

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—*Battle Belongs*

Worship Song—*Goodness of God*

Welcome and Fellowship

Worship Song—*The Blessing*

Offering

Worship Song—*I Speak Jesus*

Message—*Joel Samuels*

Invitational Hymn—*The Family Prayer Song*

Announcements

Song of Celebration—*Honey in the Rock*



Traditional Worship – 10:30 a.m.

Prelude

Call to Worship—*Boundless Love*—Sanctuary Choir

Congregational Praise—*0 Worship the King (#104)*

Welcome and Fellowship

Congregational Praise—*Jehovah-Jireh (#716)*

Choral Message—*Pray Now*—Sanctuary Choir

Offertory Hymn—*God, Give Us Christian Homes (#457)*

Offertory

Congregational Praise—*The Family Prayer Song (#454)*

Message—*Joel Samuels*

Invitational Hymn—*The Family Prayer Song (#454)*

Announcements

Song of Celebration—*He Is Jehovah (#715)*

Postlude

-USHERS-

October 9

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

October 16

Adam Bunch	Bill Cain
Tony Cornelius	Gary Gray
Eddie Hinote	David McPeters
Tom Parsley	Don Watson



WEEKLY NEWS AND INFORMATION

October 9, 2022



“Honor your father and mother. Then you will live a long, full life in the land the Lord your God is giving you.”

—Exodus 20:12; 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?

Thanksgiving Outreach

We have been invited to partner with Guntersville First Methodist Church in providing around 1700 Thanksgiving Day meals to our community. There will be many opportunities to LOVE GUNTERSVILLE by serving on Monday through Thursday of Thanksgiving week. In addition to on-site service opportunities, we need 9"x13" cakes for dessert.



If you are interested in helping during the week of Thanksgiving, or if you will provide a cake for dessert, please call the church office ASAP and let Karen know so that we can give the coordinators at First Methodist an idea of how much help First Baptist can provide.



MATURE ADULT NEWS



Upcoming Events:
 Scott's Apple Orchard/
 Posey's Restaurant
 October 20 @ 9am
 Please sign up.

Wednesday, October 12 Schedule, Due to Fall Break

- **No Wednesday night supper**
- **No Children's Activities**
- **No Prayer Meeting**
- **No Youth Worship**
- **Yes Ensemble Rehearsal @ 6:15**
- **Yes Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal @ 7:00**
- **Yes Multigenerational Christmas Choir Rehearsal @ 7:45**
- **Yes Praise Team Rehearsal @ 8:15**

Wednesday Night Bible Study

- *Beginning* October 5 @ 6pm
- Room 233
- led by Dee Roper and Billie Spann
- Drive Thru History: Acts to Revelation

Explore the amazing lives of the very first Christians. Beginning in Jerusalem and using the Book of Acts as a road map, we'll join Dave Stotts as he travels the Mediterranean region to share the people, places, and events that launched the Christian faith.

SECURITY VOLUNTEERS

- October 9**—Fred Bain, Kevin Hawk, Amy Hawk, Taft Reeves
- October 12**— Steve Stricklin, Scott Gray
- October 16**—Matt Taylor, Ed Marsh, Ray Forrester, Chris Stanley
- October 19**—Sally Campbell, Blake Campbell

YOU BELONG @ FIRST

this week @ fbc
week of October 9, 2022

Sunday

Contemporary Worship	8:15 am
Preschool Service	8:15 am
Kids Church	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

Fellowship before Discipleship	5:00 pm
(August—May)	
Library Opens	6:00 pm
Children's Activities	6:00 pm
Ensemble Rehearsal	6:15 pm
Youth Worship	6:30 pm
Prayer Meeting	6:30 pm
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:00 pm
Multigenerational Rehearsal	7:45 pm
Praise Team Rehearsal	8:15 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 – 10/02/22

FBC SS Total	275
Contemporary Service	187
Traditional Service	104

Our people gave – 10/01-10/03

Undesignated	\$ 11,151.00
Savings	\$ —
Other Designated	\$ 588.00
TOTAL	\$ 11,739.00

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MENU

Doors Open at 5:00 pm

Adult Meal	\$ 5.00
Kid's Meal (PB&J)	\$ 2.50
Family Cap	\$15.00

October 12, 2022

No WNS

Fall Break

