



Church Wide

Finance End-of Year Note

Please remember that any contributions you want included in the 2024 calendar year must be received in the Church Office before noon on Tuesday, December 31, 2024 or post-marked on or before December 31, 2024.

Angel Tree for MSBM

Angels are now available for the 2024 Angel Tree benefiting the Main Street Baptist Church and Mission. If you would like to participate, stop by the Welcome Center to pick an angel from the Angel Tree. Angels will be distributed on a first-come, first-served basis. Once you've chosen your angel, purchase your gifts. We ask that you place a \$50 maximum on the gifts purchased to ensure fairness.

Wrap your gifts in white in preparation for White Christmas on December 15th. Please securely tape a tag with your child's information on the bottom of your gift to ensure the gifts get back to the children.

Adopt-A-Day School Teacher

Spread a little Christmas cheer this year and adopt one of our Day School teachers! Grab an envelope from the Angel Tree in the Welcome Center and brighten the day of our Day School Staff. Label your gifts with the Day School teacher's name and return it to the Day School Office or the Church Office no later than December 19th. Thank you for the continued support of First Baptist Day School!

White Christmas Ingathering

Sunday, December 15th

We will have an ingathering of our Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, which empowers the international mission work of Southern Baptists around the world. Our churchwide goal this year is \$35,000.

Pineville Campus: \$30,000 Lecompte: \$5,000

In addition, our Pineville Campus will return their gifts for the MSBM Angel Tree. Please bring your gifts wrapped in white with the angel tag taped to the bottom. We will bring our offering and gifts forward at a designated time in the service.

2024 Poinsettia Order Form

To order your poinsettia(s), please complete this form and return it along with your payment in the offering box or bring it to the church office by Wednesday, December 11. Poinsettias are \$15 each.
PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Given by: _____

Please mark one: In honor of: In memory of
Honoree (s): _____

Payment method: cash check

Please complete one form for each plant you purchase



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Christmas in the Country has been Cancelled

Christmas in the Country at our Lecompte campus has been cancelled due to weather concerns.

Christmas Caroling for Our Homebound

Join us for Christmas caroling to our homebound on Dec. 16, at 4:30 PM. We will meet in the Snack Bar. Please bring cookies so we can fill stockings to bring. Afterwards, we will return to the Snack Bar for hot chocolate, cookies, and sharing about our visits. If you want to receive a blessing this holiday, come join us for caroling. Contact Cynthia Woodward at 318-664-3665

Joy Club Christmas Luncheon

The Joy Club will have their Christmas Luncheon on Friday, December 20, at 11:30 AM, in the Fellowship Hall. Enjoy a wonderful meal, fellowship and a special music program. Wear your best Christmas attire and please bring a side or dessert for the meal (meat provided). We are delighted to have Glenn Price, Minister of Music at Philadelphia Baptist Church, presenting our program. A love offering will be taken. Reservations are strongly encouraged. Contact Cynthia Woodward at 318-664-3665.

Information Sharing Meeting

The Missions Committee will be hosting an Information Sharing Meeting for those interested in becoming a certified volunteer at Pineville Elementary School. This invitation is extended to all members of our congregation. Join us on Sunday, January 12th, in the Snack Bar following the Worship Service. A light lunch will be provided.

DiscipleNow is Coming January 31-February 2, 2025!

Students in 7th-12th grades are invited to participate in DNow. We are partnering with several sister churches for a fantastic weekend of ministry, worship, and discipleship. The cost is \$40. Registration is due by January 9. You may register at www.fbcpineville.net/2025dnw.

Support Disaster Relief Efforts

Southern Baptist Disaster Relief is one of the largest and most effective disaster relief organizations in the world. We are often the first in and the last to leave. You may now give through our church to disaster relief. Go to www.fbcpineville.net/give and go to Disaster Relief option. We will forward all funds given to Louisiana Baptist Disaster Relief.

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

Church Offering Goal: \$30,000
Current Church Offering: \$2,040



Welcome to First Baptist Church Pineville!

If this is your first time with us, welcome! We're glad you're here for Worship! Please take a moment to complete the Connection Card. You can drop the card in an offering box as you leave the Sanctuary. This card is vital for helping us to better minister to you. If you have young children (babies through Pre-Kindergarten), we invite you to make use of our Nursery and Preschool area. We also have a cry area available in our Bridal Suite. Please ask an Usher for assistance.

Order of Service

- Prelude
- Lighting of the Peace Candle
Jeremy & Brandy Campbell and Family
- F.I.R.S.T. Kids Preschool Choir
- Welcome and Lottie Moon Christmas Offering Emphasis
Kimberly Aguillard
- "Angels We Have Heard on High" Congregation
- "O Come All Ye Faithful (His Name Shall Be)"
- Offertory Prayer Nick Nixon
- "O Come O Come Emmanuel (with Even So Come)"
Choir & Orchestra
- "O Little Town of Bethlehem" Congregation
- Message Dr. Stewart Holloway
"God Speaks Up"
- "O Come, All You Unfaithful"
- Closing Prayer Henry Powell
- Postlude

This Week at First Baptist Church Pineville

Sunday, December 8

- 8:30 AM Prayer Time for the Pastor, Chapel
- 9:15 AM Sunday School Groups for all Ages*
- 10:30 AM Worship Service, Sanctuary*
- 1:30 PM Conservatory of Music & Arts Christmas Recital, Sanctuary
- 4:00 PM Worship Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Monday, December 9

- 5:45 PM Upward Practices, Trinity Baptist Church

Tuesday, December 10

- 5:45 PM Upward Practices, Trinity Baptist Church

Wednesday, December 11

- 6:00 PM Full "Gloria!" Rehearsal, Sanctuary**
Preschool Music and Mission Friends, Room 108
F.I.R.S.T. Kids - M³, Children's Suite
Youth Midweek Connection, Youth Room
Women in the Word, Room 212
Forged, Room 208

Thursday, December 12

- 10:00 AM Women on Mission, Fellowship Hall
- 5:30 PM "Gloria!" Dress Rehearsal, Sanctuary
- 5:45 PM Upward Practices, Trinity Baptist Church

Friday, December 13

- 4:30 PM Pineville Christmas Parade Outreach

Saturday, December 14

- 6:00 PM "Gloria!", Sanctuary

*Childcare provided for birth through pre-kindergarten
** Childcare provided for birth through sixth grade

Contributions & Attendance for the week of 12/01/2024

Tithes & Offerings	Pineville	Lecompte
This Week's Budget Requirements:	\$31,404.51	\$3,828.66
This Week's Budget Gifts:	\$28,954.27	\$4,868.00
Year to Date Budget Requirements:	\$1,507,416.48	\$183,775.36
Year to Date Budget Expenses:	\$1,522,225.88	\$193,923.09
Year To Date Budget Gifts:	\$1,514,230.75	\$197,293.39

On Campus Attendance			Pineville Debt Reduction	
	Sunday School	Worship	Original Balance:	\$3,623,350.63
Pineville Campus:	343	383	Given Last Sunday:	\$6,332.00
Lecompte Campus:	68	94	Given Since 3/1/20:	\$682,629.09
Total:	411	477	Church Contribution Since 3/1/20:	\$414,954.75

Off Campus Attendance			New Balance:	
	Sunday School	Worship	\$2,525,766.79	
Main Street Mission:	42	63	Approximate Interest Saved:	\$927,458.34

iCampus Attendance		Parking Lot Fund	
Facebook Peak Live	YouTube Concurrent	Given This Week	Given to Date
28	21	\$325	\$40,991.12

Sermon Notes

Want to know more about becoming a member? You can check out our website www.fbcpineville.net/connect and click on the link.



Today's worship service will be available for download at www.fbcpineville.net.
*If you feel the need to sit at any time, please feel free to do so.
(CCLI #1162154)

Deacon on Call this Week:

Nick Nixon
318-730-2555

Homebound Member of the Week:

Phillip Granger
2536 Hickory Hill Road
Pineville, LA 71360

CONNECTION CARD

<input type="checkbox"/> 1st-time guest <input type="checkbox"/> 2nd-time guest <input type="checkbox"/> Regular Attender <input type="checkbox"/> Member <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Guest of: _____	Dr. / Mr. / Mrs. / Ms. / Miss / Rev.	Today's Date
	Name: _____	____/____/____
	Email: _____	
	Address: _____	
	City/State/Zip: _____	
	Phone: _____	
Please circle those that apply: Preschool Children Youth College		
	20s 30s 40s 50s 60s 70s 80+	