

**SERMON NOTES**

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**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**Sunday, January 27**

9:15 AM Sunday School  
 10:30 AM Worship  
 5:00 PM The Gathering

**Tuesday, January 29**

10:00 AM Women on Mission

**Wednesday, January 30**

5:00 PM Supper  
 6:00 PM Nursery, Preschool Choir, TeamKid, Breakthrough  
 6:10 PM Bible Study/Prayer  
 7:10 PM Choir

**Friday—Saturday, February 1—2**

Kaleidoscope—Ladies' Conference  
 SBC Disaster Relief Training

**Sunday, February 3—Vision Sunday**

9:15 AM Joint Adult/Youth Sunday School  
 9:15 AM Preschool/Children's Sunday School Classes  
 10:30 AM Worship

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**METAIRIE BAPTIST CHURCH**

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

**THE GATHERING**  
 Join us tonight at **5:00**



**Come hear  
 about missions  
 and how MBC  
 can be  
 involved.**

**January 27, 2013**

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# Order of Worship

## Prelude

"People Need the Lord"

## Call to Worship

"How Majestic Is Your Name"

## Welcome and Announcements

"Take My Life (Holiness)"

"Living for Jesus" #282

## Worship through Prayer

"Mighty to Save"

"Jesus Paid It All" #134

## Worship through Giving

"Jesus Saves"

Brenda Jenkins and Leah Mulholland

"Once Again"

Choir

## Message From God's Word

Dr. Norris Grubbs

2 Peter 1:3-11

## Time of Commitment

"I Surrender All" #275

## Benediction

"O Church, Arise"



## Next Sunday—February 3

Join us for Vision 2013 next Sunday morning beginning in the Fellowship Hall. Dr. Strong will have the Sunday School hour with all adults and teenagers (preschoolers and children will go to their classes). Donuts and coffee will be provided. After a time of vision casting, the church will gather for a time of worship and celebration as we focus on God's Word.

## Wednesday Nights

We have some new opportunities available beginning February 6. In addition to a general Bible study and prayer time (after supper), we will have separate men's and women's discipleship groups for those who would like to attend. We will continue to have age graded activities for youth, children, and preschoolers.

<b>January 20, 2013</b>		<b>Wednesday Night Supper Menu:</b>
Sunday School:	122	
Worship:	163	<b>Pork Loin</b>
<b>January Stewardship</b>		
Weekly Budget:	\$8,718	
Offering (01/20/13):	\$6,952	
Jan. Budget to Date:	\$26,154	
Jan. Offering to Date:	\$18,919	

## The Gathering—Tonight at 5:00

Are you interested in hearing about and/or participating in missions? Come tonight at 5:00 pm to hear about the ministry of Randy Caruth with I Am Able Ministries. We will be looking into the possibility of working with this ministry in the future. Come and see how you can be involved!

## 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!



The beautiful sanctuary flowers have been placed in loving memory of **Jeffrey Duronslet** on the occasion of his 50th birthday by Frances, Lynwood, and Jason.

Judy Poche expresses her heart-felt thanks for all the calls, cards, and prayers as she is away seeking treatment.

## Mark Your Calendars

Family Ministry Day is Saturday, March 16, at 8:30 am!

## Verse of the Month: Philippians 3:13-14

"I do not regard myself as having laid hold of it yet; but one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and reaching forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus."

**Deacon of the Week:** Lewis Perdue (504-234-4972)  
Please contact Lewis for any ministry need or illness.