

If you are our guest, we have a special gift for you after today's service. So that we can get to know you better, please fill out both sides of this tear-off section and bring it to the Information Center near the columns. We have a gift bag ready for you.

child's name birthdate

Welcome to First Baptist Church! If you are our guest, please take a moment to complete the guest registration attachment that you will find in your bulletin. After completing, tear at the dotted line and bring to our volunteers at our Information Center. We have a gift there for you. We look forward to meeting you. I'm out today, but I hope to meet any guest real soon. Our Administrative Pastor, Bro. Ray Swift, is our preacher today.

We are now only one week away from the beginning of Vacation Bible School. We owe a big “thank you” to everyone who has already volunteered. We need everyone to now be fully engaged not only in praying, but also involved in inviting children. Don’t forget about our evening plans for youth called, “Spirit Week.” All church members can do us a big favor by registering your children in advance.

This weekend, as Americans, we remember those who have died in war so that we might enjoy the freedoms and livelihood that we experience here in these United States. Pray with me that these sacrifices be not in vain, and pray with me for the thousands of men and women who serve us now “in harm’s way.”

Steve



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“Urgent Life Lessons from the Wall Book” Nehemiah 1:3-4

the will of God you have built a wall that needs to be _____ down.

1. It's Time to _____ and _____ for God's Will
 - a. Nehemiah heard, sat down, _____, mourned, fasted and _____.
 - b. Ask God, "What could You do with my _____ in 52 days if I committed myself like the people in the book of Nehemiah?"
 - c. This prayer is both personal and _____.
 - d. Prayer can also be _____.
 - e. Biblical praying is God _____.
2. The _____ of Doing God's Will Brings Sadness and Godly Fear
 - a. Nehemiah's sadness was saturated with _____: vv. 1:5-7.
 - b. In contrast, Jesus said, "I have come that you may have life and have it more _____."
 - c. Lessons in chapters 2 & 4 from the Wall Book in doing God's will.
 1. 2:6 – Some people will be _____.
 2. 2:10 – Some people will not be pleased.
 3. 4:1 – Some will be angry and _____ you for doing God's will.
 4. 4:2-3 – Some will drag others into mocking you.
 5. 4:5b – When you build your wall expect to be _____.

God would say to First Baptist Lafayette – it's time to pray and weep over your sin and the sin of your land. Recognize your sadness and live in the center of My will for your life.



VBS
JUNE 3 - 7

COLOSSAL COASTER WORLD
FACING FEAR, TRUSTING GOD
2 Timothy 1:7

Register your child TODAY at the Information Center near the columns, at the Preschool Check-in Desk, or online at fbclaf.org/vbs.

