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Social Justice in the Bible

Social justice is one of the fundamental issues in the Bible. God created the world and humankind, and the life and happiness of all His people are His deepest desires. The Bible brings to center stage continually those who are oppressed and turn to God in prayer (e.g. Ps 9-10; 22). Prophets such as Isaiah and Amos raise their voices on behalf of the poor and the marginalized, those belonging to the 'weaker' social groups. God himself prescribes a brotherly and sisterly social order in his Torah, and, in the same divine wisdom, Jesus develops a Christian ethics of love. We can look at different aspects of the framework for social justice that is set out in the bible and see how the instructions of the Old Testament are developed in the teachings of Jesus.

God himself is the archetype of the just judge (Ps 9:5) and many psalms praise him as such: 'He loves righteousness and justice; the earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord' (Ps 33:5). 'Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains; your judgments are like the great deep' (Ps 36:6). 'He will make your vindication shine like the light, and the justice of your cause like the noonday' (Ps 37:6).

https://www.thinkingfaith.org/articles/20111014_1.htm

SAVE THE DATE

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH
CELEBRATES

JUNE TEENTH

FOOD - FUN - FELLOWSHIP

JUNE 19- 21, 2025

February National Holidays

- 1st – National Freedom Day (honoring the signing of the 13th Amendment)
- 2nd – Groundhog Day 🐻
- 3rd – National Carrot Cake Day 🥕🍰
- 4th – Thank a Mail Carrier Day 📬
- 5th – National Weatherperson's Day ☀️
- 6th – National Frozen Yogurt Day 🍦
- 7th – National Bubble Gum Day 🍬
- 8th – National Kite Flying Day 🪁
- 9th – National Pizza Day 🍕
- 10th – National Umbrella Day ☔
- 11th – National Make a Friend Day 👯
- 12th – National Plum Pudding Day 🍮
- 13th – Galentine's Day (celebrating female friendships) 👯
- 14th – Valentine's Day ❤️
- 15th – Singles Awareness Day 💔
- 16th – National Almond Day 🥜
- 17th – Presidents' Day 🇺🇸
- 18th – National Drink Wine Day 🍷
- 19th – National Chocolate Mint Day 🍫🌿
- 20th – National Love Your Pet Day 🐾🐱
- 21st – National Sticky Bun Day 🍞
- 22nd – National Margarita Day 🍹
- 23rd – National Dog Biscuit Day 🍪🐕
- 24th – National Tortilla Chip Day 🌮
- 25th – National Clam Chowder Day 🍲
- 26th – National Tell a Fairy Tale Day 📖
- 27th – National Strawberry Day 🍓
- 28th – National Public Sleeping Day 😴
- 29th – (Leap Year!) Rare Disease Day 🏥

NEW BIBLE STUDY TIME

WEDNESDAYS AT 6PM

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We Are A Community of Believers Transformed In Him To Be Agents Of Change In The Home, Church, Community, And The World.

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**MARCH
MAN-NESS**

SPRING REVIVAL SERIES

5 MONDAYS • 5 PREACHERS • 7PM NIGHTLY

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**Veteran's
Appreciation
Breakfast**

Thursday, February 27, 2025 | 10:00 AM

Come enjoy great food
and fellowship.

**Pastor's Pick!
Book of the Month!**

A Million Little Miracles: Rediscover the God Who Is Bigger Than Big, Closer Than Close, and Gooder Than Good by Mark Batterson

The New York Times bestselling author of Win the Day reminds us of the millions of miracles God performs every day and inspires us to live with a clearer sense of identity and purpose.

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This month, help us wish...

Natasha Lester....Destiny Pearson....
Therese Elder....Ty' Avia Demus....
Omeka Petteway....Jasmine Jeter....
Nichole Gillison....Seretha Miller....
Jermeka Parrish.... Lorraine Anderson....
Brandy West and Miakka McShan, a...

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE
@10:00 AM

Wednesday Night Bible Study @ 6:00 PM

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