Thank You For Joining Us Today!

Welcome Guests!

We want to get to know you better. Please fill out a communication card and drop it in an offering plate as it passes. You can get one from an usher or in the pocket of the chair in front of you.

We love children and youth. We have trained, screened workers available to care for babies and toddlers.

We want to pray for you. Send prayer needs to joynjc87@gmail.com or call 360-683-2114

This Week's Calendar

Wednesday:

Thursday:

Friday:

7:00 am Prayer

7:00 am Praver

8:00 am Walk Aerobics

6:30 pm *Operation Hope*

7:00 am Prayer

8:00 am Walk Aerobics

6:00 pm Prayer Service

7:00 pm Praise Team

11:15 & 12:15 Youth Lunch

Todav:

9:15 am Congregación Hispana 9:15 am Bible Study 10:45 am Worship Service

4:30 pm *Choir Practice* 6:00 pm Movie

The Christmas Experience

Monday:

7:00 am Prayer 8:00 am Walk Aerobics

6:00 pm Youth Group

Tuesday:

7:00 am Prayer 10:00 am Visitation / Lunch

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Bible Study

A note from our Bible Study Director.....

Has God called you? Yes, He calls you to receive life through Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord. In addition. whether you attend alone or with family or friends, God calls you to a life of discipleship. We offer small group educational programs from nursery age to adult during the hour before worship. While the Christian Education brochure will have class information, check the bulletin and website for special seminar classes offered as short-term classes during the year.

Providing a safe and caring environment for families is of great importance to us at First Baptist. For parents with pre-kindergarten children, nursery care is provided during both Sunday morning hours. In addition we have age appropriate classes for kindergarten through adult. Speak to one of the Ushers to view the facilities and to register your child. A Christian Education brochure is also available which provides a complete list of classes, teachers and times.

We encourage everyone to participate in the Sunday morning worship service. In addition, we provide an age appropriate worship experience for children through 5th grade. These young people are dismissed to Children's Church after opening worship.

Have a question? Call Dave Nishinaka, Director, at 310-748-0567

Giving and Attendance

Average Attendance November, 2018

Worship Service ---- 65 **Bible Study ----- 36** Youth----- 3 College Prep----- 17 Hispanic Church ----- 5

Giving

October - November 2018

\$35,883

First Baptist Church



Because He Lives We Have Life

"Compassion Over Consumption"

Colossians 3:12-17

Our Mission: Helping People Find Life in Jesus

December 9, 2018

Today's Service

Prelude Welcome and Prayer Call to Worship: Rejoice and Sing Noel

Joy to the World #181 All Is Well #204

Fellowship Christmas Offering Mission Video Advent Candle Lighting Announcements Prayer and Offering

Sing We Now of Christmas #197 What Child Is This #198

Message

"Compassion Over Consumption" Colossians 3:12-17

Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne #217

Prayer

O Come, All Ye Faithful #199

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Teaching Notes

"Compassion Over Consumption" Colossians 3:12-17

Here is the wardrobe of all followers of Jesus Christ. We are told to clothe ourselves in these:

1.	
	A deep awareness of the suffering of another and doing something to help
2.	
	Being friendly, generous, warm-hearted, considerate and understanding
3.	
	Modest and meek in behavior and attitude; not arrogant or prideful.
	"Clothe yourselves with humility toward one another" 1 Peter 5:5
	"Humility looks good on everyone." Louie Giglio
4.	
	Being considerate and kindly; not harsh or severe
5.	
	Bearing or enduring pain, difficulty or provocation with calmness
6.	To pardon an offense
7	
	Although emotions are involved, this love (agape), is a decision. Once we make a decision to show love, the feelings associated with love often follow. Love is what binds all parts of the wardrobe together.

This Christmas season, make a choice for compassion instead of consumption!

Announcements

Announcements, Events & Activities

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

Through the month of December, we will be accepting donations for international missions. 100% of this offering is sent directly overseas to our missionaries. Please use one of Lottie Moon envelopes, or mark your envelope "Lottie Moon". For additional information, please visit:

visit https://www.imb.org/lottie-moon-christmas-offering

Friendship Sisters

All ladies are invited to sign up! Pick up a sheet in the foyer, fill out and return only the side with your info to the box provided. We will begin in January. For questions, call or email 360-683-2114 / office@fbcsequim.com

Movie Tonight

Come back at 6:00pm in the fellowship hall to see "The Christmas Experience." Let's watch the story of the birth of Jesus, knowing that God chose each individual with purpose, just as He guides our lives today.

Operation Hope this Friday

Come to the fellowship hall this *Friday, December 14, at 6:30pm.* We are providing dinner, music and a reading of the Christmas story. Thanks to the Bible Study classes for their help! If you would like to come for dinner and visit with the families we are providing for, please sign up in the foyer so we know how many to plan for. Also, there is a place on the sign up sheet if you would like to help with the food.

Christmas Caroling

Meet at the church on *Tuesday December 18, at 3:30pm*. Singers are invited to Pastor Ed and Jo's home for snacks and fellowship after caroling. *Please bring a sweet or savory snack to share.*

Observance of the Lord's Supper - December 23

Candlelight Christmas Eve Service - 6:00pm

Missionary Speaker - December 30 - 6:00pm