

Welcome to First Baptist Church

Whatever your need, whatever your reason, **welcome** to First Baptist Church of Guntersville. We know that He has a purpose for bringing you on this special day, to this special place. We hope you feel a genuine (**welcome**) as you share with us in this worship experience. As a church family, we have a clear vision of what God wants this fellowship to do: **“to know Christ and to make Him known.”** True worship is our spiritual priority and loving people is our spiritual privilege.

» Please complete the **guest information card**, located in the front of your pew, and place it in the offering plate when it is passed during the offering time. We will respect the personal nature of the information that you share.

» **CDs** are available of this morning's message. You may obtain a copy by contacting the Church Office.

» If you have made a **personal commitment** to God regarding your relationship with Him and/or this church, we encourage you to come forward during the **invitation** following the message to share this decision with our church family.

» Our **offering** time is an extension of our worship. As our guest, you are welcome to worship with an offering, but please do not feel obligated.

» Should you **need help**, please see one of our ushers. They're ready to help you or get whatever help you may need.

» **Wednesday evening** activities begin with Family Supper at 5:00 p.m. and Bible Study/prayer service for adults at 6:30. A variety of activities are provided for children & students as well.

HOW TO JOIN OUR CHURCH FAMILY

By Baptism: For one who has accepted Jesus as Lord and Savior and desires to obey Christ by being baptized by immersion.

By Letter: For one who is saved, has been baptized by immersion after being saved and is a member in good standing of another Baptist church.

By Statement: For one who has been saved and baptized by immersion after being saved, but is not a member of another Baptist church.

Come forward during the invitation at the end of the worship service and tell the pastor that you want to become a member of FBCG, and we will take care of the rest.

Contemporary Worship - 8:15 a.m.

Worship Song—*This Is Amazing Grace*

Worship Song—*I Speak Jesus*

Welcome to our Guests

Worship Song—*Not For A Moment*

Offering

Worship Song—*Because of Christ*

Message

Invitational Hymn—*Come As You Are*

Announcements

Song of Celebration—*Celebrate Jesus*



Traditional Worship - 10:30 a.m.

Prelude

Congregational Praise—*Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing (#11)*

Welcome to our Guests

Choral Message—*Pray Now*—Sanctuary Choir

Congregational Praise—*Bring Your Cares To Jesus*

Prayer Focus

Offertory Hymn—*What a Friend We Have in Jesus (#630)*

Offertory—*Magnificent Grace*—The FBC Pickers

Special Music—*I Felt Your Prayers*—The FBC Pickers

Message—Paul Murphy

Invitational Hymn—*Amazing Grace! How Sweet the Sound (#343)*

Announcements

Song of Celebration—*I'll Fly Away (#779)*

Postlude

-USHERS-

July 10

Buddy Bunch	Gideon Ewing
Ronnie Opolka	Bruce Snider
Charles Spann	Matt Taylor
Mike Thigpen	Don Watson

July 17

Steve Crosthwait	Sammy Harris
Eddie Hinote	Benny Hyatt
Sam Lewis	Van Reid
John Roper	Larry Stoner



WEEKLY NEWS AND INFORMATION

July 10, 2022



“Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done.”

-Philippians 4:6 NLT



At FBC, we are on a journey to LOVE GUNTERSVILLE! Our goal is to share the love of Jesus throughout our community both through word and deed. We hope you will join with us as we seek to make the gospel known.

How can you LOVE GUNTERSVILLE today?



Mary Jo Maples to Speak

Our own Mary Jo Maples will be the speaker for Women on Mission, Thursday July 14, at 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We will have a legacy program as Mary Jo asks the question: "Who will get Grandma's Yellow Pie Plate?" Come for fun, fellowship and inspiration and stay for a light lunch and more fellowship. For all who would like to----- bring some family collectible or heirloom and take about 30 seconds to tell why your collectible is so special to you.



Also, don't forget beans and rice for Ghana. Collection bins located in the hallway outside the library and in the fellowship hall.



On behalf of Mary Hinote, WMU Mission Coordinator, thank you for participating in the Marshall Baptist Association's Back to School Mission Project. It was a HUGE success. Special thanks to Faye DeBerry for helping coordinate the project. Thanks to you, we were able to contribute around \$3,100 toward school supplies for foster children.

MATURE ADULT NEWS

- **Salad/Ice Cream**—THIS Tuesday, July 12 @ 5:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall—Sign up outside the church office and *bring a salad*.
- **OASIS 2022**—Thursday, July 28 - 1:30 pm—First Baptist, Trussville—Frank Jones, host; Guy Penrod, award-winning artist; and Mickey Bell, comedian—Bus leaves church @ 9:15AM—Lunch in Trussville prior to the event—Please sign up outside church office (*complimentary tickets provided for the first 15 people to sign up*)

YOUTH NEWS

Sign up for each event in the youth building

- July 13: Stars and Strikes & Pizza—\$20—leave church at 4:30
- July 20: Lake/Pool Day at Jean Ann Scott's House
- July 30: Paint Ball 10:00/You are Worthy Conference 4:00
- August 3: Back to School Bash at Gunter's Landing—5:30-7:30
- August 5-6: FCA Back to School Weekend—register at northala-bamafca.org

Deacons' Meeting Wednesday July 13 @ 6:00pm

MAN UP Men's Ministry Kickoff

When: Saturday, August 27th, 2022

Time: 4:00PM-7:00PM

Where: Guntersville First Baptist

Who: Men high school age and older

Details: On August 27th, we will be kicking off our new men's ministry program, Man Up. We will kickoff the night by tailgating in the church parking lot and Fellowship Hall where we will have delicious BBQ, sides, and some of your favorite tailgating games. Then we will transition to the sanctuary where we will have worship and welcome our guest speaker Brodie Croyle, former University of Alabama quarterback and President and CEO of Big Oak Ranch. This is a ticketed event. Tickets cost \$10 and will first be made available to the men of Guntersville First Baptist and their guests. Tickets can be purchased outside the sanctuary on Sunday mornings or by contacting the church office.



Please join us for a
Bridal Tea
in honor of
Macy Patterson
Bride of Cody Glover
Sunday July 17, 2022 | 12-2 PM
FBC Fellowship Hall

Registered at Target, Amazon, and Anthropologie
theknot.com/macy-cody

Book Reviews by Billie

Available in your church library:

We Knew We Were In for a Long Day edited by Bill Yancy

O.D. Tulley, a former member and teacher in our church, kept a journal of his survival and experience as a prisoner of war in the 1940s. When his bomber was shot down he said, "We knew we were in for a long day." This is a true account of the crash and life as a POW as told by 5 of the 9 survivors.

In a 1998 speech Tulley said, "If we'll just commit to be the best person we can be—a good Christian citizen—then we will make an impact and get this country headed back to where our founding fathers started out from." Tulley and his fellow airmen left us a legacy. The courage they displayed is typical of what is now called the Greatest Generation. Read the real story of survival by the survivors.



CHECK IT OUT



YOU BELONG @ FIRST

this week @ fbc
week of July 10, 2022

Sunday

Contemporary Worship 8:15 am
Sunday School 9:15 am
Traditional Worship 10:30 am

The staff is ready to help you in any way possible. If you would like prayer, an answer to a question, or personal ministry, please give one of these caring Christian leaders a call. They're ready to make a difference in your life!

Wednesday

Family Night Supper (August—May) 5:00 pm
Ensemble Rehearsal 5:45 pm
Deacons Meeting 6:00 pm
Library Opens 6:00 pm
Family Nights 6:00 pm
Youth Worship 6:30 pm
Prayer Service Adults 6:30 pm
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal 7:00 pm
Praise Team Rehearsal 8:00 pm

CHURCH OFFICE: 582-5141

Joel Samuels, Pastor ext 102
Paul Murphy, Associate Pastor ext 107
Micah Gilmore, Children's Minister ext 104
Ken Patterson, Minister of Music ext 108
Amy Fondren, Financial Secretary ext 101
Karen Fancher, Secretary ext 100

Our people came – 07/03/22

FBC SS Total 222
Contemporary Service 153
Traditional Service 103

Our people gave –07/01-07/06

Undesignated \$ 28,589.00
Savings \$ 470.00
Other Designated \$ 855.00
TOTAL \$ 29,914.00



Will resume in the fall!

SECURITY VOLUNTEERS

July 10—Matt Taylor, Taft Reeves, Ray Forrester, Chris Stanley
July 13—Greg Smith, Tim Couch
July 17—Kevin Lee, Kevin Hawk, Amy Hawk, Ed Marsh
July 20—Steve Stricklin, Scott Gray