

WELCOME!

If you are visiting with us, we would like to give you a special welcome this morning and make you aware of a few things:

- Please stop by the welcome table across the hall to select a tote bag of your choice as our gift to you.
- If you would like to leave your children in our nursery, you will find it along the main hallway toward the North end of the building.
- You are welcome to join us for coffee and snacks in our fellowship hall.
- At 9:30am, we offer small group Bible studies, which we call ConneXion Groups. If you'd like help finding one, just ask a pastor.
- We would love it if you would take a moment to fill out the visitor card inserted into this bulletin so we have a record of you being here.

F.A.Q.

How can I know peace with God? You may be surprised to find that the Bible is very clear on this. You must:

Believe in Jesus as Lord and Savior (Acts 16:31)

Repent, turn from sin, and turn to God (Acts 3:19)

Confess Jesus as the Lord of your life (Romans 10:9)

What should I do after I have been saved?

You should follow the Lord's command to be baptized as a believer. Because He was baptized by immersion as an adult, we practice believer's baptism by immersion at First Baptist. Just step forward during the invitation time and tell our Pastor you'd like to be baptized.

How do I become a member of First Baptist Church?

- By profession of faith and baptism by immersion.
- By promise of a letter of recommendation from another Southern Baptist Church, or another Baptist Church of like faith and order, or
- By statement of prior conversion experience and baptism by immersion.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor's Appreciation Month -We are so blessed to have Pastor Duane and Denise and Pastor Matt and Lucy as the Shepherds of our church. We have the great honor of praying for them for specific areas of their lives. Please use your calendar to pray for the Pastors and their wives this month. There are extra copies of the prayer calendar in the Preschool hallway rack.

Nominating Committee will meet **today** at **4:00pm**.

New meeting time -Youth Escape is now meeting at **5:00pm**.

New Members & Church Leadership II sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board near the Nursery. Classes will meet beginning **today - Nov 12th** at **5:00pm** on **Sunday** evenings.

ConneXion Groups study schedule for the week of **Oct 23-29** is Genesis 43.

Church shirts - Orders are due **today**. See Stacey Seaney with any questions.

Men's Breakfast at Cracker Barrel in Shiloh this **Saturday, Oct 28th** at **8:00am**. Contact Tim Seaney by **Thursday, Oct 26th** if you plan to attend. Tim can be reached at tsseaney@yahoo.com or 618-973-2756.

FBCM Harvest Fest will be from **5:00pm - 7:30pm** on **Tuesday, October 31st**. Please invite your friends to this fun and exciting event. This is open to the community. **Individually wrapped candy is needed** for the Harvest Fest. There is a drop off box in the hallway for you to place your donations. See Shelby Wilson with any questions or text her at 618-520-2783.

Boy Scout Food Drive will be on **Saturday, November 18th**. Concerned Christians Food Pantry depends heavily on these donations to fill the shelves of the pantry. Have your food out by your mailbox no later than **8:30am** that day. *

Christian Activity Center's latest e-mail thank you message is available to read on the bulletin board in the Preschool hallway.

AWANA Missionaries, Don & Nancy Estep, have sent a thank you card to us regarding our pledge to support them at **\$30.00** per month. The card is on the Nursery bulletin board.

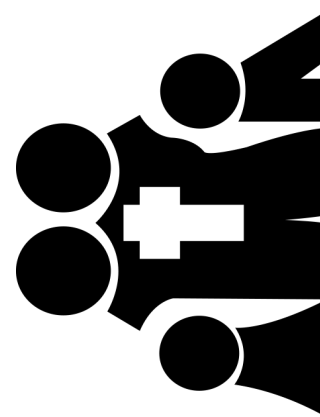
New address - William and Elizabeth Lewis' new address is posted on the bulletin board near the Nursery.

* Please see bulletin board near Nursery for further information



Everyone is welcome to connect to our wireless guest network, FBCM-Guest. The password is **BeOurGuest**. Please note: All users of our network consent to monitoring.

10-22-17



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF MASCOUTAH

A Family Helping Families Connect With Christ

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Sunday Worship 10:45am
Small Group Bible Study 9:30am
Sunday Church Development 5:00pm
AWANA Wednesday 6:15pm



Senior Pastor, Duane Smith
Assoc. Pastor, Worship Pillar Head, Matt Burton
Evangelism Pillar Head, Not filled
Ministry Pillar Head, Not filled
Fellowship Pillar Head, Shelby Wilson
Discipleship Pillar Head, Kurt Grady
Secretary, Bev Reeves
Deacon, Kevin Hutchison
Deacon, Sam Graf
Deacon, Tim Seaney
Deacon, Randy Bodiford

JESUS ENABLED US TO RESIST TEMPTATION 1 Corinthians 10:13
Message Outline for Sunday Morning, 10/22/17

Purpose for Message: To help us realize that we do not have to give in to temptation. We have the Spirit of God and can have victory over temptation.

INTRODUCTION:

- A. Bible Personalities Who Have Encountered Temptation
- B. What Makes the Difference Between Victory and Failure?
- C. Scripture and Outline

I. KNOW WHAT TEMPTATION IS

- A. What Temptation is not

- B. What Temptation is

- C. God does not Tempt

II. KNOW HOW TEMPTATION WORKS

- A. Overtaken

- B. Common

III. WE MUST CHOOSE TO ESCAPE

- A. God is Faithful

- B. A Way to Escape

- C. We Can Endure it

CONCLUSION

Family Discussion Questions:

- Think back on the last time you were tempted to sin: how did you handle it?
- Are there particular areas in life that you find more temptations presenting themselves? What are they? Why do you think that is?
- Do you find yourself making excuses as to why it is okay to act on the temptation? What is the motivation: flesh or Spirit?
- Do you make provision to sin, making falling into temptation a foregone conclusion?
- With the Spirit's help make a plan to escape your particular temptation.
- Find someone to help you stick to the plan when temptation comes your way.

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Today

- 9:30 am ConneXion Group Bible Study
- 10:45 am Worship Service
- 4:00 pm Nominating Committee Meeting
- 5:00 pm New Members & Leadership II Classes
- 5:00 pm Youth Escape
- 6:00 pm Choir Practice

Wednesday

- 6:15 pm AWANA "Crazy Hair Night"

Saturday

- 8:00 am Men's Breakfast @ Cracker Barrel in Shiloh

MONEY COUNTERS

- Today** Jamey Wiscombe & Sam Graf
- Next Sun** Candy Wiscombe & Angie Haas

NURSERY

- Today**
- 10:45am Jamey Wiscombe & Sunie Grossman
- Next Sunday**
- 10:45am Sharon Reed & Angie Haas

WORSHIP PRAYER TEAM

- Today** Ruby Walker & Melody White
- Next Sun** Jamey Wiscombe & Carl Schaeffer

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE FIGURES

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| ConneXion Groups | 104 |
| AM Worship Service | 107 |

LORD'S SUPPER & BAPTISM SUNDAY

If you know Jesus as your Lord and want to be baptized, talk to one of the pastors about which date works best:

December 24, 2017

SEPTEMBER BUILDING FUND

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| Received | \$1,323.00 |
| Balance | \$793,443.29 |

SEPTEMBER TITHES & OFFERINGS

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| Undesignated Gifts | \$15,116.44 |
| Expenses | \$17,714.98 |
| Operating Loss | \$2,598.54 |

WHO ARE WE PRAYING FOR THIS WEEK?

Jung Companies
 Kappert Construction Co., Inc.
 Keller Family Chiropractic

See bulletin board near the Nursery for more details about how to contact these businesses to let them know that we are praying for them.

If you did not use your visitor card/prayer request card, would you help us control costs and return yours to one of the ushers on your way out this morning? Thank you for your help.