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December 2019



Wednesdays in December

6:30 p Bible Study & JAM &
Youth Bible Study

Sundays in December

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)

Sunday, December 1

12:30 p Christmas Play Rehearsal
6:00 p Christmas Play

Wednesday, December 4

7:30 p Board Meetings

December 6 & 7

5:30 p - 8:30 p Bethlehem Village

Sunday, December 8

12:15 p Children Ministry Training
4:00 p Church Council Meeting

Tuesday, December 10

9:00 a - 12:00 p Gingerbread House
Construction

Wednesday, December 11

9:00 a - 12:00 p Gingerbread House
Construction

Thursday, December 12

8:00 a Men's Breakfast

Saturday, December 14

1:00 - 3:30 p Gingerbread House
5:00 - 7:30 p

Sunday, December 22

2:00 p Nursing Home Ministry at
Brookstone Estates

Wednesday, December 24

6:00 p Christmas Eve Service

Wednesday, December 25

Christmas Day

Wednesday, December 31

New Years Eve

A note from the Pastor

During Christmas, the secular world is much more receptive to the things of God. No where is this clearer than in Christmas music. Sprinkled in with the Frosty the Snowman and Grandma Got Run Over By A Reindeer, you find an abundance of clear Biblical hymns that announce the birth of the Jesus. Words like "Messiah" and "Emmanuel" are on the lips of nearly everyone. And while God seems to be marginalized more and more in society, Christmas has remained a place where all people have embraced religion.

I can't help but think that it would be different if people really understood what they were singing. Most people recite Christmas lyrics mindlessly and never consider the words that they are singing. Sadly, many Christians also sing these beautiful songs without considering the rich Biblical truth they contain. I mean, how can we not be moved singing:

*"O holy Child of Bethlehem! Descend to us we pray,
Cast out our sin, and enter in; be born in us today."
O Little Town of Bethlehem*

This month, we'll be looking at four different Christmas songs and the Scriptures that they teach. I hope you'll use this month as an opportunity to talk to your friends and family about Christ and the impact his coming at Christmas has had on your life and salvation.





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Sunday

9:30 am Sunday School
10:45 am Worship Service
2:30 pm Healing Hearts Grief Group
5:00 - 7:00 pm Youth Group (6th - 12th)

Wednesday

6:30 pm Bible Study,
Jam (K - 5th)
Youth Bible Study (6th - 12th)



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CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

Dec 24, 6:00 pm



Sunday, December 1 at 6 pm
Come see our children and youth present
our Christmas program



Rehearsal dates

Sun, Nov 3 at 2 p
Sun, Nov 17 at 2 p
Sun, Dec 1 at 12:30p

Bethlehem VILLAGE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6 & SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7
5:30P TO 8:30P — ROBINSON CITY PARK

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

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www.fbcrobinson.com/give



Bethlehem Village
Meeting
Mon, Dec 2
6:00 p
Location to be announced

**Church Council
Meeting**
Sun, Dec 8 at 4:00 p

2nd Thursday of each month
Meet at Tuscany for Breakfast & devotional time

**MEN'S
BREAKFAST**
Faith, Food, and Fellowship

Dec 12 at 8:00 am

Serving in Worship

Sunday, Dec 1

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

Sunday, Dec 8

Nursery: K Inboden, JD Caballero
Primary Church: C Ault, C Reid
Sound System: T Knight

Sunday, Dec 15

Nursery: L Gallion, C Reid
Primary Church: M Newlin, M Brown
Sound System: KE Chapman

Sunday, Dec 22

Nursery: J Wesley, A Wesley
Primary Church: M Jones, F Hall
Sound System: T Conner

Sunday, Dec 29

Nursery: D Newnum, D Danner
Primary Church: Family Worship
Sound System: KE Chapman

**Board & Committee
Meeting**
Wed, Dec 4
7:30 p

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

Dec 10 9 a - 2 p

Dec 11 9 a - done

Bring your rolling pins and come help by rolling
dough, cutting cookies, baking cookies & fellowship
Any questions contact Donna Thomas



Sign up sheet on bulletin board



Children's Ministry Training
Sun, Dec 8 at 12:15 p
All children's ministry volunteers . . .
We need you!
Save the date, Dec 8 at 12:15!
We have a new church safety guidelines.
This is **MANDATORY** training for the safety
of our children and volunteers
There will be lunch and desserts

Any questions see
Eva Hester

**CHILDREN'S
MINISTRY**

This is for those who
were unable to attend
the meeting offered in
October.

**Wed, Dec 11
7:00 pm**

**CHURCH
BUSINESS
MEETING**
Make Plans To Attend

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

 fbcrobinson.com/gingerbread
or call 618-544-3214

First Baptist Church, 301 S Jefferson, Robinson





Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 10 Sandy Windes
- 12 David Sheese,
- 13 Callie Reid
- 17 Ashton Wesley, Hailey Riggs
- 21 Jim Riggs
- 24 William Batten
- 26 Becky Miller
- 27 Hannah Reid

Missionary
11 Brandon Brown

Nursing Home Ministry
Dec 22 at 2 pm
Brookstone Estates
Wel Kum/Fellowship Class



questions see Gloria Smith



Help wanted!!

JAM (Jesus & Me) is looking for an adult to work with kids Kindergarten – 5th 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

fbcrobinson Check In

Watch for more information on our new Check In software for Nursery to High school



NURSERY ON WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

WE ARE IN NEED OF SOME VOLUNTEERS

IT IS A REGULAR MONTHLY ROTATION

WITH OUR CHANGES IN THE FBC CHURCH SAFETY POLICY, WE NEED TO HAVE TWO ADULTS IN THE NURSERY.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED PLEASE SEE EVA HESTER



Children's CHURCH

Looking for a Primary Church teachers.

Ages 3 – 2nd 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



Small groups on Sunday mornings at 9:30 am.

We have classes for toddlers, children, teenagers, college & careers and adults.

SMALL GROUPS



YOUTH GROUP
(FOR 6TH TO 12TH)

Bring a friend or 2

5:00 – 7:00 PM SUNDAY EVENING

JOIN US FOR GAMES, LESSONS AND FUN

Any questions contact Donna at 630-217-5358 or Christina Hall 812-243-4295

Finding Christmas Under The Sea Program Rehearsal

Sunday, November 3 from 2 p

Sunday, November 17 from 2 p

Sunday, December 1 from 12:30 p

There will be a meal provided after worship before rehearsal.



Any questions contact Cheryl Caballero at 618-562-6313



Wednesday nights at 6:30 p

Kids K – 5th

YOUTH Bible Study
6th – 12th
Wednesday Nights

Adult BIBLE STUDY
"DISCOVER GOD'S WORD"

Healing Hearts Grief Group



Offering support as you find physical, emotional, and spiritual healing and hope.


The book is available at The Bible Book Store (106 Main St, Vincennes) or when you attend

Sundays from 2:30 – 4:30 pm at

First Baptist Church

301 S Jefferson, Robinson

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



Canned Good Drive

Collecting non-perishable #10 canned goods for the Ark of the Covenant Soup Kitchen

They are in need of green beans, corn, peas, cream style corn, peaches, mixed fruit, applesauce, baked beans, & pudding

Basket under coat rack

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.

