

**First Baptist Church** 

Valdosta, Georgia

# **First Family Chimes**

Love God, Love Others, Love the World

Sunday, February 18, 2024
Sunday School/Bible Study—9:15AM
Contemporary Worship
Family Life Center—10:30AM
Traditional Worship Sanctuary—10:30AM
Evening Bible Study—6:00PM



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Welcome to First Baptist Church We are so glad that you have chosen to join us today as we worship the Lord together.



**Dr. Chuck Owens** 

## **Sermon This Sunday**

### Message from God's Word

Rev. Justin Devereaux will lead the worship service at the Family Life Center.



Rev. Davis Howell

## **Student Ministry**

#### **DNOW 2024 March 1-3**

Open to all 6th-12th graders- Registration fee is \$80 Volunteers needed:

Host Homes—Students will stay at your home for the weekend, usually 1 or 2 grades depending on number of students.

Drivers—Available to drive students to the host homes on Friday night, church & events on Saturday, church on Sunday.

Food Servers—Help serving meals for Friday dinner, Saturday lunch and dinner and Sunday breakfast. You can help with all meals or just one meal.

**Registration**—Need 2-4 people on Friday from 4:30-6:00 to register students.

**General Volunteer**—Assist where needed. Please email or text Davis at 229-454-5525 if you can help.

FUGE is our big student summer camp! It is open to any student who has completed 6th-12th grade! FUGE will be July 8th-13th at North Greenville University in South Carolina. The total cost for FUGE is \$380.

All our sign ups and future sign ups can be found here: https://linktr.ee/fbcvstudents



Rev. Justin Devereaux

# **Children Ministry**

Worship Arts Ministry (WAM) Sundays at 5:45pm

AWANA is on Wednesdays at 6:00 PM

#### **CentriKids 2024** Friday, June 14-16, 2024

Centrikid at Lake Yale Conference Center, Leesburg, FL This is a summer camp for all kids that have finished 3rd-6th grade by June 2024. Registration is open for Centrikid. A non-refundable deposit is due February 13 to secure a spot.



**Rev. Terry Sampson** 

# **Education/Administration Ministry**

#### **Ladies' Sunday Night Bible Study**

Norma Jean Johnson is leading a Bible study entitled, "Mothers and Daughters of the Bible Speak." Location: Adult 2 Ladies Classroom, 6:00PM

#### Study in Isaiah

Benny Olliff is leading a study in Isaiah at 6:00pm. The class is meeting in the Olliff/Moore Sunday School Classroom



Dr. J. Michael Dennis

# **Music Ministry**

### **Corporate Worship**

A five week study led by J. Michael Dennis and Nathan Moates. 6:00PM in the Harrell Sunday School Classroom.



Rev. Mac Weaver

# **Missions Ministry**

Please continue to pray for the missions that are sponsored by First Baptist Church—at home and international.

# **First Family News**



#### Sanctuary Flowers

The flowers are placed in the Sanctuary by Susan Mullis to the glory of God and in loving memory of her sister, Helen Denise Altman Lombardi.

Please welcome Terry and Brenda Daniel as new members of First Baptist Church.



#### **Prayer Ministry**

During the month of February, the First Baptist Church prayer team will be praying our church's motto: "Love God, Love Others, Love the World".

We would like for you to join us in this prayer for our church.

"There have been revivals without much preaching; there have been revivals with absolutely no organization, but there has never been a mighty revival without might praying."

#### **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

Nolan Brown, Praise & Worship Leader

Linda Hart, Office Manager

Becky Royals, Church Secretary

Cathy Harrison, Wedding Coordinator

Melissa Stephens, Events/Evangelism Coordinator

Elliott Lenz, Church Accountant

Caitlin Moore, Pianist

Dr. Kenneth Hutchinson, Organist

Terri Warren, Preschool Coordinator

Teresita Carver, Custodial Staff

Helana Bennett, Custodial Staff

Angelia Miller, Food Service Coordinator

CeCe Little, Food Service Assistant

### Ministries this Week

| Activ             | rities Calendar                            |
|-------------------|--|
| Sunday            | February 18                                |
| 9:15am            | Sunday School                              |
| 10:30am           | Contemporary Worship<br>Family Life Center |
| 10:30am           | Traditional Worship Sanctuary              |
| 6:00pm            | Bible Study                                |
| Monday            | February 19                                |
| 9:00am            | Food Ministry                              |
| 9:00am            | Lilies Clothing Ministry                   |
| Tuesday           | February 20                                |
| 9:00am            | Mother's Morning Out                       |
| Wednesda          | y February 21                              |
| 12:00 Nooi        | n Prayer Meeting/Lunch                     |
|                   | Family Life Center                         |
| 5:15pm            | Supper                                     |
| 6:00pm            | AWANA                                      |
| 6:00pm            | MDWK                                       |
| 6:00pm            | Choir Practice                             |
| Thursday<br>9:00a | February 22<br>Mother's Morning Out        |
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February 24

Food Ministry

Saturday

9:00am

| PreSchool/Children | 57  |
|--------------------|-----|
| Students           | 55  |
| Adults             | 210 |
| Online             | 10  |
| Total Attendance   | 332 |
|                    |     |

**Bible Study** 

Sunday, February 11, 2024

| Worship Services   |     |
|--------------------|-----|
| Family Life Center | 255 |
| Sanctuary          | 172 |
| Children Church    | 67  |
| Total Attendance   | 484 |

| <b>Evening Classes</b> |    |
|------------------------|----|
| Adult Bible Study      | 29 |

| Night to Shine | 921 |
|----------------|-----|
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| Wednesday, Febru | <u>ary 14</u> |
|------------------|---------------|
| Prayer Meeting   | 94            |
| AWANA            | 49            |
| Students         | 15            |
| Choir Practice   | 21            |
| Total Attendance | 179           |

### Stewardship

Weekly Budget Needs
\$ 39,376.83
Budget Receipts
\$ 32,258.33
(Under) Weekly Needs
\$ 7,118.50
Budget Needs to Date
\$ 204,940.68
Budget Gifts to Date
\$ 176,773.06
% of Budget Needs
to Date—86%

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

### **Food Ministry**

| Ja                          | nuary | YTD 2024 | <b>Grand Totals</b> |
|-----------------------------|-------|----------|---------------------|
| People served ages 0-18:    | 77    | 1,168    | 63,965              |
| People served ages 19-64:   | 138   | 1,871    | 72,869              |
| People served ages 65 & up: | 194   | 2,533    | 48,697              |
| Total People Served:        | 409   | 5,572    | 185,531             |
| Total Meals Given:          | 8,157 | 112,780  | 3,876,938           |



#### **Deacon Schedule February 18**

Travis Pate—FLC
Jim Clary—Sanctuary
February 25
Mark Howell—FLC
Jerry Lupo—Sanctuary



### Nursery Schedule February 18

Meredith Adams
Alyssa Pate
Carol Wisenbaker
February 25

Ashley Fielding, Kelly Shiver, Meredith Moon

# Worship Celebrating Christ—The Light of the World February 18, 2024 10:30AM—Sanctuary

| PreludeDr. Kenneth Hutchinson, Organ                                 |
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| Call To Worship  |
| "Sometimes It Takes A Mountain"<br>Dr. J. Michael Dennis and Friends |
| Blessed AssuranceHymn 446  |
| Opening Prayer & Welcome   |
| The Solid RockHymn 511   |
| Psalm 25:1-10 CSB  |
| He Leadeth Me! O Blessed ThoughtHymn 81                              |
| Who Can Satisfy My Soul Like You?Hymn 507                            |
| Intercessory PrayerRev. Mac Weaver                                   |
| Offertory  |
| Thou Oh LordFirst Voices Rev. Ron Hatchett, Guest Conductor          |
| Message From God's Word<br>Dr. Chuck Owens<br>John 1:19-28           |
| Invitation 'Tis So Sweet To Trust in JesusHymn 502                   |

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### **Sunday Evening Classes**

Worship Arts Ministry—5:45PM Sunday Night Students—6:00PM Adult Bible Study—6:00PM

# Contemporary Service 10:30 AM Family Life Center

Glorious Day

### Host/Offering

Same God

Great Are you Lord

#### Prayer

#### Message From God's Word Rev. Justin Devereaux

John 1:19-28

Response Song

#### **Sons of Jubal In Concert**

We will travel to First Baptist Church, Tifton, Georgia on Thursday, March 7, to attend the Sons of Jubal Concert. If you are interested in going, please call the church office (229-242-0484) for reservations. We plan to take a church bus and will leave FBC parking lot at 3:00. We plan to eat dinner in Tifton prior to the concert.



#### Wednesday, February 21, Prayer Meeting/Lunch

Family Life Center—12:00 Noon Menu: Fried Fish, Grits, Cole Slaw, Hushpuppies, Salad Bar, Dessert. Donation: \$8.00

Wednesday Night Supper, February 21
Family Life Center—5:45PM
Menu: Pizza, Corn, Fruit, Tossed Salad
Cost-\$5.00. Family Limit—\$20.00

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.

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.

