

# First Baptist Church Weekly Newsletter

# Thankful

today and everyday

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## SUNDAY NOVEMBER 29

- **9:15 am Bible Ed. Hour** with Classes for all ages. The Adult Class in the Fellowship Hall will see the latest Billy Graham Film "Value of a Soul."
- **10:25 am Praise and Worship Service.** Message is titled "From The Manager to Majesty" from Acts 1:11
- **6:00 pm Church Constitution Meeting.** A review of the proposed updates to the Church Constitution.

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## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



### Greetings Church Family:

I trust you had a blessed Thanksgiving Holiday. It is truly an American Holy Day.

How many of you are out shopping today? Trying to get the good deals for Christmas?

Things are quiet around the church this week. So I look forward to seeing you all on Sunday.

This Sunday we begin the Christmas season with Christmas music and messages for the next few weeks to help us see the glory of Christmas—Jesus' coming to earth to "save His people from their sins" (Matt 1:21).

I am showing the latest Billy Graham Evangelistic Association film in the Adult Bible Hour class at 9:15 Sunday. It is titled "Value of a Soul." Each year BGEA releases a half hour evangelistic film, so if you are not involved in another class already you are invited to view this excellent film.

So I sure hope to see you this Lord's Day.

*Pastor Phil Butler*

### Weekly Scripture:

*"Enter His gates with THANKSGIVING and His courts with praise. Give THANKS to Him and bless His name."*

- Psalm 100:4

### PRAYER REQUESTS

- Bobby Slings—attends our men's Breakfast, being treated for leukemia at Methodist Hospital.
- Patty Findley—has a chronic cough
- Danielle Jefferson—Ric and Lea's daughter having surgery on her thyroid for cancer
- Sarah Myers and children, and Joel and Vikki Myers—continued strength and comfort
- Ashley Parker—rare disease where her brain is moving in her skull, no surgery, but on medication.
- Ric and Lea Hopkins—health concerns for both of them
- Christine Opfer's friend Moji—working on her Green Card
- Other health needs: Valorie Pollard, Corbin Pierce, Kelly Warner, Craig Hadsall, Helen O'Conner, Walter Clement, Dana Doty Curtis, Ashley Ciccio, Mike Foldes, Mary Lou Leverton, Joel Conley
- Pray for one another and that our church can be a bright lighthouse in our communities
- Pray for Christians and churches to stand firm in our increasingly dark culture
- Pray for Christians facing persecution around the world, much from radical Islam—a false religion

### MISSION:

To glorify God  
in everything we do,  
making and maturing  
disciples of Jesus Christ.

1 Timothy 1:17;  
Matthew 28:19-20