

First Baptist Church

Valdosta, Georgia

First Family Chimes



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Sunday, September 23

Contemporary Service—8:44 a.m.
Morning Worship Service—11:00 a.m.

Deacon Ordination Service—6:00 p.m.
(Reception to follow in Fellowship Hall)



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Sunday, September 30

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

We will begin a new series on Sunday mornings for three weeks, entitled, "We Are the Church."

Reading the Bible Through in One Year
Our next meeting to discuss the readings will be
Sunday, September 30 at 5:00 p.m.



Rev. Jared Green

Student Ministry

Join us this Sunday for Bible Study at 9:45 a.m.

We will continue our new series, "Welcome Home",
On from 6:00-7:15 p.m. in the Family Life Center.
Please make every effort for you and your family to attend.

Children Ministry

Please join us Sunday, September 30, at 4:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall at a reception honoring Tammy Carter.
Tammy will be leaving FBC to minister at another church in our community.
We appreciate her time and her service here at First Baptist.



Rev. Terry Sampson

Education/Administration Ministry

Sunday Evening Classes for Adults

Benny Olliff will continue "The Gospel of Matthew"
Adult Building, Room 106.

REMINDER:

Sunday School Training Event being held at Northside Baptist,
Monday, September 24. This will be an age graded training conference
from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Please call the church office to register.

Sunday School News

During this church year (August 1-July 31) at First Baptist, our goal is to enroll
80 new Sunday School Members.



Rev. Ron Hatchett

Music Ministry

Join Us In Choir Each Week

Preschool and Children's Choirs meet each Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.

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



Thailand Mission Trip

January 8-22, 2019

Bangkok and Chiang Mai, Thailand

Prison Ministry and Children's Homes Ministry

Registration forms available in church office
and in the foyer of the Sanctuary and Family Life Center

China Student Ministry Trip

April 24-May 11, 2019

**China Pharmaceutical University
and Hohia University in Nanjing, China**

Teaching English as a Second Language
Registration forms are available in the church office
and the foyer of the Sanctuary and Family Life Center.

First Family News



Sanctuary Flowers

The beautiful flowers are placed in the Sanctuary today in loving memory of Randy Hunter and Shirley Martin by Greg, Cate, Russell, and Richard Hunter.

Expressions of Sympathy

The staff and church family extend sincere Christian love and sympathy to Philip Roberts and family in the loss of his father, Billy Roberts.



SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, October 13th

Ladies Banquet /Conference

Special Speaker: Barbara O'Chester

Inspiring/Uplifting Message for All Ages

Reservations: Call Church Office (242-0484) by 10/10/18

(Donations accepted for conference expenses)

**Annual Deacons Widows /Widowers Banquet
Thursday, November 8th—More details to come**

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 Dingler, 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 Little, 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

Elliott Lenz, Church Accountant

Teresita Carver, Custodial Staff

Helana Bennett, Custodial Staff

Activities Calendar

Sunday, September 23

8:44 a.m. - Praise 8.4.4. Contemporary Service-Family Life Center
 9:45 a.m. - Sunday School/Bible Study
 11:00 a.m. - Traditional Worship Service
 4:00 p.m. - GROW Outreach
 4:30 p.m. - Boy Scouts
 6:00 p.m. - Deacon Ordination

Monday, September 24

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

Tuesday, September 25

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

Wednesday, September 26

4:00 p.m. -Children's Choirs
 5:00 p.m. - Family Night Supper-FLC
 6:00 p.m.-Prayer Service-FLC
 Men's Bible Study
 Ladies Bible Study
 Master's Ringers Rehearsal
 The Gospel Project (Children)
 Impact (Youth)

7:00 p.m. - First Voices Choir Rehearsal
 8:00 p.m. - Ensembles Rehearsal

Thursday, September 27

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

Friday, September 28

9:00 a.m.—Mother's Morning Out

Saturday, September 29

9:00 a.m. - FBC Food Ministry



Extended Session

Sunday, September 23

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

Sunday, September 30

8:30—Beth Howell
 11:00— Sherry Bennett
 Terri Warren
 6:00—Terri Warren

Prayer Room/Visitation Program

Deacons for

Sunday, September 23

Norm Conant
 Jack Williams

Sunday, September 30

Kristen Fielding
 Benny Olliff

Sunday, September 16, 2018

Food Ministry

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

	<u>August YTD 2018</u>	<u>Grand</u>
Totals		
People served ages 0-18:	294 2,327	51,584
People served ages 19-64:	339 2,611	56,242
People served ages 65 & up:	316 2,323	27,824
Total People Served:	949 7,261	134,407
Total Meals Given:	19,407 149,491	2,684,602

**G.R.O.W. Ministry
 Sunday**

September 23 at 4:00 p.m.

Bible Study

Preschool & Children	88
Students	57
College	13
Adults	264
Total Attendance	422

Worship

8:44 Attendance	187
11:00 Attendance	192

6:00 Attendance

Youth	70
Adults	20

Stewardship

Weekly Budget Needs	\$28,690.02
Budget Receipts	\$15,319.99
Under Weekly Needs	\$13,370.03
Budget Needs to Date	\$1,061,530.74
Budget Gifts to Date	\$1,103,494.48
% of Budget Needs to Date	104%

11:00 a.m.

Prelude *Send Me, O Lord with Come Thou Fount* *The Master's Ringers*

Call to Worship *Let There Be Glory and Honor and Praises* *No. 139*

Invocation and Welcome *Dr. Chuck Owens*

Praise and Worship

Crown Him with Many Crowns *No. 304*

Pastoral and Offertory Prayer

Rev. Dennis Massie

Offertory *Jubilate* *The Master's Ringers*

(Children are dismissed to Children's Church.)

Worship Music

Lead On, O King Eternal *No. 659*
He Won the Fight *First Voices*

Today's Message

Dr. Chuck Owens

Invitation

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy *No. 420*
The Family of God *No. 393*

Postlude *Mr. Gunner Chancey*

Deacons 2018-2019 (For the 3 year term)

Clay Browning, Joey Griffin, Mark Howell,
Eric Howington, Jerry Lupo, Keith Martin, Kent
Moore, Travis Pate, Jim Ross and Michael Stephens

Deacon Officers: Sammy James, Chairman

Paul Day, Jr., Vice Chairman

Doug Allums, Secretary

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

Adult Class-*The Miracles in Matthew*

Taught by Benny Olliff
Meets in the Adult Building

Valdosta Kids University (children)

Meets in the Children's Building

Resurge (Youth)

Meets in the Family Life Center
New Series—"Welcome Home"

Coming Events

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

The Moates class is collecting various items for the Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. Please place donations of new or gently used t-shirts and socks in the blue bins located throughout the FBC campus. Thank you!

Desserts Needed for BCM Luncheon

Our WMU will be providing lunch for the Baptist Collegiate Ministry at VSU on Wednesday, October 10. 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 10. Thank you!

Wednesday Night Supper

Family Night Supper, September 26

Menu: Lasagna; Steamed Veggie Medley; Salad; Italian Bread Pizza for Kids

Cost: \$5.00 Ages 4-12

\$7.00— Ages 13 & up; \$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.