

First Baptist Church

Valdosta, Georgia

First Family Chimes



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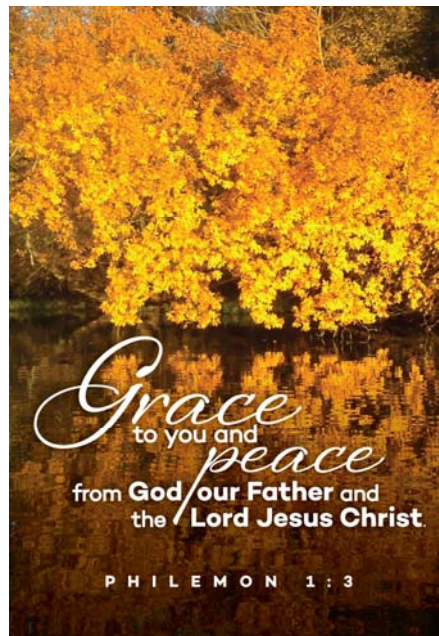
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Sunday, October 15

Contemporary Service-8:44 a.m.
Morning Worship Service-11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Classes-6:00 p.m.

Our Business Conference will be held at 7:00 p.m.
in the Harrell Sunday School Room.



Sunday, October 22

Contemporary Service-8:44 a.m.
Morning Worship Service-11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Classes-6:00 p.m.



Dr. Chuck Owens

Sermon This Sunday

Message from God's Word



Dr. Drew Boswell

Children's Ministry



Fall Festival—October 29, 5:00-7:00 p.m.



Mr. Jared Green

Student Ministry

Parents: If you would like to receive text alerts from the Student Ministry, text @fbcparen to 81010

October 28—Trip to Raisin' Cane Corn Maze

We'll meet at the church at 4:00 p.m. and caravan there. Students need to bring \$10 for the Corn Maze and some additional cash for dinner. Questions & RSVP to Jared.



Rev. Terry Sampson

Education Ministry

Desserts Needed for BCM Luncheon

Our WMU will be providing lunch for the Baptist Collegiate Ministry at VSU on Wednesday, October 18. Please sign up in the church office if you can provide a dessert. Please take your dessert to the BCM or church office by 11:00 a.m. on October 18. Thank you!



Rev. Mac Weaver

Missions Ministry

China College Student Ministry Mission Trip Informational Meeting

English as a Second Language

(The trip is in late April and early May 2018)

Sunday, October 22 at 3:00 p.m. in the Adult 4 SS Department

Special Preview of FBC Future Mission Trips

You are invited to a special preview of First Baptist Church mission trips for the year 2018 and the year 2019 immediately following the China Student Ministry Informational Meeting at approx. 3:30 p.m. in the Adult 4 SS Department.



Rev. Ron Hatchett

Music Ministry

Join Us In Choir Each Week

Preschool and Children's Choirs meet at 4:15 p.m. on Wednesdays.

First Voices Choir meets at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesdays.

Upcoming in November:

Thursday, November 16 - Annual Thanksgiving Luncheon
with FBC, Bainbridge and FBC, Moultrie

In Bainbridge, GA

More details to come.

Wednesday Night Supper

Family Night Supper - October 18

Menu: Fried Chicken, Corn on Cob, Loaded Mashed Potatoes,
Field Peas, Rolls, Tossed Salad & Dessert
(Kid's Choice Menu Available)

Cost: \$7.00-Ages 13 & up; \$5.00-Ages 4-12;
\$24.00-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

Hannah Gandy
3127 Morgan's Way
Profession of Faith &
Baptism (2/12/17)



Halle Gandy
3127 Morgan's Way
Profession of Faith &
Baptism (2/12/17)



Expression of Sympathy

The staff and church family extend sincere Christian love and sympathy to Anne Gunter in the loss of her sister.

Sanctuary Flowers

The beautiful flowers are placed in the Sanctuary today to the glory of God and in loving memory of Fred H. Pulliam by his family.



Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

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

Our collection date is November 12.

Also, the Moates class is still collecting various items for the boxes they put together. Look for the blue bins around the FBC campus.

October is Minister Appreciation Month

Please remember our ministers in your prayers, and let them know how much you appreciate them.

Church Staff

Dr. Chuck Owens, Senior Pastor

Rev. Terry Sampson, Minister of Education & Administration

Rev. Ron Hatchett, Minister of Music

Rev. Jared Green, Minister to Students

Jenny Dinger, Special Needs Ministry Coordinator

Lee Mikuta, Organist

Cathy Harrison, Wedding Coordinator

Terri Warren, Preschool Coordinator

Linda Hart, Church Secretary

Angelia Miller, Food Service Coordinator

Christian Miller, Custodial Staff

Rev. Mac Weaver, Missions Pastor

Dr. Drew Boswell, Minister to Children

Rev. Dennis Massie, Church Pastoral Ministry

Tammy Carter, Children's Ministry Intern

Becky Pritchard, Pianist

Melissa Stephens, Events/Evangelism Coordinator

Karen Davis, Office Manager

Elliott Lenz, Church Accountant

Teresita Carver, Custodial Staff

Helana Bennett, Custodial Staff

Activities Calendar

Sunday, October 15

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
 3:30 p.m. - Finance Committee Meeting
 4:00 p.m. - GROW Outreach
 5:00 p.m. - Forward Team Meeting
 6:00 p.m. - Sunday Evening Classes
 Valdosta Kids University (children)
 Resurge (youth)
 7:00 p.m. - Business Conference

Monday, October 16

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

Tuesday, October 17

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

Wednesday, October 18

3:00 p.m. - Church Library Open
 4:15 p.m. - Preschool and Children's Choirs
 5:00 p.m. - Family Night Supper-FLC
 6:00 p.m. - Prayer Service-Family Life Ctr.
 The Gospel Project (Children)
 Impact (Youth)
 MomsNext
 Master's Ringers (handbells)
 7:00 p.m. - First Voices Choir Rehearsal
 8:00 p.m. - Ensembles Rehearsal

Thursday, October 19

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

Friday, October 20

9:00 a.m. - Mother's Morning Out

Saturday, October 21

9:00 a.m. - FBC Food Ministry Open



Extended Session

Sunday, October 15

8:30-Pamela Kuhn, Lynn Fletcher
 11:00-Terri Warren, Nan Fletcher, Brandy Moates
 6:00-Terri Warren

Sunday, October 22

8:30-Cindy Martin
 11:00-Terri Warren, Mary Alice Griffin
 6:00-Terri Warren

Prayer Room/Visitation Program

Deacons for

Sunday, October 15

Paul Cribbs and Carroll Griffin

Sunday, October 22

Chuck Hudson and Paul Day, Jr.



G.R.O.W. Outreach

Sundays
 4:00-5:30 p.m.
 in the Ad. 4 SS Dept.



Sunday, October 8, 2017

Bible Study

Preschool & Children 59
 Students 57
 Adults 223
 Total Attendance 339

Stewardship

Weekly Budget Needs
 \$28,090.51
 Budget Receipts
 \$21,666.48
 Under Weekly Needs
 \$6,424.03

Wednesday

Children 8
 Youth 23

Budget Needs to Date
 \$1,151,710.91
 Budget Gifts to Date
 \$1,036,101.57

Worship

8:44 Attendance 186
 11:00 Attendance 216
 6:00 Attendance 65

% of Budget Needs
 to Date
 89.9%



Online Giving is available
 through our website
www.fbcvaldosta.org

Food Ministry

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

	Sept.	YTD 2017	Grand Totals
People served ages 0-18:	303	2,607	47,272
People served ages 19-64:	309	2,789	52,926
People served ages 65 & up:	273	2,571	24,854
Total People Served:	875	7,903	124,972
Total Meals Given:	18,177	142,801	2,473,043

11:00 a.m.

Prelude, *How Firm a Foundation*-Hayes

Mrs. Lee Mikuta, Organist

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.

Call to Worship - *God Is Worthy* - First Voices and Congregation

Invocation and Welcome - *Dr. Chuck Owens*

Greeting and Fellowship

The Church's One Foundation - No. 346

Thy Word - No. 342

Pastoral and Offertory Prayer - *Rev. Terry Sampson*

Offertory - *Precious Lord*-Page

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

(Children are dismissed to Children's Church.)

I Know Whom I Have Believed - No. 353

Special Music - *Jesus, The Very Tho't* - First Voices

Message from God's Word - *Dr. Chuck Owens*

Just As I Am - No. 435

Doxology - First Voices and Congregation

Postlude, *Grand Epilogue*-Broughton

Mrs. Lee Mikuta, Organist

Sunday Evening Classes-Meet 6:00-7:00 p.m.

“Job”

Is Job relevant for today? Come learn from Job how we can cope with adversity. Taught by Benny Olliff and Dennis Massie and meets in the Adult Building.

“The Amazing Doctrines of the Christian Faith” by Daniel Akin.

Taught by Rev. Ron Hatchett and meets in the Adult Building.



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 Rev. Jared Green and meets in the Family Life Center.

Valdosta Kids University for Children
**Led by Dr. Drew Boswell and meets
in the Children’s Building.**