

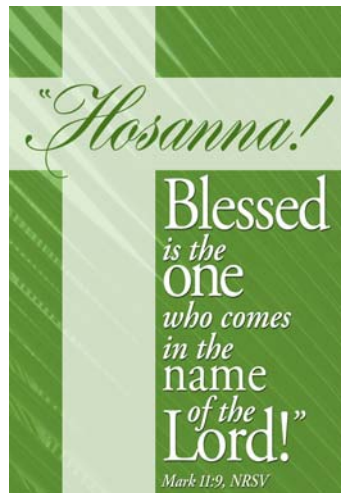
First Baptist Church

Valdosta, Georgia

First Family Chimes



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*Palm Sunday,
March 25*

"Blessed Redeemer"

Presented by First Voices
and Orchestra

8:44 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

(both services in the Sanctuary)

Sunday Evening Classes-6:00 p.m.

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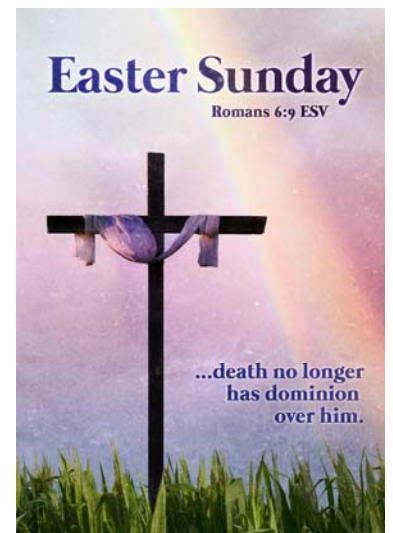
Easter Sunday, April 1 Contemporary Service

8:44 a.m.

Morning Worship Service

11:00 a.m.

We will not have
Sunday Evening Classes.





Dr. Chuck Owens

Sermon This Sunday

Message from God's Word

Reading the Bible Through in One Year

Our next meeting to discuss the readings will be Sunday, March 25 at 5:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall by the Sanctuary.



Rev. Jared Green

Student Ministry

Join us for Bible Study on Sunday at 9:45 a.m. and Resurge on Sunday evenings at 6:00 p.m.

Children's Ministry

Attention Parents: Sunday, March 25--We will have Preschool Worship and Nursery during the 8:44 a.m. service. The children (1st-5th graders) will remain in the service for the Easter Musical. We will have Nursery at the 11:00 a.m. service, but the children will remain in the service for the Easter Musical. Also, Miss Tammy will have Children's Worship with the 1st-5th graders during the Sunday School hour.

Join us this Sunday at 6:00 p.m. for Valdosta Kids University.

Candice & Tammy



Rev. Terry Sampson

Education/Administration Ministry

Sunday Evening Class—"Sunday School Matters"

Taught by Dr. Chuck Owens and Rev. Terry Sampson
Sundays at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall by the Sanctuary.
All adults are invited to attend.

Business Conference

We will not have a Business Conference in March.
Reports are available in the church office.



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. **Note:** Will not meet March 28.

Easter Musical, "Blessed Redeemer"

Presented by First Voices and Orchestra
Palm Sunday, March 25 at 8:44 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
(both services in the Sanctuary)

Wednesday Night Supper

Family Night Supper - March 28

Menu: Italian Night-Spaghetti/Lasagna, Rolls,
Tossed Salad and 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.



NO Family Night Supper - April 4

We will not have family night supper—week of spring break.

First Family News



New Member

Gunner Chancey
3717 Cross Creek Circle
Transfer of Letter
(11:00 a.m.)

Expression of Sympathy

The staff and church family extend sincere Christian love and sympathy to Kenny Fletcher in the loss of his mother.



Staff Anniversaries

Helena Bennett, Custodial Staff,
March 24, nine years
Jared Green, Minister to Students,
March 24, four years



Sanctuary Flowers

The beautiful flowers are placed in the Sanctuary today to the glory of God and in honor of the FBC church family.



ON MISSION
**HERE &
NOW**

Week of Prayer for
North American Missions
and Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
National Goal: \$70 million
FBC Goal: \$7,350.00 (10.5% of our
\$70,000.00 Missions Offering Goal)

Church Staff

Dr. Chuck Owens, Senior Pastor

Rev. Terry Sampson, Minister of Education & Administration

Rev. Ron Hatchett, Minister of Music

Rev. Dennis Massie, Church Pastoral Ministry

Jenny Dinger, Special Needs Ministry Coordinator

Melissa Stephens, Events/Evangelism Coordinator

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

Rev. Jared Green, Minister to Students

Tammy Carter, Children's Ministry Transition Team

Candice Massie, Children's Ministry Transition Team

Gunner Chancey, Organist

Becky Pritchard, Pianist

Karen Davis, Office Manager

Elliott Lenz, Church Accountant

Teresita Carver, Custodial Staff

Helena Bennett, Custodial Staff



Extended Session

Sunday, March 25

8:30-Ginger Paulk, Staci Chastain
 11:00-Terri Warren, Rachel Watson, Peggy Gayle
 6:00-Terri Warren

Sunday, April 1

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

Prayer Room/Visitation Program

Deacons for

Sunday, March 25

Chris Chastain and Jeb Massie

Sunday, April 1

Willie Hodgins and Jim Simpson



G.R.O.W. Outreach

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

NOTE:

GROW will not meet on
 Easter Sunday, April 1.

Activities Calendar

Sunday, March 25

8:44 a.m. - Easter Musical-Sanctuary
 9:45 a.m. - Sunday School/Bible Study
 11:00 a.m. - Easter Musical-Sanctuary
 4:00 p.m. - GROW Outreach
 4:30 p.m. - Boy Scouts
 5:00 p.m. - "Reading the Bible Through in One Year" Meeting
 6:00 p.m. - Sunday Evening Class
 Valdosta Kids University (children)
 Resurge (youth)

Monday, March 26

9:00 a.m. - FBC Food Ministry Open
 Lilies (Clothing Ministry) Open

Tuesday, March 27

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

Wednesday, March 28

2:00 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-FLC
 The Gospel Project (Children)
 Impact (Youth)
 MomsNext
 Master's Ringers (handbells)

Thursday, March 29

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

Friday, March 30-Good Friday

Church Office Closed

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

Saturday, March 31

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

Sunday, March 18, 2018

Bible Study

Preschool & Children 82
 Students 61
 Adults 236
 Total Attendance 379

Stewardship

Weekly Budget Needs
 \$28,690.02
 Budget Receipts
 \$16,467.20
 Under Weekly Needs
 \$12,222.82
 Budget Needs to Date
 \$315,590.22
 Budget Gifts to Date
 \$394,232.49
 % of Budget Needs
 to Date
 124.9%

Wednesday

Children 15
 Youth 24

Worship

8:44 Attendance 171
 11:00 Attendance 241
 6:00 Attendance 48



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

Food Ministry

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

	Feb.	YTD 2018	Grand Totals
People served ages 0-18:	267	630	48,938
People served ages 19-64:	333	687	54,657
People served ages 65 & up:	282	587	26,343
Total People Served:	882	1,904	129,858
Total Meals Given:	18,324	39,624	2,574,735

8:44 and 11:00 a.m.

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

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"Sunday School Matters"

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Meets in the Fellowship Hall by the Sanctuary.
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Valdosta Kids University (children)

Meets in the Children's Building

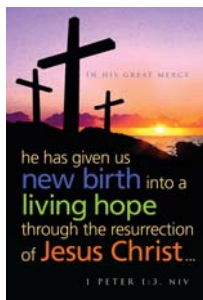
Resurge (youth)

Meets in the Family Life Center

Coming Events

Deacon Nominations

During the month of March, we will be accepting Deacon Nominations. The nominations may be placed in the boxes located in the foyers of the Sanctuary and Family Life Center or in the hallway by the church office.



Good Friday, March 30

The Church Office
will be closed.

Week of Spring Break

Easter Sunday, April 1-Regular Morning Services; We will not have G.R.O.W. Outreach or Sunday Evening Classes.

Monday, April 2-The Food Ministry and Lilies will be closed.

Wednesday, April 4-We will not have Preschool & Children's Choirs or Family Night Supper. We will have Prayer Service, Children & Youth classes and First Voices Choir Rehearsal.

April 2-6-The Weekday Preschool and Mother's Morning Out will not meet.

Weekday Preschool Registration for Fall 2018

Registration has begun for 2 1/2-4 year old classes. For more information, call Terri Warren at 242-0484.



Adult Ministry

A Day on the Island (for all adults)

We are headed to St. Simons Island for a day of great seafood and a historical trolley ride on Thursday, April 26. Cost: Approximately \$20 per person for the tour plus lunch. Mark this date on your calendar and plan to go with us! Sign up by calling the church office or in Sunday School. Friends welcome!