

— First — BAPTIST CHURCH

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

Order of Service

April 29, 2018

Call to Worship	Clancey Stewart
Invocation	Bro. Jonathan Bost
<i>In Moments like These</i>	Hymn # 451
<i>Precious Lord, Take My Hand</i>	Hymn # 450
Welcome & Announcements	Bro. Jonathan Bost
<i>He is Jehovah</i>	Hymn # 118
Giving of Tithes and Offerings	
Special Music	Clancey Stewart
Sermon	Bro. Jonathan Bost
<i>Instructions for Kingdom Living: Be Prayers—Part 2</i>	
Matthew 6:9-13	
(Pew Bible p. 889)	
Invitation	<i>Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus</i> Hymn # 413
Benediction	The Lord's Prayer

Birthdays: Anna Porterfield (1), Evelyn Scaife (3), Nancy Wright, Jeff Leach (4), and Mary Ann Clevenger (5).

*Flowers for today's Service are placed in honor of Shirley Salley
for her dedication and service to our church.*

March & April Special Offering: Annie Armstrong Missions

Our Church Goal: \$ 3,000.00

Offerings Received: \$ 3,569.00

Amount Received over Goal: \$ 569.00

Ministry Leaders

Jonathan Bost	Pastor	Mark Jordan	Music Director
Jeffery Leach	Youth Director		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
	5:00 p.m.	VBS Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Bible Study, Choir Practice, Children & Youth Activities
Monday:	7:30 a.m.	“In One Accord” (Prayer Time)
Tuesday:	11:00 a.m.	XYZ Bible Study: <i>(The Forgotten Jesus)</i>
Wednesday:	10:00 a.m.	Many Healthcare Worship Service
	5:00 p.m.	Handbell Practice
	5:45 p.m.	Wednesday Night Meal – Taco Bar
	6:00 p.m.	DivorceCare
	6:15 p.m.	Prayer Meeting
	6:30 p.m.	Bible Study, Children & Youth Activities
Thursday:	9:30 a.m.	Women’s Bible Study: <i>James by Beth Moore</i>
	6:30 p.m.	National Day of Prayer Service
Next Sunday:	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Service – Gideon Sunday & Graduate Recognition Service
	6:00 p.m.	Bible Study, Choir Practice, Children & Youth Activities

Looking Ahead:

- 5/9 [Wednesday]: Sabine Rehab Center Worship Service & Many High School Baccalaureate Service.
- 5/16 [Wednesday]: Blood Drive @ Many FBC 4-7 PM.

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

Vital Statistics

Financial April 2018		Attendance		
		Date	Sunday School	Worship
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$30,312.76	4/1/18	51	101
Gifts Received to Date:	\$24,724.00	4/8/18	50	62
Budget Needs Remaining:	\$5,588.76	4/15/18	50	53
		4/22/18	58	67

Prayer Concerns:

Robert & Connie Ammons, Marilyn Booker, Cassidy Byles, Carolyn Cook, Dean Corley, Linda Cummings, Evelyn Dees, Carolyn Gandy, Bro. Hoy Leach, Kristi Leach, Shirley Lee, Geneva Lewing, Dr. Richard & Margaret Oosta, Ruth Price, Helen Rains, Rita Roark, Jerry & Shirley Salley, Skeeter Varnado, Doris Wright

Members in Service :

Greeters

Deacon of the Week

Today:	Chloe Leach, Magda McCormick, John Earhart, & Rocky Wright	Charles Mains
Next Week:	Drew Bost, Norman Booker, III, Kathy Warmack, Nancy Wright, & Al Schweiger	Paul Morris

Vacation Bible School Meeting – Tonight @ 5 PM

This meeting is for everyone who would like to help in any way with our VBS this year. Please be in prayer to see how the Lord is leading you to be a part of this valuable outreach ministry for our church.



On Thursday, May 10th beginning at 10 a.m., adults of all ages are invited to the 28th annual Adult Day at Clara Springs Baptist Camp. Lunch is complimentary. Come join special guests, David & Kirsten Hart of Branson, MO as they weave personal stories through some of the best loved songs. Please RSVP to the church office by Monday, May 7th.

It is time for the annual Youth Garage Sale to be held during the Sale on the Trail. Bring your items to donate for the Garage Sale to the Youth Room. Contact Jeff or Cherie for more details. Garage Sale is May 4 & 5. This is always a great fundraiser for the youth and they cannot do it without your help.

National Day of Prayer is Thursday, May 3rd

The Sabine Ministerial Alliance will host a community Prayer Event on Thursday, May 3rd at 6:30 p.m. at the Sabine Fairgrounds. There will also be special musical guests. Our nation, state, and local government and officials are in need of our prayers.

Graduate Recognition Day – Sunday, May 6th during AM Worship. We will recognize church members who are graduating high school or college. Reply to the church office by Monday, April 30th if you are a recent or upcoming graduate.



Kids! Join us for the 13th Annual Toledo Bend Children’s Fishing Derby! Saturday, May 5th 10 AM – 2 PM San Miguel Park beach area Ages 3 – 15
Pre-schoolers must have a parent or guardian present. School age children groups must have at least one adult for each 5 children. We will have a complimentary lunch on the grounds. Bring your fishing pole, baits, and such.

Toledo Bend Resort Ministries 1st Annual Youth Bass Tournament
Saturday, May 5th 7 AM – 1 PM Grades 7th – 12th

*Pre-Tournament meeting at 6:30 AM at Toledo Bend Resort Ministries.
Weigh-in at 1:30 PM at Toledo Bend Resort Ministries (3840 Carters Ferry Rd, Zwolle)
For additional information and rules call:
Toledo Bend Baptist Resort Ministries (318)645-6601
Mary Gore (318)452-9731 or Danny Warmack (318)315-0173

Instructions for Kingdom Living:

12.

Be Prayers—Part 2

(Matthew 6:9-13)

12.1 Bring P_____ to God (vv. 9-10)

For as heaven is higher than earth,
so My ways are higher than your ways,
and My thoughts than your thoughts. Isaiah 55:9

But I acted because of My name, so that it would not be profaned in the eyes of the nations they were living among, in whose sight I had made Myself known to Israel by bringing them out of Egypt. Ezekiel 20:9

He who testifies about these things says, “Yes, I am coming quickly.” Amen! Come, Lord Jesus! Revelation 22:20

Action
Step:

Confess Your D_____!

12.2 Bring R_____ to God (vv. 11-13)

Then the LORD said to Moses, “I am going to rain bread from heaven for you. The people are to go out each day and gather enough for that day. This way I will test them to see whether or not they will follow My instructions. Exodus 16:4

Then I acknowledged my sin to You
and did not conceal my iniquity.

I said,

“I will confess my transgressions to the LORD,”
and You took away the guilt of my sin. Psalm 32:5

No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to humanity. God is faithful and He will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation He will also provide a way of escape, so that you are able to bear it. 1 Corinthians 10:13

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