



SUNDAY

DECEMBER 2023

Slidell Bible Chapel



MONDAY











TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

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3 SL: Matt Lingle AM: Rob Kiviaho	4 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Men's Bible Study at the Browns' Food: Lee Sandifer	5	6 SL: Matt Lingle PM: Rob Kiviaho	7 7:00 PM Slidell Christian Academy Christmas Program at Slidell Bible Chapel Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day 	8	9  Scotch Auction 7:00 PM - TBA	
10 SL: Lee Sandifer AM: Scott Leach 6:30 PM: Lake Park Chapel Christmas Program Ray Cummings's Birthday (Belle Chasse, LA) 	11 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Men's Bible Study at the Browns' Food: Rob Kiviaho Rob Kiviaho's Birthday 	12	13 SL: Lee Sandifer PM: Bob Brown  David & Beth Wilson's Anniversary (Ireland)	14	15	16  Peetsie Cummings's Birthday (Belle Chasse, LA) Becky Hulshizer's Birthday (Peru)	
17 9:00 AM: Worship 10:00 AM: Continental Breakfast SL: Duze Dussor AM: Bob Brown	18 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Men's Meeting and Prayer at the Browns' Food: Mike Finney	19	20 PM: Duze Dussor - Caroling	21  Winter begins	22	23	
24 SL: Rob Kiviaho AM: Lee Sandifer Christmas Eve 	25  Christmas Day	26	27 SL: Rob Kiviaho PM: Lee Sandifer	28	29	30	
Christmas Holiday - SLIDELL CHRISTIAN ACADEMY IS CLOSED. St. Tammany Parish schools are closed.							
31 SL: Bob Brown AM: Duze Dussor New Year's Eve 	CLEAN UP: JoAnne B. - COMMUNION: Duze & Audrey D. - PIANIST: Sharon S. - COUNTING TEAM: Duze D. & Lee S.						

Men's Bible Study

The Men's Bible Study is on Monday evenings at the Brown's home from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM. Men of all ages who are serious about studying the Bible are invited to attend. For details, see Bob Brown.

Scotch Auction

On Saturday, December 9, at 7:00PM our annual Scotch Auction will be held at a location to be announced. Bring a "Hand Made" gift to participate in the auction. Bring your favorite finger food, a 2- liter, and friends. It will be a great time for food, fun, and fellowship. Come and have fun.

Scott Leach

On Sunday, December 10, Scott Leach will minister from God's Word in our meeting. Scott is from Prattville, Alabama. He serves as an elder at Central Bible Chapel in Millbrook, Alabama. Please, make Scott and his wife Kathy welcome as always.

Family Day

Sunday, December 17, is Family Day at Slidell Bible Chapel. The Worship meeting will be moved to 9:00 AM. Invite family members and friends to come join us for the continental breakfast at 10:00 AM followed by the Family Bible Hour.

Christmas Caroling

On Wednesday, December 20, we will gather for Family Caroling at 6:30 PM. We will go to a nearby neighborhood to carol. Afterward we will gather for fellowship and refreshments. For details or how you can help, see Duze Dussor.

Sunday School Teacher

Young Adults: 13 & up – In Adult Meeting
Children: 3rd grade – 12 years:
Audrey Dussor & Shirley Harrison
Toddlers – 2nd grade:
Angie Lange & Mandy Skiles

Communion Table

Duze & Audrey Dussor

Song Leaders

Bob Brown, Duze Dussor,
Rob Kiviah, Matt Lingle, Lee Sandifer

Chapel Cleanup

JoAnne Brown

Counting Team

Duze Dussor & Lee Sandifer

Pianist

Sharon Sandifer

Elders

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Steps to Peace with God

STEP 1 - GOD'S PURPOSE - PEACE & ETERNAL LIFE: God loves you and He wants you to live in peace with Him and to receive eternal life.

The Bible says... "... We have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ." Romans 5:1 (NIV)

"For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life." John 3:16 (NKJV)

"... the gift of God is eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord." Romans 6:23b (NIV)

Since God planned for us to be at peace with Him and to have eternal life, why are many people not enjoying this experience?

STEP 2 - OUR PROBLEM - SIN & SEPARATION: God did not make us robots to mindlessly love and obey Him. Instead He gave us a will and freedom of choice. But, like Adam, we often choose to disobey God and go our own selfish ways (read Genesis chapters 2-3). This side of our nature is called sin, and it separates us from God.

The Bible says... "For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God...the wages of sin is death." Romans 3:23; 6:23 (NIV)

"But your iniquities have separated you from your God; and your sins have hidden His face from you, so that He will not hear." Isaiah 59:2 (NKJV)

Our sin separates us from God.

STEP 3 - GOD'S REMEDY - THE CROSS: Jesus Christ is the only answer to this problem of separation from God. He died on the cross and rose from the grave to pay the penalty for our sin—completely bridging the gap between us and God. God has provided the only way, and we must make the choice.

The Bible says... "But God demonstrates His own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." Romans 5:8 (NIV)

"Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to men by which we must be saved." Acts 4:12 (NIV)

STEP 4 - OUR RESPONSE - BELIEVE & RECEIVE CHRIST:

We can receive Jesus Christ when we believe in His message and trust in Him alone to save us.

"Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in Me." John 14:1 (KJV)

How to receive Christ?

Admit your need (I am a sinner).

Be willing to turn from your sins (repent).

Believe that Jesus Christ died for you on the cross and rose from the grave (believe).

Through prayer, invite Jesus Christ to come in and control your life through the Holy Spirit (receive Him as your Lord and Savior).

What to pray? Pray something like this:

"Dear Lord Jesus, I know that I am sinful and need Your forgiveness. I believe that You died to pay the penalty for my sin. I want to turn from my sin nature and follow you instead. I invite you to come into my heart and life. In Your name, Lord Jesus Christ, I pray, amen."

The Bible says...

"All the prophets testify about Him that everyone who believes in Him [Jesus Christ] receives forgiveness of sins through His name." --Acts 10:43 (NIV)

"Yet to all who did receive Him, to those who believed in His name, He gave the right to become children of God." John 1:12 (NIV)

GOD'S ASSURANCE: HIS WORD

If you sincerely prayed and asked the Lord Jesus Christ to come into your life, do you know what He has given you?

Your New Life

When you receive Christ, you are born into God's family through the supernatural work of the Holy Spirit, who indwells every believer. This is called regeneration or "new birth." God bless you as you begin your new life in Christ.

Did you receive the Lord Jesus Christ as your Savior? You're probably thinking, "Now what?"

You should tell someone. Share the Good News with someone that the Lord Jesus Christ saved you and you now have a New Life in Christ. **You need to go to a Bible-believing and teaching church.** We invite you to join us at Slidell Bible Chapel. **You need to be baptized as the first step of obedience.** When you find a good Bible-believing and teaching church, ask to be baptized. It's the biblical way to profess your faith and to proclaim your New Life in Christ to the world.

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Schedule of Meetings

SUNDAYS

11:00 a.m. Family Bible Hour

WEDNESDAY

6:30 p.m. Prayer & Praise

Come and be part of this young, dynamic, growing Church where the Bible comes alive in a warm, family atmosphere.

A WARM WELCOME AWAITS YOU