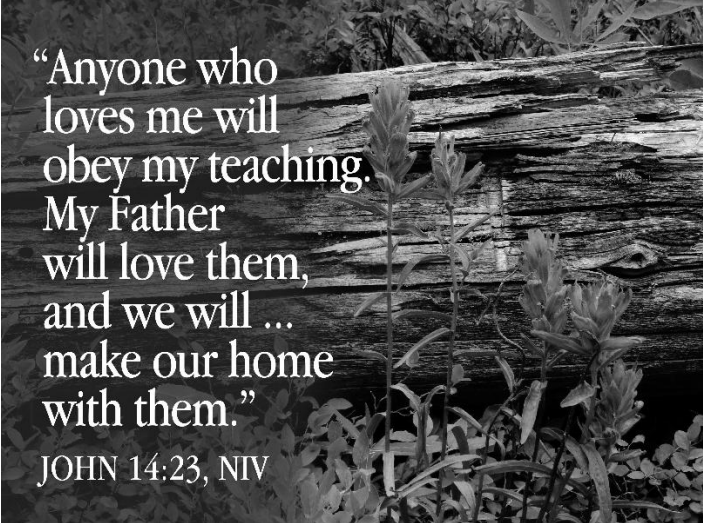


Welcome To First Baptist Church Many, Louisiana



“Anyone who
loves me will
obey my teaching.
My Father
will love them,
and we will ...
make our home
with them.”

JOHN 14:23, NIV

July 26, 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 & Announcements

Ladies Conference Emphasis

Call to Worship

Since Jesus Came into My Heart. Hymn # 624 (v 1, 2, 4)

Because He Lives Hymn # 449 (chorus)

Invocation..... Deacon of the Week Danny Warmack

Giving of Tithes & Offerings

When We All Get to Heaven Hymn # 603 (v 1,2,4)

Change My Heart, O God Hymn # 529 (chorus,)

I Love You, Lord Hymn # 555 (v 1, 2,)

I Exalt Thee Hymn # 36 (chorus)

Special Music *Reach Out to Jesus* Ken Webb

Sermon Rev. Wade Penfield

Invitation *Breathe on Me* Hymn # 332

Birthdays for this Week: Robert Zirkelbach, Genia Kleven (30),

<i>July Offering: Back to School Rally Offering</i>	
<i>Offerings</i>	
<i>Received:</i>	\$1,565.76

July Special Offering's
Back to School Rally
*Your support is greatly
appreciated.*

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.

Members in Service:		
Greeters		Deacon of the Week
7/26	Delores Geoghagan, Shirley Salley, and Rocky Wright	Danny Warmack
8/2	Cathy Kelly, Nancy Wright	Mike Collier

Activities This Week

Today	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service & Livestream
	11:00 a.m.	KWLTV (107.1 FM) radio
Wednesday	5:30 p.m.	Wednesday Night Meal
	6:00 p.m.	Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
Next	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service & Live Stream
	11:00 a.m.	KWLTV (107.1 FM) radio

Prayer Concerns:

Dorothy Alford, Marilyn Booker, Cheyenne Cummings,
Linda Cummings, Dub Gentry, Becky Horner, Terry Kelly Sr.,
Kristi Leach, Cecile Lites, Ellen Lites, Margaret Leach,
Jeff Morrow, Shirley Salley, Jan Varnado
Rev. Claude Weatherford, Pat Wiggins, Suzanne Worsham,

Vital Statistics

Financial July 2026		Attendance		
		Date	Sun. School	Worship
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$ 35,684.58	7/5	60	90
Gifts Received to date:	\$ 26,572.38	7/12	85	117
Budget Needs Remaining:	\$ 9,112.20	7/19	69	87
		7/26		

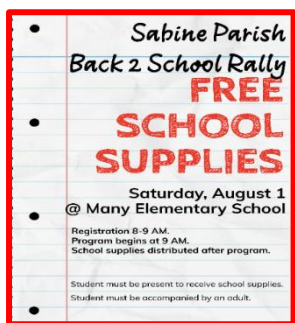
Wednesday Night Meal Menu for July 29th

We have a great Pot Luck meal on Wednesday nights starting at 5:30 p.m. We encourage everyone to bring a dish or two (main dish, side dish, or dessert) for everyone to enjoy. Come join us for a wonderful time of food and fellowship.



Ways to Give Your Tithes & Offerings

- Place in offering box as you enter or exit the Sanctuary.
- Place it in offering plate during giving of tithes and offerings in the worship service.
- Mail to Church (P.O. Box 239, Many, LA 71449).
- Come by the church office during office hours.
- Log on to www.fbcmany.org/giving or Text FBCMANY to 7325.



The Back to School Rally is set for Saturday, August 1st 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at Many Elementary School. This is for students PreK through 12th Grade. Children must be accompanied by a parent / guardian and must be present to receive school supplies

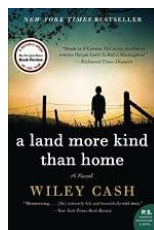
The phone lines are down at the church!

If you call us, the line just rings and the answering machine will not pick up. The phone company cannot give us an estimated time that the lines will be repaired and back in operation. They have a ticket created and it will be assigned to repair soon (hopefully). This is not ideal for us but hopefully something will be resolved very soon. Thanks for your patience and understanding.

In the meantime, if you have any information that can be relayed via email, please email to fbcmany@yahoo.com or contact a church staff member's cell phone number, or contact the Church office through our fax number at 256-9344. We apologize for any inconvenience and ask for your understanding during this time. We will update you as soon as we receive any updates. Thanks for your consideration and cooperation.

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 "A Land More Kind than Home" by Wiley Cash. Get your book at your favorite bookstore or the library and come ready to discuss it at the meeting on Thursday, August 6th @ 2 PM. Bring a friend. For more information, contact the FBC office at 256-5655.



We have some upcoming dates open for Flowers for the Sanctuary, including August 2, 9, 16, and 23rd and some dates in Sept. If you have a specific date in mind (birthday, anniversary, etc.) contact the church office to secure your date in advance. This is a great way to remember your loved ones as well as honor someone in a special way. The flowers that are placed in our sanctuary add so much beauty to our worship experience and are greatly appreciated.



Join us Wednesday Nights for a great time of food, fellowship, and study. Our meal is covered dish at 5:30 so bring a dish or two and come have dinner with us. Prayer

Meeting and Bible Studies begin at 6. Folks have really been enjoying this time of informal discussions, talking about current events, and Biblical applications. We have studies and activities for our kids and youth during this time. If you have not been attending, you are missing out!

August 2026 Schedule

Monday, 8/10 – First Day of School Sabine Parish

Sunday, 8/16 – Finance Comm. Meeting @ 5 PM

Wednesday, 8/19 – Business Meeting @ 6 PM

Sunday 8/30 – Sunday School Promotion Day

Prayer Chain

We are in the process of "rebuilding" our Prayer Chain group. If you would be interested in joining our Prayer Chain here at First Baptist Church, we would love to add you. The Prayer Chain gets notified (usually by email) if there are special or urgent requests or need for prayers. For more information or to be added to our Prayer Chain group, please contact the Church office by email at fbcmany@bellsouth.net.



First Responder's Appreciation

On Wednesday, August 20th, our Missions and Evangelism Committee will be coordinating taking donuts, as well as spending time in prayer with our area First Responders on behalf of Many First Baptist Church. Please lift up area First Responders in your prayers daily.

Are you signed up on the church's "Realm" program? If not, please call or email to the church office so that we can send you an email invite. Realm is the church's membership program.

You can update your contact info, make contributions, see your contributions to the church, upload profile photo, and much more. This is a great tool and we plan to utilize some new things with Realm soon. Get signed up today!



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).*

