

First Baptist Church

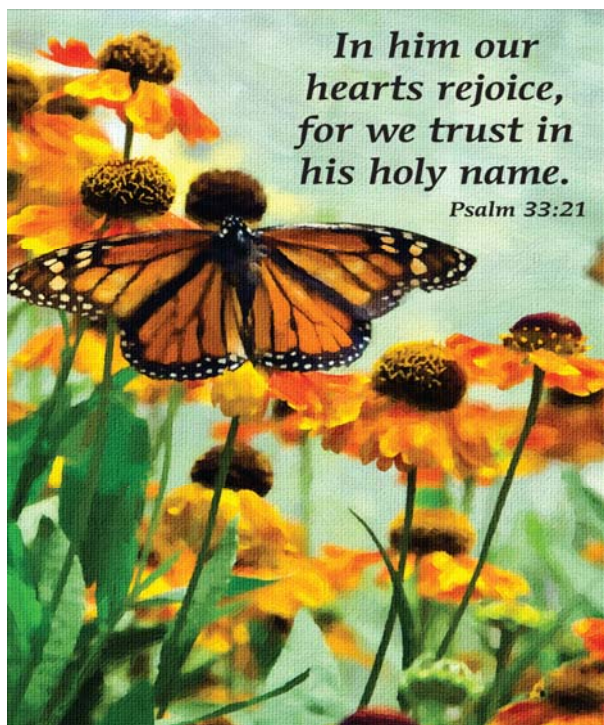
Valdosta, Georgia

# First Family Chimes



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*Sunday, October 7, 2018*  
**Contemporary Service—8:44 a.m.**  
**Morning Worship Service—11:00 a.m.**  
**Sunday Evening Classes—6:00 p.m.**



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*Sunday, October 14, 2018*  
**Contemporary Service—8:44 a.m.**  
**Morning Worship Service—11:00 a.m.**  
**Sunday Evening Classes—6:00 p.m.**

**High Attendance Sunday, October 21**



Dr. Chuck Owens

## Sermon This Sunday

This will be the last Sunday for the series, “We Are the Church.”

### Special Guests

Dr. Harold O’Chester and his wife, Mrs. Barbara O’Chester, will be at First Baptist Church on October 13th and 14th.

Mrs. O’Chester will speak at the Ladies Banquet/Conference on October 13th at 6:00 p.m. Please call the church office (229-242-0484) to register for the banquet.

Dr. O’Chester will be our guest speaker at both services on October 14th . Please plan to attend; you will receive a blessing.



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

**You will have the opportunity to meet our prospective Minister of Children and his family on Saturday, October 20 from 10:00—12:00 in Fellowship Hall. He will give his testimony at both services on Sunday, October 21.**



Rev. Terry Sampson

## Education/Administration Ministry

### Young Adult/Young Couple Class

Begins October 7th at 9:45 a.m. in Fellowship Hall.

On October 14th we will begin a six-week study called "Identity."

Class will be taught by Heather Woolridge.

Breakfast, coffee, drinks will be served.

### Sunday School News

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

**October 21st is High Attendance Sunday.** Please plan on bringing someone with you for this exciting day of Bible study and Worship.

**530 is our attendance goal.** I'm confident we can reach the goal for the glory of the Lord.



Rev. Ron Hatchett

## Music Ministry

Join Us In Choir Each Week

Preschool and Children's Choirs meet each Wednesday at 4:30p.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 to the glory of God and in honor of our ministers.

**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)**



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

**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 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 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, October 7**

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, October 8**

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

**Tuesday, October 9**

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

**Wednesday, October 10**

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, October 11**

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

**Friday, October 12**

9:00 a.m.—Mother's Morning Out

**Saturday, October 13**

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



**Extended Session**

**Sunday, October 7**

8:30—Whitney Robinson  
 Kim Thomas  
 11:00—Susan Bradshaw  
 6:00—Terri Warren

**Sunday, October 14**

8:30—Meredith Adams  
 Alyssa Pate  
 11:00— Scott & Anne Moody  
 Terri Warren  
 6:00 – Terri Warren

**Prayer Room/Visitation Program**

**Sunday, October 7**

Willie Hodgins  
 Gene Felts

**Sunday, October 14**

Brook Bearden  
 Sammy James

**Sunday, September 30, 2018**

**Bible Study**

Preschool & Children 85  
 Students 15  
 College 4  
 Adults 233  
 Total Attendance 337

**Stewardship**

Weekly Budget Needs  
 \$28,690.02  
 Budget Receipts  
 \$17,904.00  
 Under Weekly Needs  
 \$10,786.02

**Worship**

8:44 Attendance 187  
 11:00 Attendance 192  
 6:00 Attendance 65  
 Students 27

Budget Needs to Date  
 \$1,118,910.78  
 Budget Gifts to Date  
 \$1,140,113.81  
 % of Budget Needs  
 to Date 102%

**Food Ministry**

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

	<u>Sept</u>	<u>YTD 2018</u>	<u>Grand</u>
<b><u>Totals</u></b>			
People served ages 0-18:	238	2,565	54,149
People served ages 19-64:	288	2,899	59,141
People served ages 65 & up:	312	2,635	30,459
Total People Served:	838	8,099	142,506
Total Meals Given:	17,274	166,765	2,701,876

11:00 a.m.

Prelude		<i>Mr. Gunner Chancey</i>
Call to Worship	<i>Doxology</i>	<i>No. 668</i>
Invocation and Welcome		<i>Dr. Chuck Owens</i>
<b>Praise and Worship</b>		
<i>Come , Christians, Join to Sing</i>		<i>No.32</i>
Sunday School Perfect Attendance Recognition		<i>Rev. Terry Sampson</i>
<b>Pastoral and Offertory Prayer</b>		
<i>Rev. Dennis Massie</i>		
Offertory		<i>Mr. Gunner Chancey</i>
(Children are dismissed to Children's Church.)		
<b>Worship Music</b>		
<i>Grace Greater than Our Sin</i>		<i>No. 105</i>
<i>Take Up Your Cross</i>		<i>First Voices</i>
<b>Message from God's Word</b>		
<i>Dr. Chuck Owens</i>		
<b>Invitation</b>		
<i>All the Way My Savior Leads Me</i>		<i>No. 474</i>
<i>Doxology</i>		<i>No. 668</i>
Postlude		<i>Mr. Gunner Chancey</i>

**October is Minister Appreciation Month**  
**Please remember our ministers in your prayers and let  
them know how much you appreciate them.**



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

### **Adult Class-*The Parables 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

**Celebration Service** for the 20th Anniversary of our 8:44 Contemporary Service on November 4 at The Family Life Center. Please note the change in the worship schedule for the day:  
Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service at 10:45 a.m.

### **A New Class for Christian Business Leaders and Employees**

Beginning Wednesday, October 10 at 6:00 p.m.

Curt Fowler will be leading this 3-session study Wednesdays in the Fellowship Hall at 6 p.m.

### **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, October 10**

**Menu:** Fried Chicken, Corn on the Cob, Loaded Mashed Potatoes, Field Peas, Salad Bar; Dessert

**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.**