

*Welcome To  
First Baptist Church  
Many, Louisiana*



*January 14, 2024*

**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.....Rev. Mark Robinson

Call to Worship

*Worthy of Worship* ..... Hymn # 3

*I Worship You, Almighty God* ..... Hymn # 16

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

Giving of Tithes & Offerings

Luke's Little Leaders

*Praise Him! Praise Him!*..... Hymn # 149

*Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It* ..... Hymn # 280

*Sweet, Sweet Spirit* ..... Hymn # 328

Special Music ..... Tiffeni Campbell

Message.....Rev. Mark Robinson

Invitation.....*It Is Well with My Soul*.....Hymn # 447

Benediction.... *Because He Lives*.....Congregation

**Birthdays:** Ramona Moore (14), Debbie Roark (15),  
Becky Horner (16), and Colby Strickland (19).

*The flowers for today's service are placed by Kalli, Scottie,  
Brent, and Brynn Wright in memory of  
Cindy Wright for her birthday today.*

### 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).
- Come by the church office during office hours.
- Log on to [www.fbcmany.org/giving](http://www.fbcmany.org/giving) or Text FBCMANY to 73256.

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

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

<u>Members in Service :</u>		
	Greeters	Deacon of the Week
1/14	Kathy and Danny Warmack	Danny Warmack
1/21	Dorothy Alford, Shirley Salley	Charles Mains

## *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
	4:00 p.m.	Church Council Meeting
	5:00 p.m.	Finance Committee Meeting
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	WMU Meeting
Wednesday	5:30 p.m.	Meal
	6:00 p.m.	Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
	6:00 p.m.	Church Business Meeting
Thursday	11:00 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:*

Marilyn Booker, Kathy Byles, Merrill & Linda Cummings,  
 Dub Gentry, Becky Horner, Ginger Jordan, Terry Kelly, Sr.,  
 Kristi Leach, Margaret Leach, Eddie Moore, Jeff Morrow,  
 Dovie Tarver, Claude Weatherford, and Mary Jo Wright  
 The Al Schweiger family & The O.E. Varnado Family

## **Vital Statistics**

Financial		Attendance		
January 2024		Date	Sun. School	Worship
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$26,100.97	1/7	33	53
Gifts Received to date:	. 7,357.00	1/14		
Budget Needs Remaining:	\$18,743.97	1/21		
		1/28		

### **Wednesday Night Meal Menu for Jan. 17<sup>th</sup>**

Chicken & Dumplings, Green Beans, Salad, & Garlic Bread.

Cost of Meal is \$3 per person max of \$15 per family.

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](mailto:fbcmany@bellsouth.net)

*We are on a new Church Budget as of January 1st Our monthly budget needs are \$26,100.97 Pray over this and your faithfulness in giving.*



## CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

**Today @ 4 PM**

All church leaders and committee chairpersons are asked to attend the Church Council Meeting today. We will be planning events for the upcoming year 2024 so they could be placed on the Church Calendar.



### **Finance Committee Meeting**

**Today @ 5 p.m.**

Members of this committee are urged to attend. There are several important items to discuss. If you cannot attend, contact Paul Morris or the church office.

### January 2024 Meeting Schedule

*Tuesday, 1/16 @ 9:30 AM - WMU Meeting*

*Wednesday, 1/17 @ 6:00 PM - Business Meeting*

### Monthly Business Meeting

Wednesday, January 17<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00 PM in Fellowship Hall. There are several important items that need to be discussed We need you to



attend and have input on the decisions of the church.

### Winter Bible Study

“Blessings of the Kingdom” Sermon on the Mount

Sunday, February 4<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30 AM & 6 PM

February 5<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> @ 6 PM

Bro. Jack Bell will lead the 5 session study.

There is a sign- up sheet located on the table by the Church Office. Study books will be free to church members but if you would like to offset the expense, they are \$9.00 each. Invite family and friends to join us for this study. Child care services will be provided.

# ECON 2024

January 22-23, 2024

Temple Baptist, Ruston



## Schedule

Monday Afternoon: 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Monday Evening: 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Tuesday Morning: 9:00 am – 11:30 am

Tuesday Afternoon: 1:00 pm – 4:25 pm

Tuesday Evening: 6:00 pm – 8:15 pm

## Christian Fishing Pros “Meet & Greet”

**on Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup> @ 7 PM**

Come meet, greet, and eat with Fishing Pros who will be here at the Toledo Bend Tournament for the MFL circuit event. This event will be held at Siloam Baptist Church Family Life Center on Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM. The pros will be speaking and giving testimonies. Meal will be provided and this event is open to all ages.

## Fourth Friday Fish Fry

at Clara Springs Return for 2024

Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup>, the Fourth Friday Fish Fry returns Clara Springs Camp. It begins at 5 PM.

Adults are \$ 15 per person, kids 10 - 17 yr. old are \$ 10 per person, and kids under 9 & under are free. Contact Clara Springs for more details. Make plans to attend

## Flower Calendar 2024

The Flower Calendar for 2024 has started. If you would like to have a special day to place flowers in the Sanctuary, please call the church so we can put it on the calendar. The flowers that are placed in our Sanctuary add so much beauty to our worship experience.





## Pray Daily for our Pastor Search Committee

Church Family,

Greeting, in the name of our Lord and savior Jesus Christ. There have been a number of potential candidates submitted to the church desiring to fill our needs for Pastor, and shepherd. Faithfully we have and do continually pray for divine counsel by the Holy Spirit in this process.

Discernment by the Spirit of Truth for recognition of false teachings has been of utmost importance as we continue our assignment, as well as. Unity with one accord in all our decisions. Naturally there are choices we have made, and will continue to make in the selection process that we endeavor to totally rely on God's counsel through the Holy Spirit rather than personal feelings or outside influences. First and foremost, we give God all the glory for His infinite wisdom and guidance.”; for without Him we can do nothing.”

(John 15:5) Joyfully we report all of our decisions through this time period have been unanimous and acknowledged to be Spirit led. By this, we humbly thank you for your prayers and ask that you continue to lift us up through this process. We know that HE is in control, our task is to seek His way in unity and not be persuaded by anything else.

*Now may the God who gives endurance and who supplies encouragement grant that you be of the same mind with one another according to Christ Jesus, so that with one accord you may with one voice glorify and praise and honor the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. Romans 15: 5 - 6*

Pastor Search Committee