

## SERMON NOTES

### Spring Small Groups

Sunday, Mar. 19th @ 5:30 pm

FBC Fellowship Hall

Facilitator-Mike Thomas 417-684-3995

Sheila & Gary Stevens- 603 Jackson St. 417-682-6221

Facilitator-Leon Bishop

Nancy & Kenny McCall – 153 NW 20th Lane, Lamar

Facilitator-Larry Reed

Kenny 417-214-3017 Nancy-417-214-7888

Adam & Cherie Martin- 803 Oak St.

A-417-825-6777 C-417-815-8111

Facilitator- David Roberts

### Safety Tidbit

One of the safety measures in place at First Baptist Church as well as at almost all other churches, is a Background Check.

Anyone 18 years of age & older, planning to work with any age of children are required to have a completed Background Check.

It is at NO COST to you, the church pays for this service. The

Background Checks are good for 5 Years.

All that is required of you, is to come by the office, pick up the form, fill it out and return it. We welcome volunteers for VBS, Nursery, TEAM KIDS, Children's Church, Youth, etc.

Let's do our part to keep our kids safe.

**To Know Christ and To Make Him Known**

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### MINISTRY OF PRAYER CHURCH FAMILY

Gary Melton Don Selvey Lorraine Vice Beverly Ramseyer  
Sue Ann Noll Melanie Bruffett Gary Swor  
Russ Bennett Barb Gaines Brett & Bill Bowman

### EXTENDED CHURCH FAMILY

Elizabeth & Lance James, daughter/son in law of James & Rosmarie McMullen  
Suzanne Cloyed Bro. Ken Roller  
Dixie McLain, sister of Sharon Ramey  
Ray Meliza, Tom Doyle's bro-in-law  
Mark Fleming, friend of Laurann Robertson Tina Walker, sister of Cindi Sprouls  
Peggy Buchanan, mother of Debbie Marti  
Travis Stroud, son of Carol Stroud Carla Wagner, sister of Denise Hodson  
Jeanie & Bill Burkhardt, sister and brother in law of David Thrasher  
Kim Tilford, sister of James McMullen  
Billy Schnauffer, brother in law of Gary & Nina White  
Scott Gordon, friend of Bruffett's & Sandberg's Rod Jurgens, friend of Sheila Stevens  
Nancy Kirby, Kay McKee's sister in law Becky Howell, friend of Teresa Roberts  
Tyler Worthington, grandson of Shirley Hildebrand  
Jessica Query, sister-in-law of Kerri Beshore

### MILITARY/1st RESPONDER PERSONNEL

Taylor Sheat, National Guard, nephew of Chris Sheat  
Rene Gamache-Army, husband of Jerica (Stahl) Gamache  
Brian Jenkins- Grandson of Maxine Francis  
Caleb Stevens- USAF Las Vegas, NV, son of Gary & Shelia Stevens  
Richard Jones - Army-Washington, son of Linda Jones  
Joey Rossiter - North Carolina, grandson of Sue Hobson  
Merissa Schmidt - San Antonio, granddaughter of Wanda Reno  
Mark Jones -Navy- Illinois, son of Linda Jones  
Nathan Davis-National Guard, husband of Sarah Davis

### MISSION OUTREACH

Bldg. Committee/Project Pastoral Staff Lamar's Unchurched  
Issues in Haiti /Ukraine Haiti Mission Trip

*(Prayer requests will be left in Bulletin for 3 weeks unless updated)*

Dr. Robert Hodson, Senior Pastor  
Steve Livingston, Worship Leader & Family Ministries  
Chris Roth, Youth & Outreach Director  
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**First  
Baptist  
Church**

*Connect, Grow  
Serve, Go*

March 12, 2023

Prelude Annie Armstrong Video

Welcome/Announcements Pastor Robb

“Let Your Kingdom Come”

Call To Worship Acts 4:31 Mike Thomas

Invocation Prayer

“In The Garden”  
(Hymn # 187)

Children's Feature Pastor Robb  
(Children ages 3-6 are dismissed to Children's Church)

“The Lord's Prayer (It's Yours)”  
“Give Me Faith”

Offertory Prayer Sterling Moore

Worship Through Giving

Offertory Brenda Smith

“Ivory Palaces / Seeking For Me”

Message in Song Sanctuary Choir  
“New Name Written Down In Glory”

Message “The Garden” Pastor Robb  
Matthew 26:36-46  
(page 985-986 in your pew Bible)

Response to Message “All The Way My Savior Leads Me”  
 (“Hymn # 62)

Closing Prayer Oscar Bronson

*Young At heart Meeting*  
 Tuesday, March 14th @ 5:00 pm  
*POTLUCK Supper*  
 A-J Bring: Vegetable/Salads K-R Bring: Desserts  
 S-Z Bring: Meat/Casseroles  
 Guest Speaker: Tammy Bartholomew/ ShowMe Youth Ag Academy


**Upcoming Meetings**  
 Sun. Mar. 19th 3:00 pm  
 OPBA Semi- Annual Meeting  
 @ Cornerstone Church  
 Sun. Mar. 26th 4:00 pm Deacon's Mtg.

**Haiti Mission Trip**  
 March 15-22  
 Please be in prayer for the Mission Team  
 this week as they prepare to leave.  
 Pam & David Caruthers Hailey & Ethan Chandler  
 Steve Ijames Chris Roth David Jung  
 Steve Livingston Rebecca Wagner Lisa McCall  
 Kim Morris Blythe & Cameron Potter

**VBS Work Days**  
 Thurs. & Fri.  
 9:00 am  
 Mar. 16th & 17th  
 If you like to cut,  
 draw, paint, staple, and make copies, then  
 join us for a time of fun.

**March is the last month to send  
 follow up cards to your child from  
 VBS Spark Studios.**  
**Be sure to include KIDS DAY OUT**  
**Sat. April 22nd @ 9:00 am**  
**@ Lamar Park for donuts, juice & fun.**  
**Dates for this years' VBS**  
**TWISTS & TURNS is July 9th-13th.**

**Volunteers for Next Week-Mar. 19th**  
**Kingdom Kids-Nursery**  
 Coordinator: Beverly Ramseyer  
 Workers: Cindi Sprouls / Jennifer Ramseyer  
**Greeters**  
 NE Door: Barbara Phipps  
 NW Door: Val / Bernie Waggoner  
 SW Door: Jim / Linda Coon  
 SE Door: Dean Westbay  
**Connection Center**  
 Carol Reavley  
**Audio/Visual**  
 Sound: Damon Hall  
 Lights/Video: Kale Regier  
**Children's Church**  
 Beth Fowler  
**Deacon of the Month**  
 Gerald Swearingen / Wayne Dingman

*With Deepest Sympathy to:*  
  
 Shirley Dingman in the loss of  
 her brother, Kevin Meadows.

  
**Annie Armstrong Easter Offering**  
*will be received*  
*Now till Easter Sunday, April 9th.*  
*Our Goal is \$12,000*

**THIS WEEK AT FBC**  
**SUNDAY, MAR. 12**  
 8:00 am Instrumental & Audio-Visual Rehearsal  
 9:00 am Sunday School  
 10:15 am Worship Service  
 5:30 pm Fellowship Supper  
 6:00 pm Business Meeting  
**TUESDAY, MAR. 14**  
 4:30 pm **NO** Temple Training  
 5:00 pm YAH Meeting  
**WEDNESDAY, MAR. 15**  
**Spring Break**  
 5:30 pm Praise Team  
 6:00 pm **NO**-TEAM KIDS  
 6:30 pm Sanctuary Choir  
 Women's Bible Study  
 Hebrews Bible Study/Prayer  
 Men's Ministry Bible Study  
 7:00 pm **NO**-Collision Youth  
 7:15 pm Adoration & Praise Handbells  
**THURS. MAR. 16**  
 9:00 am VBS Workday  
 1:30 pm Women's Bible Study  
**FRIDAY, MAR. 17**  
 9:00 am VBS Workday  
**SUNDAY, MAR. 19**  
 8:00 am Instrumental & Audio-Visual Rehearsal  
 9:00 am Sunday School  
 10:15 am Worship Service  
 3:00 pm OPBA Semi-Annual Meeting-  
 Cornerstone Church  
 5:30 pm Small Groups

**Baptist Hill**  
 Summer Staff Help Needed.  
 \$13.00 per hr. Room & Meals included.  
 Mid-May thru 3rd week of August.  
 Applications in Church office. 17 & over

**Lamar Plaza Theater**  
 Is sponsoring  
**Community Youth Night at the Plaza**  
**Tonight-Sunday, March 12th @ 7:00 pm**  
**Showing "Jesus Revolution"**  
**Free Admission**

**Donations for Operation Christmas Child Packing Parties**  
 It is time to begin preparing for the Youth and Children Operation Christmas Child Packing Parties that will be held in October. A goal has been set for the youth and children to pack a total of 150 shoeboxes. Church-wide collections will be held March through September with specific items collected each month. A list of monthly donation items is available to help plan, prepare and purchase the needed items through the year.  
**March items: bars of soap, toothbrushes and gloves**  
 We need 150 of each item. Please bring the items to the church and put them in the tubs provided.  
 Your participation in this ministry is very important for it to be successful and will allow our children and youth an opportunity to serve through a "hands-on" activity.  
 Later in the year individuals and families will have the opportunity to personally fill shoeboxes. It is our prayer that more children will have the joy of receiving a gift and an opportunity to hear the Gospel.  
 Serving God together,  
 Operation Christmas Child at First Baptist Church Lamar