

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude

"How Great Is Our God"

Call to Worship

"This Is the Day" #359

Welcome and Announcements

"Blessed Be Your Name"

"To God Be the Glory" #4

Georgia Barnette State Missions Offering Emphasis

"When Disaster Strikes"

Worship through Prayer

"Doxology" #253

"Worthy of Worship" #3

Worship through Giving

"In the Presence of Jehovah"

Choir

Melissa Jackson, soloist

Message From God's Word

Dr. Thomas Strong

Time of Commitment

"Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus" #320

Benediction

"O Church, Arise"

VIPS and The Gathering: Tonight

TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE:

4:30 p.m.—VIPS

The purpose of VIPS is to reach out to those who have visited the church and to encourage all. Every person will have an opportunity to be involved in one of the following ways:

Visiting – partnering with other MBC members to make contacts.

Interceding – praying for the concerns of others.

Phoning – making calls to encourage others.

Scribing – writing notes of encouragement.

6:00 p.m.—The Gathering

Join us as we fellowship together and work on a myriad of mission projects tonight. This will also be a time of celebration of what God has done through VIPS!

Verse of the Month: Colossians 1:17

"He is before all things and in Him all things hold together."

DEACON OF THE WEEK: Errol Wilken (504-444-3673)
Please contact Errol for any ministry need or illness.

September 16, 2012

Sunday School: 145

Worship: 201

September Stewardship

Weekly Budget: \$9,282

Offering (9/16/12): \$5,271

Sept. Budget to Date: \$27,846

Sept. Offering to Date: \$26,125

Wednesday Night Supper Menu:

Lasagna

Global Fest 2012

Barbeque, Blues, and Blessings! Global Fest is this Friday, September 28, at First Baptist Church of New Orleans. Dinner and Auction is from 5:30 until 7:00 p.m. with New Orleans Blues at 7:15. Tickets are \$15 and \$5 for children to benefit Global Maritime Ministries - a family fun night as we support missions!

Evergreens' Meeting & Luncheon

Join us Tuesday at 10:15 a.m. for desserts and salads in the Fellowship Hall.



Louisiana
Baptist
Children's
HOME
& Family Ministries

Fall Food Roundup From Your Carts to their Hearts!

The annual food drive to benefit the Louisiana Baptist Children's Home has been our Gathering Mission Project this month. You may contribute any

commercially canned, dry goods, paper products, toiletry items, cleaning supplies and money. All monies given will be used to purchase milk, bread, eggs, meat, and fresh produce as needed. These donations provide for the home families for the entire year, and remember that meals are prepared in each cottage. No gallon size cans, please! There are copies of a "Needs List" in the foyer and a designated area to place your offerings. It is not too late to bring in your donations!