Thank You For Coming

If you are our guest, we have a special gift for you after today's service. So 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.

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From Our Pastor

Welcome to First Baptist
Church. If you are our
guest, thank you for
joining us today. We
would love to be able to
get to know you. Take a
moment to register as a
guest using the registration card
attached to the bulletin. We invite
you to bring this registration card
to the Information Desk located
near the front columns. We have a
gift waiting for you there.

Today, I am continuing a three week series on the church. I am calling this brief look at the doctrine of the church—"Called Out." "Called Out" references the New Testament word for the church—ecclesia. Literally, ecclesia means the "called out ones." Today, we are looking at the Biblical image of the Church as the Bride of Christ. We will highlight a few different passages, but mainly confine our study to verses in Revelation 19, 21, and 22.

Finally, today is a 5th Sunday. We have a tradition of receiving a second offering on the 5th Sunday for purposes of benevolence in the community. We will receive this offering as we exit the Sanctuary upon dismissal. Give as generously as you are led.

January 29, 2017

, 2017 Sermon Notes

Called Out: The Bride of Christ Revelation 19:6-8; 21:2, 9; and 22:17

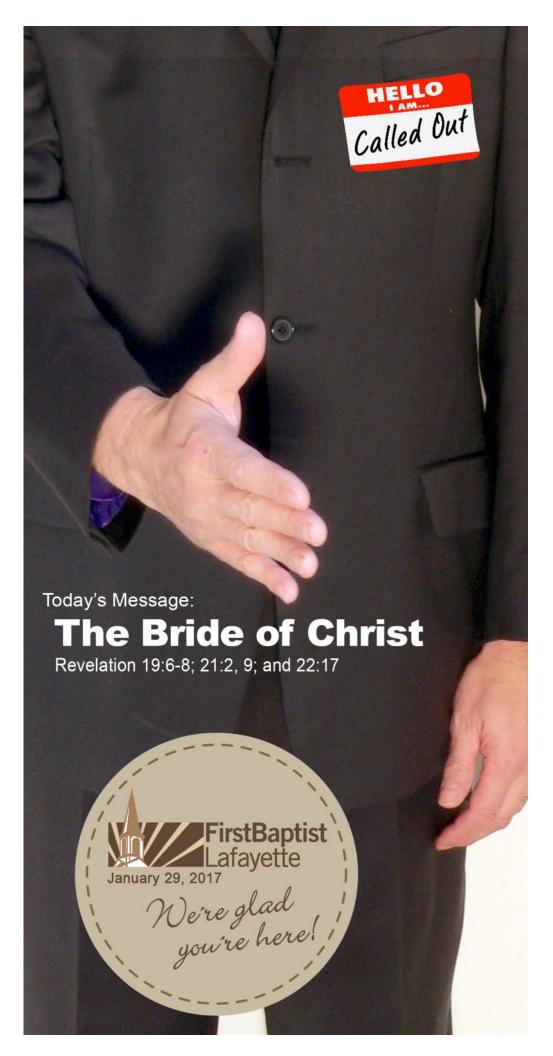
We never get the exact phrase "the bride of Christ" in the Bible but the imagery of the Church as the bride of Christ is throughout the Word of God. Why this analogy? The analogy of the Bride of Christ points us to a . . .

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Jesus and His Church	
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Church	
Marriages of ancient times had two distinct phases.	
What should characterize this interim period?	
•(21:2)	
•(22:17)	
•(22:17)	

So What?







Morning Worship

9:45 a.m.

Come, Christians, Join to Sing Praise Him! Praise Him!

Welcome & Prayer

The Church's One Foundation We Are One Medley

Message

The Bride of Christ

Revelation 19:6-8; 21:2,9; and 22:17 Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

Jesus, Draw Me Ever Nearer

Offertory Prayer

Ronnie Powell, Deacon of the Week

Offertory

11:11 a.m.

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Welcome & Prayer

All the Earth

Revelation 21:1-7

Forever Reign Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine

Offertory Prayer

He's Alive

Message

The Bride of Christ Revelation 19:6-8; 21:2.9; and 22:17

Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

Come As You Are CCLI#615645

The flowers are given in loving memory of Sandy Bedwell by her mother, Bobbie Cogburn, and sister Donna Augustine..

Fifth Sunday Benevolence Offering will be received at the end of each service.

Sympathy

To Debbie Jeffreys in the death of her father, Dudley Joseph Dupre.

To John Sorrel in the death of his father, John David Sorrel, Sr in October and his mother, Barbara Renner Sorrel in January.

To Lisa Sorrel in the death of her mother, Billie Jean Stracener Boney.

Family Fellowship Supper

Menu for Wednesday, February 1 Roasted Pork Salad

Macaroni & Cheese Cornbread Tuscany Vegetable Blend Dessert

Children's Menu: Hot Dogs

French Fries

January 15, 2017

Main School Enrollment 3,542 Attendance 1,025 Average Attendance since Sept. 04, 2016 949

 Offerings
 \$121,015.37

 Budget
 \$111,098.30

 Designated
 \$7,354.07

 ALL IN
 \$2,563.00

 YTD Budget Receipts
 \$224,003.66

 YTD Budget Requirements
 \$251,630.94

This Week

SUNDAY, January 29

8:00 AM Library and Coffee Shop Open

8:30 AM Sunday School 1 Deaf Sunday School

9:45 AM Classic Worship Sunday School 2 Hispanic Sunday School

11:00 AM Sunday School 3 Hispanic Worship Chinese Sunday School

11:11 AM eleven:11 Worship

12:30 PM Chinese Outreach 4:00 PM DivorceCare

GriefShare

4:30 PM Adult & Youth Discipleship Preschool & Children's Choirs English Outreach (Chinese) Library Open

5:45 PM Youth Choir

6:00 PM Evening Worship Bible Drill (grades 1-6)

B.L.A.S.T. (3-5 year olds) 7:00 PM SNL at the College House

TUESDAY, January 31

5:00 PM FAITH Supper 6:00 PM FAITH Visitation

WEDNESDAY, February 1

4:45 PM Family Fellowship Supper 6:00 PM Midweek Service

Hispanic Bible Study
The College Hour
Ignite Youth Worship
RAs Field Trip (grades 1-6)
GAs (grades 1-6)
Mission Friends (3-5 year olds)

Choir Rehearsal Orchestra Rehearsal

THURSDAY, February 2

9:00 AM Precepts Bible Study
Ladies Morning Bible Study

Praver Blanket Ministry

6:00 PM Precepts Bible Study Ladies Evening Bible Study

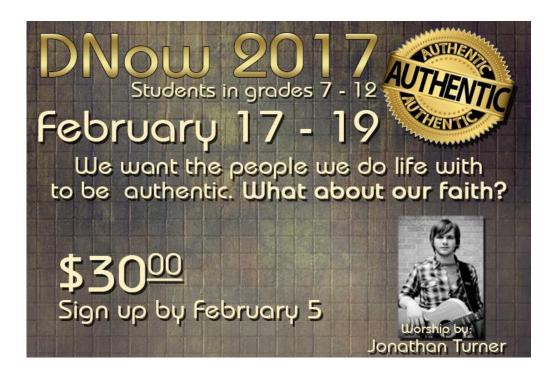
Disaster Relief Training

Saturday, February 18, the Louisiana Baptist Convention will offer Disaster Relief Training at First Baptist Church, Opelousas. It covers feeding, shower/laundry, assessment, mud out, chainsaw and childcare. The session begins at 8:00 a.m.

A two-day course will be offered Friday, February 17, and Saturday, February 18, in Chaplaincy and OSFA (Operational Stress First Aid.)

For more information contact Ray Swift.







We've invited FBCS students, faculty and their families to join us on this Sunday.







A love offering will be received for the General Student Scholarship Fund.



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Your Response

At the invitation time in each service we offer an opportunity for you to publicly make one of the following decisions...

- ...to accept Jesus Christ as your personal Savior.
- ...to join First Baptist by baptism.
- ...to rededicate your life to Christ.
- ...to dedicate your life to vocational Christian service.
- ...to transfer your membership from another Baptist church.

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