Welcome to First Baptist Church

Whatever your need, whatever your reason, **welcome** to First Baptist Church of Guntersville. We know that God 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—Firm Foundation (He Won't) Welcome to Guests Sanctity of Human Life—Mark Sheffer Worship Song—Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me Offering Worship Song—Come Jesus Come Message—Joel Samuels Invitational Hymn—Firm Foundation (He Won't) Announcements Song of Celebration—Shout to the Lord

Love Me, Love Others... -God

Traditional Worship – 10:30 a.m. Prelude Call to Worship—I Stand In Awe—Sanctuary Choir Congregational Praise—Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus (#730) Welcome to Our Guests Congregational Praise—The Solid Rock (#526) Sanctity of Human Life—Mark Sheffer Offertory Hymn—Standing On the Promises (#410) Piano Offertory Choral Message—Who Can Satisfy My Soul Like You?—Ensemble Message—Joel Samuels Invitational Hymn—How Firm a Foundation (#408) Announcements Song of Celebration—The Solid Rock (#526)

Postlude

-USHERS-

January 19

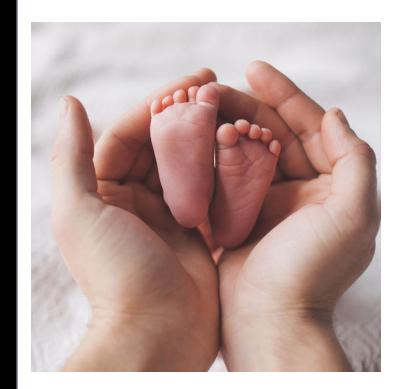
Buddy Bunch Gideon Ewing Ronnie Opolka Bruce Snider Charles Spann Matt Taylor Mike Thigpen Don Watson Steve Crosthwait Gary Gray Eddie Hinote Benny Hyatt Harv Holley Van Reid Gary Weldon

January 26



WEEKLY NEWS AND INFORMATION

January 19, 2025



"For You formed my inward parts;
You covered me in my mother's womb."
– Psalm 139:13 NLT

YOUTH NEWS

- Strength to Stand—Jan. 17-20, 2025
- Soup luncheon fundraiser—Jan. 26

*See Warren or Heather for details. Sign-ups are required for trips. Visit youth FB page for links or you may sign up at the youth building. We are pleased to have Mark Sheffer speaking on behalf of Real Life Pregnancy Center in both worship services this morning. Please return baby bottles to the church office by Sunday, February 9, so that they can be used again in other churches.



YOU BELONG @ FIRST

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The staff is ready to help you in any way possi-

ble. 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

Our people came 01/12/2025

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CHURCH OFFICE:

Paul Murphy, Associate Pastor

Micah Gilmore, Children's Minister

Contemporary Service

Traditional Service

Undesignated

Savings/SPOTS

TOTAL

Other Designated \$

Joel Samuels, Pastor

FBC SS Total

this week @ fbc week of January 19, 2025

to Our Church

Welcome New Members

Brendan and Carly Prince -by Statement Deacon: Michael Brown

Please plan to join the FBC Youth as they host a soup luncheon in the fellowship hall on Sunday, January 26, 10:30-12:30, in order to raise money toward their mission trip to Belize.



Unoffendable

- Women's Bible Study based on the book by Brant Hansen •
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Library Opens Children's Activities Youth Worship Prayer Meeting **Ensemble Rehearsal**

Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal Praise Team Rehearsal 8:00 pm

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MENU

Doors Open at 5:00 pm Adult Meal \$ 5.00 \$ 2.50 Kid's Meal (PB&J) Family Cap \$15.00

> Menu Salad Taco Soup Cornbread Cheesecake

Terrace Lake Bible Study -10:30 am Jan 20—Mary Hinote Jan 27—Keith Swisher



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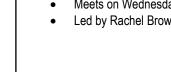




- Meets on Wednesdays @ 6PM in the P27 SS Room
- Led by Rachel Brown and Julie Brown.







2024 Contribution Statements

Contribution statements for 2024 were emailed on Friday, 01/17/2025. Please check your junk/spam/trash folder. If you do not have an email address on file, your statement was mailed on Friday, and it should arrive later this week. Your giving history can also be seen on the church app.

> The sanctuary flowers today are placed by the Pairs and Spares Sunday School Class in love and remembrance of our very dear friend, Bob Partrick.

MATURE ADULT NEWS January Bible Study

Joshua-The Faithfulness of God Wednesday Evenings Jan 8-Feb 5 6:00 pm in the Sanctuary Study Guides Provided *Please sign up* Led by several of our Senior Adult SS Teachers **EVERYONE IS WELCOME**

Valentine Luncheon Gunter's Landing Country Club Feb 11. 11 am Reservations and \$15 per person due Feb 2 Sign-Up List on the Old Lord's Supper Table

Sunday **Contemporary Worship** 8:15 am Preschool Service 8:15 am

8:15 am ready to make a difference in your life! Kids Church Sunday School Traditional Worship

9:15 am 10:30 am

Wednesdav Fellowship before Discipleship 5:00 pm (August—May) 6:00 pm Ken Patterson, Minister of Music 6:00 pm Amy Fondren, Financial Secretary 6:00 pm Karen Fancher, Secretary 6:00 pm 6:30 pm 7:00pm