



First Baptist Church

Valdosta, Georgia

First Family Chimes

Love God, Love Others, Love the World

Sunday, July 16, 2023

Contemporary Service—8:44AM

Sunday School-9:45AM

Traditional Service-11:00AM

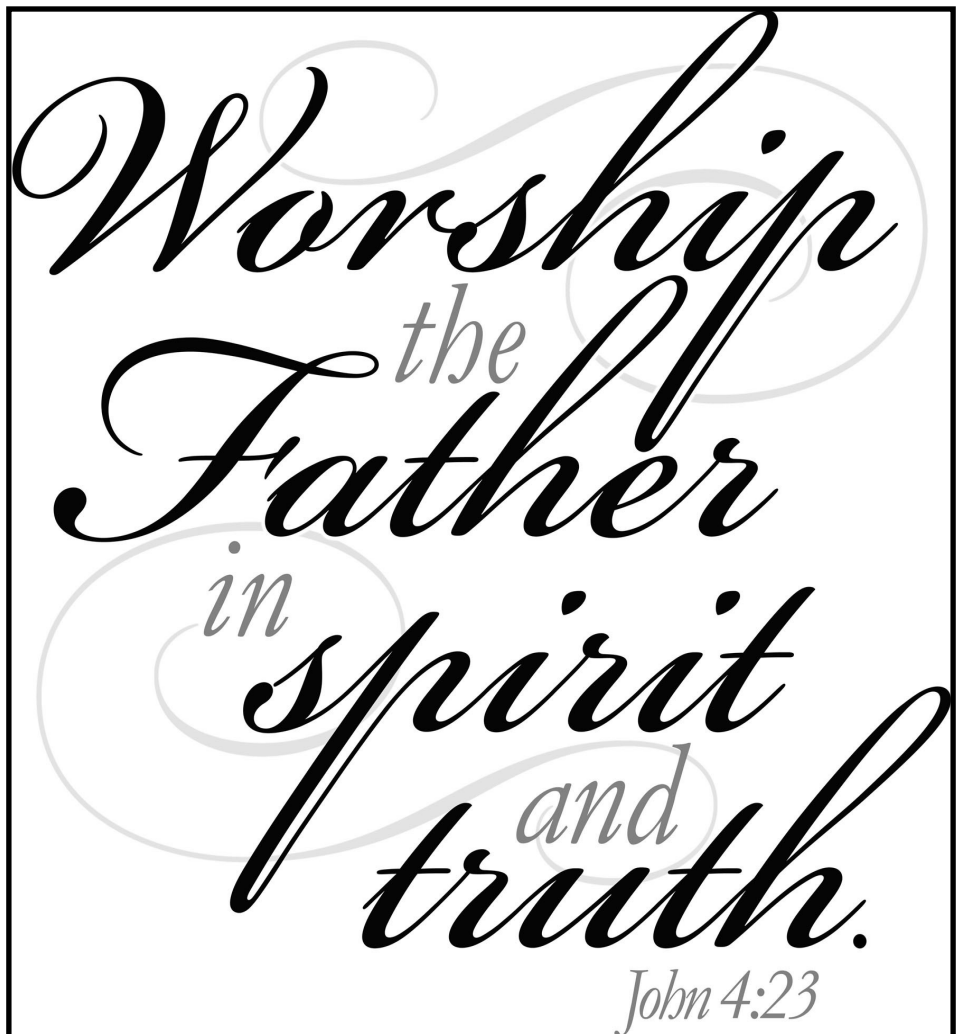
Worship Experience Committee Report
6:00PM in Fellowship Hall



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Dr. Chuck Owens

Sermon This Sunday

Message from God's Word



Rev. Davis Howell

Student Ministry

IMPORTANT DATES FOR STUDENT MINISTRY

- July 17-19 Tempo Kids Camp (Serving Opportunity)
- July 21 Destination Unknown
 - July 23 Summer Sundays
- July 24-27 Colab Week (formerly IMPACT)
- July 30 5th Grade Parent Meeting during SS
- July 30 Middle School Move Up Party
 - August 2 Destination Unknown
 - August 6 Promotion Sunday
 - August 9 MDWK is back
- August 13 Sunday Night Services Launch

Children Ministry



Rev. Justin Devereaux



This is for children that finished Kindergarten and are beginning 1st Grade in August. If your child would like to participate, please contact Justin at justin@fbcvaldosta.org.

Valdosta Kids July Schedule

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



Rev. Terry Sampson

Education/Administration Ministry

Worship Experience Committee

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Dr. J. Michael Dennis

Music Ministry

A special welcome to **Dr. Kenneth Hutchinson**, who is now the organist at First Baptist Church. We are so thankful that he is joining us at FBC.
WELCOME Dr. Hutchinson!!



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.

First Family News



Sanctuary Flowers

Wes and Genie Krivanek placed the beautiful flowers in the Sanctuary to the glory of God and in celebration of their wedding anniversary on July 12 and for twenty-six years of joy and love.

Prayer Ministry

On July 30 at 10:00am in Langdale Chapel, there will be an organizational meeting for those interested in being part of the prayer ministry at First Baptist Church. We look forward to you joining us on July 30.

Charlotte Ford and Jenny Johnson

July Staff Anniversaries

A special thank you to the following for their years of dedication to First Baptist Church:

Rev. Davis Howell—Minister to Students—July 3—One year

Rev. Terry Sampson—Minister Education & Administration
July 9—Six years

Rev. Michael Dennis—Minister of Music—July 14—Three years

Mrs. Teresita Carver—Custodial—July 31—Twenty-two years

Church Staff

Rev. Dr. Chuck Owens, Senior Pastor

Rev. Terry Sampson, Minister of Education & Administration

Rev. Justin Devereaux, Minister to Children & Families

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

Rev. Davis Howell, Student Minister

Rev. Adam Setser, Minister to Young Adults

Rev. Mac Weaver, Missions Pastor

Rev. Dennis Massie, Church Pastoral Ministry

Elliott Lenz, Church Accountant

Linda Hart, Office Manager

Becky Royals, Church Secretary

Cathy Harrison, Wedding Coordinator

Melissa Stephens, Events/Evangelism Coordinator

Caitlin Moore, Pianist

Dr. Kenneth Hutchinson, Organist

Terri Warren, Preschool Coordinator

Teresita Carver, Custodial Staff

Helana Bennett, Custodial Staff

Angelia Miller, Food Service Coordinator

Ministries this Week

Activities Calendar

Sunday, July 16
 8:44am Contemporary Service
 Family Life Center
 9:45am Sunday School
 Bible Study
 11:00am Traditional Service
 Sanctuary
 6:00pm Worship Experience
 Committee Report
 Fellowship Hall

Monday, July 17
 9:00am Food Ministry
 Lilies Clothing Ministry

Tuesday, July 18
 9:00am Mother's Morning Out
 6:30pm Choir Practice

Wednesday, July 19
 12:00pm Prayer Meeting/Lunch
 Family Life Center

Thursday, July 20
 9:00am Mother's Morning Out

Saturday, July 22
 9:00am Food Ministry

Lilies Clothing Ministry

Will be open on Monday,
 July 17-9:00am-11:45am
 Boys Clothes are needed in

Wednesday, July 12

Prayer Meeting 36
 Choir Practice (Tuesday) 17

Sunday, July 9, 2023

Stewardship

Weekly Budget Needs
 \$ 33,106.04
 Budget Receipts
 \$ 36,399.31
 (Over) Weekly Needs
 \$ 3,293.27
 Budget Needs to Date
 \$ 929,969.12
 Budget Gifts to Date
 \$ 843,571.22
 % of Budget Needs
 to Date -91%

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

Bible Study

PreSchool/Children	42
Students	35
Adults	171
Online	10
Total Attendance	258

Worship Service

8:44am	185
11:00am	125
6:00pm (Bible Study)	18

Food Ministry

	June	YTD 2023	Grand Totals
People served ages 0-18:	117	542	63,339
People served ages 19-64:	152	808	71,803
People served ages 65 & up:	212	1,185	47,349
Total People Served:	481	2,535	182,491
Total Meals Given:	9,777	51,273	3,815,840



Deacon Ministry

Deacon Schedule

July 16

8:44am Greg Hunter
 11:00am John Gayle

July 23

8:44am Jeff Sikes
 11:00am Glenn Walden



Nursery Schedule

July 16

8:44am Ashley Fletcher
 Kelly Shiver

11:00am Meredith Moon

July 23

8:44am Jenny Sikes
 Ashley Barker

Worship Celebrating Christ—The Light of the World
July 16, 2023
11:00AM

Prelude

Call to Worship.....Psalm 48:9-14 ESV

All The Way My Savior Leads Me.....Hymn 474

Opening Prayer, Welcome, Announcements

Dr. Chuck Owens

Nothing But The Blood.....Hymn 223

How Deep The Father's Love For Us.....Hymn 101

“Heal Our Land” (Introduction by Charlotte Ford)
Sarah Grace Harrison, Lana Dennis, Michael Dennis

Chorus:

Spirit of God, breathe on Your church,
Pour out Your presence, speak through Your word.
We pray in every nation, Christ be known.
Our hope and salvation, Christ alone.

Intercessory and Offertory Prayer

Rev. Mac Weaver

Offertory

(Children are invited to attend Children's Church)

His Life For Mine.....*First Voices*

Message from God's Word

Dr. Chuck Owens

Invitation

Lord I Need You..... **(Chorus lyrics)**

Lord, I need You. Oh, I need You.
Every hour I need You.
My one defense, my righteousness
Oh God, how I need You.

Benediction



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Sunday Evening Classes

Bible Study—6:00PM

Sunday Night Bible Study

Benny Olliff will lead in a study in Titus
Harrell Sunday School Classroom @ 6:00pm

Men's Bible Study

Beginning August 6, Pastor Chuck will conduct a Bible study
for men. More information to follow.

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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.



Prayer Meeting -July 19/Wednesday Noon Lunch
Menu: Chicken Tenders, 7 Layered Salad, Fruit, Salad, Dessert- Donation—\$7.00



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.