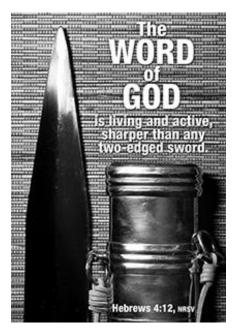
Welcome To **First Baptist Church**Many, Louisiana



May 19, 2024

Our Mission Statement:

Our purpose is to be a unified body seeking to reach up to God, out to people, and down within ourselves to expand God's Kingdom for God's glory.

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 & AnnouncementsBro	. Mark Robinson
Call to Worship	
Be Strong in the Lord	Hymn # 504
PrayerDeacon of the Week	Danny Warmack
Have Faith in God	Hymn #508
Now I Belong to Jesus	Hymn #503
Special Music	
Precious Lord, Take My Hand	Hymn # 450
Message	John Sandel
InvitationMy Jesus, I Love Thee	Hymn #552
BenedictionDoxology	Hymn #668
Gideon Special Offering	

Flowers for today's service are given by the Lites family in loving memory of Les Lites.

<u>Birthdays:</u> Coby Lang (20), Jeff Morrow (23), Danny Warmack (24), and Charles Mains (25).

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 <u>www.fbcmany.org/giving</u> or Text FBCMANY to 73256.

May Offering: Gideon's Offering			
Our Church Goal:	\$ 2,	000.00	
Offerings Received:	\$	0.00	
,Amount short of goal:	\$ 2,	000.00	

May Special Offering's Gideon Offering & FBC Food Pantry Your support is greatly appreciated

Members in Service :			
Greeters		Deacon of the Week	
5/19	Dorothy Alford, Shirley Salley	Danny Warmack	
5/26	Delores Geoghagan, Shirley Salley, and Rocky Wright	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	
	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.	Business Meeting	
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, Merilyn Booker,
Merrill & Linda Cummings, Dub Gentry, Marsha Gentry,
Becky Horner, Ginger Jordan, Terry Kelly, Sr.,
Kristi Leach, Margaret Leach, Claudine Mizell,
Eddie Moore, Jeff Morrow, Rev. Claude Weatherford,
Suzanne Worsham, and Mary Jo Wright
The Jason DeWitt family

Vital Statistics					
Financial		Attendance			
May 2024		Date	Sun. School	Worship	
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$26,100.97	5/5	38	56	
Gifts Received to date:	\$ 7,634.00	512	42	59	
Budget Needs	\$18,466.97	5/19			
Remaining:	φ10,400.9 <i>1</i>	5/26			

Wednesday Night Meal Menu for May 22nd

Pot Luck ** No Charge.

Please bring a Main Dish, Side, or Dessert.

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



We have open dates for Flowers for the Sanctuary on May 26th and June 16th. Please contact the church office so we can schedule you for a date. The flowers

that are placed in the sanctuary add so much beauty to our worship experience.

Gideon Speaker Today

Offering for Gideons to be Collected

We are pleased to welcome John Sandel as our Gideon Speaker today. Our special offering emphasis for May will be collected for the Sabine Parish Gideons. You can give any Sunday during May or by giving at the conclusion of the service. Pray about your part in supporting the Gideons and their mission of placing the Holy Word in the hands of those who need it.

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.

Church Business Meeting Wednesday, May 22nd

@ 6 p.m.

There are several important items to be discussed. Church members are urged to attend. Come be a part of the business matters and decisions of the church.



Announcement from the Church Office

Just a reminder the Church Office will be closed for the next several Monday afternoons. This will allow the office staff to do some

records work, cleaning, and maintenance with minimal interruptions. If it is an emergency, of course we will be there to take care of that. Thank you for your help and understanding about the office closure.

WMU Meeting

On Tuesday, May 21* @ 9:30 AM

We encourage all women who are interested in learning about various mission projects to attend. If you need more information, please contact Shirley Salley. The WMU will not meet this summer. We will resume meeting in the fall.

Charles Mains will be going to Deacon Emeritus. We will recognize him on Sunday, May 26th during the Morning Worship Service. Please attend as we show our appreciation for his many years of serving as a Deacon



Dates for VBS have changed!!

Thursday, June 20th & Friday, June 21st 5 – 8 p.m.

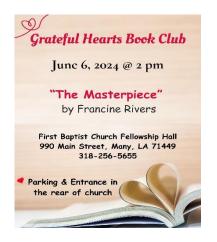
Saturday, June 22nd 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Please mark this on your calendar. If you can help with VBS, please contact Ginger Jordan. Please be in prayer for our VBS, praying for the children and workers, and that we will spread God's message to the children.

We will have grilled hamburgers and hot dogs with all the fixings for those items. You can bring side dishes, chips, dips, and desserts. Please sign up by May 19th so we can prepare adequately. There will be games set



up outside for fun and fellowship. Plenty of fun for young and old to participate in. Invite family and friends to come join in the festivities.



Fourth Friday Fish Fry at Clara Springs

Friday, May 24th is the next fish fry at Clara
Springs Camp. It begins at 5 PM and is \$ 15 per person. Contact Clara
Springs for more details.
Make plans to attend.

Church Office Closed on Monday, May 27th for Memorial Day. Normal office hours will resume Tuesday, May 28th

Sermon Notes:

Church Family,

Unity- The state of being united or joined as a whole.

We, as the Pastor Search Committee, are working hard to seek and find the pastor for our church. Please pray that we can work and be in unity through this process for it is not an easy task. We have setbacks, open doors that close, different views but in the end God is the overseer.

We ask that you continue to pray for us daily as we pray for you and our church also.

And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose.

1 Corinthians 10:31

Pastor Search Committee