

## **Order of Worship**

### **Christ Candle**

We light the Christ Candle each Sunday during Worship as a reminder of Christ's presence with us.

### **Worship**

We are here this morning to worship God. During this time of Worship through music, feel free to worship in whatever way you are most comfortable: whether standing or sitting, clapping or silently meditating on the words, find a posture where you can best worship God.

### **Welcome**

We are so glad you are here. Connecting through worship is an important part of our ministry. Please take time to complete the Connect Card on your pew.

### **Worship Through Giving**

First Baptist Church is a member-supported ministry. You may share your offering during this time or give online at [www.fbcsweetwater.org](http://www.fbcsweetwater.org)

### **The Conversation**

This is your invitation to join the conversation of First Baptist Church. We believe a conversation with God and others is vital to one's faith development. Each week we strive to initiate an engaging conversation through a message and Biblical text that will continue throughout the week in the way we live and think about our faith journey.

### **Our Response to God**

We believe that God calls us to act on our conversation with God. This is your time to respond through meditation, prayer and commitment.

### **Connect**

You can connect with God and First Baptist Church through a variety of opportunities each week.



**First Baptist Church**

February 5, 2017

## First Baptist Church Announcements

### **Reset**

Next Sunday, we conclude our series on Reset with a conversation on service. We have many volunteers who serve throughout the week in many areas. Serving is a great way to be a part of our mission to *Love the City, Serve the City*. It is also a great way to get to know others and some of the many ministries in our church. Consider how you might serve.

### **Church Conference**

Our first quarterly conference of the year will be Wednesday, February 15 at 6 PM in Room 101.

### **Lenten Series**

On Wednesday, March 1, we begin our Lenten Conversation series with an Ash Wednesday service. While this may not be a regular part of your tradition, it is a time of thoughtful reflection and preparation for the period of Lent—the season between Ash Wednesday and Resurrection Sunday. We will meet at 6:00 PM.

### **Activity Questionnaire**

We are in the process of creating an Activity Ministry calendar and we value your input. If you have not completed a survey, please stop by the Information Table in the Worship Center Foyer and give us your input.

### **Orchestra**

Our orchestra is growing and we would love to reserve a seat for you. If you would like to be a part of our orchestra, you can talk to Matthew Gudino. Rehearsals are on Wednesday evenings at 7:45 PM.

**\*\*\*Congratulations to Lisa Eaker on the start of her 1<sup>st</sup> year Anniversary as our Children's Minister. \*\*\***

### **Mission Item of the Month**

**Item:** Canned Meat (Tuna, Chicken, Vienna Sausages)

**Our Goal:** 50    **Received as of publication:** 2

## Welcome!

One way we want to get to know each other is through the Connect Card. Each pew has a Connect Card and we ask you to fill it out during the Welcome Time. Our volunteers will pick up the Connect Cards from the pews after Worship.

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*Church Office Hours: Monday-Thursday*

*8:30 AM-Noon; 1:00-4:30 PM*