



**WELCOME VISITORS!!**  
We are so glad you are here.

**GUEST REGISTRATION FORM**

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1st Time Guest  Previously Visited  New Resident  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I am a member of \_\_\_\_\_ Church

- I have no church affiliation
- I would consider church membership
- I would appreciate a visit from a Deacon or Pastor
- I would appreciate a phone call from a Deacon or Pastor
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check your age group:

Under 12  12-17  18-29  30-44  45-60  over 60

# of Children: \_\_\_\_\_

Names/Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

**I WOULD LIKE TO SERVE BY?**

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**HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?**

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**Please complete this & give it to one of our greeters or ushers.**  
We have a small "thank you" gift for you.

*Thank you for visiting. Please come back soon!!*

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**Deacons**

*Shawn Graham (2025)*

*Wayne Fox (2025)*

*Richard Blackburn (2025)*

*Ronnie Floyd (2025)*

*Charles Webster (2026)*

*Stephen Coates (2026)*

*Jeremy Lupo (2026)*

*Ben Hardee (2026)*

*Pat Wooten (2027)*

*Malcolm Campbell (2027)*

*Bryan Cannon (2027)*

*Charlie Todd (2027)*

**This Week At A Glance**

Sunday, December 29, 2024

9:00 AM Sunday School  
10:15 AM Morning Worship Service  
Nursery & Children's Church  
NO Youth Discipleship

Wednesday, January 01, 2024

NO Youth Hangout & Bible Study  
NO GROW Kids Program



**Volunteers- This Week**

**DEACON OF THE WEEK - Stephen Coates (843) 655-4499**

*(Friday, December 27 through Friday, January 3)*

Ushers: Charlie Todd, Ben Hardee, Russell Herring,  
Charles Webster, & Clint Lupo

Audio Visual: Cindy Fox & Greg King

Nursery: Beth Cannon & Sarah Johnson

NO Children's Church

Offering Counters (January 2): Georgette Collins & Teresa Blanton

December Sunday School Nursery: Delaney Coates & Trina Scabery

December Sunday School Pre-School : Sheila Harrelson  
& Sylvia Hardee

**Finances & Attendance - Last Week**

Weekly Undesignated Budget: \$10,546.42

Contributions: To Be Announced Next Week

*Prayer Calendar*

**North American Mission Board 2024**



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Senior Pastor

*Rev. R. Hunter Johnson, IV*  
Minister Of Youth & Children

*Rev. Bobby L. Huguley, Jr.*  
Interim Minister of Music

*Paula G. Hildebrand*  
Admin Assistant & Bookkeeper

**Musicians**

*Desiree Fernandez*  
Pianist

*Phyllis Williams*  
Keyboardist

*Rick Kidman*  
Guitarist

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*Happy New Year*  
Sunday Morning Worship Service  
December 29, 2024  
10:15 AM

Prelude  
Welcome & Announcements  
Worship Through Song  
*How Great Is Our God / How Great Thou Art*  
*Blessed Assurance*  
*Living Hope*

Offertory Prayer Stephen Coates  
Worship Through Tithes & Offerings  
Youth Scripture Romans 12:6-8  
Message Rev. Shane Phillips  
*Squandering Your Calling and Gifts*  
(Judges 13:13-24; 16:1, 15-30)

Closing Song *I Surrender All*

Postlude

Loris FBC Mission: "Make disciples who make disciples who follow and act like Jesus Christ." (Matthew 4:18-20, 28:19-20)

<b>Sunday Service Times</b> 9:00 AM - Sunday School 10:15 AM - Worship Service 4:00 PM - Grief Share Support Group 5:00 PM - Youth Discipleship	<b>Wednesday Service Times</b> 5:30 PM - GROW Kids' Program 6:00 PM - Youth Worship & Bible Study 6:00 PM - Prayer & Bible Study 7:00 PM - Praise Team/Choir Rehearsal
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Worship Services & Bible Studies Streamed Live: [www.youtube.com/user/LorisFirstBaptist](http://www.youtube.com/user/LorisFirstBaptist)

### Squandering Your Calling and Gifts

#### Judges 13:13-24

13 So the Angel of the Lord said to Manoah, "Of all that I said to the woman let her be careful. 14 She may not eat anything that comes from the vine, nor may she drink wine or similar drink, nor eat anything unclean. All that I commanded her let her observe." 15 Then Manoah said to the Angel of the Lord, "Please let us detain You, and we will prepare a young goat for You." 16 And the Angel of the Lord said to Manoah, "Though you detain Me, I will not eat your food. But if you offer a burnt offering, you must offer it to the Lord." (For Manoah did not know He was the Angel of the Lord.) 17 Then Manoah said to the Angel of the Lord, "What is Your name, that when Your words come to pass we may honor You?" 18 And the Angel of the Lord said to him, "Why do you ask My name, seeing it is wonderful?" 19 So Manoah took the young goat with the grain offering, and offered it upon the rock to the Lord. And He did a wondrous thing while Manoah and his wife looked on— 20 it happened as the flame went up toward heaven from the altar—the Angel of the Lord ascended in the flame of the altar! When Manoah and his wife saw this, they fell on their faces to the ground. 21 When the Angel of the Lord appeared no more to Manoah and his wife, then Manoah knew that He was the Angel of the Lord. 22 And Manoah said to his wife, "We shall surely die, because we have seen God!" 23 But his wife said to him, "If the Lord had desired to kill us, He would not have accepted a burnt offering and a grain offering from our hands, nor would He have shown us all these things, nor would He have told us such things as these at this time." 24 So the woman bore a son and called his name Samson; and the child grew, and the Lord blessed him. 25 And the Spirit of the Lord began to move upon him at Mahaneh Dan between Zorah and Eshtaol.

#### Judges 16:1, 15-30

1 Now Samson went to Gaza and saw a harlot there, and went in to her. 15 Then she said to him, "How can you say, 'I love you,' when your heart is not with me? You have mocked me these three times, and have not told me where your great strength lies." 16 And it came to pass, when she pestered him daily with her words and pressed him, so that his soul was vexed to death, 17 that he told her all his heart, and said to her, "No razor has ever come upon my head, for I have been a Nazirite to God from my mother's womb. If I am shaven, then my strength will leave me, and I shall become weak, and be like any other man." 18 When Delilah saw that he had told her all his heart, she sent and called for the lords of the Philistines, saying, "Come up once more, for he has told me all his heart." So the lords of the Philistines came up to her and brought the money in their hand. 19 Then she lulled him to sleep on her knees, and called for a man and had him shave off the seven locks of his head. Then she began to torment him, and his strength left him. Continued...

20 And she said, "The Philistines are upon you, Samson!" So he awoke from his sleep, and said, "I will go out as before, at other times, and shake myself free!" But he did not know that the Lord had departed from him. 21 Then the Philistines took him and put out his eyes, and brought him down to Gaza. They bound him with bronze fetters, and he became a grinder in the prison. 22 However, the hair of his head began to grow again after it had been shaven.

#### Samson Dies with the Philistines

23 Now the lords of the Philistines gathered together to offer a great sacrifice to Dagon their god, and to rejoice. And they said: "Our god has delivered into our hands Samson our enemy!" 24 When the people saw him, they praised their god; for they said: "Our god has delivered into our hands our enemy, The destroyer of our land, And the one who multiplied our dead." 25 So it happened, when their hearts were merry, that they said, "Call for Samson, that he may perform for us." So they called for Samson from the prison, and he performed for them. And they stationed him between the pillars. 26 Then Samson said to the lad who held him by the hand, "Let me feel the pillars which support the temple, so that I can lean on them." 27 Now the temple was full of men and women. All the lords of the philistines were there—about three thousand men and women on the roof watching while Samson performed. 28 Then Samson called to the Lord, saying, "O Lord God, remember me, I pray! Strengthen me, I pray, just this once, O God, that I may with one blow take vengeance on the Philistines for my two eyes!" 29 And Samson took hold of the two middle pillars which supported the temple, and he braced himself against them, one on his right and the other on his left. 30 Then Samson said, "Let me die with the Philistines!" And he pushed with all his might, and the temple fell on the lords and all the people who were in it. So the



**LORIS FIRST BAPTIST** **PRAYER REQUEST**  
 Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

#### HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

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- I would like this request to be published in our Prayer Guide
- I would appreciate a visit from a Deacon or Pastor
- I would appreciate a phone call from a Deacon or Pastor
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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#### CHANGE OF CONTACT INFORMATION

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 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
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(Please tear off and drop in contribution box)  
 Thank You!! Have a blessed day!