roark (15), and Becky Horner (16).

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 www.fbcmany.org/giving or Text FBCMANY to 73256.

<i>January Offering: Pro Life & Crisis Pregnancy Center</i>	
<i>Our Church Goal:</i>	<i>\$ 500.00</i>
<i>Offerings Received:</i>	<i>\$ 0.00</i>
<i>Amount Remaining of goal:</i>	<i>\$ 500.00</i>

January’s Special Offerings
*Pro Life & Crisis
Pregnancy Center and
FBC Food Pantry*
Your support is greatly appreciated

<u>Members in Service :</u>		
	Greeters	Deacon of the Week
1/11	Shirley Salley, and Danny Warmack	Danny Warmack
1/18	Phyllis Horton and Shirley Salley	Mike Collier

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 & Bible Study
Thursday	10:00 a.m.	Ladies Bible Study
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
	4:00 p.m.	Church Council Meeting
	5:00 p.m.	Finance Committee Meeting

Prayer Concerns:

Dorothy Alford, Merilyn Booker,
Linda Cummings, Lucille DeWitt, Dub Gentry,
Marsha Gentry, Kristi Leach, Becky Horner,
Terry Kelly, Sr., Eddie Moore, Cecile Lites, Ellen Lites,
Margaret Leach, Jeff Morrow, Rev. Claude Weatherford,
Pat Wiggins, Suzanne Worsham, Mary Jo Wright
The Eddie Moore Family

Vital Statistics

Financial January 2026		Attendance		
		Date	Sun. School	Worship
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$ 35,684.58	1/4	58	103
Gifts Received to date:	\$ 2,090.00	1/11		
Budget Needs Remaining:	\$ 33,594.58	1/18		
		1/25		

Wednesday Night Meal Menu for Jan. 14th

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 

Missions and Evangelism Committee Meeting

Tuesday, Jan. 13th @ 5 p.m.

The Missions and Evangelism Committee will meet Tuesday, January 13th @ 5 p.m. It is important that all Committee Members be present.

GREETERS NEEDED

We are in need of additional greeters on Sunday mornings.

If you would like to know more about how to serve or are interested in signing up, please contact the Church Office.



The Southern Plainsmen

We are excited to have the group "The Southern Plainsmen" to perform during our Worship Service this morning. 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. A Love Offering for the group will be received to help with their expenses (Please make check payable to The Southern Plainsmen).

****All Committees should meet Now****

All Committees need to meet before Sunday, January 18th to elect Chairpersons for their Committees. Contact the Church Office and we can help schedule a date, time, and contact Committee Members.



Finance Committees Meeting

Sunday, January 18th @ 5 p.m.

As we begin the new year, we need committees to meet to elect chairs for the Missions & Evangelism, Properties, and Personnel Committee since these chairs will also be on the Finance Committee. All members of this committee is urged to attend. If you cannot attend, contact Paul Morris or the church office

The Church Office needs your help in updating our member records! Now that we have a new Pastor, we need to make sure our members contact information is correct. for our system. We have printed out Church information update sheets.

There are some on the back table of the sanctuary, or the table by the church office. Contact the church office for more information. Thanks for your help in making sure we have your correct information.



**We're Updating
Our Member Info!**

The Church Flower Calendar for 2026 is now open. If you have a particular Sunday or two in mind that you would like to place flowers in our Sanctuary, please contact the church office so we can schedule you for a date.

January Bible Study

The Gospel of John

Knowing Jesus through I AM Statements

Starting Wednesday, Jan. 14th @ 6 PM

We are so enthused that Bro. Wade is starting a Bible Study on Wednesday Evenings @ 6 p.m. This Winter Bible Study will focus on the Book of John with the I AM statements that Jesus makes. This study is open to everyone. We encourage everyone to come and join us for this time of Study and Christian Fellowship.



**CHURCH
COUNCIL**

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

Sunday, January 18th @ 4 PM

All Committees should meet now!

All church committees should meet now to plan activities and events for 2026 as well as elect a chairperson for the year. Committees can contact the office to schedule meetings and to place them on the church calendar. All church leaders and committee chairpersons are asked to attend the Church Council Meeting on January 18^h. If you have any items for the agenda and church calendar for the council meeting, contact the church office to be placed on the agenda.

CALLING All Young Adults!!

We are so thrilled to announce that we have started the Young Adults Sunday School Class. They are meeting in the classroom across from the Church Office Bro. Wade will lead the class and cover topics we are faced with each day. This will be for all young adults aged 18- 40ish. We encourage you if are a young adult to come join us and bring a friend. Sunday school starts at 9:30 a.m.

Ladies Winter Bible Study

"Heaven"- When Faith Becomes Sight

Coffee @ 9:30 AM

Thursdays, @ 10 AM – 12 noon

January 8 – February 19, 2026

We had our first session this past Thursday. It's not too late to join us. Download your e-book from Lifeway if you have not purchased one. Please invite a friend or two to come join you. For more information contact Ramona Moore or the church office.

W.M.U. Meeting

January 20th @

9:30 AM

**Ladies that are
interested in
learning and
participating in
missions are
invited to attend.**

Business Meeting

Wednesday, January 21st

@ 6 p.m.

Church members need to attend this important meeting. Several key items will be discussed and voted on. Please make plans to attend the Business Meeting. Come be a part of the business matters and decisions of the church.

Church Nursery & Sunday School Classes Available for all Children

We are so enthusiastic as we are starting to see young families coming to First Baptist Church in Many, especially the children. For children from birth to 4 years age, we have a nursery. This is available on Sunday Mornings for Sunday School and Church Services and on Wednesday Evenings for Prayer Meeting/Bible Study. The Nursery is located at the top of the stairs to the left. We have Sunday School class for Pre K ages 4-5 and is located right next door to the nursery. For our older children grades 1-6 the Sunday School Class is located downstairs at the bottom of the stairs on the left. Again we are so excited to have your family start attending First Baptist Church.

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).*