

**First Baptist Church** 

Valdosta, Georgia

## **First Family Chimes**

Love God, Love Others, Love the World



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Sunday, July 2, 2023

Sunday School—9:15AM Worship Service—10:30AM Sanctuary Dr. David Cummings, Guest Speaker No Evening Service



Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD.

Psalm 33:12

Sunday, July 9, 2023

Contemporary Service—8:44AM
Sunday School-9:45AM
Traditional Service-11:00AM
Evening Bible Study-6:00PM



**Dr. Chuck Owens** 

#### **Sermon This Sunday**

#### Message from God's Word

Rev. David Cummings will be bringing the message "Preachers & Beggers" (Acts 2:1-11)

#### **Student Ministry**



Rev. Davis Howell

# FUGE CAMP July 10-15 NORTH GREENVILLE UNIVERSITY Please pray for our group in preparation for FUGE & for safe travels.

IMPORTANT DATES
STUDENT MINISTRY
July 10-15 - FUGE Student Camp
July 17-19 Tempo Kids Camp
(Serving Opportunity)
July 21 Destination Unknown
July 23 Summer Sundays



Rev. Justin Devereaux

#### **Children Ministry**

#### Valdosta Kids July Schedule

July 7-9—Centrikid

July 12—Baptism Class

July 17-19—Tempo Camp

July 23—Summer Sunday

July 20—5th Grade Move Up Party



#### Valdosta Kids August Schedule

August 6—Kindergarten Graduation August 9—AWANA Resumes August 13—WAM Resumes



#### Centrikid

Join us in prayer as 2nd-6th graders embark on a life-changing journey at the Centrikid summer camp from July 7-9 in Mount Vernon, Georgia. Let's seek God's guidance, protection, and blessings for an impactful experience that deepens their faith.



Rev. Terry Sampson

#### **Education/Administration Ministry**

#### **Worship Experience Committee**

Save the date: Sunday, July 16 at 6:00pm. We invite you to Fellowship Hall for an important announcement from the Worship Experience Committee. They will be sharing their recommendation for a new schedule for worship services and Sunday School at First Baptist Church. Your opinion matters, so we encourage you to stay for a discussion and Q&A session. The final vote will be held during a special business conference at the 8:44am and 11:00am services on July 23.



Dr. J. Michael Dennis

#### **Music Ministry**



Rev. Mac Weaver

#### **Missions Ministry**

#### Sunday School Classes We Need Help for Romania Medical Mission September 24– October 4, 2023

You can help by collecting the following items for our Medical Team for Romania: Generic Tylenol, Motrin & Naproxen, Adult & Children's Multivitamin's, Calcium, Antacids, Iron Pills. We really need Topical Pain/Arthritis Creams.

Also, needed for the Romania Misson Team is Reading Glasses in the following number of Pairs and Strengths.

#### We need more of the higher strengths.

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50 pairs at -1.00	70 pairs at $-3.00$
50 pairs at -1.25	70 pairs at –3.50
50 pairs at -1.75	70 pairs at $-3.75$
50 pairs at –2.00	70 pairs at –4.00
50 pairs at –2.25	70 pairs at –4.25
50 pairs at –2.50	50 pairs at -4.50

#### **First Family News**



#### **Sanctuary Flowers**

The flowers placed in the sanctuary are given by Glenn and Dorothy Walden to the glory of God and in memory of those who have given their service even unto their lives to protect our freedom and in honor of those who serve today.

#### **Sympathy**

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to Norm and Barbara Conant and family in the death of Barbara's sister.

We also extend our Christian love and sympathy to John Dent and family in the death of Ellen Dent.

#### **Church Staff**

Rev. Dr. Chuck Owens, Senior Pastor

Rev. Terry Sampson, Minister of Education & Administration

Rev. Justin Devereaux, Minister to Children & Families

Rev. Davis Howell, Student Minister

Rev. Adam Setser, Minister to Young Adults

Rev. Mac Weaver, Missions Pastor

Rev. Dr. J. Michael Dennis, Minister of Music

Rev. Dennis Massie, Church Pastoral Ministry

Elliott Lenz, Church Accountant Cathy Harrison, Wedding Coordinator

Linda Hart, Office Manager Becky Royals, Church Secretary

Melissa Stephens, Events/Evangelism Coordinator

Terri Warren, Preschool Coordinator

Caitlin Moore, Pianist

Teresita Carver, Custodial Staff Helana Bennett, Custodial Staff

Angelia Miller, Food Service Coordinator

#### Ministries this Week

#### Activities Calendar

Sunday, July 2

8:44am Contemporary Service

(Family Life Center)

Sunday School 9:45am 11:00am Traditional Service

6:00pm Bible Study

Monday, July 3

9:00am Food Ministry

Church Office Closed

Tuesday, July 4 Church Office Closed

Wednesday, July 5

No Wednesday Activities

Thursday, July 6

No Mother's Morning Out

Saturday, July 8

9:00am Food Ministry

9:00am Lilies Clothing Ministry

Church Office will be closed on July 3 and July 4 in celebration of Independence Day.

#### **Sunday, June 25, 2023**

Stewardship

Weekly Budget Needs \$ 33,106.04

**Budget Receipts** \$ 23,880.33

(Under) Weekly Needs

\$ 9,225.71

Budget Needs to Date \$ 860,757.04

Budget Gifts to Date \$ 769,041.77

% of Budget Needs to Date -89.3%

(These figures are based on weekly

expenses & contributions.)

**Bible Study** PreSchool/Children Students

37 Adults 182 Online 10

64

293

Total Attendance

**Worship Service** 

Contemporary 233 Traditional 169 **Total Attendance** 402

#### Wednesday, June 28

**Prayer Meeting** 

#### **Food Ministry**

	May	YTD 2023	<b>Grand Totals</b>
People served ages 0-18:	96	425	63,222
People served ages 19-64:	157	656	71,651
People served ages 65 & up:	205	973	47,137
Total People Served:	458	2,054	182,010
Total Meals Given:	9,264	41,496	3,806,063



#### **Deacon Schedule**

July 2

**One Service** 

10:30am Chris Chastain

Benny Olliff

July 9

8:44am Paul Day, Jr 11:00am Sammy James



#### **Nursery Schedule**

July 2 **One Service** 

10:30am Beth Howell

Sherry Bennett

July 9

8:44am Meredith Adams

Alyssa Pate

Carol Wisenbaker 11:00am

# Worship Celebrating Christ—The Light of the World July 2, 2023 10:30AM

#### Prayer, Welcome, Announcements Rev. Terry Sampson Call to Worship......1 Timothy 6:11-14 NLT 1Timothy 6:11-14 NLT (During Intro to King of Kings) Kind Of Kings.....(See Insert in Chimes) *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*......Hymn 152 **Presenting the Colors Intercessory and Offertory Prayer** (Children will remain in Sanctuary) God Bless The USA......First Voices Patrick Hill, Soloist "Preachers & Beggars" (Acts 2:1-11) Rev. David Cummings Invitation I Surrender All......Hymn 433 **Benediction** (Benevolent Offering will be received following the Service)



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### **Sunday Evening Classes No Sunday Night Activities**

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Sunday Night Adult Bible Study— No Sunday Night Activities

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First Baptist Church offers online giving options for members and guests which can be found on our church Website or by using the Scan code which can also be used for Visitors' Information,
Prayer Requests, Campus Map.





If you would like to receive the "Chimes" by email, please contact the church office (229-242-0484). Also, if you have had a recent change in your address and/or email, please contact the office so we can change your information. Thanks.