

# Bible Center Church

422 Barton Avenue, Luling, LA 70070

11 May 2025

## Welcome to Worship

---

Being here today will benefit you through fellowship with those who are seeking to learn of Jesus and follow His ways. Probably there is someone here today who can help you in your Christian life and there are people you will help by your encouragement. Welcome!

## Our Vision for Bible Center

---

We are a family—believers of all ages trusting Christ alone—who center our lives and service on exalting God as He reveals Himself through the Bible. In love, we share the gospel of salvation with our neighbors, bear one another's burdens, help each other grow spiritually, and develop our God-given gifts and talents as we reach out to our community and world.

## Today at the Bible Center Church

---

9:30 - 10:00	Sunday School	Library
10:00 - 10:30	Prayer Time	??
10:45 AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:05 AM	Children's Church	Library

# Giving is Important

1 Corinthians 16:1-4

## Paul answers another question

1. About a \_\_\_\_\_ for Jerusalem (16:1)
2. Based on the \_\_\_\_\_ of Galatia (1)
3. \_\_\_\_\_ was to give \_\_\_\_\_ (2)
4. In \_\_\_\_\_ to their finances (1/2 Cor)
5. Not \_\_\_\_\_ until the last minute (2)
6. Not \_\_\_\_\_ or under \_\_\_\_\_, but cheerfully (2 Cor 9:7)

## More biblical principles for giving

1. It is based on Biblical \_\_\_\_\_ (Ps 24:1)
2. Jesus said giving is a \_\_\_\_\_ (Acts 20:35)
3. If it is your \_\_\_\_\_, give generously (Rom 12:8)
4. Give to deserving \_\_\_\_\_ and widows (1 Tim 5:17)
5. But don't give what you don't \_\_\_\_ (2 Cor 8:12-13)
6. Most of all, give because Jesus \_\_\_\_ (2 Cor 8:9)

## Women known for their giving

1. The Poor Widow (Luke 21:1-4)
2. Joanna, Susanna, others (Luke 8:1-3)
3. Mary, sister of Martha (John 12:1-3a)
4. Two Marys and Salome (Mark 15:40-41a)
5. Phoebe (Romans 16:1-2)

## What should we do?

1. We need to be grounded in \_\_\_\_\_
2. Give out of \_\_\_\_\_ for God's grace
3. \_\_\_\_\_ is appreciated and beneficial