

Sunday, Jan. 1, 2017  
10:00 a.m.

REVERENCE

Prelude  
*Votre bonté Grand Dieu* (Balbastre)  
.....Bruce Clark, organ

RESPONSE

Greetings & Announcements

Call to Worship

Songs of Praise  
*As with Gladness Men of Old*.....# 163  
*Responsive Reading*.....Psalm 86: 1-4, 11-13  
*Another Year Is Dawning*.....# 567

REVERENCE

Pastoral Prayer  
*Emphasis this week:* My Private World  
*Nation this week:* Yemen—Asia

Music Ministry  
*For Such a Time as This* (Watson)  
.....Lisa Fernandes, soloist

(Children are dismissed to Sunday School)

Our Offerings & Response  
*In the Heavens Shone a Star* (Kalinga / Sims)  
.....Bruce Clark, organ  
*Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow*

READINESS

Song of Preparation  
*The Solid Rock*.....# 404

Preparing Through God’s Word  
*Revelation 14:20* (page 874 in the pew Bibles)  
*When Jesus Comes Knocking*  
.....Rev. Jim Atkinson

REVERENCE

Song of Response  
*We’ve a Story to Tell to the Nations*.....# 296

Benediction

Postlude  
*Carillon ou Cloches* (Dandrieu)  
.....Bruce Clark, organ

CONTRIBUTIONS & ATTENDANCE

<u>Budget YTD</u>	<u>Current YTD</u>	<u>Variance YTD</u>
Not available this week due to the holidays		

<u>Attendance:</u>	<u>English</u>	<u>Ethiopian</u>	<u>Spanish</u>	<u>Total</u>
Dec. 24	152			152
Dec. 25	60			60

Upcoming Sermons

Jan. 8: Pastor Jon preaching  
Jan. 15: Pastor Eijiro preaching  
Jan. 22: Pastor Jim preaching  
Jan. 29: Pastor Jon preaching

AGM reports

Ministry leaders, please email your reports and pictures to the church office no later than January 31st.



FBC handbell ensemble at SUNCOR.



WELCOME TO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH



**Monday, Jan. 2**

Open Door and church office closed.

**Tuesday, Jan. 3**

10:00 a.m. Walkers (Open Door)  
10:00 a.m. Watercolours (Open Door)  
12:00 p.m. Badminton (New Gym)  
12:30 p.m. Fun Bridge (Open Door)

**Wednesday, Jan. 4**

7:30 a.m. Prayer (Chapel)  
10:00 a.m. Exercise (Open Door)  
12:30 p.m. Ping Pong (Open Door)  
12:30 p.m. Cribbage (Open Door)  
1:00 p.m. Vintage Bronze (Underwood)  
7:00 p.m. ESL (300,302,306,307, Fireside)  
7:00 p.m. Prayer (Chapel)

**Thursday, Jan. 5**

10:00 a.m. Music Appreciation (Open Door)  
12:00 p.m. Badminton (New Gym)  
12:30 p.m. Movie Matinee (Open Door)  
12:30 p.m. Scrabble (Open Door)  
5:30 p.m. Handbells: Acclamation (Underwood)  
6:30 p.m. Beginner Spanish (Baraca)  
7:00 p.m. Handbells: Tintinaires (Underwood)  
7:00 p.m. ESL (300,302,306, 307, Fireside)  
7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir (Fellowship Hall)

**Friday, Jan. 6**

10:00 a.m. Pool Table (Open Door)  
10:00 a.m. Memory Improvement (Open Door)  
12:30 p.m. Bridge (Open Door)  
12:30 p.m. Ping Pong (Open Door)

**Saturday, Jan. 7**

9:00 a.m. [Men's Prayer Breakfast \(Connections\)](#)

**Sunday, Jan. 8**

9:40 a.m. Pre-Service Prayer (Prayer Room)  
10:00 a.m. Morning Service (Sanctuary)  
10:30 a.m. Ethiopian Service (Chapel)  
1:00 p.m. Hispanic Service (Sanctuary)  
3:00 p.m. Indonesian service (Chapel)

**Welcome Visitors**

After the service, please join us for fellowship and coffee in the Underwood Room. If you have any prayer requests please put them in the offering plate or prayer bowls at the front of the sanctuary or on the balcony.

**HOME MISSION GROUP**

is not having a January meeting. Donation to Avenue 15 Youth Shelter will be delivered.

Next meeting is February 6.

Details to come. New Members are welcome!! Any questions, call Cindy at 403-238-2533 (leave message).



**Men's Breakfast  
and Prayer**

Saturday, January 7  
9:00 a.m.  
Connections

Speaker: Dennis Shierman

**Pre-service prayer in the  
Prayer room at 9:40 am.**

If you would like to pray following the service this morning, or talk about things that may be on your heart, we want to assist you. The pastors are available at the door, and can join you in our prayer room, which is across from the Underwood Room directly behind the sanctuary. Or you may wish to pray alone, either in your seat, or in the prayer room.

Don't put off something that God may be prompting within you; now is the time!

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Eijiro Campo

Nardos Kebede (Ethiopian)

Many thanks to our church family for your prayers and kindness as you wished us farewell. We feel very blessed to have been part of this church for 31 years. God's richest blessings be with you as you continue your ministry in this place on Fourth. We will miss you.

-Marge and Art Stubel

