INFO tab (continued)

Name_____Email_____

An Evening with Richard Blackaby

I plan to attend the dinner meeting with Richard Blackaby on Monday, March 23.

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Phone

I plan to attend the Men's Prayer Breakfast on Saturday, March 28.

Upper Room Service

I would like to volunteer for the Upper Room Service on Thursday, April 9.

WORSHIP SERVICE

Celebration Ricky Draper
Songs of Adoration
Message Jamie Dew
James 3:13-18 (NKJV)
Song of Response
Giving
Ministry Opportunities

Fellowship Hall is designated as a cry room. A room for nursing moms is located in the preschool area.

NOTES

MINISTRY OUTLOOK

Sunday, March 15

8:15 a Sunday Morning Small Groups

9:30 a Worship Service, Preschool Worship, Kids' Worship

11:00 a Sunday Morning Small Groups, New Believer's class

4:30 p Bike-a-Thon

6:00 p Experiencing God Bible Study

6:30 p Youth O.U.T.

Monday, March 16

6:30 p Deacons' Meeting

Tuesday, March 17

6:00 p Women's Evening Bible Study

Wednesday, March 18

9:30 a Women's Morning Bible Study, Experiencing God Bible Study

5:00 p Fellowship Meal/The Care Effect

Meal—Pulled Pork on Bun, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Salad, Dessert (Servers—Watts/Poree class)

5:30 p Band Rehearsal

6:00 p **Wednesday Night Bible Study**, ESL, Kids in Action, Youth Care Effect, Preteens in Action

7:00 p Praise Choir Rehearsal 8:00 p Inward at FBNO

Go to www.fbno.org for specific information

Inspired to Grow (Given this week).......\$2,340.00 Inspired to Grow (Given to date).....\$1,659,500.70 Inspired to Grow (Pledged to date)....\$1,741,818.03

Week Ending March 8

Weekly Requirements	\$38,462
Weekly Receipts	\$55,062
Year-to-Date Required	\$384,615
Year-to-Date Received	\$371,666
Annual Budget	\$2,000,000
Global Impact Offering (11/1/19-date).	\$22,265

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Thank you FBNO!

As an elementary school kid, FBNO was where I formed lifelong friendships and was the first place I remember being introduced to the Gospel outside of my home. In middle and high school, FBNO was the safe place for me to go through the way too long awkward phases. It was the place that I learned to love the Lord and my neighbor well. The church did not abandon me, but rather surrounded and encouraged me, when at age 17 I thought I had made one mistake too many to come back from.

My small group leaders took me on my first visit to LSU, which included an LSU football game, Geaux Tigers. This church walked with me into adulthood, and it was an older friend from the youth group at FBNO that invited me to be involved in the Baptist Collegiate Ministry at LSU, which was a huge part of owning my own faith away from that of my parents.

FBNO gave me my first paid ministry position in 2012, before I would have even considered doing ministry as a vocation. I came back to FBNO with Camp in the City in the summer of 2015, and got to do a ministry that I loved, at the church that raised me.

Later that summer, when our family felt broken and defeated in grief, it was FBNO that made sure we knew who was standing behind us holding our arms up in prayer and through so many other avenues of support. Then, a few months later had any other church called about considering youth ministry, I would not have returned the phone call, but the Lord used FBNO to reach a stubborn heart, and solidify a call to ministry.

You have encouraged and supported Emily and me as we began our marriage journey, and now our parenting journey. FBNO has been more than a church home to us, it has been all things at all times, right when we needed it, and for that I am so grateful.

We won't be strangers, especially around Mardi Gras because I need to keep my 610 Stomper jacket loose. This church family is also still caring for and supporting my Mom, and I want to say thank you for that and definitely keep it up!

FBNO has graciously agreed to ordain me to the ministry the weekend of May 16th, the weekend of my seminary graduation, so we'll be back soon!

Again, we are so grateful for the support and prayers as we begin this next chapter of our lives in Dothan, AL.

FBNO will always be an integral part of the Gibson family!

Trey Gibson, Youth Minister

The Mark of True Wisdom (James 3:13-18) | March 15, 2020

In this sermon we compare and contrast true wisdom from worldly wisdom and discover the need for obedience.



In case of emergency on Sunday mornings, contact Bob Moore at 504.390.1157 or visit the Welcome Desk. **No Kids' Worship Today:** Kids' activity bags are at the sanctuary doors.

Bike-A-Thon | Today | 4:30 pm: Kids of all ages will ride their bikes to raise money for missions and the preteen summer trip. Kids are in the lobby with their pledge sheets this morning. Help our kids be a part of FBNO's mission ministries by sponsoring a child today!

DNOW | March 27-28: Students (grades 7-12) come take part in this weekendlong, retreat and worship time with students from across the city! Cost is \$40. Contact christi.gibson@fbno.org.

Men's Prayer Breakfast | March 28 | Fellowship Hall | 8:00 am: Men, join us for a great time of fellowship, prayer, and a delicious breakfast of scrambled eggs, grits, and biscuits with sausage gravy. Adam Harwood will be speaking about Military Chaplaincy. Sign up on the tab if you will be attending.

Sr. Adult Fest at NOBTS | April 3 | 8:00 am-3:00 pm: This one-day event serves senior adults through enriching breakout sessions, engaging worship, and opportunities for fellowship with other believers. Total cost is \$40 (includes registration fee, light breakfast, and lunch). Register online at www.nobts.edu/ccm/senior-fest.html.

Easter Egg Hunt | April 5 | 4:00-5:30 pm: Kids of all ages, join us in the search for 3,000 candy-filled Easter eggs, and enjoy crafts, snacks, and the Easter story! FBNO, get involved by (1) inviting your family and neighbors to this event and (2) donating candy-filled plastic eggs or individually wrapped candies (chocolate is fine). Buckets are in the lobbies to drop off supplies.

Upper Room Service | Thursday, April 9 | 6:30 pm: Join us for an intimate night of worship as we reflect on Christ and the cross, eat a full meal, enjoy teaching and observe the Lord's Supper. Tickets are on sale in the lobby. Cost: \$10 per adult; \$4 per child (children 12 and under). Childcare available for babies-K5. Must purchase a childcare ticket (\$4) by Sunday, April 5 to register for childcare. Purchase online tickets through Facebook (service fee will apply), on Wed. nights, and at the church office (Mon.-Fri., 8:30 am-3:30 pm). **Volun**teers are needed—sign up on the tab.

Men's Golf Tournament | May 16: Join us at Joe Bartholomew Golf Course for our annual tournament. Cost is \$45 per person and you can sign up as a foursome or as an individual by emailing andrew@fbno.org.

Watch or Share FBNO Sermons:

Everyone misses a Sunday here and there—but there are ways you can catch-up with FBNO Worship.

Get the full service on the First Baptist New Orleans Facebook page (select **Videos** in the left-hand column and click on a service).

Watch/listen to the sermon on our website (fbno.org). Click on **Menu**, then **Sermons**, then search by date, series, or sermon title. Share by clicking on the paper airplane to the right, then selecting your means of sharing.

Download the audio of the sermon by subscribing to the *First Baptist New Orleans podcast feed*, available for free from wherever you listen to podcasts (Apple Podcasts, Google Podcasts, Overcast, etc.)

GROUPS AND CLASSES:

Experience the transforming power of God's Word and community through these groups and classes:

SMALL GROUPS

Sunday | 8:15 and 11:00 am (weekly)

We have Bible study groups immediately after the worship service for all ages and life seasons. Adults may choose from verse-by-verse or topical studies, or even a *REMIX* discussion of the sermon text. Stop by the welcome desk for help finding a group waiting to welcome you!

Connect Classes Sunday | 11:00 am | W\$164

Discover the beliefs that unite us as a church. Attend all six classes, or pick the topics you're interested in learning more about. Connect classes are taught on a rotating basis:

March 15: How do I serve?

March 22: What are my gifts?

March 29: Who is God?

April 5: What is the church?

April 12: How do I grow?

April 19: How do I share?

Women's Bible Study

Brave
by Angela Thomas
Tuesday | 6:00 pm (March 17-May 5)

Wednesday | 9:30 am (March 18-May 6)

An Evening with Richard Blackaby | March 23 | Fellowship Hall: The Southeast Foundation is hosting an inspirational dinner meeting with Richard Blackaby, son of Henry and the author of much of the material associated with Experiencing God. They've invited us to join them at a discounted dinner price of \$10. You can pay at the door, but please sign up on the tab so we can estimate numbers.

PRAY—GIVE—GO

PRAY for those who are hurting in our city. Pray for those who are



scared and worried about health. Pray that they would see God's comfort and peace.

Give to the Global Impact Offering to support missions in our city and around the world.

Go serve with one of our CE teams on Wednesdays, or in Lesotho this June. Email andrew@fbno.org.

Paid Preschool Staff Needed: FBNO is looking for persons willing to serve in the preschool ministry on Sunday mornings and Wednesday mornings. Contact rochelle@fbno.org if you are interested in these paid positions. The Early Learning Center (ELC) is also looking for full-time teachers (40 hours per week). Contact Ethram Williams at 504.378.9000 for more information.

Senior Adult Luncheon

Save These Dates, too:

March 27

April 26	Quarterly Business Meeting
May 3	Graduate Recognition Sunday
May 3	Preteen Pancake Breakfast
May 10	Baby Dedication
May 17	WAK Musical
May 31	Blood Drive
May 31	Church Picnic
June 14-25	Lesotho Mission Trip
June 15-19	Kidz Kamp
July 13-17	VBS/CAC
July 26	Quarterly Business Meeting
August 9	Promotion Sunday
August 19	Fall Kick-Off
October 28	Fall Fest

Planning Ahead? Details on these and more available at www.fbno.org/events

FIRST BAPTIST NEW ORLEANS

Date: March 15, 2020

Name:
How can we contact you:
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Letter: Address
I am a guest of:
I would like to connect: □ The Care Effect □ Small Group Bible study □ Missions □ Other
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