

WELCOME

Our mission is to glorify God by helping people know, love, obey and exalt Jesus Christ.

FBC is one church meeting in two locations, Decatur and Madison.

The sermon is delivered live at the Decatur Campus at 9:15 in the main auditorium every Sunday morning. At the 10:45 services, the sermon is delivered either live or via video at both the Decatur and Madison Campus. Either way, the message is from God's Word for God's people on that Lord's Day at First Bible Church!

If you are visiting with us...

We are glad that you chose to worship with us. **Please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering.** Giving is an act of worship for those who consider First Bible their church home. As our guest, we want you to focus on what God has for you this morning. Our desire is to encourage you in a growing relationship with Jesus Christ.

2019 Leadership Candidates

2019 Elder Board: Decatur Campus, Charlie Adams, Scott Anderson, Donnie Haynie; Madison Campus, Joey Harris

2019 Deacon Board: Decatur Campus, Scott Chappell, Franklin Olive, Tim Reeves

First Bible Church is joyfully committed to a three stage approach to making disciples of Jesus. This will require a commitment on your part. That is, if you truly desire to follow Jesus Christ, there are three specific and time-tested things that you can begin today.



GATHER: Show up on Sunday. Every Sunday, we gather in corporate worship for God-glorifying praise and singing, expository preaching, reading of Scripture, prayer, and frequent celebration of baptism and the Lord's Supper.



GROW: Grow up in a community group. Active participation in a community group ensures that you are prayed for, supported, encouraged, held accountable, equipped in your Christian life, and missed when you're not there! For more information on getting connected to a community group, contact grow@fbc.org.



GO: Step up and serve. Just as more mature disciples helped you get to this place, you are now ready to help others. In the end, this ministry of multiplication bears much fruit as disciples make disciples who make disciples. For more information about serving in ministry, contact go@fbc.org.

Financial Update as of November 11, 2018

YTD Budget Need: \$2,860,965
YTD Contributions: \$2,744,246
Variance =/(-): (\$116,719)

MORNING WORSHIP

November 18, 2018 • 9:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

Prelude

"Forever Reign"

Call to Worship

"Come Praise and Glorify"

Songs of Worship

"Center My Life"

"His Mercy Is More"

Scripture Reading & Prayer

Ephesians 6:1-4

Sanctuary Service: Bruce Ellsworth, Worship Pastor
Field House Service: Jess Montegudo, Associate Pastor
Madison Service: Alexander Roberts, Campus Pastor

Worship through Giving

"How Great Is the Love"

Message

"The Gift of Parents"
Steve Bateman, Senior Pastor

Song of Response

"You Are My King"

Benediction

2 Corinthians 13:14

SERMON NOTES

Freedom: The Unexpected Logic of Blood-Bought Liberty

“The Gift of Parents”

Exodus 20:12 ♦ Page 61 in the Church Bible

The Lord’s Day Morning

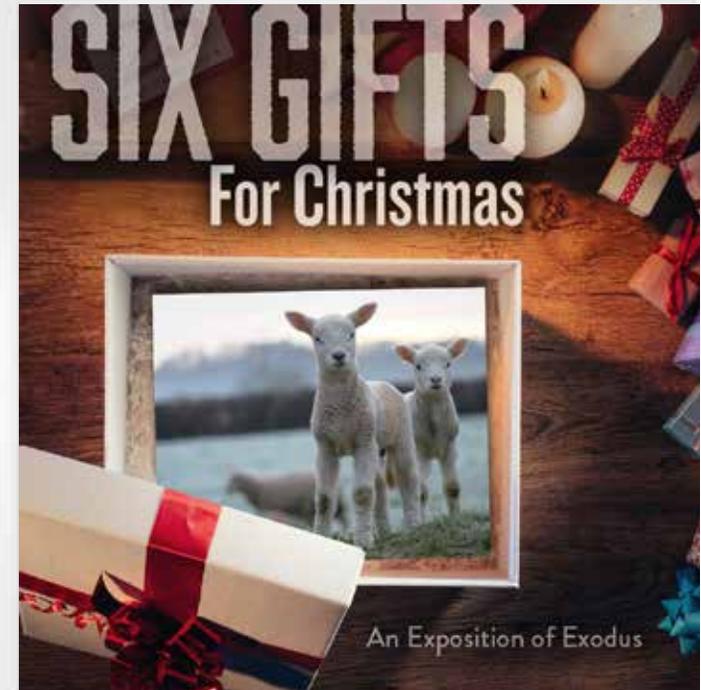
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Through our parents, God provides for our physical, intellectual, spiritual, moral, financial, and social fitness. In thousands of ways that go unnoticed, God intends to bless you through these two people. Therefore, he commands us:

“Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you.” –Exodus 20:12

Here are five ways we can honor our parents:

1. _____ : Respect the _____ your parents hold.
2. _____ : Follow the _____ your parents give.
3. _____ : Acknowledge the _____ your parents make.
4. _____ : Relieve the _____ your parents bear.
5. _____ : Treat all God-ordained _____ with appropriate honor.



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