

SERMON NOTES

Lined area for sermon notes.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, January 4

- 9:15 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship Service
3:30 PM Visitation/Outreach
5:00 PM Youth Refuge

Monday, January 5

- 7:00 PM Martial Arts Class

Wednesday, January 7

- 5:00 PM Wednesday Night Fellowship Meal
6:00 PM Bible Buddies, Children's Bible Study, Youth Refuge
6:10 PM Small Group Studies
7:10 PM Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, January 8

- 7:00 PM Martial Arts Class

Saturday, January 10

- 10:00 AM Ladies' Prayer Breakfast
12:00 PM Homeless Ministry

Sunday, January 11

- 9:15 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship Service
3:30 PM Visitation/Outreach
5:00 PM Deacon's Meeting
5:00 PM Youth Refuge

The worshipers at Metairie Baptist Church are its Ministers. The staff who assist them are:

Table with 3 columns: Position, Name, Email. Includes Senior Pastor Thomas Strong, Associate Pastor Mitch Mares, and various ministry leaders.

Please send any Facility concerns to faciliies@metairiebc.org

Logo for Metairie Baptist Church with the motto: 'So the world will know, the saved will grow, and the church will go'.



Let's Start The New Year Right. What Has God Planned For You?

January 4, 2015

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Prelude

Brenda Jenkins

Welcome and Announcements

"Oh How Good It Is"

Call to Worship

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" #54
"10,000 Reasons"

Worship Through Prayer

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus" #182
"Draw Me into Your Presence"

Worship Through Giving

"Cornerstone" with "The Solid Rock"
Choir

Message

Dr. Thomas Strong

Time Of Commitment

"Take Me Life, Lead Me, Lord" #287

Benediction

"O Church, Arise"

Verse of the Month:

*For it is God who is at work in you, both to will and to work for His good pleasure.
- Philippians 2:13*



You are invited and encouraged to join us this **Wednesday night, Jan. 7, 2015**, as our new series of Bible Studies/ Small Group Studies

begin! Make plans to make the commitment to be a part of one of these exciting opportunities that will encourage you in your walk with Christ and challenge you to grow daily to become more like Him:

***A Bible study on "Jonah"** for the women of the church will be Led By Betty Frechette Room #130 (Parlor).

***"The Disciple's Cross"** A men's study will be led by Mitch Mares Room #123.

***A couple's study** will be led jointly by the Cooglers and the Lonsberrys Room #200.

***"The Disciple's Personality"** discipleship study for all (both men and women) will be led by Thomas Strong Room #106.

Thank You

to everyone who provided desserts, drinks and money for pizzas for the **Mobberly Youth Choir** from Longview, TX. We were so glad to have them minister to us in song this week!

December 28, 2014		Wednesday Night January 7th
Sunday School:	110	To Be Announced
Worship:	146	
December Stewardship		
Weekly Budget:	\$ 8,258	
Offering (12/28/14):	\$11,348	
Budget to Date:	\$33,034	
DEC. Offering to Date:	\$36,510	

REMINDERS & EVENTS

Wednesday - Jan. 7 @ 6:10pm - Small Group Studies
Saturday - Jan. 10 @ 10:00am - Ladies Prayer Breakfast
Sunday - Jan. 11 @ 5:00pm - Deacon's Meeting

COOKIES, COOKIES, COOKIES!

There is a Student Life Fair on the NOBTS campus next Thursday, January 15th at 6:00pm for new students. We would like to greet them with bags of homemade cookies. If you can help, please bring them to MBC by 2:00pm on that Thursday. Please put 3 cookies per ziplock bag. Thank you!

Attention Ladies

Please join us this Saturday, Jan. 10 @ 10:00am in the Parlor for a prayer breakfast. A sign-up sheet is located on the Women's Ministry board! Let's "Pray In" the start of the New Year!



Men's Ministry New Orleans Tour & Lunch

Saturday - Jan. 17 @ 9:00am
All men ages 18+ are invited to join us for a tour of New Orleans by our tour guide, Mrs. Susan Brunson. Cost is only \$5.00 per person and bring money for lunch. We will meet at the church at 9am sharp and take the church bus. Please sign up today on the Men's Ministry Board, space is limited.

Deacon of the Week Ray Pace (504) 833-0526

Please contact Ray for any ministry need or illness.

SAMARITAN MINISTRY

*(24 hours for emergencies or ministry needs)
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