SERMON NOTES

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, February 10

9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship

5:00 PM Special Called Business Meeting

Monday, February 11

Deacons' Meeting; Ladies Prayer Group 6:00 PM

Tuesday, February 12-Mardi Gras

Church Office Closed

Wednesday, February 13

5:00 PM Supper

6:00 PM Nursery, TeamKid, Breakthrough

6:10 PM **Business Meeting**

7:10 PM Choir

Sunday, February 17

9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship

3:30 PM Preschool Committee Meeting

CHURCH STAFF

Senior Pastor **Associate Pastor** Minister of Youth Minister of Music Financial Clerk Music/Ed. Secretary

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METAIRIE BAPTIST CHURCH

So the world will know, the saved will grow, and the church will go

DEEPER in the Word FURTHER in the World

DISCIPLESHIP

February 10, 2013



DR. THOMAS STRONG, SENIOR PASTOR 401 CODIFER BLVD. AT ORION AVE. METAIRIE, LA 70005 www.metairiebc.org 504.835.2611

Order of Worship Identity Crisis: Who We Are In Christ

Prelude

"Blessed Assurance"

Call to Worship

"Shout to The Lord"

Welcome and Announcements

"Oh How Good It Is"

"All That Thrills My Soul" #429

Worship through Prayer

"Refiner's Fire"

"Alas, and Did My Savior Bleed" #145

Worship through Giving

"How Beautiful" Choir

Message From God's Word

"The Bride of Christ" Dr. Thomas Strong

Time of Commitment

"I Surrender All" #275

Benediction

"O Church, Arise"

Special Called Business Meeting

The Chair of the Trustees has requested that a special business meeting be called for tonight at 5:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please make plans to attend this important meeting and discussion.

Vision 2013 Downloads

You will find the sermon/Sunday school audio from last week, as well as other downloads on our website at www.metairiebc.org/vision2013.html If you do not have internet access, please contact the Church Office and we will provide you a copy.

Family Ministry Day—March 16

In the Orion Foyer today, you may sign up to be a part of this great ministry to our community!

Verse of the Month: Proverbs 29:18

Where there is no vision, the people are unrestrained, but happy is he who keeps the law.

Deacon of the Week: Tom Brown (504-613-8518) Please contact Tom for any ministry need or illness.

| February 3, 2013 | | Wednesday |
|------------------------|----------|----------------|
| Sunday School: | 142 | Night |
| Worship: | 163 | Supper |
| February Stewardship | | Menu: |
| Weekly Budget: | \$8,718 | Beef Tips |
| Offering (02/03/13): | \$12,485 | and Noodles |
| Feb. Budget to Date: | \$8,718 | |
| Feb. Offering to Date: | \$12,485 | |

Missionary Luncheon

All (Yes, men, too!) are invited to join the Women on Mission, Monday, February 25, for our annual Missionary Luncheon. There will be potluck lunch served along with the opportunity to fellowship with the missionaries from Global Maritime Ministry, the Friendship House, and our local Baptist Collegiate Ministry. We will also hear about their plans for 2013 and how we can pray, support, and participate. Please make every effort to come and bring a lunch dish ready to be served. Please arrive by 11 am so that we can be ready to serve by 11:30. Let us use this opportunity to be a blessing to those who bless so many.

Mission Opportunity

Zachary Breckenridge will be representing MBC as he travels to Nicaragua during July 20-27. If you are interested in joining him for this mission trip, please come to a fifteen minute meeting after service on February 24. If you have questions, please contact Zac at zachary.breckenridge@metairiebc.org

Youth Jambalaya Fundraiser

Help send our youth to Centrifuge camp this summer! Tickets are \$7 each for a wonderful Jambalaya meal following the morning service on March 3. See a youth today to purchase a ticket!

Seniors' Choir

Attention seniors! Are you interested in being part of a seniors' choir? If so, sign up in the Orion Foyer on the Evergreen bulletin board or contact Carol Wilken at (504) 444-3722 or carol.wilken@metairiebc.org