

First Baptist Church  
*Moss Bluff*  
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Newsletter of First Baptist Church, Moss Bluff

January 17, 2010

In 2010, return to  
**Your First Love**

Sundays 8:30 & 11:00am

**NEW SERMON SERIES!**

Join us this Sunday for Pastor Shawn Thomas' message from Psalm 27:4 – *“One thing I have asked from the Lord, that I shall seek: that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the Lord ...”*

***Want to hear the Sunday message again?***

- Download a podcast from the church website: [fbcmosssluff.org](http://fbcmosssluff.org) or [fbcmosssluff.podbean.com](http://fbcmosssluff.podbean.com)
- Sunday morning service is aired on KELB 100.5 on Sundays at 9:00 PM and Tuesdays at 10:00 AM.
- To purchase a copy of the message, call the church office, 855-9067.

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**THIS SUNDAY!**

- **Deacons Meeting** | 5:30 PM, AMC-Rm 108.
- **PraiseKIDS** | 5:00 PM in the CMC (for grades 1-5). Preschool choir meets also.
- **Bible Drill** | 6:30 PM in CMC-113. All children in grades 3rd thru 5th are invited.
- **Year end contribution statements available in the front foyer.**

**Churchwide REACH Visitation, Mondays, 6:30 PM, in the Café.**

**Annual Disaster Relief Training Jan. 22-23, Camp Living Waters, Loranger La. Online registration available at [www.lbc.org](http://www.lbc.org)**

Dear FBC family,  
I sincerely appreciate the calls, prayers, meals and beautiful plant sent to us during the loss of my mom on Christmas morning.  
It is comforting to know we have a church family and staff that loves us and cares so much.  
Thanks,  
Sharel Hebert & family

Dear Moss Bluff church family,  
Thank you so much for your gift of \$200 for Shepherds' Haven of Rest Ministries. We have planned 21 retreats for 2010. The first four of these are already booked full....We desire to follow the Lord closely so that we are clean vessels ready for each situation He places in our path. Thank you for making SHOR a reality. Your prayers and your gifts are such an encouragement. We pray 2010 will be a blessed year in the Lord for you and your family!  
Love,  
Charlie & Suzanne Grigsby



**Wednesday Night Fellowship Meal**  
**5:30-6:15 PM, Fellowship Hall**  
**Jan. 20: Smothered Chicken, Rice, Candied Carrots, Salad Bar, Roll, Tea, Dessert**

**Meal costs are as follows:**  
6 yrs. old-5<sup>th</sup> grade \$2.00; 6<sup>th</sup> grade & up \$4.00; 55+ \$3.00; children 5 & under free; Maximum family: \$12.

**Deacon Sunday visitation (Jan. 17):** Keith Gover, Eric Hebert, Shannon Johnson, Dalton Miller

**ADULT 55 + NEWS:**

**State Evangelism Conference**—Baton Rouge Jan. 26th, Istrouma Baptist. Luncheon with Dr. Charles Lowery and Babbie Mason—11:30 to 1:30 PM; senior adult breakout sessions follow from 2 to 4 PM. Luncheon cost: \$10. To attend you must pay the fee to Missy AND register in the church office no later than Jan. 16th---no registration will be accepted after that. Bus will leave at 8:00 AM sharp. Will leave Baton Rouge around 4 PM and stop for supper on the way home. More info may be found at [www.lbc.org/adultministry](http://www.lbc.org/adultministry).  
**Dry Creek Fish Fry**---Jan. 21st., Curt Ihles speaker; leave church at 10:00 a.m.

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**RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED**

**Worship Through Giving**  
**Sunday, Jan. 10**

Budget GOAL.....	\$33,965.77
Budget Received.....	\$27,595.63
"Acts 1:8" Missions.....	\$2,596.00
Building Fund.....	\$178.00
Benevolence.....	\$1,282.00
ANNUAL	
Budget Req.....	\$67,931.54
Budget Recpt.....	\$81,453.42
Building Fund Debt.....	\$447,014.03

**Wednesday, Jan. 6:**

TeamKID (Children).....	87
FUEL.....	70
Prayer Meeting.....	30
Nursery.....	6
Choir Rehearsal.....	44
<b>Sunday, Jan. 10: Worship Attendance</b>	
Sunday Morning.....	749
Sunday Evening.....	128

**Bible Fellowship Group Report**  
**Sunday, January 3**

Preschool.....	84
Children.....	78
Middle School.....	51
High School.....	43
God's Special Children.....	5
College.....	9
Adult I.....	122
Adult II.....	64
Adult III.....	64
Adult IV.....	74
CD Ministry.....	8
General Officers.....	2
Total Guests Present.....	40
Total Members Present.....	564
Total Contacts.....	107
TOTAL.....	604

**New BFG Member:**  
*Sara Kate Maynor*

**Bible Fellowship Group Report**  
**Sunday, January 10**

Preschool.....	82
Children.....	82
Middle School.....	55
High School.....	34
God's Special Children.....	4
College.....	10
Adult I.....	116
Adult II.....	62
Adult III.....	64
Adult IV.....	69
CD Ministry.....	8
General Officers.....	3
Total Guests Present.....	38
Total Members Present.....	551
Total Contacts.....	154
TOTAL.....	589

**New BFG Member:**  
*James Anderson*

**WELCOME  
NEW  
MEMBER:**  
**Kennedy  
Duhon,**  
*by baptism  
&  
profession  
of faith*