FIRST FINANCIAL CORP /IN/ Form 8-K January 31, 2012

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 31, 2012

First Financial Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

P. O. Box 540 , Terre Haute, Indiana 47808 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: 812-238-6334

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

On January 31, 2012, the Registrant issued a press release reporting its financial results for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2011. A copy of the press release is being furnished as an exhibit to this report and is incorporated by reference into this item 12.

The foregoing information, including the information contained in the press release, is being furnished pursuant to this Item 12 and shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section or Sections 11 and 12(a)(2) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. In addition, this information shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any of the Registrant s filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in any such filing.

The exhibit to this report is as follows:

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release, dated January 31, 2012 issued by First Financial Corporation

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

First Financial Corporation

Dated January 31, 2012

/s/ Rodger A. McHargue Rodger A. McHargue Secretary/Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer Exhibit Index

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99.1 Press Release, January 31, 2012 issued by First Financial Corporation