

In Worship Today

December 10, 2017

Today's Message: *Wonder & Glory*:
First Baptist Sweetwater Multi-generational
Worship Experience for Christmas

New Member Presentation



CHRISTMAS EVE SCHEDULE

9:00AM - Sunday School
10:30AM - Morning Worship Service
5:00PM - Candlelight Service

READ THROUGH THE BIBLE CHALLENGE

Take the challenge of getting to know our Lord better by reading through the Bible in a year. Pray about your 2018 participation. Bible plans will be available next Sunday.



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Please be sure to welcome our new members at the end of the service:

Bob & Diane Graw
Bob & Tricia Murray
Gail Parsons
Matthew & Cece Payne
Michael Reilly
Richard & Sarah Sias

WOMEN ON MISSION

TUES | DEC 12 | 9:30AM

Women On Mission will be celebrating Christmas this week with a holiday themed covered dish luncheon. Our own Jan Moran and Barbara Ratti will be presenting a missions program, sharing their experiences "in the field." Join us for this exciting and interesting program which will be followed by our luncheon.

NO MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST IN DECEMBER

The next Men's Prayer Breakfast will be held Saturday, **Jan 20, 2018**.

A.N.G.E.L.S MINISTRY LOAVES & FISHES FOOD & TOY CHRISTMAS DRIVE | DEC 15

Loaves & Fishes is in need of food & toys for their Christmas Drive. Food items include canned hams, canned meat and mac & cheese. Toys include Lego sets, sports balls, Barbie clothes, etc. Please call Loaves & Fishes at (407) 886-6005 for a complete list of donations needed and to find out drop off dates & times.

LOTTIE MOON OFFERING & POSTAL CENTER

Your giving enables missionaries to be sent to make disciples and multiply churches among unreached peoples and places for the glory of God. **Our FBS goal this year is \$50,000.** Designated envelopes are placed in the back of your pew. To give online, go to fbsweetwater.org and click on the green Online Giving button.

If you are sending a Christmas card to a friend at Sweetwater, why not use our Lottie Moon Postal Center instead of the USPS? No stamps needed, but we do ask that you include the postage cost in with your Lottie Moon offering.

DISCIPLE NOW 2018

FEB 23 - 25

Save the date for Camp Ithiel 2018! Open to all 6-12 grade students. Registration will open **Jan. 1, 2018**.

F-ORGIVE B-LESS S-SERVE

FBS Ladies' Retreat, **March 9-11**, Lake Yale Conference Center. Join us at this peaceful lakeside retreat center, as we look forward to hearing from special guest speaker, Sandy McRaney. A deposit of \$80 is due by **Jan 7**. Reference "ladies' retreat" on your check, or register and pay online at fbsweetwater.org and click on the "Ladies' Retreat" button. You must complete the info in the retreat brochure, which can be found at the Welcome Desk or online.

Sunday, December 10

9:00 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship Service (*Wonder & Glory*
Multi-generational Christmas Concert)
12:00 pm 1st Time Guest Reception
1:30 pm Leadership Team Meeting

Monday, December 11

6:30 pm PSMAT Meeting (A133)
7:00 pm IPMAT Meeting (A108)

Tuesday, December 12

9:00 am Sweetwater Christian Preschool
9:30 am Women On Mission (Luncheon)
6:30 pm Finance Team Meeting

Wednesday, December 13

9:00 am Sweetwater Christian Preschool
6:00 pm Prayer Meeting
6:30 pm Choir & Orchestra Party (FH)

Thursday, December 14

9:00 am Sweetwater Christian Preschool

Friday, December 15

9:00 am Sweetwater Christian Preschool

Saturday, December 16

4:00 pm S2M MS Christmas Party (SC)
6:00 pm Body Builders Christmas Party
(Ebersole's home)
6:30 pm S2M HS Christmas Party (SC)

Sunday, December 17

9:00 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship Service (John Holloway)
12:00 pm 1st Time Guest Reception

Pastor Search Team (PSMAT):

Amy Bailey, Bart Barrett, Bill Chatlos, Nick Elkins, Chad Garmon, Greg Larson, Ron Pierson, Melody Ringenberg, Sarah Taylor.

Questions or suggestions? Email the team at pastorsearch@fbsweetwater.org

*Financial Update for
October 2017 - September 2018
Giving thru December 3*

YTD Budget	\$ 293,376
YTD Receipts	\$ 250,859
Lottie Moon	\$ 2,795

Ways to Give at FBS:

- ◆ Mail to the church office
- ◆ Place donation in the offering plate
- ◆ Bill pay through your bank or financial institution
- ◆ Online Giving at fbsweetwater.org (one time, recurring, weekly, bi-weekly or monthly). If you don't have an account, click on NEW MEMBER and follow the prompts

Attendance:

Sunday School - 313
Worship - 374

Wednesday Night Ministries:

Worship (Music) Ministries - 157
Adult Ministries - 14
Student Ministries - 61



**Kingdom Kids Children's Church
Kindergarten - 3rd Grade**

Kids, worship with your family at the beginning of service, then watch for our Kingdom Kids Team to escort you to our Kingdom Kids space. We'll bring you back to the Worship Center before the service ends.

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