

Sermon Series: Following Jesus

**Today's Sermon:
"Disciples and Christians"
Matthew 28:18-20**

1. A disciple is one who is in the _____
of becoming like Christ.
 - 1) A disciple decides to follow Christ.
(Matthew 4:19-20)
 - 2) A disciple practices the Spiritual disciplines.
 - 3) A disciple fellowships with other believers.

2. A Christian is one who _____
Christ in their life.
 - 1) Christ is not hidden.
(Matthew 5:14)
 - 2) Christ character is evident in the life of a Christian.
(1 Corinthians 13:4-7)

The greatest single cause of atheism in the world today is Christians who acknowledge Jesus with their lips and walk out the door and deny Him by their lifestyle. That is what the world simply finds unbelievable.
Brennan Manning

Kids Worship Begins @ 10:45 AM
 Kid's Church (1st - 6th Grade) Room 17
 Kid's Church Jr. (3 Years - Kindergarten) Room 10
 Two Year Olds - Room 7
 Babies - 23 Months - Room 3

First Steps

Membership is open to anyone who has 1) placed their faith in Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins and 2) has been baptized by immersion by a body of believers of like faith and practice.
 We will be happy to assist you with these spiritual decisions.
Text FIRST to (409) 215-0332 to be contacted
or meet one of our Ministers near the platform after the service to discuss your spiritual decision.

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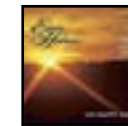
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Pursuing Christ FIRST in Life, Love and Actions

April 15, 2018



Song: I'll Praise You
Artist: Community Bible Church



Song: Oh, Happy Day
Artist: Edwin Hawkins Singers



Song: Every Praise
Artist: Hezekiah Walker



Song: This Is My Father's World
Artist: Tommy Walker



Song: Come Alive (Dry Bones)
Artist: Lauren Daigle



Song: I Have Decided To Follow Jesus
Artist: Various artists

Message

Dr. Robert Miller

"Disciples and Christians"

Matthew 28:18-20

Deacon of the Week

Ronn Mason

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April 15 - 21

Sunday

- 8:00 a.m. Band/Tech Rehearsal
- 8:45 a.m. Choir Rehearsal
- 9:30 a.m. Bible Study
- 10:45 a.m. Worship Service
- 4:00 p.m. First Steps Class -- Room 5

Monday

- 9:00 a.m. Ladies Cross Training Workout

Tuesday

- 11:00 a.m. Joy in Christ Ladies Class -- Casa Ole/Froberg's

Wednesday

- 9:00 a.m. Ladies Cross Training Workout
- 3:30 p.m. Building Committee Meeting - Room 5
- 5:00 p.m. Burgers, Etc. Bunch - Beyond Burger
- 5:15 p.m. Transitions - Foyer Room 2
- 5:30 p.m. Puppet Ministry - Room 3
- 5:30 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting - Room 5
- 6:30 p.m. Prayer, Praise & Bible Study
- 6:30 p.m. J.A.M. - Youth - Upper Room 9
- 6:30 p.m. AWANA - Children's Building
- 7:30 p.m. Church Council Meeting - Room 5

Thursday

- 10:00 a.m. Elmcroft Senior Living Service

Friday

OFFICE CLOSED

- 9:00 a.m. Ladies Cross Training Workout

Saturday

- 9:00 a.m. Weight Watchers
- 3:00 p.m. Kickball For Christ -- Rainbow Park

Ministry Staff

Dr. Robert R. Miller, Pastor
 John Talley, Associate Pastor, Worship
 Dennis Johns, Associate Pastor, Families
 Meschel Hara, Children's Minister

Worship services are streamed live on the internet each week from our website. Recent services are also available short term. Click on the livestream.



A message from Dennis Johns

Wow, can you believe it's April already! You'd better get that Christmas shopping done! Seriously summer is almost here and that means things are going to get busy around here! It is such a great time of growth and ministry for our FBCTC family. Vacation Bible School, Youth Camp, Super Summer, Pre-Teen Camp, Summer Youth Interns, and the list goes on! As registration for most Summer events has begun, we hope that every FBCTC body will be a part of the excitement.

You can participate in the exciting summer ministries through your prayers, your presence, your pennies, and/or your peppiness. Yes, pray for God's movement through all activities, participate when and where you are able, give what you are led to give, and get excited for what God is doing and will do through FBCTC's summer events. Whatever you do, don't be a bystander - that doesn't even sound fun - bystander.

Get involved, be intentional about enjoying and participating in the Kingdom of God.

June 3-7	Super Week
June 11-15	Super Summer
June 18-21	VBS & Sports Camp
June 24-30	Preteen Rec Staff
June 27-30	Preteen Camp
July 9-13	Camp Sonshine
July 16-20	Youth Camp

Attendance for April 08, 2018

Bible Study	159
Legacy Ministry Visits	21
Worship	296

Financial gifts for April 08, 2018

	Week	To Date
Financial Plan	21,021.78	42,043.56
Financial Receipt	29,347.62	57,174.21
World Missions	0.00	400.00

The Good and Beautiful Life

Small Group Study Book is available in the foyer - \$10.



FIRST STEPS CLASS TODAY!
4:00 PM ROOM 5
 For New and Prospective Members



SENIOR ADULT FELLOWSHIP LUNCH WITH THE PASTORS TUESDAY, APRIL 24 12:00 NOON

Hot dogs & hamburgers will be served. Please bring a dessert.

Bring your friends and introduce them to our pastors and our church. It is a beach theme so wear your Hawaiian shirt and flip flops! Please call the Church Office if you are planning to attend -- 409-986-4950.



FBC will be collecting your old prescription glasses to donate to the Jesse Tree now through Sunday, May 13.

SUMMER 2018

- JUNE 11 - 15 SUPER SUMMER CAMP @ HSU
- JUNE 18 - 21 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL & SPORTS CAMP
- JUNE 27 - 30 PRETEEN CAMP @ PINEYWOODS BAPTIST ENCAMPMENT
- JULY 9 - 13 CAMP SONSHINE
- JULY 16 - 20 YOUTH CAMP @ PINEYWOODS BAPTIST ENCAMPMENT