Merry Christmas.

Greater Beulah Baptist Church

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Mission Statement

The mission of the Greater Beulah Baptist Church is to spiritually equip those who are charged to go out and change a dying world.

The Affirmation of Faith

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and Earth; and in Jesus Christ, His Son, Our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; The Third Day He rose from the dead; He ascended into Heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to Judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, in the Baptist Church, the Communion of Saints, the Forgiveness of Sins, the Resurrection of the Body and the Life Everlasting. Amen.

Responsive Reading Matthew 1:18-25

- 18. Now the birth of Jesus Christ was on this wise: When as his mother Mary was espoused to Joseph, before they came together, she was found with child of the Holy Ghost.
- 19. Then Joseph her husband, being a just man, and not willing to make her a public example, was minded to put her away privily.
- 20. But while he thought on these things, behold, the angel of the LORD appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph, thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary thy wife: for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost.
- 21. And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins.
- 22. Now all this was done, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken of the Lord by the prophet, saying,
- 23. Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us.
- 24. Then Joseph being raised from sleep did as the angel of the Lord had bidden him, and took unto him his wife:
- 25. And knew her not till she had brought forth her firstborn son: and he called his name JESUS.

Morning Worship Service Sunday, December 22, 2013 8:00 a.m.
"Let the first tone of the organ be a call to reverent silence in which all may become aware of His presence."
Call to Worship "O come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our Maker."
Ministry in MusicChoir
*Responsive Reading
Congregational HymnJesus What a Wonderful Child
Prayer
Prayer ChantChoir
Ministry in MusicChoir
Opportunities of the Week
*Fellowship Period "Love Ye One Another"
Altar Call "Pray Ye for One Another"
Offertory ** Dedication of the Tithes, Pledges, & Offering * *
Offertory Prayer
Ministry in MusicChoir
The Spoken Word
Invitation to Discipleship
BenedictionBe Blessed
*Indicates when the congregation stands and late worshippers may enter.

<i>Sermon Notes</i> "The Real Reason for the Season" Matthew 1:21	

This Week's Events

Sunday 10:00am

_Sunday Bible Study / New Members Class



Contact Persons of the Week.

If you need to get in touch with the Pastor at anytime, please call him! In the event that you cannot get in touch with the Pastor, there will be a Deacon and a Deaconess to contact. This week those persons are: Bro. Ronnie Williams (225/769-4735) Sis. Addie Lee (225/381-0047)

Mark Your Calendar

Pastor Mallet will be preaching at the Greater Mount Olive Baptist Church on Tuesday, January 14 at 7:00pm. This will be for their Ministry Recommitment Revival. They have requested that the choir and entire Greater Beulah family join them for this worship event.

Bible Study

We will resume our Thursday Bible Study on January 9, 2014.

Community Pride

A Reminder...

Please do not leave before the Benediction. Please turn your cell phone off or place it on vibrate. Please refrain from walking during prayer.

Welcome to Greater Beulah

Jesus loves you And so do I You are welcome At 9 5 5 Here we worship In Jesus' Name When you leave Greater Beulah Your life won't be the same

Ministry's Prayer

Almighty God, today I am grateful for those who have leadership roles in the church. I pray for them now that they may walk uprightly before you, and that they may have wisdom in the decisions that they make. In Christ's name, amen.

Known Sick and Shut-In

Sis. Clara Arbuckle - 14033 Emma Way Cove Dr. Gonzalez, LA 70737 Bro. Roy Brown - 388 E. Polk St. BR, LA 70802 Sis. Emma Coleman - Home Sis. Betty Cross - Home Bro. Joe Knox - Home Sis. Audrey Morris - 15424 Old Hammond Hwy BR, LA 70816 Sis. Doris Perkins - 1157 E. Polk St. BR, LA 70802 Sis. Patricia Robertson—Our Lady of the Lake Sis. Estelle P. Smith - 2042 Georgia St. BR, LA 70802 Sis. Elizabeth Stewart - Our Lady of the Lake

<u>December 15, 2013</u>

Attendance_

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