

Artesia First Baptist Church

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newsletter

NEWSLETTER OF
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, ARTESIA

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Giving Opportunities!

College Care Packages: December 2

The Women's Ministry will be packing care packages for college students Dec. 2 at 2pm in the Total Life Center. Please call the church office if you would like to donate items to the college care packages.

Cookie Outreach: December 16

All women are welcome Dec. 16 from 2-3:30pm in the Total Life Center as we pack and deliver cookies to service workers throughout the community.

Packs of Love: December 16

Return to First Baptist Office or Media Center by December 16
Fill a red bag with food (list is in the bag) for local families in need this Christmas! Bags are available at the Church Office or in the Worship Center and are due back by Sunday, December 16. Packs of Love is a local outreach to children within our public school system.

Lottie Moon: December 31

Give in the offering/online/through our app through December 31
Lottie, who was a missionary to China well over 100 years ago, spent some of her time on the mission field writing letters home to American churches urging them to support international missions. 100% of the money you give to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, sends missionaries to the field and provides for the work God has given them to do. We will be taking donations for this through the month of December; use the envelopes provided in the pews of simply mark your gift "Lottie Moon".

Tinian: December 31

Drop off at the Church Office through December 31
Donate gently used coats, gloves, ear wraps, etc. to our mission friends at Tinian Baptist Church by dropping them off at the Church Office in the TLC from now through December 31.

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GIVING REPORT

November 4, 2018

Weekly Budget Receipts \$18,660.40

END OF THE YEAR GIVING

You can give online at our website or through our church app search "fbcartesia" in your app store. Year end giving must be turned in by Dec. 31 to be counted towards you 2018 giving.

GREETERS OF THE WEEK

December 2, 2018

North Door Mike & Vicky Alaniz
East Door Dan & Sharon Northrip
Children's Area Junior & Toni Cano
Sanctuary Jim & Rosalie Hickerson

BNM Issue Schedule:

November 24

December 8

December 15

December 22

SUNDAY ATTENDANCE

November 4, 2018

Sun. School Enrollment	463
Visitors/Non Enrolled	14
New Members	0
On Campus	182
Off Campus	0
Total S.S. Attendance	182
Worship Attendance	249

Calendar of Events

November

- 25 7:45am Men's Breakfast
10:15am Special Called Business Mtg to elect 3 members to the Deacon Council (WC)
6pm Concert of Prayer (WC)
- 26 5:30pm Seek 1st practice (TLC)
- 27 9am Ladies CBS (MB)
- 28 6pm Business Meeting (TLC)
- 29 9am Halliburton Safety Meeting (TLC)
5:30pm Light Up Artesia

December

- 2 2pm Women's Ministry - Packing College Care Packages (TLC)
5pm Deacon Meeting (FH)
- 2-9 Lottie Moon week of Prayer
- 3 5:30pm Seek 1st Games K-5th grade (TLC)
6:30pm PVBA Staff Banquet
- 4 6:30pm Seek 1st Games 2-5th grade (TLC)
- 9 5pm M2M Discipleship (TLC Gallery)
5pm W2W Women's Discipleship (FH)
- 10 5:30pm Seek 1st Games K-5th grade (TLC)
- 11 6:30pm Seek 1st Games 2-5th grade (TLC)
- 15 9am Seek 1st Tournament 2-5th grade (TLC)
- 16 2pm Women's Ministry Christmas
Cookie Outreach (TLC)
- 18 9am CBS (WC)
9am-5:30pm Packs of Love Food Distribution (TLC)



The Church Office & TLC will be closed:
Dec. 24-28 and Dec 31, Jan 1-2
The TLC will be open these Saturdays:
Dec. 29

SUNDAYS:

9:00am Bible Study
10:15am & 6pm Worship

TOTAL LIFE CENTER HOURS:

Monday - Thursday: 6am-5pm
Friday: 6am-10am
Saturday: 8am-2pm

WEDNESDAYS:

5:30pm Family Meal
6:15pm Discipleship Groups
(for all ages)

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday: 8:30am-5:00pm