SERMON NOTES

Spring Small Groups TODAY , 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 Don Selvev Lorraine Vice **Beverly Ramsever**

Garv Melton Sue Ann Noll Melanie Bruffett Gary Swor Russ Bennett Barb Gaines Brett & Bill Bowman

EXTENDED CHURCH FAMILY

Kevin Chastain. cousin of Teresa Roberts Bill Griffitt. Uncle of Leena Harris Elizabeth & Lance James, daughter/son in law of James & Rosmarie McMullen Suzanne Cloved 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 Schnaufer, brother in law of Gary & Nina White Scott Gordon, friend of Bruffet'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 Querry, 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

> Dr. Robert Hodson, Senior Pastor Steve Livingston, Worship Leader & Family Ministries Chris Roth, Youth & Outreach Director P.O. Box 426, 1301 E 6th Street - Lamar, MO 64759 fbclamar.org 417-682-3538





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Church

Prelude Annie Armstrong Video Welcome/Announcements Pastor Robb

"Mighty To Save"

1 John 1:9

Call To Worship

Gerry Garrett

Invocation Prayer

Gerry Garrett

"At The Cross" (Hymn # 139)

Children's Feature

Pastor Robb

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

"Living Hope"

Offertory Prayer

Dean Westbay

Pastor Robb

Worship Through Giving Offertory/Message in Song Brenda Smith (Beneath The Cross/ At The Cross) "The Look" Message Luke 22: 54~62

(page 1045 in your pew Bible)

Response to Message

"The Wonderful Cross" (Hymn # 144)

Closing Prayer

David Roberts

Please be in prayer for our Haiti	
Mission Team- scheduled return	
Date: March 22nd	
Pam & David Caruthe	rs Lisa McCall
Steve Livingston	Hailey & Ethan Chandler
Kim Morris	Blythe & Cameron Potter
Chris Roth	Rebecca Wagner

Welcome New Members

Russ & Rita Bennett

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

Upcoming Meetings TODAY @ 3:00 pm **OPBA Semi- Annual Meeting** @ Cornerstone Baptist Church Sun. Mar. 26th 4:00 pm Deacon's Mtg. Prayer Warrior Banquet Monday, April 3rd 5:30 pm Please call church office to R.S.V.P. 417-682-3538 Our speaker will be Dr. Zachary Harris We are asking you as a Prayer Warrior to help with the food. A-M Bring: Salads N-Z Bring: Desserts March is Volunteer **Recruitment Month:** Please turn in your Volunteer sheets or contact the church office so we can plug you in to helping. 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. 26th

Kingdom Kids-Nursery

Coordinator: Ann Chesnut Workers: Tanya Potter / Blythe Potter

GreetersNE Door :Tharran / Barb GainesNW Door:Ron / Melanie BruffettSW Door:Eva BuchananSE Door :Jerry / Jeremy Marti

Connection Center Rosmarie McMullen

Audio/VisualSound:Todd KingLights/Video:Valerie Waggoner

Children's Church Beth Fowler

Deacon of the Month Gerald Swearingen / Wayne Dingman



Annie Armstrong Easter Offering Will be received Now till Easter Sunday, April 9th. Our Goal is \$12,000 Received to date: \$2505.00

THIS WEEK AT FBC

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 5:30 pm Small Groups

TUESDAY, MAR. 21 4:30 pm Temple Training

WEDNESDAY, MAR. 22 5:30 pm Praise Team 6:00 pm TEAM KIDS 6:30 pm Sanctuary Choir Women's Bible Study Hebrews Bible Study/Prayer Men's Ministry Bible Study 7:00 pm Collision Youth 7:15 pm Adoration & Praise Handbells

THURS. MAR. 23 9:00 am Women's BSF 1:30 pm Women's Bible Study

SUNDAY, MAR. 26

8:00 am Instrumental & Audio-Visual Rehearsal 9:00 am Sunday School 10:15 am Worship Service 4:00 pm Deacon's Meeting 5:30 pm Final Small Group-Potluck Supper Fellowship Hall

> Meals on Wheels March 2023 Schedule

Monday, March 27th

Alan & Susan Ray

Larry Reed

Tuesday, March 28th

Curt Roland