



*Welcome to First Baptist Church, Shreveport. We are a family of faith, from diverse backgrounds and ages, committed to following Jesus together. We strive to grow together in faith, to love God in our worship, and to embrace the call of Jesus in missions and ministry. I hope you experience God in a special way in worship today. We have Bible Study groups for all ages at 9:15 am each Sunday, and these are a great way to get to know the church.*

*Welcome to the First Baptist Family!  
Jeff*

## *Sermon Notes:*

## *Announcements:*

Today's worship service will be broadcast on KPXJ CW21 next Sunday at 8:00 am.

**To our Guests:** We are delighted that you joined us today! Near each entrance to the church, we have guest information packets. These include both information and a couple of small gifts you may enjoy. Please join us, again, in the future. Our Pastor would love to meet you as you leave the sanctuary!

**Attention Parents:** Our cry room is located in the Bridal Suite on the West side of our Foyer. There are kids' worship folders located in each side hall of the Sanctuary.

We will be taking photos for our online directory next Sunday, November 12. These times are for new members, families with additions, and those who have not yet had their pictures taken. Look for the large "Photos Here" signs.

Celebrate the **Day of Prayer of the Baptist Women's division of Baptist World Alliance** with us at Summer Grove Baptist Church tomorrow at 10:00 am. Lunch will be served. This year's focus is Africa and thousands of women over 7 continents will be praying on this day for specific worldwide causes/needs. Contact Bettye Ann McQueen for more information.

**Operation Christmas Child** boxes are ready for pick-up. Pick up a box, direction sheet and boy/girl labels. Please have your box(es) back to the table by Sunday, November 12.

Join us for our **Veterans Day program, A Tribute Through Music**, Thursday, November 9 at 6:00 pm in the Sanctuary. Our Sanctuary Choir, First Baptist Church School Choirs and Orchestra will lead our tribute to those who have served our country.

**Church Conference** is Sunday, November 12 following morning worship in the Sanctuary.

**The Chocolate Project** is Sunday afternoon November 12. Learn how to make yummy chocolate treats. It will be in the Activities Center from 3:00-5:00 pm. Cost is \$5.00 per person and \$10.00 per family.

**Give Thanks Sunday** is November 19. Join us as we have a joint worship, here at FB, with United Outreach Church. Following worship we will have our traditional **Loaves & Fishes** lunch in Fellowship Hall.

### **Our Staff**

Dr. Jeff Raines, Pastor  
 Rev. Clista Adkins, Minister of Discipleship  
 Dr. Glen Adkins, Minister of Music  
 Dr. James Gillespie, FBC School, Head  
 Meredith Hanna, Minister to Children  
 Andy Liu, Chinese Mission Pastor  
 Rev. Katie Mussat, Minister to Students  
 Tara Partington, Organist  
 Eric Vandiver, Pianist  
 Heather Vandiver, Music Associate  
 Rev. Ronney Joe Webb, Minister of Family Life and Missions

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# Worship

Prelude  
Tara Partington, organ

*Praised Be You, Jesus Christ*  
Samuel Scheidt

\*Hymn of Praise 27

*All Creatures of Our God and King*

All creatures of our God and King,  
Lift up your voice and with us sing, Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Thou burning sun with golden beam,  
Thou silver moon with softer gleam.  
O praise Him, O praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong,  
Ye clouds that sail in heav'n a long, O praise Him! Alleluia!  
Thou rising morn in praise rejoice,  
Ye light of evening, find a voice!  
O praise Him, O praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless,  
And worship Him in humbleness, O praise Him! Alleluia!  
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,  
And praise the Spirit, Three in One!  
O praise him! O praise him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

\*Invocation

Clista Adkins

Welcome to Worshippers

\*Doxology

Children's Sermon

Ronney Joe Webb

\*Hymn

*Open the Eyes of My Heart*

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord; open the eyes of my heart.  
I want to see You, I want to see You.  
Open the eyes of my heart, Lord; open the eyes of my heart.  
I want to see You, I want to see You.  
(continued)

To see You high and lifted up, shining in the light of Your glory,  
Pour out Your power and love, as we sing holy, holy, holy.

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord; open the eyes of my heart.  
I want to see You, I want to see You.  
Open the eyes of my heart, Lord; open the eyes of my heart.  
I want to see You, I want to see You.

Holy, holy, holy; Holy, holy, holy;  
Holy, holy, holy; I want to see You.  
Holy, holy, holy; Holy, holy, holy;  
Holy, holy, holy; I want to see You.

Scripture Reading Ronney Joe Webb  
Hebrews 12:1; Phillipians 1:3 (pew Bible pages 852 & 830)

In Remembrance

Marjorie Alvord	Pierce Graham	Dale Sandifer
Marie Blair	Novelin Heffner	John Shaw
Justin Breithaupt	Norbert Johnson	Zemma Smith
Susanne Chamblee	Millie Kelley	Evelyn Theis
Nelda Click	Leo Kissinger	Roger G. Ulmer
Evelynn Cole	John David Logan	Paul D. Walker
Delena Elgin	Ruth Rainey	Erma Wall

\*Hymn 355

*For All the Saints*

For all the saints who from their labors rest,  
Who Thee by faith before the world confessed,  
Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.  
Alleluia, Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,  
Thro' gates of pearl streams in the countless host,  
Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Katie Mussat

Offertory Anthem  
Sanctuary Choir

*When the Morning Stars*  
arr. Benjamin Harlan

Solo

Heather Vandiver, soloist

*God Help the Outcasts*  
Alan Menken

Sermon: It's What We're Supposed to Do  
1 John 3:16-17; Matthew 25; Luke 10  
(pew Bible pages 863, 702 & 734)

Ronney Joe Webb

\*Hymn of Response 613

*The Servant Song*

We are travelers on a journey, fellow pilgrms on the road;  
We are here to help each other walk the mile and bear the load.  
I will hold the Christlight for you in the night-time of your fear;  
I will hold my hand out to you, speak the peace you long to hear.

Sister, let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you;  
Pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant, too.  
Brother, let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you;  
Pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant, too.

I will weep when you are weeping,  
When you laugh, I'll laugh with you;  
I will share your joy and sorrow,  
Till we've seen this journey thro'.  
When we sing to God in heaven, we shall find such harmony,  
Born of all we've known together of Christ's love and agony.

Opportunities for Service

Ronney Joe Webb

Hungary Mission Trip Video

Sharing of Decisions for Christ

\*Congregational Benediction

*Christ Go Before You*  
words by William Hull  
music by Glen Adkins

Christ go before you, Christ go behind you  
Christ go beside you, Christ go within you,  
Christ go beneath you, Christ go above you.

Postlude

\*Please stand