



2022 Rio Grande Valley Christmas Project

Donate items to stuff stockings!

Help provide stocking stuffers to fill approximately 300-350 stockings that will be distributed to children during our *mission trip to the Valley, December 9-11, 2022*. You are invited to go on this mission trip. If you are interested in going, please call the Association office at 281-422-3604.

Donations may be made to SJBA for the purchase of items to go into the stockings *OR* you may purchase items and bring them to the Association office located at 1020 Birdsong Drive in Baytown. (Please, no happy meal toys and no clothes this year.) Shop resale shops or garage sales for “gently used” items, dollar stores, clearance sales, or buy bulk.

Items Still Needed



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| Stuffed animals (small) | Marbles, jacks |
| Girls jewelry | Girls hair accessories |
| Balls (small) | Playdough |
| Matchbox cars | Yo-yo's |
| Paddle balls | Checkers |
| Flash cards (addition, subtraction, multiplication) | Playing cards (Hearts, Crazy 8's, etc.) |

Items Not Needed: bubbles and crayons

Note: Items need to fit into a 7" opening

Please drop off your stocking stuffers any time between now and **November 14**.
Join us on **November 17 at 9:00 am** to fill the stockings



Baytown Boys' Shelter Christmas Wish List

Stocking Stuffers & Small hand held games

Group Gifts

- Etch Sketch-Rubik's Cube*
- Playing Cards*
- Deodorant (boys)
- Candy
- Plastic Wrist Watches
- Boxers
- Yo-Yo's / Dominoes
- Socks (boys)
- Body sprays for boys (Plastic Containers)
- Journals (no wire)
- Lotion (boys) / Hair gel (boys)
- NO Marbles please*

Financial donations also accepted by cash or check payable to San Jacinto Baptist Association with memo: "for Boys' Shelter."
To pay online: Text "SJBALT to 73256 or <https://onrealm.org/SJBALT/Give/SJBA>



Bring your gifts
unwrapped to
SJBA by:
12/12/22

Bigger Individual Gifts

- Christian Spanish Music MP3's
- Color by Number crafts
- Sketch Pads/Charcoal Pencils
- Board Games & Puzzles
- Soccer Balls & Table Top Foosball
- PG Spanish Movies
- Pajama Sets (boys)
- Socks with Patterns (boys)
- House Slippers (boys)
- Soft Throw Blankets
- Shirts & Shorts
- Beanie Hats
- Gloves/Hats/Jackets
- Sunglasses
- Radios
- Spanish books for teen boys



Something To Think About
Randy Gilchrist, Executive Director

What a great time we had at the San Jacinto Baptist Association Annual Meeting. I want to personally thank Dell Dale Avenue Baptist Church for hosting this event. The whole church went the extra mile to make sure everything was just right. Thank you so much! Also, I want to thank all who manned tables and shared their partnering ministries. Thank you, Wes Freeman, our Vice Moderator for stepping up at the last minute to lead the entire meeting. We appreciate Ronnie Simmons for leading us to worship our Heavenly Father through music. And thank you Rev. Tommy Clements for the powerful message you shared. But most of all I want to thank the staff and volunteers of the Association for all the hard work you have done to prepare for our annual meeting. Thank you all for your service to the Lord.

We welcome Rev. Mike Martin, pastor of FBC Huffman to serve as the new Moderator for the Association and others who were voted in to serve. We look forward to serving the churches of this association together as God leads and directs.

The theme for our Annual Meeting and this next year is taken from Matthew 5:16 from the New American Standard Bible. In the Sermon on the Mount Jesus said, "Your light must shine before people in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven." Living in a world of darkness, the only light is that which comes through those who love and serve Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord.

Valley Mission Trip
December 9-11



INTERESTED? Join the team taking Christmas stockings to the valley and make a difference in the lives of others and yours.
For information call 281.422.3604.

Crossover
SJBA

November 12, 2022
Trinity Bay Fellowship
(New Church Start)

Block Party • Music • Outreach

Reaching Communities With Hope of the Gospel

The SJBA Crossover is to gather a group from all of our churches to assist a church in our association with a ministry project to reach out in their community.

Better Together!

Churches serving with other churches.
Plan to be a part of the SJBA Crossover 2022
For more information call 281.422.3604.



Baptist Student Ministry
Tina Wash, BSM Director

Help Serve the Baptist Student Ministry (BSM)

Lee College BSM meets Thursdays for lunch in the Spring and Fall. Lunches provided by SJBA churches.

To learn more and reserve a date for your church to serve the BSM for the 2022-2023 Fall and Spring Semesters call 281.422.3604.

Join in and make a difference in the lives of students.

Tax Seminars ~ November 3

San Jacinto Baptist Association
1020 Birdsong, Baytown TX

Taxes & Ministers ~ 9:00 am—Noon
Ministers need to know how to correctly file their taxes.

Taxes & Churches ~ 1:30 to 4:30 pm
Churches need to know how to correctly report payroll taxes, honorariums, etc.

Register to reserve your seat for either in person or via Zoom at one or both of these training sessions by calling 281-422-3604 or via online registration at www.sanjacintobaptist.com

(Note: lunch is on your own for both sessions for the in person option)

SJBA Monthly Prayer Gathering

November 17, 2022 (Thursday) at 9:00 a.m.

San Jacinto Baptist Association
1020 Birdsong Dr. • Baytown TX

In person or virtually via Zoom or telephone.
Call 281-422-3604 for more information.

JANUARY BIBLE STUDY

Ephesians

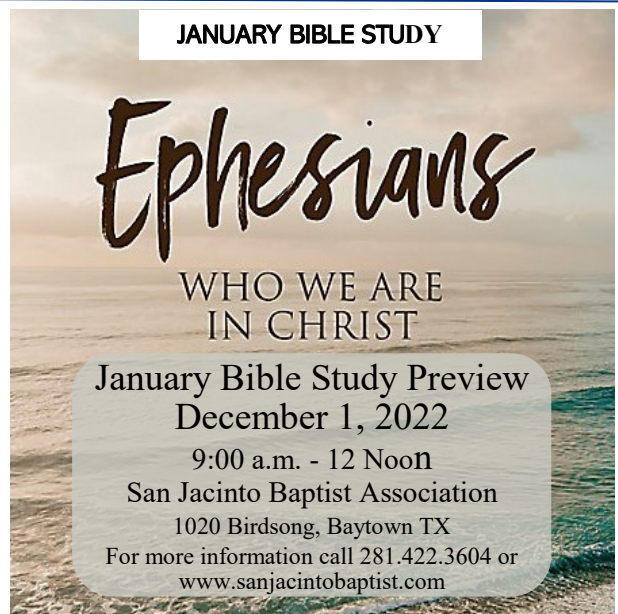
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IN CHRIST

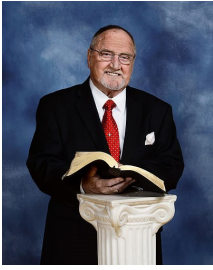
January Bible Study Preview
December 1, 2022

9:00 a.m. - 12 Noon

San Jacinto Baptist Association
1020 Birdsong, Baytown TX

For more information call 281.422.3604 or
www.sanjacintobaptist.com





Prayer Coordinator Dr. B.L. Worsham

“But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth” (Acts 1:8 KJV).

A group of our own people, from our own Southern Baptist Association, recently traveled from Baytown, Texas to Gracias, Honduras: to assist Baptist churches located in that area. We, here at home, prayed that God would keep this mission team safe from harm and danger and bless the work, as well as the congregation whom they served.

The group included the following: Wes Freeman, Pastor, First Highlands; Gloria Suarez, First Highlands; Marcos Ramos, Pastor, First Galena Park; Jason, Angie, and Moriah Shuttlesworth, Pastor, and family, Wooster Baptist, Baytown.

“As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith” (Galatians 6:10).

Remember these things: “Prayer is the rope up in the belfry: we pull it, and it rings the bell up in heaven” (Christmas Evans). Surely, we recognize we are a blessed people of a blessed country; “and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God” (Ephesians 2:8). We live in a free land, among brave people; with the testimony “In God we trust” for the world to observe. We set aside, November 24, as the time designated to especially thank God, in Jesus’ name for every gift of His grace He has provided. Let us always pray in the thankfulness of Edwin McNeely (Baptist Hymnal, 1956, p. 494).

“O Jesus our Lord, thou Ruler of all,
Thou art ever true, whatever the call;
Be thou our defender in all time of stress,
And help us live daily in true thankfulness”

Need to Know Workshop

Top Scams in 2022

Saturday • November 19

9:00 am - 12 Noon

(for anyone 18 years and older)



Presenter: Houston BBB
Education Foundation

Location: SJBA, 1020 Birdsong Dr., Baytown, TX
or, virtually via Zoom Link

Masks are at the discretion of attendees.

To register or for more information call 281-422-3604

or

online at www.sanjacintobaptist.com



Week of Prayer and Mission Study

For Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

December 4-11, 2022

100% of your gifts go to the Lottie Moon
Christmas Offering • imb.org/lottiemoon

Senior Life Ministry ~ Day Trip!

CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR



Champion Forest
Baptist Church

December 9, 2022 (Friday)

Cost \$10 (plus dinner)

A 32 passenger bus will leave the SJBA office at 3:00 p.m. and return approximately 10:00 p.m.

Tickets are \$10 per person and must be paid for when the bus reservation is made. Thirty-two tickets have been purchased, therefore no refunds. Only your reservation request will be confirmed when registering online. Your actual ticket and seat confirmation will NOT be valid until payment is completed which is on a first come, first served basis once payment is received.

Dinner will be prior to the performance and will be an additional cost. Restaurant to be determined.

Register online at www.sanjacintobaptist.com
or call 281.422.3604.



Wild Animal Safari
Aggieldand &

Texas Bucket List Store

Near Bryan & College Station, TX

November 16, 2022 (Wednesday)

8:00 am - 4:30 pm

The Wild Animal Safari™ Aggieldand gets you closer to nature. A 250 acre park of scenic views, wild animals and knowledgeable Zookeepers.

Registration is now a on wait list, first come, first serve basis. We are waiting for a second bus approval from Harris County.

For additional information and to register call 281-422-3604
or register online at www.sanjacintobaptist.com.

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Folks 'N Facts



Tell Lee College students you know about Thursday lunches at BSM for \$1. Thanks to our SJBA churches and Lee College for providing the following Lee College BSM lunches:

11/03.....A New Direction Crosby
11/10.....Northside Highlands
11/17.....Northside Baytown
12/01.....Emanuel Baytown

Thank you for impacting the lives of Lee College students

~ Meetings ~

Missions/Evangelism will be held on Monday, November 7 at 6:30 p.m. at SJBA Mission Center..

Valley Stocking Stuffers due November 14 at the SJBA Mission Center.

Valley Stockings Filled on November 17 at 9:00 a.m. at the SJBA Mission Center.

Monthly Prayer Gathering will meet Thursday, November 17, at the SJBA Mission Center at 9:00 a.m.

Coordinating Council will meet Monday, November 21, at 10:00 a.m. at the SJBA Mission Center.

The SJBA office will be closed November 24-25 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday.

~ Church Anniversaries ~

11/22/1986 B. L. Worsham, Second LaPorte
11/01/1998 Robin Cunningham, Rollingbrook Baytown
11/06/2005 Ken Buck, First Huffman
11/06/2005 Larry Sharp, First Huffman
11/22/2006 Pat Flowers, SJBA Lake Tomahawk
11/02/2015 Suzi Ronning, SJBA

~ Birthdays ~

11/01 Jason Havner, Memorial Pasadena
11/07 Jonathan Swirsky, First Huffman
11/17 Joe Mangum, Harvest Crosby

Church News

Dell Dale Avenue, Channelview, is seeking a music minister and part-time youth minister. They are also seeking a pianist for Sundays.

San Jacinto Church, Deer Park is seeking a Worship Pastor.

Second Baptist Church, Jacinto City (Houston) seeks a bilingual (English/Spanish) Bi-Vocational Pastor.

First Highlands has an opening for a part-time paid Preschool/Nursery Teacher position.

For additional information about these positions go to <https://sanjacintobaptist.com/about-us/church-information>.