



# JACKSON FIRST BAPTIST

**WE EXIST TO LOVE GOD  
AND MAKE DISCIPLES OF ALL PEOPLE.**

Series: It's Your Turn Now  
Message 7: Doing Your Best  
II Timothy 2:14-19  
April 14, 2024

Some people take God's Word to, "do your best," to mean that one must live a \_\_\_\_\_ life.

God's Word is not for the purpose of \_\_\_\_\_ but for the purpose of equipping.

Three commands from God about doing one's best:

I. Live your life \_\_\_\_\_ by the Scriptures, 2:14-15.

Key: We lay the Bible before us every week and we seek to both know and apply it to our lives so that we can \_\_\_\_\_ in Kingdom living.

A. The Bible \_\_\_\_\_ us of our assignment, II Tim. 3:16-17.

B. The Bible offers us \_\_\_\_\_ for our assignment.

II. Live your life \_\_\_\_\_ with a Biblically sound church, 2:16-18.

III. Live your life \_\_\_\_\_ on the Word of God, 2:19.

<sup>1</sup>In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. <sup>2</sup>He was in the beginning with God. <sup>3</sup>All things were made through him, and without him was not anything made that was made. <sup>4</sup>In him was life, and the life was the light of men. <sup>5</sup>The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. John 1:1-5

Our lives from this moment forward:

- Lay down and crush the unbiblical \_\_\_\_\_ in your life.
- Embrace a life guided by the Word of God.
- Step up your partnership with the local church.
- If you have not, come to Jesus today!



Have you made a decision to  
accept Christ today?

Connect with us.





**New to Jackson FBC? Be Our Guest at Lunch With the Pastor** on April 28th **from 12:30-1:30 pm** in the Multi-Purpose Room South. You will have the opportunity to learn more about our church, meet some of our pastors, staff, and church members while discovering what it means to become a member of Jackson First. Please register at [jacksonfbc.com](http://jacksonfbc.com) or scan the QR code by April 21st.



Join us downtown at "The Orchards," Thursday, May 2nd at 8 am, as we pray for our nation. The theme of this year's National Day of Prayer is "Lift up the Word - Light up the World," inspired by 2 Samuel 22:29-31. Let us join in prayer and reflection, lifting our hearts and voices for our country and its people.



Would you like to be a part of the team that meets and greets visitors and members each week? There are opportunities to serve with no prior experience required. Email [Linda@jacksonfbc.com](mailto:Linda@jacksonfbc.com) or call the church office to find out how you can join the First Impression Greeter Ministry. We would love to have you!



We hope you will plan to join us for **our rain or shine** Block Party taking place May 4th from 10 am-1 pm at Jackson Elementary School. This is going to be a great time of fun, fellowship, and food with our community. Volunteers can sign-up at the Welcome Center.



**April 30: Hand N Hand Food Pantry** will need help unloading the trailer. For more information, contact Don at 770-715-9014.

**May 1: All in Prayer Service** at 6:00 pm



Please join us in welcoming and getting to know Gary Kerce. We are so thankful that God has added him to the Jackson FBC Family!

## GIVING REPORT

Weekly Budget Needs: \$21,794.16

April 7 Budget Giving: \$25,802.96

Greater Things For the Future Giving: \$1,889.97

## DEACONS OF THE WEEK

Henry Bagby

Don Knight



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You will receive a link to get started giving by text today!

**Watch/Listen to recorded sermons on Sundays:**

**TV-Spectrum Channel 182 at 10:00 am Radio-92.1 FM at 11:00 am**



A great way to stay informed is through our church app. Scan the QR code to download it today.

## REACH. TEACH. DEVELOP. SEND.

Jackson First Baptist Church values:

- Knowing and applying God's Word to every part of our lives. James 1:19
- Worshiping God in every part of our lives. 1 Timothy 1:17
- Prayer as our central communication with God. 1 Thessalonians 5:17
- Family as God's primary place for discipleship and growth. Ephesians 6:1-4
- Service and missions as God's tools to extend His kingdom. Matt. 28:18-20
- Spirit-filled living which takes place through surrender and discipleship. Ephesians 5:18

## Weekly Schedule

### Sunday

9:15 am - Worship & Sunday School

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11:00 am - Worship & Sunday School

4:00 pm - Student Connect Group

4:00 pm - GriefShare

5:00 pm - Connect Groups

5:30 pm - Young Adult Connect Group

### Wednesday

6:00 am - Iron Men Bible Study

3:00 pm - After School Program

5:00 pm - Family Dinner (RSVP)

6:00 pm - Discipleship University

6:00 pm - Prayer Meeting

6:00 pm - Student Worship