#### November 2019

E Upcoming Events Make Plans to Be a Part

Wednesdays in November 6:30 p Bible Study & JAM & Youth Bible Study

<u>Sundays in November</u> 9:30 a Sunday School 10:45 a Worship Service 2:30 - 4:30 p Healing Hearts 5:00 - 7:00 p Youth Group (6th-12th)

Saturday, November 2 6:00 - 9:00 p Fill Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

Sunday, November 3

Time Change 12:00 - 2:00 p Fill Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes 2:00 p Christmas Play Rehearsal 5:00 - 7:30 p Fill Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

Wednesday, November 6 7:30 p Board Meetings 7:30 p FCA at FBC

Monday, November 11 Veteran's Day

#### Tuesday, November 12

2:30 - 6:00 p Ark of the Covenant Soup Kitchen

Thursday, November 14 8:00 a Men's Breakfast

Sunday, November 17

2:00 p Christmas Play Rehearsal Wednesday, November 20

9:00 a - 2:00 p Gingerbread House Baking

<u>Thursday, November 21</u> 9:00 a - 2:00 p Gingerbread House Baking

Sunday, November 24 12:00 p Thanksgiving Meal 2:00 p Nursing Home 6:00 p Community Thanksgiving Service

Wednesday, November 27 NO Bible Study <u>Thursday, November 28</u> Happy Thanksgiving

# A note from the Pastor

Time and again, we see celebrities espouse Christian beliefs only to drop them later. Very few people in the spotlight claim a Christian identity and even fewer live it. So what are we to make of Kanye West's recent proclamation that Jesus is King?

I listened to Kanye's album. I don't typically listen to him (or any rap artist for that matter) and the music isn't my preference. I tried to listen to the lyrics, but I struggled to pick up the meaning. I will say two things about the lyrics: they are clean and they repeatedly tell of Christ's saving love.

One song in particular hit me. No, it didn't hit me. I <u>convicted</u> me. *Hands On* has these lyrics:

"Said I'm finna (sic) to do a gospel album What have you been hearing from the Christians They'll be the first one to judge me Make it feel like nobody love me"

Did Kanye West just call out my sin? On his public album? When Kanye said he was a born again Christian, I didn't believe him. When he said he would produce a gospel album, I thought it was for publicity. I was the first one to judge me.

Is Kanye West a genuine believer in Jesus Christ? I guess to answer that question, I'd have to ask another question: can Jesus Christ save Kanye West? Yes and amen! When someone confesses Christ publicly, our response should be rejoicing. Whether you're convinced of Kanye West's conversion or not, you should at least honor his request at the end of the song *Hands On* when a chorus pleads, "Somebody pray for me."



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#### <u>Sunday</u>

9:30 am Sunday School 10:45 am Worship Service 5:00 - 7:00 pm Youth Group (6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>)

email office@fbcrobinson.com website fbcrobinson.com

Pastor Trey Reid

5:00 - 7:00 pm Youth Group (6<sup>th</sup> -Wednesday 6:30 pm Bible Study,

Jam (κ – 5<sup>th</sup>) Youth Bible Study (6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>)

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## SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

CE BOARD WILL PROVIDE THE MEAT, POTATOES, NOODLES, ROLLS & DRINKS PLEASE BRING A VEGETABLE, SALAD & DESSERT

SIGN UP IF YOU ARE ATTENDING & WHAT YOU ARE BRINGING ON BULLETIN BOARD OR WWW.FBCROBINSON.COM/THANKSGIVING





Celebrate God's Goodness



If you have an event or announcement please fill out the Event Request form and turn into the office.

You can pick one up from the magazine rack or fill it out online at www.fbcrobinson.com/eventrequest www.fbcrobinson.com/live www.facebook.com/firstbaptistrobinson

> WATCH US ONLINE

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LIVE STREAMING AVAILABLE No Wednesday Activities (Bible Study, JAM, or Youth Bible Study)

### November 27 Happy Thanksgiving



Community Thanksgiving Service Sunday, November 24 at 6pm at Ark of the Covenant (503 E Hazel)

Online giving is available at www.fbcrobinson.com/give

> Online GIVING

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#### Sunday, Nov 3

Nursery: E Hester, C Ault Primary Church: Family Worship Sound System: J Chapman

#### Sunday, Nov 10

Nursery: K Inboden, JD Caballero Primary Church: M Batcheller, F Hall Sound System: T Knight

#### Sunday, Nov 17

Nursery: L Gallion, C Reid Primary Church: D Newnum, C Reid Sound System: KE Chapman

#### Sunday, Nov 24

Nursery: J Wesley, A Wesley Primary Church: M Ferguson, M Brown Sound System: T Conner

Starting November 3 Healing Hearts Grief Group

> First Baptist Church 301 S Jefferson, Robinson

Contact Sherri Bailey at 618-554-2411 or church at 618-544-3214



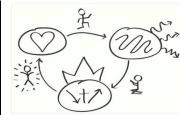
We are looking for donations of food, drinks and cash

Sign up on bulletin board

Any questions see Eva Hester

### Child Can Schurch

Looking for a Primary Church teachers. Ages 3 – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade ALL teaching material is provided to you. You would be teaching 2-3 times a year. If you are interested please see Melissa Chapman



#### Birthdays& Anniversaries

- 5 Dr Bob Hoagland
- 7 James Bailey
- 9 Taren Williamson
- 11 Trish Hutchison
- 18 Lana Spires
- 20 J.D. Caballero
- 22 Cheryl Caballero

#### Missionary

- 25 Georgia Ralston
- 29 Mike Cooper





First Baptist will be serving at Ark of the Covenant Soup Kitchen 503 E Hazel St Tues, Nov 12 2:30 p – 6:00 p We will be serving by serving and delivering food. Sign up on bulletin board.

### Mursing Home Ministry Nov 24 at 2 pm

Nov 24 at 2 pm Heritage Health Cornerstone Class

questions see Gloria Smith



## Thank you all for the donation of candy!

The parades were a great success thanks to all of you! We have a great family!

### Candy Donations



If you would like help with the cost of the candy for the Gingerbread House Decorating we are taking cash donation.

> Please mark it as Gingerbread Candy.

### Help wanted!!

JAM  $(J_{esus \& Me})$  is looking for an adult to work with kids Kindergarten –  $5^{th}$  grade on Wednesday nights from 6:15 – 7:30 p.

Responsibilities would be to plan games or activities to supplement the lessons, help the kids during lesson time to find scripture verses, & have fun while encouraging learning & building friendships.

If you are interested please see Loretta Gallion





#### Can You Help? Can you help us get ready for the Gingerbread Decorating Night

Baking days Nov 20 9 a - 2 p Nov 21 9 a - 2 p Bring your rolling pins and come help by rolling dough, cutting cookies, baking cookies & fellowship

House Construction Dec 10 9 a – 12 p Dec 11 9 a – done Come and help put the gingerbread houses together

Any questions contact Donna Thomas Sign up sheet on bulletin board



#### Gingerbread House Decorating at First Baptist Church Saturday, December 14 1:00 – 3:30 pm & 5:00 – 7:30 p

Kick off Christmas by joining us & decorating a Gingerbread House. Create some wonderful memories. Two times to choose from to decorate.

Please sign up on online or call to sign up to guarantee your *house* and *time* for decorating

fbcrobinsoncom/gingerbread or call 618-544-3214 First Baptist Church, 301 S Jefferson, Robinson

> Bethlehem VILLAGE

#### Friday, December 6 & Saturday, December 7 5:30P to 8:30P - ROBINSON CITY PARK

The Trustees have placed a list of cleaning suggestions on the bulletin board.

If you have some time and are willing to help, please look the list over. In order to reduce the duplication of service, we are asking you to put the date beside any item you complete. In addition, if you see something else that you feel needs attention feel free to clean it and put a note on the list.

We appreciate your willingness to serve in this way.

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Pray for the leading of the Holy Spirit for opportunities to share Jesus and follow up with those who indicate an interest. FBC currently supports Brett and Patty at \$50.00 a month.

