



Missing Jesus

Luke 2:8-20

Matt Jackson, Student & Family Pastor

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Church Family,

Over the past 17 years serving as the Youth and Family Pastor of Eau Gallie First Baptist, I have had a front row seat to the ups and downs, the joyous and tough times, and the funny and serious moments. I have witnessed Jesus get a hold of many people including children, youth, young adults, middle aged adults, and senior adults. I have seen the baptism waters moved many times because of what God is doing at Eau Gallie and I am proud to call this my church family. Yes....my church family.

Family is a term that is thrown around loosely today. We have family gatherings, birthday parties, meals, and more. Typically we get the kids, parents, aunts, uncles, and cousins together because that's what families are supposed to do. However, it's not like that for every family. Some families are small while others are large. Some families are dysfunctional while others thrive. Some families get together often while others dread ever getting together. For some wonderful reason, God ordained for this church family to get together this morning, to bring Him worship and glory. God has brought this church family together at this point in history to accomplish His will.

One of the joys about being a family pastor is to get the church family to be part of something bigger, together. Sure, we have 2 different types of services. Some folks love traditional music and hymns, while others love the more modern versions of hymns and contemporary music. Some folks love liturgy and responsive readings, while others like to listen to sermons and attend Bible studies, while both becoming more loyal followers of Jesus. The point is that we are one church family with many people, many talents, and many personalities, all following one awesome God.

As 2020 is on the horizon, ask yourself what you can do to be a bigger part of the church family here at Eau Gallie. Maybe God has impressed kids or youth on your heart and you'd love to serve in those ministries. Maybe God has given you a big smile with an outgoing personality and greeting people would be exactly where you need to be. Or maybe God has given you some musical talent or even the gift of teaching and He wants to use you in those ministries. There are a lot of ways to serve our great God right here at Eau Gallie and all you have to do is step out and say, "I will". During 2020, you will see a church family ministry theme unveiled in a couple of weeks. It's a theme we are praying everyone gets behind. Additionally, we will also be scheduling family ministry events for the whole church family to bring all generations together once a month for fellowship, missions, serving, and more. Make 2020 the year that you will be "ALL IN" to whatever God chooses to accomplish at Eau Gallie and around the world. Remember, it's not about trying to please others. We do it all for the glory of God! Join us today.

Blessings,

Pastor Matt

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS!

We are so glad you made it today!

Grab an info packet in the lobby and a Bible from the information desk.

There is a mother-baby suite in the NE corner of the Worship Center

Babies and Preschoolers can join us in the preschool area.

1st-6th Graders, your groups meet at 9:15-10:15AM, and you'll be

released to "Uprise" from the 10:30 Service.

Our Guest Wifi Password is: 87654321

UPCOMING EVENTS

Melbourne Gospel Jubilee: The Triumphant Quartet January 11, 2020 @ 7 PM Tickets are Available for \$10.00:

The Triumphant Quartet sings Gospel Music, with Christian integrity, family values, and friendship. Jesus is the focus of Triumphant. He is the reason they sing and stay consistent and steadfast in their goal of giving their best in all they do and every song they sing.

Offering Envelopes Available

2020's Offering Envelope Boxes are still available on the tables outside the Library!

Ecuador Child Sponsorships

So far we have 10 out of 25 children sponsored! You may contact Pastor Matt with any of your questions at 254-2339 x 15.

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering: Our Goal \$20,000

100% of your generous gifts provide missionaries the services they need to live among the unreached peoples they serve.

Happy New Year: January 1, 2020:

No Wednesday Night Activities

Sunday, January 4th Starts A New Series

Victory in the New Year! A study in the book of Galatians.

Ironmen Bible Study Groups will resume classes January 7, 2020

Ironmen will begin a 13 week series entitled "End Times". All men are invited!

Women Warriors will resume classes January 7, 2020

Women Warriors will begin a new series "In the Beginning: Revisiting Genesis"

Threads of Love will resume meeting January 9th

New Class Begins January 12th:

Are you the parent of a teenager or older child? We now have a Bible Fellowship Class designed especially for you that will be an extension of our youth and kids ministry! Brian and Mary Miller will be teaching this group every Sunday morning at 9:15 am in the choir room. This is a discussion based class, studying the same passages as the youth ministry each week.

OUR MISSION:

LOVE GOD. LOVE PEOPLE. SHARE JESUS. REACH THE WORLD

THIS WEEK AT EG FIRST

Sunday, December 29:

Pastor's Prayer Team: 8:30 AM (Rm 104) Open to All
Prayer First: 8:30 AM (Conference Rm)

Library Open: 8:45 - 9:15 AM & 10:00 - 10:30 AM

Revolution Bible Study: 9:15 AM (Youth Zone)

Sunday School & Bible Fellowships: 9:15 & 10:30 AM

Traditional Worship: 9:15 AM

Contemporary Worship: 10:30 AM

Wednesday, January 1, 2020: Happy New Year!

No Wednesday Night Activities

Lottie
Moon
Christmas
Offering



Our Goal
\$20,000
Total TD
\$11,874.00

2019 IS ALMOST OVER!

This is THE TIME to help the church off-set many of our ministry expenses as we go into 2020. Any gift given by December 31 will be credited towards your giving records and are tax deductible. Your gifts fund our church ministries, local, state, and WORLD missions, and so much more.

Thank you so much for supporting Eau Gallie First Baptist Church!

HERE ARE THE 4 WAYS YOU CAN GIVE

- 1) Drop it in the offering this morning
- 2) Text to Give
- 3) Online Giving
- 4) Easy Tithe App on your Android or Apple Phone.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 01/04:** Chuck Sink, Ann Baumgartner, Janet Strimel,
Shari Monteith, Tiffani Cole
- 01/05:** Charles Meeks, Terrie Cottrill,
Cheri Daubendiek, Candy Thomas,
Elizabeth Andrews
- 01/06:** Nancy Louis, Barbara Carnes
- 01/07:** Carisa Dahl, Dina Trespalacios
- 01/09:** Richard Kiser, Ron McLellan, Tim Long
- 01/10:** Tammy Collard

IN MEMORY OR HONOR

To Benevolence:

In Memory of Bob Bird
By: Leland and Wanda
Wells

In Memory of Jimmie McCalla:

By: Ed and Nancy Fannin
By: Jimmie and Violet
Harrell

To The LottieMoon Offering:

In Memory of Bob Bird
By: Bebe Ballard

In Memory of Jimmie McCalla

By: Jackie Wallace

In Memory of Richard Wallace

By: Jackie Wallace

In Memory of George "Moke" Anders:

Anonymous

Facts and Figures December 22, 2019

Weekend Worship Attendance
395

Weekly Budget Needed

18,629.15	
Budget Offering	16,998.00
Designated	4,679.15
CTB Debt Retirement	135.00
Lottie Moon	4,185.00

Total Offering:
25,997.15

To Date Figures

Budget Goal	950,086.65
Received	939,373.22
CTB Year	12,695.00
Lottie Moon to Date	11,874.00

Fellowship Supper Wednesday, Jan 1, 2020



**Happy New
Year!**

Deacons on Call Dec 15 - Dec 21

Bill Franklin	321-266-3396
Aaron Liebold	863-414-1294
John Hawthorne	717-333-5981
Andy Miller	321-288-0844

WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE

"For am I now seeking the approval of man, or of God? Or am I trying to please man? If I were still trying to please man, I would not be a servant of Christ." Galatians 1:10 (ESV)

WORSHIP CELEBRATIONS

Blank Sermon Notes available on tables near entrances.

9:15 AM Worship with Orchestra and Choir

Choral Praise: "One King:

Fellowship Song: "In the Presence of the Lord"

Message in Song:

"Joy to the World"

"We Three Kings"

"Sing We Now of Christmas"

"He Has Made Me Glad"

"Thank You, Lord"

"Have Thine Own Way, Lord"

"Just a Closer Walk with Thee"

10:30 AM Worship with Praise Band

Do What You Want To

Joy

God Of Grace

Great Are You Lord

So Will I



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