

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.

name

address

city state zip

home phone business/cell phone

email

birthdate occupation / school grade

male female
 married single widowed

are you a church member? yes no

where?

I am a first time guest at FBC
 I am new to the Lafayette area
 I want to be enrolled in Bible Study
 I want more info about Bible Study

I attended at
 9:45 a.m. 11:11 a.m. 6:00 p.m.

today's date

spouse's name birthdate
Is spouse present today? yes no

child's name birthdate

child's name birthdate

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From Our Pastor

Welcome to First Baptist Church! We are pleased to welcome those who may be at First Baptist for the first time. We trust you will find us friendly. More importantly, we pray God would use this worship time to draw you closer to Him. We would also encourage you to try one of our small-group Sunday School classes. You can find information about these classes and lots of other news about First Baptist at our Information Center.

We are in the midst of a church-wide challenge called This One Thing. This One Thing is in reference to Jesus' admonition, "My house will be called a house of prayer." Today, we are examining unanswered prayer. I want us to be able to rejoice in answered prayer, but we cannot lose our focus and our faith when God is silent about our requests.

We have a lot of exciting events in the next few weeks. Let's take advantage of all of these opportunities. These are exciting days in the life of our church. Next Saturday, September 23, we are hosting a National Simulcast called Dare2Share. This event is designed for teenagers but all are welcome. This is a great opportunity to be equipped to share your faith in Jesus with others. Then on September 30, our Women's Ministry is hosting their annual Refresh Event. Please take advantage of these great opportunities for fellowship and spiritual growth.

And, finally, please prioritize October 8-11 for the four nights of our This One Thing Prayer Revival.



Sympathy

To the family of Rocco J. Musumeche, Jr.

To the family of Eva Dell Killingsworth Daigre.

To Jason and Marcus Mills in the death of their father, Charles Mills.

Congratulations

To John and Jessica Ward in the birth of their daughter, Elisa Mathilde Ward.



September 17, 2017

Sermon Notes

This One Thing: When Our Prayers Go Unanswered 2 Corinthians 12:1-10

_____ our own lives.

Often times our prayers cannot be answered because of our own

_____. This can be most any form of disobedience against God.

However, the Bible gives us these as specific reasons,

- The sin of _____ (James 1:6-8)
- Sin in a _____ (1 Peter 3:7)
- Wrong _____ (James 4:3)
- An _____ (Matthew 5:22-24)

_____ God's _____ in light of His _____

Sometimes unanswered prayer is the result of our sin, but other times

unanswered prayer is the result of God's _____. When this

occurs, there is going to be either ...

- Greater _____ and _____ in your life, or
- Greater _____ in someone else's life, and
- Greater _____ to God.

_____ again the things you know to be true about God.

- God is _____.
- God _____ me.
- God _____ what I cannot.
- God's grace is _____.

_____ yourself to the will of God.

"Lord, I will always _____ You, and I will always

_____ You."

 First Baptist
Lafayette

September 17, 2017

We're glad
you're here!



Today's Message:

**When Our Prayers
Go Unanswered**

2 Corinthians 12:1-10

Morning Worship

9:45 a.m.

A Mighty Fortress is Our God

Welcome

Be Strong in the Lord

Baptism

Never Once

Pastoral Prayer

Bow the Knee

First Baptist Choir and Orchestra

Jessikah Simon, Solo

Message

When Our Prayers Go Unanswered

2 Corinthians 12:1-10

Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

God Will Take Care Of You

Offertory Prayer

John Bolin, Deacon of the Week

Offertory

11:11 a.m.

You Make Me Brave

Baptism

Welcome & Prayer

Desert Song

Offertory Prayer

Elohim

You'll Come

Message

When Our Prayers Go Unanswered

2 Corinthians 12:1-10

Pastor Steve Horn

Invitation

O Come to the Altar

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The flowers are given in memory of

Helen Peyton

by her daughter and son-in-law,

Scott and Julie Sanders.

Harvey Relief Efforts Continue

First Baptist Lafayette continues its hurricane relief efforts with First Baptist, Vidor, Texas. Teams are being assembled for one-day and three-day trips to clean out flooded homes of church members. For more information contact Ray Swift (ray.swift@fbclaf.org) or Collin Roberts (collin.roberts@fbclaf.org)

This Week

SUNDAY, September 17

8:00 AM Library and Coffee Shop Open

8:30 AM Sunday School 1

Deaf Sunday School

9:45 AM Worship

Sunday School 2

Hispanic Sunday School

11:00 AM Sunday School 3

Hispanic Worship

Chinese Sunday School

11:11 AM Worship

12:30 PM Chinese Outreach

4:00 PM GriefShare

DivorceCare

4:30 PM Adult/Youth Discipleship

English Outreach (Chinese)

Preschool / Childrens Choirs

Library Open

5:45 PM Youth Choir

6:00 PM Worship

B.L.A.S.T. (3-5 year olds)

Bible Drill (grades 1-6)

7:00 PM SNL at the College House

TUESDAY, September 19

5:00 PM FAITH Supper

6:00 PM FAITH Visitation

WEDNESDAY, September 20

4:45 PM Family Fellowship Supper

6:00 PM Midweek Service

Hispanic Bible Study

Ignite Youth Worship

RAs and GAs (grades 1-6)

Mission Friends (age 3-5)

Choir and Orchestra Rehearsal

7:00 PM College Worship at the BCM

THURSDAY, September 21

9:00 AM Women's Bible Study

Precept Bible Study

Prayer Blanket Ministry

6:00 PM Women's Bible Study

Precept Bible Study

SATURDAY, September 23

11:00 AM Dare 2 Share Live

Family Fellowship Supper

Menu for Wednesday, September 20

Chicken Cacciatore w/Spaghetti and sauce

Tuscany Vegetable Blend

Garlic Bread Salad Dessert

Children's Menu:

Chicken Nuggets

French Fries

Women's Ministry presents *Refresh 2017*
Saturday, September 30
TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE INFORMATION CENTER
\$25.00 INCLUDES LUNCH CHILD CARE AVAILABLE
Debbie Stuart Speaker
Kellie & Kristen Worship

GEORGIA BARNETTE STATE MISSIONS OFFERING
Sept. 10-17 FBC Goal \$20,000
FOR THEY ARE READY... JOHN 4:35

Got Groceries?
"It is more blessed to give than to receive." ... Jesus
2017 FALL FOOD ROUNDUP
Drop off donations by October 1
Louisiana Baptist Children's Home & Family Ministries

PRAYER REVIVAL
OCTOBER 8 - 11
DATE - TIME PRAYER LEADER
OCT. 8 - 6:00 PM STEVE HORN - PASTOR, FIRST BAPTIST LAFAYETTE
OCT. 9 - 6:30 PM ROD MASTELLAR - PERSONAL MENTOR OF STEVE ON THE SUBJECT OF PRAYER
OCT. 10 - 6:30 PM DAVID CARLTON - DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS, EVANGELINE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
OCT. 11 - 6:30 PM DAVID HANKINS - EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, LOUISIANA BAPTIST CONVENTION

DARE 2 SHARE LIVE
SEPTEMBER 23, 2017
1 DAY
50+ LOCATIONS
50,000 TEENS
300,000 GOSPEL CONVERSATIONS & YOU!
DARE2SHARELIVE.ORG

ONE DAY THAT WILL SPARK A TEEN-LED MOVEMENT OF GOSPEL CONVERSATIONS FROM COAST TO COAST.
EVANGELISM INSPIRATION, TRAINING AND OUTREACH AT THE EXACT SAME TIME ACROSS THE COUNTRY.

BEGINS WITH: INSPIRATION & TRAINING
TRANSITIONS TO: COMMUNITY OUTREACH & SERVICE
WRAPS UP WITH: PRAYER & PRAISE CELEBRATION
September 23, 2017
www.dare2share.org

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Select: First Baptist Password: lafayette
First Baptist is on TV
Monday - Friday 5:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m.
Sunday 11:00 a.m. & 10:00 p.m.
Cox Ch. 97 LUS Ch. 18 Uverse Ch. 40



Three Ways You Can Participate

- 1 Pray for a particular need with other church members for seven days. The prayer need will be introduced each Sunday morning.
- 2 Participate in the PRAYER REVIVAL each evening, October 8-11
- 3 Make a personal commitment to another PRAYER CHALLENGE.

FEATURED PRAYER CHALLENGES

Pray for SPECIFIC UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS. You can receive an email daily or use an app with information about how to pray for these people groups.

Pray for INTERNATIONAL MISSIONARIES daily using an email with specific requests about prayer needs in their area.

Pray for NORTH AMERICAN MISSIONARIES weekly using an email with specific requests about prayer needs in the U.S. and Canada.

Pray for needs on the PRAYER PAGE OF OUR CHURCH WEBSITE by visiting it regularly.

Please indicate the Prayer Challenge you are considering and we will contact you with more information and resources:

- Pray for specific people groups
- Pray for International Missionaries
- Pray for North American Missionaries
- Pray for requests on church web site

Detach this portion and place in the offering plate, or drop off at the Information Center, or email your choice to thisonething@fbclaf.org.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Pray this week for the Dare 2 Share LIVE event for teens on Saturday

