

— First — BAPTIST CHURCH

M A N Y , L O U I S I A N A

Order of Service

February 18, 2018

Welcome & AnnouncementsBro. Jonathan Bost

Invocation.....Bro. Jonathan Bost

Congregational Singing

I Will Call upon the Lord Hymn # 498

Step by Step Hymn # 480

Breathe Hymn # 481

In Christ Alone Hymn # 506

Special Music Handbell Choir

Offertory Prayer & Giving of Tithes and Offerings

SermonBro. Jonathan Bost

Instructions for Kingdom Living: Be Righteous

Matthew 5:17-20

(Pew Bible p. 888)

Invitation *Seek Ye First* Hymn # 524

Benediction

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

Birthdays: Magda McCormick, Jeremy Brant (20), Gabbie Roark (21), and Emily Geoghagan (24).

Flowers for today's Service are placed by

Phyllis Horton and Cathy Derrick Moore in memory of their grandmother

Mrs. J.M. Ross, aunt Mable Ross, and mother Katherine Derrick.

Ministry Leaders			
Jonathan Bost	Pastor	Mark Jordan	Music Director
Jeffery Leach	Youth Director	Nikki Booker	Children's Director
Worship Team			
Glenda Merriman	Pianist	Merrill Cummings	Organist

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Activities This Week

Today:	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Service
	12:00 p.m.	Hunger Relief Meal (Soup)
	5:00 p.m.	Finance Committee Meeting Choir Practice
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship Service
	7:00 p.m.	Deacons Meeting
Monday:	7:30 a.m.	“In One Accord” (Prayer Time)
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	WMU
	11:00 a.m.	XYZ Bible Study: <i>A God-Centered Worldview</i>
Wednesday:	5:00 p.m.	Handbell Practice
	6:30 p.m.	Business Meeting, Prayer Meeting Children & Youth Activities
Thursday:	9:30 a.m.	Women’s Fall Bible Study: <i>The Quest</i>
Next Sunday:	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Service
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship Service

Looking Ahead:

- 2/21 [Wednesday]: Serving students lunch at BCM @ NSU (10:00 a.m.)
- 2/21 [Wednesday]: DivorceCare begins.
- 3/3 [Saturday]: Reception for Mary Gore’s 25th Anniversary of Ministry.
- 3/4 - 3/11: Week of Prayer & Emphasis for North American Missions & Annie Armstrong Easter Offering.

*For more details on these activities,
refer to our newsletter, web-site, or call church office!*

Vital Statistics

Financial February 2018		Attendance		
		Date	Sunday School	Worship
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$33,238.78	2/4/18	51	64
Gifts Received to Date:	\$13,854.00	2/11/18	43	71
Budget Needs Remaining:	\$16,458.76			

Prayer Concerns:

Robert & Connie Ammons, Cassidy Byles, Dean Corley, Evelyn Dees,
Terry Kelly, Jarrod & Kristi Leach, Shirley Lee, Geneva Lewing, Dr. Richard &
Margaret Oosta, Ruth Price, Helen Rains, Al Schweiger, Doris Wright

Members in Service :		
	Greeters	Deacon of the Week
Today:	Dorothy Alford, Don Scaife, Suzanne Worsham, Jan Varnado	Norman Booker, Jr.
Next Week:	Delores Geoghagan, Kristi Leach, Shirley Salley, Danny Wilson, and Al Schweiger	Charles Mains

Our Missions and Evangelism Committee's annual Hunger Relief meal and fundraiser will be held today immediately following the AM Worship Service. Please stay and enjoy a great time of food and fellowship as well as supporting a great cause. Money received at the meal will go to the La. Hunger Relief.



DivorceCare Group begins at Many FBC on February 21st!
Wednesday Nights @ 6 – 8 PM

Divorce Care is a divorce recovery ministry support group. The group meets weekly to help in the challenges and in moving toward rebuilding lives. Each session has two distinct elements: a 30-40 minute video followed by group participants spending time as a support group, discussing what was presented in that week's seminar and what is going on in the lives of group members. Workbooks are \$ 15 and scholarships are available. Childcare will be provide for children up to the sixth grade. Please contact the church office, Mark Jordan (318)332-9114, or Glenda Merriman (970)596-0090 for more information or to sign up.



We have several open dates for flowers in the Sanctuary. If you would like to place flowers in memory or honor of someone, please contact Karen in the church office or Verda Mains. We do appreciate everyone who places the flowers. They bring such a lovely touch to our church and enhance our worship service.

On Wednesday, February 21st, our W.M.U. will provide a meal to the students at the NSU-BCM. If you can help serve, make a cake, or bring Little Debbie type cakes, please see Shirley Salley today.

A reception honoring Mary Gore on her 25th Anniversary of ministry at Toledo Bend Baptist Reort Ministry will be held at Many FBC on Saturday, March 3rd from 2 – 4 p.m. Make plans to attend.

February Special Offering Emphasis

Hunger Relief Offering

Church Goal = \$ 500 Given to Date = \$ 40

This offering will help with hunger relief efforts in Louisiana.

Children's Home Egg Drive

Eggs or monetary donations for the homes to purchase eggs turned into the church by noon on Tuesday, March 20th.

Instructions for Kingdom Living:

04.

Be Righteous
(Matthew 5:17-20)

04.1 The L_____ (vv. 17-18)

“The LORD your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among your own brothers. You must listen to him... ¹⁸I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their brothers. I will put My words in his mouth, and he will tell them everything I command him. Deuteronomy 18:15, 18

For all the prophets and the Law prophesied until John... Matthew 11:13

All Scripture is inspired by God and is profitable for teaching, for rebuking, for correcting, for training in righteousness, ¹⁷so that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16-17

Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will never pass away. Matthew 24:35

Action Step:	C_____ Your P_____!
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04.2 The A_____ (vv. 19-20)

These words that I am giving you today are to be in your heart. ⁷Repeat them to your children. Talk about them when you sit in your house and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. Deuteronomy 6:6-7

Then the righteous will shine like the sun in their Father’s kingdom. Anyone who has ears should listen! Matthew 13:43

Action Step:	C_____ Your P_____!
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