# 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 this tearoff 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! 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.

Perhaps you have heard it said, "We are always in a crisis, just coming out of a crisis, or about to be in a crisis." So life seems to be! And, this tests our faith or confronts our faith. That has been our theme for the last few weeks. But, in the midst of crisis, there is comfort. We will turn to Isaiah 40 today to see the source of our comfort in the midst of crisis.

You are going to receive a Christmas candy cane today. Yes, you read that right. It still feels like summer outside, but we are closing in on Christmas, and we need your help. This Christmas, we are putting on the Singing Christmas Tree. We need your help! Walk down our Main Street area today and sign up to be on one of our Volunteer Teams for the Tree this year. We need you!



### Women on Mission Meetings

Tuesday, October 9, 9:15 a.m. Assembly Room Thursday, October 11, 6:00 p.m. College House

Adoption and Fostering
Hear testimonies from
Linett Horn and Alisha
Lee, and learn about an
orphanage in Kenya
through the movie,
"Mully"



October 7, 2018 Sermon Notes

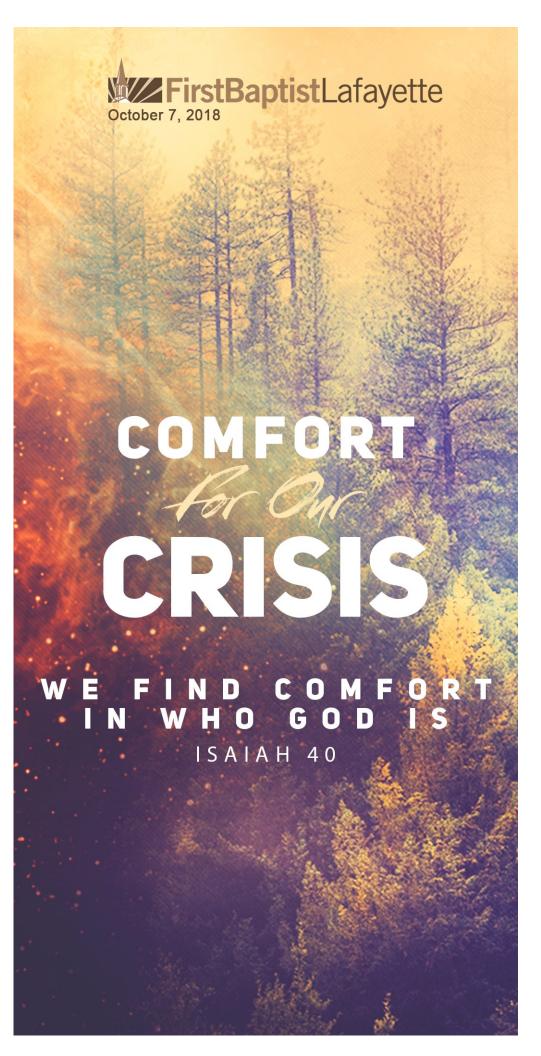
# Comfort for Our Crisis: We Find Comfort in Who God Is Isaiah 40

Where do we find comfort for our crises of life?

I am comforted in the faith that			
•	The	of God	
•	The	Plan in Christ	
•	The	Reign of God	
•	The	of God	
•	The	of God	
I am comforted by the fact that			

So What?





# **Morning Worship**

9:45 a.m.

Sing to the King Medley

**Baptism** 

A Mighty Fortress is Our God

#### Welcome & Prayer

Whom Shall I Fear First Baptist Choir and Orchestra

How Great Thou Art

#### Message

We Find Comfort in Who God Is Isaiah 40

Pastor Steve Horn

#### Invitation

O Come to the Altar

#### 11:11 a.m.

#### Sympathy

Larry Edward Jones.

### This Week

#### SUNDAY, October 7

8:00 AM Library and Coffee Shop Open

8:30 AM Sunday School **Deaf Sunday School** 

9:45 AM Worship

Sunday School Hispanic Sunday School

11:00 AM Sunday School Hispanic Worship Chinese Sunday School

11:11 AM Worship

12:30 PM Chinese Outreach

3:45 PM Coffee Shop Open

4:00 PM GriefShare

DivorceCare

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

Bible Drill (grades 1-6)

7:00 PM Cayenne Supper (College)

Mission Friends (Ages 3-5)

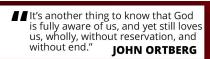
#### **Offertory Prayer** Library Open Connie Moran, Deacon of the Week 5:45 PM Delta Groups (College) 6:00 PM Worship **Upon This Rock** Youth Choir (grades 7-12) First Baptist Orchestra BLAST (Ages 3-5) Your Love Never Fails **Everlasting God TUESDAY**, October 9 9:15 AM Women on Mission Welcome & Prayer 5:00 PM FAITH Supper Fierce 6:00 PM FAITH Visitation Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty **WEDNESDAY**, October 10 **Offertory Prayer** 3:00 PM Prayer Blanket Ministry 4:45 PM Fellowship Supper Living Hope 6:00 PM Midweek Service Message Hispanic Bible Study We Find Comfort in Who God Is Radiate Youth Worship Isaiah 40 RAs and GAs (Grades 1-6) Pastor Steve Horn Adult Choir Rehearsal Invitation Orchestra Rehearsal This is Amazing Grace CCLI#61564 THURSDAY, October 11 9:00 AM Women's Bible Study The flowers are given in memory Precept Bible Study of Mildred Joy by her family. **Prayer Blanket Ministry** 6:00 PM Women's Bible Study Precept Bible Study Women on Mission at Night To Gladys Cornist in the death of her brother.





### **Singing Christmas Tree Volunteer Sign-up Today**

There are many "behind the scene" roles necessary to make "The Singing Christmas Tree" happen. Some of them are: set construction, tree assembly, tree lighting and decorations, costumers, lobby decorators, parking attendants, ushers, ticket takers, technicians, stage hands, fundraising, hospitality and much more. Visit the VOLUN-TEER FAIR on Main Street this morning to learn more or sign up.



# **WOMEN'S MINISTRY BOOK CLUB**

OCTOBER 26 | 7-9PM AT THE COLLEGE HOUSE

SNACKS & DRINKS PROVIDED

**READ THE BOOK FIRST** AND JOIN US FOR DISCUSSION!



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# Sponsored by GRIEF SHARE HOLIDAYS

Help for people facing the holidays after the death of a loved one · after a separation or divorce

November 4

### Family Fellowship Supper

Menu for Wednesday, October 10 Beef Pot Roast Corn

Grilled Chicken Sandwich Chips

Mixed Vegetables Dinner Roll

Children's Menu

Salad Dessert **September 30, 2018** 

926 Average Attendance since Sept. 02, 2018 Offerings \$91,739.13 \$78,174.43 Budget

YTD Budget Receipts YTD Budget Requirements

# Main School Enrollment 3,400 Attendance

Designated \$12,921.70 ALL IN \$643.00 \$3,136,845.23

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New Discipleship Groups for **Adults Begin This Afternoon** 

Abide in Christ **Abide in Christ** is a Bible study based on Andrew Murray's "The True Vine" and delivered in a contemporary, interactive format. This 7-session study is designed for new



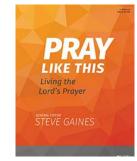
and growing believers in Jesus Christ to learn the secrets of victorious living and to develop a lifestyle that bears lasting spiritual fruit. This course is from the Growing Disciples Series developed by Claude King, co-author of

Experiencing God. Book cost \$10.00.

Begins Sunday, October 7, at 4:30 p.m. 7 sessions - Facilitated by Julie Fossier

### **Pray Like This**

This study shows believers that following Jesus' Model Praver will lead them to fall more in love with God and grow in their desire to engage in



conversation with Him. You'll see the significance of starting your prayers by acknowledging God as Father, learn what it means for His name to be recognized as holy, and discover what you're asking God to do when you pray for His kingdom to come and His will to be done. You'll see what Jesus meant when He told us to ask God for daily bread and understand the importance of asking for forgiveness in your prayers. The study ends by emphasizing the need to ask God to deliver us from the evil one.

Book cost \$10.00 Begins Sunday, October 7, at 4:30 p.m. 7 sessions - Facilitated by Kay Davidson

## THIS ONE THING

Please pray this week for Ray Swift, Laura Vidrine, and Ashley Pittman as they travel to Haiti on mission beginning Friday, October 12.

