

# — First — BAPTIST CHURCH

MANY, LOUISIANA

## *Order of Service*

**March 15, 2020**

*All the Way My Savior Leads Me* .....Hymn #474  
*When the Morning Comes* .....Hymn #615  
 Welcome and Announcements..... Bro. Jonathan Bost  
 Children’s Sermon ..... Bro. Jonathan Bost  
*In the Presence of Jehovah*.....Hymn #75  
*Open the Eyes of My Heart* .....Hymn #66  
*O Mighty Cross* .....Hymn #248  
 Annie Armstrong Easter Offering Video .....*Church Planter in Toronto*  
 Offertory Prayer  
 Giving of Tithes and Offerings  
 Sermon ..... Bro. Jonathan Bost

*Preparation: Anointing at Bethany*

Matthew 26:6-13  
 (Pew Bible p. 913-914)

Invitation ..... *Come Just as You Are* .....Hymn #411  
 Benediction ..... *Chorus of “Because He Lives”* .....Hymn #449

**Birthdays:** Paul Morris (15), Norman Booker, Jr. (17), Margaret Leach (17), Savannah Lee (17), Maegan Burkett (21) & Trent Roark (21).

*Flowers for today’s service are placed by Mr. & Mrs. Mark Jordon in memory of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Harrell Roberson and his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Claude Jordan. Mr. Harrell Roberson’s birthday is March 17<sup>th</sup> and Mr. Claude Jordan’s birthday is in April.*

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| <i>March Special Offering:</i>   |             |
| <i>Annie Armstrong</i>           |             |
| <i>Our Church Goal:</i>          | \$ 3,500.00 |
| <i>Offerings Received:</i>       | \$ 1,750.00 |
| <i>Amount Remaining to goal:</i> | \$ 1,750.00 |

**March’s Special Offerings**  
*Annie Armstrong Easter Offering  
 and Children’s Home Egg Drive*  
 Your support is greatly appreciated.

| Ministry Leaders |                |                  |                     |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Jonathan Bost    | Pastor         | Mark Jordan      | Music Director      |
| Jeffrey Leach    | Youth Director |                  | Children’s Director |
| Worship Team     |                |                  |                     |
| Glenda Merriman  | Pianist        | Merrill Cummings | Organist            |

### **Activities This Week**

|              |            |  |
|--------------|------------|--|
| Today:       | 9:45 a.m.  | Sunday School                              |
|              | 11:00 a.m. | Morning Worship Service                    |
|              | 4:00 p.m.  | Missions & Evangelism Meeting              |
|              | 5:00 p.m.  | Finance Committee Meeting                  |
|              | 6:00 p.m.  | Bible Studies, Children & Youth Studies    |
|              | 7:00 p.m.  | Deacons Meeting                            |
| Monday:      | 7:30 a.m.  | In One Accord Prayer Time                  |
| Tuesday:     | 9:30 a.m.  | WMU Meeting                                |
| Wednesday:   | 5:00 p.m.  | Handbell Choir Practice                    |
|              | 5:30 p.m.  | “Can We Talk”                              |
|              | 6:00 p.m.  | DivorceCare                                |
|              | 6:15 p.m.  | Prayer Meeting                             |
|              | 6:30 p.m.  | Business Mtg, Bible Study, Youth & TeamKid |
|              | 7:30 p.m.  | Choir Practice                             |
| Next Sunday: | 9:45 a.m.  | Sunday School                              |
|              | 11:00 a.m. | Morning Worship Service                    |
|              | 6:00 p.m.  | Bible Studies, Children & Youth Studies    |

### **Looking Ahead:**

- 3/29 [Sunday]: Church Council Meeting.

*For details on these activities, refer to our Newsletter, web-site, or call church office.*

### **Members in Service :**

|                   | <b>Greeters</b>   | <b>Deacon of the Week</b> |
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| <b>Today:</b>     | Suzanne Worsham, Dorothy Alford,<br>Don Scaife, and Jan Varnado | Paul Morris               |
| <b>Next Week:</b> | Shirley Salley and Delores Geoghagan                            | Don Burkett               |

### **Prayer Concerns:**

Dorothy Alford, Murrel Blake, Marilyn Booker, Jimmy Bray, Cassidy Byles, Carolyn Cook, Dean Corley, Merrill & Linda Cummings, Evelyn Dees, Marsha Gentry, Kristi Leach, Cecile & Ellen Lites, Magda McCormick, Margaret Oosta, Ruth Price, Shirley Salley, Evelyn Scaife, Dovie Tarver, Cindy Wright, Doris Wright, Mary Jo Wright, Skeeter & Jan Varnado

### **Vital Statistics**

| Financial<br>March 2020    |             | Attendance |               |         |
|----------------------------|-------------|------------|---------------|---------|
|                            |             | Date       | Sunday School | Worship |
| Monthly Budget Needs:      | \$24,818.74 | 3/1        | 54            | 61      |
| Gifts Received to Date:    | \$13,897.23 | 3/8        | 45            | 41      |
| Budget Needs<br>Remaining: | \$10,921.51 | 3/15       |               |         |
|                            |             | 3/22       |               |         |
|                            |             | 3/29       |               |         |

## Finance Committee Meeting

**Today @ 5 PM**

We request that all committee members attend. If you have questions, contact Paul Morris or the church office.

## Deacons Meeting – Today after Evening Bible Study

Several items are on the agenda for the meeting. All deacons are encouraged to attend.

## Missions & Evangelism Committee Today @ 4:00 PM

We will hold a Missions & Evangelism Committee Meeting on Sunday, March 15 in the Fellowship Hall @ 4:00 P.M. We will be discussing events and activities for the 2020 year as well as discuss the Annual First Responders Appreciation Day. Members of this committee include: Drew Bost, Lucille DeWitt, Mary Gore, Cherie Leach, Charles Mains, Ramona Moore, & Shirley Salley.

### *Events Canceled:*

*Tuesday, March 17<sup>th</sup>: Many Healthcare Birthday Party*

*Wednesday, March 18<sup>th</sup>: The Northwestern BCM Meal*



## Business Meeting on Wednesday, March 18<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 PM

The meeting will take place in the fellowship hall. Church members are urged to attend and take part in important business matters of the church.



## CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

**Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup> @ 5 PM**

**All Committees should meet now!**

It is time for the quarterly Church Council Meeting. All church committees should meet now to plan activities and events for 2020 as well as elect a chairperson if you have not already done so. Committees can contact the church office to schedule meetings and to place them on the church calendar. All church leaders and committee chairpersons are asked to attend the Council Meeting. If you have any items for the agenda and church calendar, contact the church office by Thursday, March 26<sup>th</sup>.

### **W.M.U. Meeting**

**Tuesday, March 17<sup>th</sup> @ 9:30 AM**

This is for all ladies interested in learning and participating in various mission projects. Contact Shirley Salley for info.

### **Open Sanctuary Flower Date** **Sunday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>**

Please contact Mrs. Verda Mains or the church office if you would like to place flowers in honor or memory of someone.

**Time is drawing near to turn in your donations for the Children's Home Egg Drive. You can donate fresh eggs or make a monetary donation so that eggs can be purchased when needed. The Children's Home will pick donations Tuesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>. Please make checks out to Louisiana Baptist Children's Home**

# Preparation: Anointing at Bethany

Matthew 26:6-13

## I. The Woman's C\_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 6-7)

Entering the house, they saw the child with Mary His mother, and falling to their knees, they worshiped Him. Then they opened their treasures and presented Him with gifts: gold, frankincense, and myrrh. Matthew 2:11

"I tell you the truth," He said. "This poor widow has put in more than all of them. <sup>4</sup>For all these people have put in gifts out of their surplus, but she out of her poverty has put in all she had to live on." Luke 21:3-4

Walking Point:

Bring Him Your S\_\_\_\_\_!

## II. The Disciples' C\_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 8-9)

For this oil might have been sold for more than 300 denarii and given to the poor." And they began to scold her. Mark 14:5

"If you want to be perfect," Jesus said to him, "go, sell your belongings and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow Me." Matthew 19:21

Walking Point:

Bring Him Your S\_\_\_\_\_!

## III. The Savior's C\_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 10-13)

"... For there will never cease to be poor people in the land; that is why I am commanding you, 'You must willingly open your hand to your afflicted and poor brother in your land.'" Deuteronomy 15:11

This good news of the kingdom will be proclaimed in all the world as a testimony to all nations. And then the end will come. Matthew 24:14

Walking Point:

Bring Him Your S\_\_\_\_\_!

The Big Idea:

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