

## Pastor's Lines

Dear Church Family,

I am so thankful that you are here today. I pray that the experience of worship and word will bring new conviction and meaning to your life.

Does Jesus have first place in your life? For many of us here today, we would quickly answer YES!!". But upon closer inspection of our lives, do we really put Jesus first in everything we do? The question is not a question of doubt, it is question of conviction and discipline. Our world is so full of details, that Jesus can easily end up in the third row of the minivan, while we are rushing to the next event.

So how do we make sure that Jesus is first in everything we do?

1. Talk about Jesus a lot.
2. Sing about Jesus as often as you can. I have been singing "Jesus What a Beautiful Name" all week. It has helped.
3. Hang out with Jesus people.
4. Meditate on the message of the gospel and share the message of salvation with someone.
5. Read your Bible regularly and be reminded that ALL the promises of Jesus are true...for you.
6. I recently discovered a website that helps me from time to time. [www.openbible.info](http://www.openbible.info) is a topical reference tool that will give you scriptures about anything!
7. Pray often.
8. Pray with your family.
9. Anticipate growth in your relationship to Jesus.

Blessings,  
Dr. j

## Church News



On **February 1<sup>st</sup>**, registration was also opened to the public. The registration fee is **\$50.00**.

### Membership Class

The next membership class has started.

The class will meet on **February 4, 11, 18, and 25 at 9:15 a.m. in the Family Life Center Dining Room.0**

POSITIONS AVAILABLE



**There is a job opening for a CUSTODIAN.** This is a part-time position and would be for the church building from the sanctuary to the refuge area. Contact Brian Wells for more information. Applications can be obtained in the church office.

**There is a job opening for a NURSERY WORKER.** The position would be for Sunday morning and evening and Wednesday evening during church activities. Contact Brian Wells or Nancy Walters for more information. Applications are available in the church office.

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**Mission Committee Meeting** on Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> at 5pm in the Family Life Center.

**Ad Hoc Committee Meeting** on Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> at 5pm in the Family Life Center.



At the present time we do not have a custodian for the church building from the Sanctuary to the Refuge area. The church belongs to each of us who worship here...it is the Lord's house and should be treated as such.

The request being made is that each of you be aware of your surroundings and clean up after yourself or the group you are with. This help is greatly appreciated while we work to identify our next custodian.

Your Properties Committee

### FOOD DISTRIBUTION MINISTRY

Food Distribution will resume on **Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup> from 3-5pm.**

If you are interested in being involved, you are welcome to participate. Thank you for your prayers and service.

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### Student Ministry

[students.fbcjennings.com](http://students.fbcjennings.com)

Students from 7th - 12th grade are encouraged to join us each Wednesday from 5-7 pm for Bible study. Our current series "This Is Your Year" takes us thru having a God-given vision, committing to follow Him, and then join in the service of the church to work together to complete the Great Commission.

Opportunities to join in Student Ministry:

**Wednesday Nights: 5-7pm**

**Sunday Mornings: 9:15-10:15**

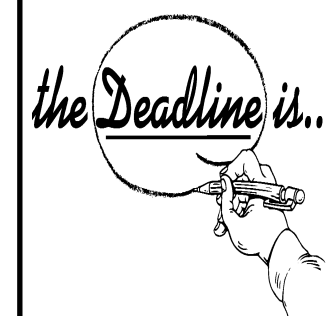
**Sunday Nights: 5-6:30pm**

### \*\*\* Summer Mission Camp \*\*\*

This summer students will be going to the East Texas Baptist University in Marshall, TX for Mission Camp, July 2-6th.

Deadline to signup is January 24th. Deposit of \$60 due February 14th. Total Cost will be \$330.

To send a prayer need to the prayer chain, e-mail Liz Bollich at [bollich@bellsouth.net](mailto:bollich@bellsouth.net) text or call @ (337) 580-2896.



Any articles or postings for the Sunday Bulletin need to be in the office by Wednesday.

Articles for the Newsletter need to be in the office by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month.

Sunday, February 4- Saturday, February 10

**Sunday, February 4:**

9:15 a.m. Sunday School  
 9:15 a.m. Membership Class  
 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship  
 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship  
 5:00 p.m. Discipleship Small Groups  
 5:00 p.m. Kidz Konnection

**Monday, February 5:**

5:00 a.m. FLC Open Exercise Walking  
 3-5 p.m. Food Distribution  
 6:00 p.m. First Place 4 Health

**Tuesday, February 6:**

5:00 a.m. FLC Open Exercise/Walking

**Wednesday, February 7:**

5:00 a.m. FLC Open Exercise/Walking  
 10:00 a.m. Jeff Davis Living Center Sing-a-Long  
 5:00 p.m. Mission Committee Meeting  
 5:00 p.m. Ad Hoc Committee Meeting  
 5:00 p.m. Refuge  
 6:00 p.m. G.A.'s R.A.'s, C.A.'s & Mission Friends  
 6:00 p.m. Mid Week Prayer Service  
 6:00 p.m. Choir Practice

**Thursday, February 8:**

5:00 a.m. FLC Open Exercise/Walking  
 10:00 a.m. Camelot Nursing Home Visitation

**Friday, February 9:**

5:00 a.m. FLC Open Exercise/Walking

**Saturday, February 10:**

**Nursery workers for extended session:**

February 4 Cassandra Garbarino  
 February 11 Carolyn Delahoussaye  
 February 18 Regilyn Carter  
 February 25 Donna Trahan

**Window/Door Offering**

March 19 - Jan 28 \$34,450 received  
 Amount invoiced to date: \$56,706.82  
 Offerings and pledges will continue to be received throughout the construction period.

**CHURCH FINANCES**

Monthly Budget Requirements: \$39,993.17  
 January 2018 Receipts to Date: \$43,015.00



**Welcome**  
 to the worship services of  
**First Baptist Church**

Sunday, February 4, 2018



**TRUE HUMILITY**

<b>Dr. jeff Cook</b> Pastor	<b>Brian Wells</b> Minister of Education & Sr. Adults
<b>Derrick Laughlin</b> Youth Leader	<b>Eric Sonnier</b> Children's Leader

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**Morning Worship**

Welcome & Fellowship

“How Majestic Is Your Name”

“Glorious Is Thy Name”

Scripture Reading & Offering

“How Excellent Is Thy Name”

“Holy Ground”

Children's Dismissal

“My Jesus I Love Thee”

“I Stand in Awe”

Special Music

Sean Keith

Sermon

Dr. jeff Cook

Invitation

“I Am Thine O Lord”

**Evening Activities**

**Evening Worship 5pm**

**Discipleship Small Groups 5pm**

**Kidz Konnection 5pm**

**Sermon Notes**

**When Jesus Takes First Place**

**Colossians 1:15-18**

**When Jesus takes first place:**

**1. We recognize we were created to this**

**2. Performance pressure is relieved**

**3. True humility is learned and practiced.**

**4. Others are invited along (Evangelism)**