

First Baptist Church

Valdosta, Georgia



First Family Chimes

Love God, Love Others, Love the World



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*Remember
Time
Change
Sunday*

Sunday, March 14, 2021
Contemporary Service—8:44 a.m.
Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
Traditional Service—11:00 a.m.
Worship Arts Ministry—5:45 p.m.
Psalms—6:00 p.m.
Impact—6:00 p.m.

Faithfulness
springs up from the ground, and
righteousness
looks down from the sky.

Psalm 85:11 ESV



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Sunday, March 21, 2021
Contemporary Service—8:44 a.m.
Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
Traditional Service—11:00 a.m.
Worship Arts Ministry—5:45 p.m.
Psalms—6:00 p.m.
Impact—6:00 p.m.



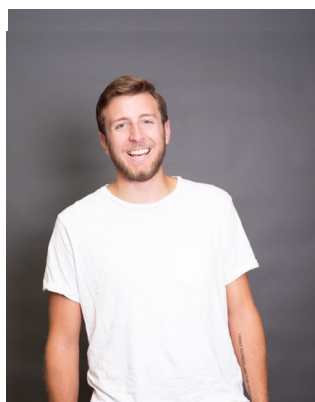
Dr. Chuck Owens

Sermon This Sunday

Message from God's Word
The Raising of Lazarus from the Dead.

The last two sermon series in John

Raising Lazarus
The Resurrection



Thomas Wade

Student/College Ministry

Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
MDWK—Wednesdays—6:30 p.m.
IMPACT—Sunday nights at 6:00- “Total Mental”

The last night of IMPACT in March, the 28th, we are going to have a Q&A night about mental health which all parents are invited to as well. *Thomas*

FRDM Week at Majestic Beach Resort

Panama City Beach, Florida; June 4-8
Cost: \$325 Early Bird\\\$350 After April 4

*This Sunday night after IMPACT, we will have a parent meeting where you can get all the details regarding **FRDM Week**. Students are welcome to attend and receive information about the camp*



Children's Ministry

Don't delay getting your child signed up for [Tempo Camp](#) and [VBS](#). Spaces are filling quickly for both weeks, and I don't want you to miss out. We also need volunteers (adults and teens) for both weeks. *Justin*

TWO SPECIAL EVENTS IN JUNE FOR FBC VALDOSTA KIDS



Justin Devereaux

WAM—Sundays at 5:45 pm

AWANA 2021— Wednesdays at 5:45
Upcoming Special Events:
March 24—Store Night





Rev. Terry Sampson

Education/Administration Ministry

Please Note: During our worship services and Sunday School hand sanitizer and face masks are available throughout the church campus.

We continue to have Sunday School and morning worship services online.
8:44 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Deacon Nominations

During the month of March, we will be accepting Deacon nominations, **which may be placed in the Deacon Ballot/Offering Boxes located in the foyers of the Sanctuary & Family Life Center.** Or, you may bring your nomination form to the church office.

We will observe the Ordinance of the Lord's Supper in both services on Palm Sunday, March 28.



Dr. J. Michael Dennis

Music Ministry

First Voices Choir Practice—Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.

We are in need of additional tech operators (sound and camera) for the 11:00 a.m. service.

Please contact Michael at michael@fbcvaldosta.org if you are interested. Thanks!!



Rev. Mac Weaver

Missions Ministry

We have these dates on our calendar for Mission Teams which will depend on the COVID situation.

1. Church Construction Team to Appleton, Wisconsin to help build a church for Valley Baptist Church: **June 5-12, 2021**
2. Romania Medical/Evangelism/New Church Start Mission Team to Romania: **October 3-13, 2021**
3. Bolivia Pastor's Conference/Children's Ministry in Huasa Iguerania and Aramasi, Bolivia: **November 8-15, 2021**

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering Week of Prayer March 7—March 14

The Week of Prayer for North American missions is annually observed by SBC churches to pray for missionaries, their ministries and their families. Prayer is the fuel for spiritually sustaining missionaries in places where the gospel is greatly needed, but often opposed.

First Family News



Sanctuary Flowers

The beautiful flowers placed in the Sanctuary on Sunday are to the glory of God and in honor of the church staff and church family by Jerry West and family.

Jamie Lynn
Clary

March 13, 1984 - May 1, 2010

In memory and celebration of Jamie's birthday, March 13, 1984, please support our Eleventh Annual "Feed the Hungry" with the First Baptist Church Food Ministry.

Tax-deductible gifts can be made in Jamie's memory to:
First Baptist Church Food Ministry
200 West Central Avenue
Valdosta GA 31601

Staff Anniversary

A special thank you and appreciation to Becky Pritchard for 10 years (March 3) of dedicated service as Pianist at FBC.

Also, to Helana Bennett for 12 years (March 24) of dedicated service as a member of our Custodial Staff.

Church Staff

Dr. Chuck Owens, Senior Pastor

Rev. Terry Sampson, Minister of Education & Administration

Rev. Justin Devereaux, Minister to Children & Families

Mr. Thomas Wade, Minister to Students

Dr. J. Michael Dennis, Minister of Music

Rev. Dennis Massie, Church Pastoral Ministry

Becky Pritchard, Pianist

Cathy Harrison, Wedding Coordinator

Linda Hart, Office Manager

Becky Royals, Church Secretary

Angelia Miller, Food Service Coordinator

Rev. Mac Weaver, Missions Pastor

Caitlin Moore, Organist

Melissa Stephens, Events/Evangelism Coordinator

Terri Warren, Preschool Coordinator

Elliott Lenz, Church Accountant

Teresita Carver, Custodial Staff

Helana Bennett, Custodial Staff

Ministries this Week

Activities Calendar

Sunday, March 7, 2021

8:44 a.m. Contemporary Service
Family Life Center
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Children Zoom Sunday
School
11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship
Sanctuary
5:45 p.m. Worship Arts Ministry
6:00 p.m. IMPACT
6:00 p.m. Evening Classes

Monday, March 8

9:00 a.m. Food Ministry

Tuesday, March 9

9:00 a.m. Mother's Morning Out
12:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study
Fellowship Hall
7:30 p.m. College Bible Study
Fender Hall

Wednesday, March 10

12:00 p.m. Bible Study/Lunch
Family Life Center

5:45 p.m. AWANA
6:30 p.m. MDWK
6:00 p.m. First Voices Rehearsal

Thursday, March 11

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

Friday, March 12

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

Saturday, March 13

9:00 a.m. Food Ministry
9:00 a.m. Lilies Clothing Ministry

Sunday, March 7, 2021

Stewardship

Weekly Budget Needs
\$30,077.62

Budget Receipts
\$46,753.55

(Over) Weekly Needs
\$16,675.93

Budget Needs to Date
\$ 300,776.20

Budget Gifts to Date
\$ 299,085.30

% of Budget Needs
to Date - 99.4%

(These figures are based on
weekly expenses & contributions.)

Bible Study

PreSchool/Children 56
Children Zoom 13
Students 30
Adults 143
Total Attendance 242

Worship

8:44 a.m. 175
11:00 a.m. 123
Total Attendance 298

Evening Worship

WAM 33
Youth 25
Adults 9
Total Attendance 67

Wednesday 3/10/21

Prayer Meeting 28
AWANA 41
Choir 20
Total Attendance 89

Food Ministry

	Feb	YTD 2021	Grand Totals
People served ages 0-18:	87	159	60,945
People served ages 19-64:	108	186	68,651
People served ages 65 & up:	216	416	41,487
Total People Served:	411	751	171,083
Total Meals Given	8,541	15,627	3,611,054

Food Ministry

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



Nursery Schedule

March 14

8:44 a.m. Kim Bolton
Katie Bearden
11:00 a.m. Terri Warren
6:00 p.m. Terri Warren

March 21

8:44 a.m. Amy Shiver
11:00 a.m. Sandra Belue
Terri Warren



Deacon Ministry

March 14

8:44 a.m. Joe Johnson
11:00 a.m. Carroll Griffin

March 21

8:44 a.m. Mike Davis
11:00 a.m. Mark Wisenbaker

Worship Celebrating Christ—The Light of the World
March 14, 2021
11:00 a.m.

We Prepare Our Hearts

Prelude

Caitlin Moore, *Pianist*

We Are Gathered to Worship

Gloria Patri—Hymn 670

Revive Us Again—Hymn 493

Opening Prayer, Welcome & Announcements

Dr. Chuck Owens, Pastor

Jesus What A Friend for Sinners—Hymn 156

We Declare God's Praises

Pastoral Prayer and Intercession

Rev. Terry Sampson

(Children are dismissed to Children's Church)

Special Music

Message from God's Word

Raising of Lazarus

Dr. Chuck Owens

We Respond To The Word

Without Him—Hymn 470

We are Sent Forth to Love God, Love Others, and Love the World

Benediction

Postlude

Lauren Willard, Organist

Sanctuary Flowers

The beautiful flowers placed in the Sanctuary on Sunday are to the glory of God and in honor of the church staff and church family by Jerry West and family.

Sunday Evening Classes

Worship Arts Ministry—5:45 p.m.-7:15 p.m.

Adults—6:00 p.m.

Youth—IMPACT—6:00 p.m.

Sunday Evening Bible Study

Book of Psalms

6:00 p.m.—Outlaw Sunday School Class

Taught by Dr. Chuck Owens and Rev. Benny Olliff

Samaritans Purse Shoebox Ministry

More Information to follow regarding the
Shoebox Mission Project

Sanctuary Flowers

We have openings on the following Sundays to place
flowers in the Sanctuary. Please call the church office
(229-242-0484), if interested in placing flowers in memory
or in honor of someone.

June 13 July 25 August 1 October 10

Wednesday
Noon
Lunch and
Prayer Time

Wednesday Lunch & Prayer Time - March 17

Menu: Chicken & Dumplings, Butter Beans,
Squash Casserole, Salad Bar and Dessert— Donation: \$5.00

**Please make reservations or
cancellations by 11:00 a.m. on Mondays.**