First Baptist Surfside

## March 24, 2022 Newsletter

I am so blessed to have been raised in a home where both mom and dad love and walk with Christ. As a child, I remember seeing both parents serving Jesus in the local church. Seeing my parents giving their time, talents, and treasures to Christ every week taught me what was important in life. They didn't just say church was important, they lived it.

Every Sunday I saw my dad preaching the gospel faithfully from the pulpit and there behind him in the choir loft was my mom. For years I saw her singing faithfully to the Lord in our church choir.

Thinking back on my mom in the choir reminds me just how important our worship ministry is and how great of a ministry our choir can be. I am so thankful for our worship ministry at First Baptist Surfside and for the leadership of Kathleen Gambrell. Each week she faithfully seeks to lead our worship in a way that is honoring the Lord. Our desire is to have a choir who can support our praise team as well as occasionally do specials.

As we continue the process of restarting our choir, let me ask you to prayerfully consider being involved. Our desire is to see each of our new choir chairs filled with people singing. How great would it be if we needed more? Let me encourage you, regardless of your singing ability to consider coming to choir practice this Sunday at 4:00pm. We are still looking for several more people to be in the choir so that we can utilize our choir even more. Again, regardless of your ability, simply having people on stage singing with joy is an incredible encouragement to our congregation and praise team.

Looking forward to worshiping with you on Sunday!

Pastor Nathan



# Handicap Ramp Work

Please be aware we are continuing work on all handicap ramps over the course of next few weeks to bring them up to code. There will be alternate entrances for use while we work to improve our campus.

Thanks for your understanding!

#### Weekly Schedule

Sundays

9:00 AM: Worship Service & Sunday School 10:30 AM: Worship Service & Sunday School Sunday Evenings 4:00 PM: Choir Practice 5:30 PM: Surfside Kids, Youth

Tuesdays

7:00 AM: Men's Bible Study at Bob Evans 6:00 PM: Celebrate Recovery

Wednesdays

10:00 AM: Prayer Meeting 11:00 AM: Ladies Bible Study Thursdays

10:00 AM: Faith Class

#### **Upcoming Schedule**

Saturday, March 26 4:00 PM: Sr Adult Ministry Dinner Wednesday, March 30 6:00 PM: Church Conference Friday, April 1 6:00 PM: Church Connect Chili Cook-off Saturday, April 2 8:00 AM: Men's Breakfast 10:30 AM: wMu Sunday, April 3 Interest Meeting for York Mission Trip Following the 10:30 Service Monday, April 4 11:00 AM: Grief Care Ministry Sunday, April 10 Easter Egg Training Meeting Following the 10:30 Service Saturday, April 16 10:00 AM: Egg-stravaganza



We need 200 pounds of candy for our Egg-stravaganza



Grief Care Ministry Begins Monday, April 4 11:00 AM Leaders: Lee and Shirley Ritchey

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### Attention All Seniors 55 and Over March 26: 4:00 PM—6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall "The Truth About Saint Patrick's Day"

Light dinner, bingo, worship, surprises and lots of fun! \$3.00 each or \$5.00 a couple Be sure to wear green!



#### Church Conference Wednesday, March 30 6:00 PM

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## Church Connect- Chili Cook-Off



Bring a pot of your best chili to share on Friday, April 1st For non-chefs, we also need all the fixings: Cheese, sour cream, jalapenos, cornbread, drinks. Awards will be given for hottest chili, most unique chili, and best traditional chili. Sign up available at www.fbcsurfside.org/events as well as in the lobby or church office

York County Mission Trip Interest Meeting Sunday, April 3 Following the 10:30 AM Worship Service

### Easter Egg-stravaganza Training Sunday, April 10 Following the 10:30 AM Worship Service

Join us for a trip through the Easter story. You'll collect treats as you travel with Jesus from Palm Sunday through Resurrection Day. It's an Easter egg-sperience you don't want to miss! Pre-registration is available at www.fbcsurfside.org/events



Secret Church is a unique, one-night event that will be streamed online to more than 50,000 participants around the world. Encouraged by our persecuted brothers' and sisters' example, we will meet for an intense study of God's Word and passionate prayer for the persecuted. Join us for a live stream with David Platt April 29.

To register click here



Friday, April 29 7 PM