### First of All

Thank you for choosing to worship with us at First Church.

Let's worship the Lord together with...

**Worship** "Mighty to Save"

First Family Fellowship

**Worship** "Spirit of the Living God"

"Holy Spirit"

"Lord, I Need You"

**Prayer** "Spirit of the Living God"

Offering Special by Amanda, Rita & Nick

Message "What Is Jesus Doing?"

**Closing** "Mighty to Save"

# First Step

The most important thing that can happen to you is asking Jesus into your heart. It's as simple as ABC...

## Admit that you have sinned

"For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." Romans 3:23

## <u>B</u>elieve that Jesus died for you

"God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us." Romans 5:8

### <u>C</u>onfess that Jesus is Lord of your life

"If you confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord', and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. It is with your heart that you believe and are justified and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved."

Romans 10:9-10

If you followed these steps and asked Jesus into your heart, please let Pastor Bobby know.

## First Five

### **1** Ladies' Bible Study

The Wednesday evening Ladies' Bible Study will meet during the summer with a devotional and discussion each week. All ladies are welcome to attend.

### **2** Year-in-Review

Each year, it is important to take a look back and remember the ways we have seen God's faithfulness to our church over that past year. Like rowing a boat, this backward glance will help us chart the course for the next year. Join us on Sunday, June 9, as we look back, look forward and look up!

## **3** Church Board Meeting

The next board meeting will be held at 6:30 PM on Tuesday, June 11.

### 4 PT Cruisers' Luncheon

The next luncheon for those age 55+ will be held at 11:30 AM on Friday, June 14, at TaMolly's in Bryant. Let Connie know if you plan to attend and if you would like to ride the van.

## 5 District Assembly & Missions Convention

If you were elected to be a delegate to either the Mission's Convention on Tuesday morning, June 18, or to the District Assembly on Tuesday afternoon and all day Wednesday, June 18-19, but you now cannot attend, please call the church office so an alternate can be contacted to take your place. The election results are posted on the bulletin board by the church office.

## First Serve

Helpers Today:Next Sunday, June 9Greeters: Lynn Weaks, Josh WoodardSue D., Wanda M., Keith W.Babies: Jennifer RaathTiffany VanoToddlers: Maci Howard, Sharon VannKelly Williams

## First Fruits

<u>May Giving</u>	<u>Needed</u>	<b>Received</b>	<u>Balance</u>
Tithes/Offerings	\$38,183	\$30,579	\$ 7,604
Faith Promise - Missions	\$ 5,173	\$ 3,137	<i>\$ 2,036</i>

# Mission: POSSIBLE (Debt Elimination)

Total Pledged	<u>Received</u>	<u>Balance</u>
\$61,519	\$21,281	\$ 40,238

# First Impression

We welcome you to First Church! Here are a few things that we would like you to know about our Church...

#### Denomination

The Church of the Nazarene is a holiness church that shares roots with the Methodist Church. With over 2.2 million members worshiping in over 29,000 congregations in 159 world areas, we are a part of something much bigger than ourselves.

### Worship

It has been said that, "Worship changes the worshiper into the image of the One worshiped." To achieve that transformation, First Church is willing to use everything from drums to organs and everything in between.

#### Youth and Children

"It's a race to the heart of a child and the first one there wins." First Church is trying to outrun world influences with various programs to "train a child up in the way they should go."

#### Adults

We are big enough to serve you and small enough to know you! Whether you are single or married, working or retired there is something for you at First Church.

#### Missions

We believe that the mission of the church is Missions. First Church is a going, sending, praying and paying church so that the whole world may hear the Good News of Jesus Christ!

## Community

First Church cares for our neighbors. We want "our light to shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven."

## First Word

June 2, 2019



Acts 1:1-11

Since Jesus returned to Heaven, He has been ...

<u>paving</u> the way.

<u>praying</u> for us.

preparing a place.

<u>providing</u> help.

prepping to return.

# First Glance

**Sunday, June 2:** 9:00 a.m. - Sunday School

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service / Children's Church

**Wed., June 5:** 5:30 p.m. - Wednesday Meal

6:30 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery Classes 6:30 p.m. - Adult Bible Study (Chapel)

6:30 p.m. - Ladies' Bible Study

6:30 p.m. - Nursery Care, Children's & Teen Activities

7:35 p.m. - Praise Team Rehearsal

**Thursday, June 6:** 8:30 p.m. - Men's Softball Game, NLR Burns Park Field 5

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**Sunday, June 9:** 9:00 a.m. - Sunday School

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service / Family Worship

Year-in-Review Celebration

5:30 p.m. - Senior Living Center Service

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