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June 18, 2017

Please indicate which service you are att O 9:00 am Service O 10:30	_		rning
Please Tell Us About Yourself:			
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 I would like more information on: O How to begin a relationship with Jesus O How to become a member of First Bapti O How to join a Sunday School Class O Please have a minister contact me. 		lant	City
Are you currently a member of a church? O Yes O No			
Name of Church			

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Order of Worship June 18, 2017

Morning Services

9:00 am - Blended Service

Welcome

Baptism/Prayer

"Open Up the Heavens" "Rejoice the Lord is King"

Time of Greeting

"I Will Boast (with the Solid Rock)"

Offering

"There is Power"

Message from God's WordPastor Brian Stowe

Time of Decision

Closing Remarks

10:30 am - Modern Service

Baptism

"Glorious Day" "Ever Be"

"Overwhelmed"

Pastor's Welcome and Stewardship

"Resurrecting"

Message from God's Word
Pastor Brian Stowe

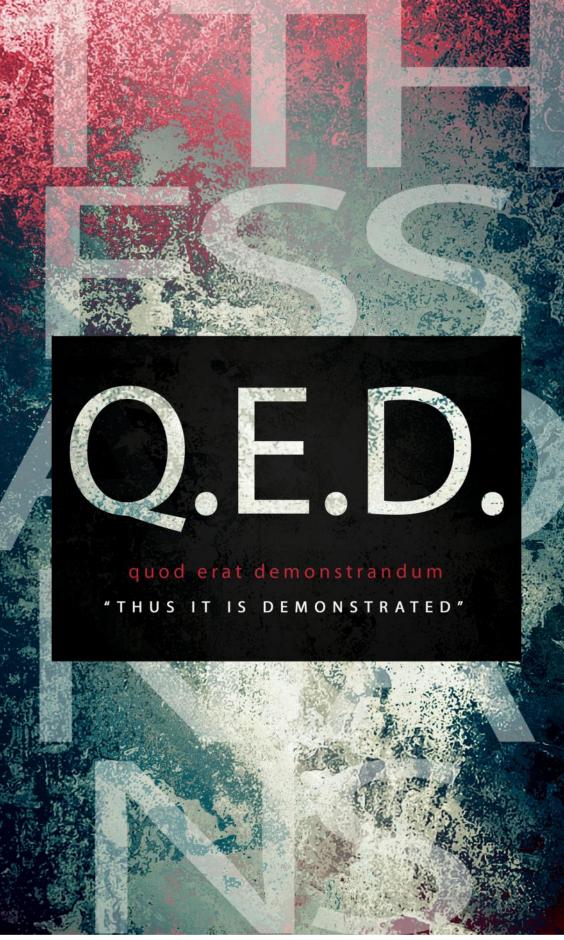
Time of Decision

Closing Remarks

Evening Service

Message from God's Word

There will be no regularly scheduled afternoon or evening activities today.



Leading people beyond just good enough to experience "L.I.F.E." in Christ.



This week at a glance

Sunday, June 18

- Bible Study: 8:00 am, 9:00 am & 10:30 am
- Worship: Blended, 9:00 am
- Worship: Modern, 10:30 am
- All of our regularly scheduled afternoon and evening activities have been cancelled for today. Enjoy Father's Day with your loved ones.

Monday, June 19

• Church at the Park: 5:00 pm, 403 N. Dort. St.

Tuesday, June 20

- KTT Group: 9:00 am, Library
- Median Adult Small Group: 6:45 pm, Venning home

Wednesday, June 21

- Fellowship Meal: 5:00 pm, Fellowship Hall
 Ham, Potatoes, Vegetables, Tossed Salad and Dessert
- Men's Ministry: 6:00 pm, 2nd floor, BLI Bldg.
- Boz the Bear: 6:15 pm
 Preschool 4 & 5's, Room 251
- Surf's Up: 6:15 pm
 Kids (completed K 6th), Children's Church
- Wednesdays for Women: 6:15 pm, 3rd floor S, Rm 354
- Adults: Wednesday in the Word: 6:15 pm, Choir Room
- First Student Worship: Not Meeting Tonight
- Spanish Church: 6:15 pm, Room 136
- Adult Choir and Orchestra: 7:30 pm, Worship Center
- College & Young Professionals (18-30):
 7:30 pm, Krazy Kup, downtown Plant City.

Thursday, June 22

- Median Adult Small Group: 6:30 pm, Britt Home
- Coed Bible Study (in English): 7:30 pm, Room 136,
 Open to all, led by John Foxx

Sermon Notes, June 18, 2017

Dr. Brian Stowe

1 Thessalonians 2

Committed (In Spite of...)!
Q.E.D. (Thus It is Demonstrated) Series

Commitment re	Q.E.D. (Thus It is Demonstrated) Series equires a demonstration of,	
	vv 1-3	
	(vv 1-2):	
	·	
· ·	w can we tell the source of our difficulties?	
a.	Ask the Lord to show you any	
b.	Ask the Lord to show you if you arewith what He wants.	
С	your commitment to doing w has directed you to do.	hat God
	acity paid off in many Philippians and Thessaloniansv 3)!	
	vv 4-6	
A. Their gan	ne plan wasn't	
1. <u>To</u>	the truth.	
2. <u>To</u>	the truth.	
B. We make	e expressing commitment to others so difficult.	
3	vv 7-9	
A. The goal	of Paul and Silas was to	-
	eloped such a strong relationship with these people that share their own lives.	it they
	f their loyalty:	
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B. What is _ are loval	to Christ and those around them.	those that
-	t to have a, or do you just want to be great?"	
	vv 10-12	
A. Paul and	Silas were in their walk	with Christ
as they	to the Thessa	alonians.
1.	Consistent in .	
2.	Consistent in .	
B. Because I	Paul and Silas Thessalonians.	, so
What now?		
1. Be committ	ted to period.	
2. Be committed	ted to perio	
4. WHEN it ae	ted to theets tough to stay committed,	period. !



to First Baptist Church Plant City

Q.E.D. - quod erat demonstrandum - "thus it is demonstrated."

That is probably an odd statement for most of us. Yet, what Paul did over and over in his missionary journeys was to demonstrate the truth of the Gospel to those that never heard or believed. And many would favorably respond to the Good News. In this summer series, we will take a journey through 1 Thessalonians and attempt to demonstrate as Paul did the truth of God's Word as we also answer questions that you have asked. I'm so grateful for the Word of God and that it is truly sufficient for us in our day and time!

SPECIAL EVENTS AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH AND SERVICE

First Baptist Church Plant City exists to lead people beyond just good enough to experience "L.I.F.E." in Christ, and we do this by helping you to Worship, Grow, Serve and Reach.



REACH 10,000

Our summer Sunday School outreach program has begun. The goal is to love people, and engage, or re-engage those that God has entrusted to us over the course of the summer. For more information go to fbcpc.com/10000.

Summer Bible Reading Plan

We're inviting you to read through the entire book of Psalms with us this summer. We pray that as you dive in with us that you will come to know the heart of God in new ways. Reading guides are available in the Welcome Center and Community Wall.

God & Country

Join us on **Sunday**, **July 2nd** for a very special service as we celebrate God & Country. We will gather together for one morning service at **10:00 am**. In addition, there will be no Sunday School or evening service on that day.

144 Hours of Prayer

August 14th - 20th

Sign up has begun for the upcoming 144 Hours of Prayer. Look for the sign up board in the Welcome Center, and choose your slot today.

SummerSalt

July 17-21

Grades 1-6, \$50.00 per child. Registration is open on the FBCPC app, our church website, or look for a brochure in the Zone.

The Modern Worship Team is seeking additional members.

Starting August 2nd, we will begin meeting with vocalists and instrumentalists for a two-part process consisting of an interview and a musical evaluation. If you're interested in seeing if serving on the Modern Worship Team is right for you, contact the Worship Ministry at sgod-heim@fbcpc.com to get more information and schedule an appointment.



Wednesday in the Word

Wednesdays, 6:15 pm in the Choir Room An in-depth study of Genesis, from Eden to Egypt. This co-ed class is open to everyone.

Wednesdays for Women

Wednesdays, 6:15 pm 3rd floor South
Our summer series, "Favorite Childhood Bible
Stories," begins this week. Join us as various
women take a deeper look at familiar stories.

New Believer's Class

Are you a new believer and have questions? If you are interested in joining a New Believer's Class, call the church office at 752-4104.

FBCPC App

Have you downloaded the FBCPC App yet? Go to www.fbcpc.com/get-app.

Keep Up With FBC Student Ministry

Send a text to be added to our e-mail list and start receiving our newsletter for the Children and Preschool Departments. Click on GROW on the FBCPC App, and follow the prompts to Student Ministry, or Text **FIRSTSTUDENT** to **22828**.

Amplify Student Worship Team

Sundays at 6:00 pm in the choir room. For all students in 7th - 12th grades. (not meeting today)

Get Connected and SERVE!

One of the best ways to get connected at First Baptist Church Plant City is to SERVE! If you are interested in serving in one of our ministries, **Download the FBCPC App, click on SERVE, and get connected!**

Membership Matters Class

Sundays at 10:30 am, Rm 303, Café
Join us for a 4-week study on why Membership
Matters, and get your questions answered
about our church.

Church at the Park

Tomorrow at 5:00 pm

If you are interested in helping our Church at the Park team feed a hot meal to the homeless and needy in our community, call the church office.

Vital Signs

Prayer Needs

NEW MEMBERS 6/11/17

Amanda Astrike

8th Grade By Baptism

Layla Lawyer

4th Grade By Baptism

MEMORIALS

Joy Connell

Ann Venning Dan & Pam Walden Carl & Kathy Olson Linda & Doug Decker Roger & Linda Robert

Shirley Elston

Dan & Pam Walden

Earl Sloan

Dan & Pam Walden

Edward Foster
James T. Pollock
Terry Ballard
Sonny Wallace
Harold Mott
Buck Connell
Jim Hardee
Earl Sloan
Floyd Johnson
Steve & Sheryl Boggs

THANK YOU

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for the love and support you have provided us during Joy Connell's illness and passing. The prayers, cards, calls and visits mean so much to us as you are our extended family and mean so much to us.

Mike, Terri & Laura Fisher, Emily & Daniel Morris

STATISTICS 6/11/17 Sunday School Attendance 1024 **Budget Receipts** 49,859.28 Wills & Trusts 0.00 **Budget Requirements** 68,297.25 YTD Budget Receipts 2,550,991.79 YTD Wills & Trusts 0.00 YTD Budget Requirements 2,526,998.25 5,633,531.67 Generations to Come Pledges 6/11/17 Receipts 7,377.50 Received to Date 2,814,770.07

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DEACON SELECTION

ACCORDING TO SCRIPTURE, DEACON SELECTION IS BASED UPON AN INDIVIDUAL'S CHARACTER, COMMITMENT, AND SERVICE TO CHRIST AND HIS CHURCH.

A DEACON SHOULD:

- Be above reproach, both inside and outside the church. (1 im.3:7,10)
- Be filled with the Holy Spirit. (Acts 6:3)
- Not be self-centered, quick-tempered, violent or contentious. (1 Tim 3:3)
- Abstain from any association with alcohol, drugs, etc. that would distort his testimony or cause another believer to stumble. (1 Tim. 3:3,8)
- Be in control of his tongue as evidenced by the fact that he is not a gossip, can keep confidences, and is not a critical person. (1 Tim 3:3,8)
- Be one who manages his own household well, resulting in love and respect from his wife and children, if married. Be "the husband of one wife" with a demonstrated knowledge of the God-ordained institution of marriage. (1 Tim. 3:12)
- Know what he believes and be able to discern false doctrine and share the truth with others.(1 Tim.3:2,9,16)
 Be free from the love of money and diligently seek the kingdom of God
- and His righteousness. (1 Tim. 3:8; Matt. 6:33)
- Be a mature Christian, not a new convert.(1 Tim.3:6,10)
- Be a New Testament steward as evidenced by giving generously to FBC as God has prospered him, (1 Cor. 16:1, 2) and tithe 10% of his income to the ministry of the church.
- Do all in his power to create and preserve harmony in the church. (1 Tim. 3:13)
- Recognize the God-given leadership role incumbent upon the Pastor and seek to serve under that leadership. (Titus 1:5-9)
- If married, be one whose wife is guided by these same principles. (1 Tim. 3:11)

TO RECOMMEND SOMEONE FOR DEACON SELECTION, COMPLETE THE DEACON RECOMMENDATION FORM BELOW AND PLACE IT IN THE OFFERING PLATE OR RETURN IT TO THE CHURCH OFFICE.

Having prayerfully considered Biblical standards for those who lead, and having prayerfully sought the Lord's will in this matter, as a member of First Baptist Church I recommend the following men to serve as deacons to assist in the ministry of the church:



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