

Sermon Notes:

“FREEDOM”

Ephesians 2:1-10

- 1. Sin results in a \_\_\_\_\_ Condition.
- 2. God made us \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3. The purpose of our salvation is to \_\_\_\_\_.



BABIES - 6th GRADE

Check in your babies - 6th Grade before Worship beginning at 10:30am. They will receive a name tag and you will receive a guardian tag. Hold on to your guardian tag for pickup time.

Newborn to 23 months (Room C116)      2 year olds (Room C114)  
3-5 year olds (Room C112)      1st - 6th grade (Room C108)

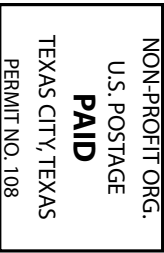
First Steps

Membership is open to anyone who has 1) placed their faith in Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins and 2) has been baptized by immersion by a body of believers of like faith and practice.  
We will be happy to assist you with these spiritual decisions.  
Text FIRST to (409) 215-0332 to be contacted  
or meet one of our Ministers at the First Steps Room, after the service to discuss your spiritual decision.



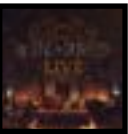
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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



Pursuing  
Christ FIRST  
in Life, Love and  
Actions

January 17, 2021



Song: Oh How I Need You  
Artist: All Sons and Daughters



Song: Lion And The Lamb  
Artist: Leeland



Song: How Deep The Father's Love For Us  
Artist: Shane & Shane



Song: Way Maker  
Artist: Leeland



Song: Reckless Love  
Artist: Cory Asbury

Message

Dennis Johns

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Deacon of the Week

Ronn Mason

## This Week @ FBCTC

January 17 -January 23

<b>Sunday</b>	
8:15am	<b>Worship Rehearsal</b>
9:30am	<b>Bible Study</b>
10:45am	<b>Worship Service</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	
9:30am	<b>Lynn's Dynaband Class - D100</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	
12:00 pm	<b>Ladies Bible Journaling Group - FH</b>
5:15pm	<b>Transitions</b> (Grief Ministry) - B110
6:00 pm	<b>JAM</b> (7th-12th Grade) Upper Room
6:30 pm	<b>Prayer and Praise</b>
6:30 pm	<b>Awana</b> - First Kids Area
7:30 pm	<b>Worship Rehearsal</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	
9:30am	<b>Lynn's Dynaband Class - D100</b>
<b>Friday</b>	Office Closed



### Coffee with the Pastor

Monday - Friday live @ 8:00am on our Facebook page. Check out the event on fbctc.com for the blog and Youtube links.

### Ministry Staff

Dr. Robert R. Miller, Pastor  
John Talley, Associate Pastor, Worship & Administration  
Dennis Johns, Associate Pastor, Families  
Meschel Hara, Children's Minister  
Jenny Skarke, Worship Ministry Associate

Scan the QR code to access our livestream



First Baptist Church  
LIVE @ 10:45 am



Worship services are streamed live on the internet each week from our website [www.fbctc.com](http://www.fbctc.com). Recent services are also available short term. Click on the livestream.

## A Message from Meschel Hara

Oh, the places we will go in 2021!

If anything, 2020 definitely helped us appreciate things more that we took for granted, so many activities that "always" took place that we never thought wouldn't occur! As I look at my 2021 calendar, I'm praying hard that we are able to do many of the ministry activities that we were not able to do in 2020. Continue to pray for those with Covid as well as for the vaccine process so that more and more folks can get back to living! God created us to love Him and love others! And it's so hard to love others at a distance! Ask God how He can use you to love others as we slowly transition back into living life to the fullest. We need God, and we need each other!

Looking into 2021, we have a men's breakfast planned this Saturday; and coming in February, we're planning a ladies Galentine's Brunch for February 13th. More details coming soon for our Galentine's Brunch. You won't want to miss it!

And before you know it, Easter will be here! Join me January 24th at 4:30pm in Room B110 if you would like to help with the planning and preparation for our Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday.

Another big ministry event that I pray will take place in 2021 is VBS. Aren't you ready to say "Yes to VBS"? Mark your calendar for this year's VBS on June 14-17. You will want to plan your vacation around it lol, well, maybe. I do hope you will plan to be a part of VBS in 2021. This year's theme is Rocky Railway: Jesus' Power Pulls us Through. Fill out a volunteer registration form this Sunday. They will be available for the next couple Sundays in your church bulletin. Or if you're not attending in person yet, you can email me at [mhara@fbctc.com](mailto:mhara@fbctc.com) if you'd like to volunteer.

Be sure to mark your calendar for our other summer events coming in 2021:

- Sports Camp June 14-17 (Current 1st – 6th Graders) (On Campus)
- Preteen Camp June 23-26 (Current 3rd – 6th Graders) (@ Pineywoods Baptist Encampment)
- Camp Sonshine July 5-9 (Current 1st – 6th Graders) (On Campus)
- Youth Camp July 19-23 (Current 7th – 12th Graders) (@ Pineywoods Baptist Encampment)

### Financial gifts for January 10, 2021

	Week	To Date
Financial Plan	20,392.40	836,088.29
Financial Receipt	32,471.27	792,760.47
World Missions	75.00	6,857.00
Glass Memorial Baptistry	375.00	151,785.41
Finishing the Task	6,631.00	582,085.63



First Steps  
Membership Class  
Sunday, Feb 7  
12:30pm  
**Light Meal Included**

### Grief Ministry

**Transitions will begin meeting in room; B 110 at 5:15pm every**

**Wednesday.**

**Please Call 409-986-4950**

**Church Office for more information.**



### Starting January 31

Tony Evans' Small Group Study.  
The POWER of JESUS' NAMES

If you would like to start a new group or if you already have a group, email [annemiller@comcast.net](mailto:annemiller@comcast.net) with the names of those participating in your small group for this study

Books will go on sale this Sunday at the Welcome Counter.  
\$10 per workbook  
\$10 per book (optional).

**Small Group Leader Meeting will be January 24 at 3:00pm**

