

First Baptist Church

Valdosta, Georgia

# First Family Chimes



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*Sundays, June 4 and June 11*  
Contemporary Service 8:44 a.m.  
Morning Worship Service-11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Classes-6:00 p.m.

## **Meet and Greet—Rev. and Mrs. Terry Sampson**

The Minister of Education and Administration Search Committee, working with the Personnel and Finance Committees, has invited Rev. Terry Sampson and his wife, Jill, to come to First Baptist on June 11, 2017 in view of a call. Rev. Sampson leads in Education and Administration where he currently serves. Both Terry and Jill have a wealth of ministry experience and will be great additions to First Baptist Church.

You are invited to meet Terry and Jill on Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> from 2pm–4pm in the Fellowship Hall (by the Sanctuary). All Sunday School leaders and teachers are also invited to meet with Terry and Jill from 1pm–2pm for a short time of questions and answers. You are encouraged to make every effort to stop by Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> and to be at worship on June 11<sup>th</sup>. Following our worship services on June 11<sup>th</sup>, the church will vote to extend the call to Terry and Jill. Please be in prayer about this important decision.

### **Schedule:**

#### **Saturday, June 10**

**1–2pm—Sunday School leaders and teachers**

**2–4pm—Meet and Greet – Everyone Invited**

#### **Sunday, June 11**

**Vote following both 8:44am & 11:00am Worship Services**

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Dr. Chuck Owens

## Sermon This Sunday

*Message from God's Word*

### **Pastor's Picks Book Study/Discussion**

Our next Pastor's Picks Book Study is Sunday, June 11 at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall by the Sanctuary. The book is entitled, "The First to Follow: The Apostles of Jesus" by John R. Claypool. We have a couple of extra books (cost: \$18) in the church office—call 242-0484.



Dr. Drew Boswell

## Children's Ministry



## Student Ministry

Join in the fun—Bubble Soccer! This Sunday, June 4 at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Bring your friends! Reminder: Big A Club is next week-June 5-9 from 9:00 a.m.- 12 noon. If you can help, contact Sherry Bennett at 242-7822.



Mr. Jared Green

## Sports Camp



### **Sports Camp**

July 10-14, 2017

5:30-8:30 p.m. at Valwood School

For all children-ages 6-12

To register or to sign up to volunteer,  
go to [fbcvaldosta.org](http://fbcvaldosta.org)

Brochures will also be available in the foyers  
of the Sanctuary and Family Life Center.



Rev. Mac Weaver

## Education and Missions Ministry

### **BOOK GIVE AWAY!!!**

We have two tables of books in the Adult Education Building foyer. Please feel free take any books that you want.

### **Baby Bottle Boomerang Change for Life**

Please pick up a bottle in the foyer and fill with change, bills, or a check to support Options Now (Pregnancy Support Clinic). You may keep the bottle tag and pray for the family. The bottles will need to be returned by Father's Day!

Thanks for your support of this ministry!



Rev. Ron Hatchett

## Music Ministry/Adult Ministry

### **Early Bird Seafood Dinner and Ice Cream**

Thursday, June 15 at Pike's Landing in Morven followed by delicious homemade ice cream at Lawson's Peach Shed. We will leave the church at 3:30 p.m.

Anyone is welcome. Call the church office to register by Wednesday, June 7.

### **Anyone Interested . . . .**

### **Fall Jubilee Conference in Gatlinburg, TN—September 18-20.**

If anyone is interested in a great time of singin', laughin', and preachin', please call the church office. We will need to make reservations ASAP (call by June 5).

If 4 per room, the approx. cost is \$129 per person plus meals.

**Alhambra Dinner Theatre**—Saturday, July 15 in Jacksonville, FL. Matinee (lunch) and show, "Annie". Approx. cost \$50 per person. If interested, call the church office by June 5.



### **Gospel Sing and Dinner**

Saturday, June 10 at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center

Two Groups: LifeSong and The Psalmists

Plus our own, Ron Hatchett and Lester Williams

Come enjoy a chicken dinner and pig pickin'

Cost: \$25 per couple; \$13 per individual

Sign up and pay at the church office by June 4.

## Wednesday Night Supper

### **Summer Supper - June 7**

Menu: Chicken Salad Croissants, Mixed Fruit, Chips, and Cookies

Cost: \$5.00-Ages 14 & up; \$3.00-Ages 4-13;

\$15.00-Family Limit

Please make reservations or cancellations by

**11:00 a.m. on Mondays.** On the honor system, since food is purchased and

prepared for you, cancellations not made should be paid.



## First Family News

### New Members

Jason and Sarah Giron  
Tucker-6th grade  
Anabelle-1st grade  
4701 San Saba Drive-Hahira  
Profession of Faith  
(8:44 a.m.)



### Sanctuary Flowers

The beautiful flowers are placed in the Sanctuary today by Ann Lackey to the glory of God and in loving memory of her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Kirby.

### Staff Anniversary

Mac Weaver, Associate Pastor, June 1, forty-six years

### Lilies Clothing Ministry

We are in need of summer clothes for children, women & men. Costume jewelry donations are also accepted. Thank you for your donations to this ministry of FBC!

### SAVE THE DATE-SUNDAY, JULY 30

#### **Retirement Celebration for Rev. Mac Weaver**

Sunday School-9:15 a.m.

and One Service-10:30 a.m.

in the Sanctuary followed by a churchwide dinner in the Family Life Center



### Church Staff

Dr. Chuck Owens, Senior Pastor  
Rev. Ron Hatchett, Minister of Music  
Rev. Jared Green, Minister to Students  
Rev. Dennis Massie, Church Pastoral Ministry  
Becky Pritchard, Pianist  
Cathy Harrison, Wedding Coordinator  
Terri Warren, Preschool Coordinator  
Linda Hart, Church Secretary  
Teresita Carver, Custodial Staff  
Angelia Miller, Food Service Coordinator

Rev. Mac Weaver, Associate Pastor  
Dr. Drew Boswell, Minister to Children  
Tammy Carter, Children's Ministry Intern  
Jenny Dingler, Special Needs Ministry Coordinator  
Lee Mikuta, Organist  
Melissa Stephens, Events/Evangelism Coordinator  
Karen Davis, Office Manager  
Elliott Lenz, Financial Secretary  
Helana Bennett, Custodial Staff  
Christian Miller, Custodial Staff

**Activities Calendar**

**Sunday, June 4**

8:44 a.m. - Praise 8.4.4. Contemporary Service-Family Life Center  
 9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
 11:00 a.m. - Traditional Worship Service  
 4:00 p.m. - GROW Outreach  
 6:00 p.m. - Sunday Evening Classes  
     The Gospel Project (children)  
     Resurge (youth)

**Monday, June 5**

9:00 a.m.-FBC Food Ministry Open  
     Lilies (Clothing Ministry) Open  
 6:30 p.m. - Boy Scouts

**Tuesday, June 6**

9:00 a.m. - Mother's Morning Out  
 7:00 p.m. - Literacy Ministry Classes (ESL, TCY, ARW)

**Wednesday, June 7**

5:00 p.m. - Summer Supper-FLC  
 6:00 p.m.-Prayer Service-Family Life Ctr.  
     The Gospel Project (Children)  
     Impact (Youth)

**Thursday, June 8**

6:45 a.m. - Men's Fellowship Breakfast @Denny's  
 9:00 a.m. - Mother's Morning Out

**Saturday, June 10**

9:00 a.m. - FBC Food Ministry Open  
     Lilies (Clothing Ministry) Open  
 1:00 p.m. - SS Leaders/Teachers Meet with Terry & Jill Sampson  
 2:00 p.m. - Church Family Meet with Terry & Jill Sampson  
 6:00 p.m. - Gospel Sing/Dinner-FLC

**Sunday, May 28, 2017**

**Bible Study**

Preschool & Children 66  
 Students 43  
 Adults 203  
 Total Attendance 312

**Worship**

8:44 Attendance 182  
 11:00 Attendance 176

**G2G Program**

Weekly Receipts \$2,493.00  
 Accumulative Total \$2,415,070.23  
 % of Goal-67%  
 Amount of Debt \$1,387,930.23

**Wednesday**

Children 9  
 Youth 22

**Stewardship**

Weekly Budget Needs \$28,090.51  
 Budget Receipts \$11,911.85  
 Under Weekly Needs \$16,178.66  
 Budget Needs to Date \$617,991.22  
 Budget Gifts to Date \$540,355.97  
 % of Budget Needs to Date 87.4%



**Extended Session**

**Sunday, June 4**

8:30-Ashley Fielding, Kelly Shiver  
 11:00-Terri Warren, Meredith Moon  
 6:00-Terri Warren

**Sunday, June 11**

8:30-Clay & Emily Browning, Jenny Sikes  
 11:00-Terri Warren, JianLi Wu  
 6:00-Terri Warren

**Prayer Room/Visitation Program**

**Deacons for Sunday, June 4**

Willie Hodgins and Patrick Hill

**Deacons for Sunday, June 11**

Curtis Fowler and Mark Wisenbaker



**G.R.O.W. Outreach**

Sundays

4:00-5:30 p.m.

in the Ad. 4 SS Dept.

Note: GROW will not meet on  
 Sundays, June 11 and 18.



Online Giving is available  
 through our website  
[www.fbcvaldosta.org](http://www.fbcvaldosta.org)

**Food Ministry**

Hours of operation are Mondays & Saturdays  
 from 9am-12pm.

	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD 2017</u>	<u>Grand Totals</u>
People served ages 0-18:	302	1,331	45,996
People served ages 19-64:	304	1,481	51,618
People served ages 65 & up:	273	1,422	23,705
Total People Served:	879	4,234	121,303
Total Meals Given:	18,063	86,826	2,417,068

11:00 a.m.

Prelude

Instrumental

*In lighting our Deployment Candle we gratefully acknowledge our veterans and all active duty personnel who continue to guard our freedom, both home and abroad.*

*Majesty - No. 297 - First Voices and Congregation*

*Invocation and Welcome - Dr. Drew Boswell*

*He Keeps Me Singing - No. 148 (Stanzas 1, 2 & 4)*  
*Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me - No. 166 (All Stanzas)*

*Pastoral and Offertory Prayer - Mr. Jeff Sikes*  
*Offertory - Instrumental*

*\*During the offertory, please be silent and allow God to speak to you.*

*(Children are dismissed to Children's Church.)*

*Holy Is He - No. 73*  
*Open the Eyes of My Heart - No. 66*  
*Holy, Holy, Holy - No. 68 (1st Stanza Only)*

*Special Music - Even in the Valley - First Voices*

*Message from God's Word - "Finishing Well" (I Corinthians 9:24-27)*  
*Rev. Dennis Massie*

*I Have Decided to Follow Jesus - No. 434*  
*Doxology - First Voices and Congregation*

Postlude

Instrumental

*(Our Benevolent Offering will be received this morning.)*

**NOTE: Sunday Evening Classes will not meet on Sunday, June 18 (Father's Day)**

## **Sunday Evening Classes**

**6:00-7:00 p.m.**



### **Sermon on the Mount**

Come join us as we look at the characteristics of the followers of Jesus as taught by Jesus in the sermon on the mount.

The study will cover Matthew 5-7.

**Taught by Rev. Benny Olliff and  
meets in the Adult Building Room 102.**

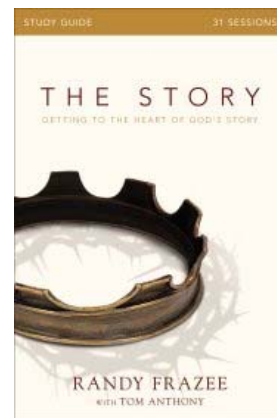
### ***"The Story, Getting to the Heart of God's Story"***

**by Randy Frazee.**

(This class will continue from the Fall.)

Pastor and author, Randy Frazee, presents 31 ten-minute teachings on how the story of Scripture—God's great overarching purpose—intersects with the story of your life.

**Taught by Rev. Ron Hatchett and Rev. Avery Kelly and  
meets in the Adult Building Room 108.**



Sunday nights are high energy for Youth. There are games, funny videos, theme nights—things get a little crazy. And really fun. We dig deep in God's Word and find that it intersects with our everyday life. This is where we belong. This is where we are at home. This is where we can let our guard down and start being real.

**Led by Mr. Jared Green and meets in the Family Life Center.**

The Gospel Project for Children will continue. The same lesson of The Gospel Project will also be taught on Wednesday evening at 6:00 p.m.

**Led by Dr. Drew Boswell and meets  
in the Children's Building.**

