

*Welcome To
First Baptist Church
Many, Louisiana*



November 26, 2023

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

- O Come, O Come Emmanuel* Hymn # 175
- O Come, All Ye Faithful* Hymn # 199
- Isn't He* Hymn # 214

Invocation.....Deacon of the Week.....Mark Jordan

Giving of Tithes & Offerings

Luke's Little Leaders

- Good Christian Men, Rejoice* Hymn # 183
- Go, Tell It on the Mountain* Hymn # 182
- Angels, We Have Heard on High* Hymn # 184

Special Music.....*How Great Our Joy*.....Hymn # 202

Message.....Rev. Mark Robinson

Invitation.....*My Jesus, I Love Thee*.....Hymn # 552

Benediction.....*Heavenly Sunlight*.....Chorus

Birthdays: Merrill Cummings (26) and Jerry Salley, (1).

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.

<i>November's Offering: Operation Christmas Child</i>	
<i>Offerings Received:</i>	\$3,437.00

November Special Offering

Nursing Home Christmas
Store

Your support is greatly
appreciated.

Ways to Give Your Tithes & Offerings

- Place in offering plate as you enter or exit the Sanctuary.
- Mail to Church (P.O. Box 239, Many, LA 71449) or bring to the church office during the week.
- Log on to www.fbcmany.org/giving or text FBCMANY to 73256. (Messages and data rates may apply. Message frequency varies. Text HELP to 73256 for help. Text STOP to 73256 to cancel)

<u>Members in Service :</u>		
	Greeters	Deacon of the Week
11/26	Delores Geoghagan, Shirley Salley, and Rocky Wright	Mark Jordan
12/3	Cathy Kelly, Nancy Wright	Danny Warmack

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.	Meal
	6:00 p.m.	Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
	6:00 p.m.	Business Meeting
Thursday	11:30 a.m.	XYZ Bible Study
Next Sunday	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, Kathy Byles,
Linda Cummings, Merrill Cummings, Dub Gentry,
Becky Horner, Ginger Jordan, Terry Kelly, Sr.,
Kristi Leach, Margaret Leach, Eddie Moore,
Jeff Morrow, Dovie Tarver, O.E. Varnado,
Claude & Louise Weatherford, and Mary Jo Wright

Vital Statistics

Financial		Attendance		
November 2023		Date	Sun. School	Worship
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$25,960.40	11/5	43	55
Gifts Received to date:	18,258.00	11/12	44	79
Budget Needs Remaining:	\$ 7,702.40	11/19	47	56
		11/26		

Wednesday Night Meal Menu for November 29th

Pot Luck - Baked Chicken & Pork Loin provided.

Please bring side dish or dessert. No Charge.

Note: If you plan to eat with us, please RSVP to the Church Office by Tuesday at noon. Call 256-5655 or email fbcmayn@bellsouth.net

*Remember
to* **RSVP**

Business Meeting

Wednesday, Nov. 29th @ 6:15 p.m.

There are several important items to discuss. One of the items will be the Proposed 2024 Church Budget. Church members are urged to attend. Come be a part of the discussions and decisions of the church.



**Proposed 2024 Budget to be Presented &
Discussed at Business Meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 29th
Vote after AM Worship on Sunday, Dec. 3rd**

The Budget and Finance Committees have prepared and worked hard on the proposed 2024 Church Budget which was already sent to church members via mail. This proposed budget will be discussed at the Wednesday, November 29th Business Meeting and will be voted on immediately following the Sunday, December 3rd Morning Worship Service. If you have any questions regarding this, contact the church office or Paul Morris. Be in prayer for this budget and your part in financially supporting the missions of FBC.



***Church Holiday Meal set for
Sunday, December 3rd***

After the Morning Worship Service on Sunday, December 3rd, we will have our annual holiday meal. This will be a covered dish meal with the church providing ham, baked chicken, dressing, and drinks. You are asked to bring side dishes and desserts. Invite your family and friends to join us on this day for Sunday school, Worship. This is a wonderful time for Christian fellowship and for us as a church to enjoy a meal together.

Lottie Moon International Missions Offering

Church Goal - \$6,000

Week of Prayer = December 3rd - December 10th

Next Sunday, December 3rd begins the week of prayer and emphasis for the Lottie Moon International Missions Christmas Offering. For more information and resources go to www.imb.org Please do your part in supporting this mission by your prayers and giving financially.

**Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes
Turned in 202 Boxes**

Our church did a wonderful job at preparing 202 boxes for Operation Christmas Child. We deeply appreciated everyone who prepared boxes or donated funds for us to prepare the boxes. Thanks again to everyone who participated.



Nursing Home Christmas Store

Please support our area Nursing Home residents by contributing a gift or two for the Christmas Store. List of items are available on table by church office and on the table by the back pews. Boxes to place items in are located there as well. The residents enjoy “shopping” for themselves or for loved ones with this annual store.

Nursing Home Christmas Store

Thursday, December 7th



Items needed for store:

Lap Throws

Pillows (soft – do not overstuff)

T-shirts (all sizes for Men & Women)

Rubber soled & Crochet slippers

House Shoes (men’s larger sizes & women’s)

Socks with grips (Men & Women)

Dolls and Stuffed Toys (new or very clean)

Name brand Kleenex

Jewelry & Trinkets

Body Mist & Perfume

Night Lights

Walker Purses

Room & Holiday Decorations

Lotion, cream, mouthwash, deodorant, etc.

Snack cakes

Diabetic cookies & candy

Homemade cookies & candy

Small can or bottled soft drinks (regular & diet)

NOTE – No Chocolate covered cherries please! They are a choking hazard.

Contact the Many First Baptist Church office for more details.

Important Dates in December:

12/17/2023 – Christmas Musical

12/17/2023- Finance Meeting

12/20/2023 – Business Meeting

Christmas Eve Service Schedule

Sunday School @ 9:30 a.m.

Worship Service @ 10:30 a.m.

Invite Family and Friends.

Christmas Musical

Sunday, December 17th @ 6 p.m.

Invite Family and Friends to attend.

Nursery Provided.

Sermon Notes:

Church Family,

Please pray for the indwelling of the Holy Spirit to empower our church family as we seek to grow in love and knowledge and understanding. Pray that we are unified in love. Pray that our community can see the fruit of our salvation and bring glory and honor to God.

“I pray that your love will overflow more and more, and that you will keep on growing in knowledge and understanding. For I want you to understand what really matters, so that you may live pure and blameless lives until the day of Christ’s return. May you always be filled with the fruit of your salvation – the righteous character produced in your life by Jesus Christ – for this will bring much glory and praise to God.” – Philippians 1:9-12

Pastor Search Committee