

GATHER

for worship, discipleship & fellowship

Welcome to Worshipers

"Rejoice, the Lord Is King"

302

"Joy to the World"

181

"Revelation Song"

GIVE

of your time, talents, and resources

Offertory

"All On a Silent Night"

Sanctuary Choir

"That's Why We Praise Him"

218

"Mighty to Save"

Message

Dr. Patrick Hunter

"Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

420

GO

to families, our community, and to the world

"All Is Well"

204

The Message

This is the Messiah: **Sent to Redeem His Chosen** *Isaiah 53:1-6*

He Would _____ as Expected. (v.1-2)

He Would _____ Welcomed. (v.3)

Yet Thankfully He _____ Our Sin. (v.4)

And He Still Offers _____. (v.5)

Because All Desperately Need _____. (v.6)

Lessons to Learn

_____ Preconceived Notions.

_____ to Turn Away.

_____ His Amazing Gift.

Conclusion:

Messiah was sent to provide _____ path to forgiveness.

Prelude

Michele Smith

"Shout to the Lord"

133

"Draw Me Close"

482

"Word of God, Speak"

Prayer and Welcome

"Isn't He"

214

"O Come, All Ye Faithful"

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"Good, Good Father"

Message

Dr. Patrick Hunter

"Find Us Faithful"

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The Message

Acts: **God Blesses Faithfulness** *Acts 13:13-52*

The Team _____ For Worship. (v.13-15)

Paul _____ Common Ground. (16-25)

Paul _____ the Gospel. (v.26-31)

Paul _____ Them to Decide. (v.32-41)

Paul _____ Connection with Them. (v.42-43)

The Team _____ God's Moving. (v.44-52)

Lesson to Learn

Do _____ and You'll Feel Right.

Conclusion:

Seek to live in the center of God's will for your life

on a _____ basis.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS—The menu for Dec 7th is Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Potato Salad, Chips and Dessert. Child option every week: Chicken Nuggets. Please text or call Dean Maddox, 214-808-3821/903-628-2763 or **call the church office before noon on Tuesday.**

CHRISTMAS PARADES—First Baptist Church will have a float in two upcoming Christmas Parades; Saturday, **Dec. 10th** at 5 pm in New Boston and Monday, Dec. 5th at 7 pm in Texarkana. We need workers to help get the float ready. If you want to volunteer to help, please contact Millie Koch at 1-903-423-7234 and plan to attend the parades to "cheer" for FBC! **PLEASE NOTE THE DATE CHANGE FOR THE NEW BOSTON PARADE.**

REMINDER—Dec 30th will be the last day to bring any contributions for 2016 to the church office. Please be here by Noon that day.

WOMEN ON MISSION—Will meet on Tuesday, Dec. 6th at 10:00 am as a part of the Week of Prayer for International Mission Program. Coffee and sweets will be served.

DEACONS ON CALL

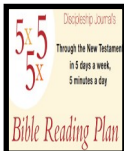
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Billy McAnally
Justin Reid

Commitment Counselors

David Daniel
Brenda Harmon



This Week's Bible Reading

Today: Revelation 5

Monday 5: Revelation 6
Tues. 6: Revelation 7
Wed. Reflection

Thurs. Reflection
Fri. 9: Revelation 8
Sat. 10: Rev. 9

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

READY TO GIVE—But you forgot your checkbook and there is little cash in your wallet? You can scan this code with your smartphone where you will be linked to our on-line giving page. Thanks for being a GIVING part of the First Family.



OFFERING ENVELOPES—The 2017 Offering envelopes are on tables in the hallways soon. Please take one box for each member of your family. Use them each week to ensure that your contributions are posted correctly. Please print clearly!

LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING BEGINS TODAY—

Offerings will be accepted through December 31st. Our goal is \$18,000. Please pray about your part in our missions offering.

CHRISTMAS DAY REMINDER—There will only be the 11:00 am worship service with no Sunday School activities and no evening service.

NEW YEAR'S DAY REMINDER—There will be both Sunday School activities and the 11:00 am worship service. There will be no evening activities or evening service.

SENIOR ADULT CHOIR—Will be traveling to DeKalb to the Ponderosa Nursing Home on Wednesday. We will eat at The Junction afterward.



Restroom Remodel Fund

Given: \$ 9,542.00 (Goal: \$30,000)



THE WEEK AHEAD

TODAY	DECEMBER 4
9:15 am	Worship Team Rehearsal
9:45 am	Sunday School Hour
11:00 am	Worship in the Morning
6:00 pm	Worship in the Evening
MONDAY	DECEMBER 5
6:00 pm	Willing Workers Class Party (HR)
TUESDAY	DECEMBER 6
10:00 am	Women on Mission
1:00 pm	Men's Bible Study (Revelation Study)
6:00 pm	Open Bible Study (Lydia Classroom)
6:00 pm	Joy Class Party (HR)
WEDNESDAY	DECEMBER 7
6:00 am	Men's Bible Study
10:15 am	Senior Adult Choir—Ponderosa Nursing Home
4:00 pm	Vibrations
5:00 pm	Bible Drill
5:15 pm	Fellowship Meal
6:00 pm	Prayer Time
6:30 PM	Mission Friends, GA's, K-Bam, Youth Worship, Sanctuary Choir, Adult Celebration Service
7:30 pm	Praise Team
THURSDAY	DECEMBER 8
1:00 pm	Men's Bible study (Theop. Classroom)
	Sew Much More

LITTLE SPROUTS—MOTHER'S DAY OUT—Starting after Christmas our Little Sprouts (MDO) program will have openings in both the 3 and 4 year-old classes. The program is Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 am—2 pm. Please call 903-280-6878 for more information.

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*This is
Jesus
Messiah*

For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6 ESV

Welcome to New Boston's First Baptist Church...a church committed to Gathering, Giving, and Going for the Lord Jesus Christ, our community and the world! We are so glad you made the positive choice to be here today. Our prayer for you is to experience God's grace in such an amazing way you'll talk about it all week. In fact, helping people find the pathway to God is why we are here. Let us know how we can help you on your journey.

December 4, 2016