

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 scan the **QR code** on the inside of the bulletin to complete the **guest information**. 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 are 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 6:00. A variety of activities are provided for children and 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.

Worship Service–9:00 a.m.

Pre-Service Music

Prayer

Worship Song—*I Stand Amazed in the Presence*

Worship Song—*Goodness of God*

Baptism—Alexandra Maksimowski

Welcome to Guests

Worship Song—*Holy Spirit*

Offering

Choral Message—*Breathe*

Message—*2 Peter 1: 16-21—Joel Samuels*
Biblical Inspiration from the Holy Spirit

Invitational Hymn—*Trust and Obey*

Announcements

Song of Celebration—*Doxology*

To Know Christ
and
To Make Him Known



October 11, 2026



“Above all, you must realize that no prophecy in Scripture ever came from the prophet’s own understanding, or from human initiative. No, those prophets were moved by the Holy Spirit, and they spoke from God.”
—2 Peter 1:20-21 NLT

Mature Adult News

Scott's Orchard/Posey's Restaurant
October 13
Bus leaves at 8:30 am

Top of the Rock
October 27

Please sign up on the old Lord's Supper table

There will be **NO** Wednesday night activities, except for music rehearsals, this week due to Fall Break.



this week @ fbc

week of October 11, 2026

Sunday

*Worship	9:00 am
Kids Church	9:00 am
*Sunday School	10:00 am
*Child Care Available	

Wednesday

Fellowship before Discipleship	5:00 pm
(September-May)	
Library Opens	6:00 pm
Children's Activities	6:00 pm
Youth Worship	6:00 pm
Prayer Meeting	6:00 pm
Worship Choir Rehearsal	6:45 pm
Worship Team Rehearsal	7:30 pm

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 are ready to make a difference in your life!

CHURCH OFFICE: 256-582-5141

Joel Samuels, Pastor	ext 102
Paul Murphy, Associate Pastor	ext 107
Ken Patterson, Minister of Music	ext 108
Micah Gilmore, Children's Minister	ext 110
Amy Fondren, Financial Secretary	ext 101
Karen Fancher, Secretary	ext 100

<u>Our People Came</u>	10/04/2026
Worship Service	316
Nursery/Children	96
Worship Total	412
FBC SS Total	333
<u>Our People Gave</u>	10/01-10/05
Undesignated \$	26,738.00
Building by Faith \$	2,585.00
Other Designated \$	1,975.01
TOTAL \$	31,298.01

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 14

Fall Break
No WNS



Terrace Lake Bible Study
10:30 am

Oct 12-Richard Moebes
Oct 19-Mary Hinate



Visitor QR Code

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Book Reviews by Billie

The Complete Book of Practical Proverbs and Wacky Wit
by Vern McLean

Some of the wisdom that the author offers for your possible enlightenment includes:

- "A smooth sea never made a skillful mariner."
- "Many people wish to serve God, but only in an advisory capacity."
- "Work on your goals. He who aims low is sure to hit it."
- "Character is what you are when no one is watching."
- "The Lord doesn't take us into deep water to drown us but to develop us."
- "A pat on the back helps develop character in children if administered early enough, often enough, and low enough."
- "Some people bring happiness to others wherever they go, others whenever they go."

Proverbs are given for over 200 topics, then followed by quotes that go along with the topic. You are sure to find some that you need.



Available in your church library—Check it out



Be sure and pick up your free copy of Our Daily Bread devotional guide in the 1st floor rack beside the elevator.



YOUTH NEWS

- Oct. 14 @ 1:00—Cookies for Kairos baking day at Felicia Chapman's house
- Oct. 15—\$75 deposit for Strength to Stand deadline.
- Oct. 25—Sr. High Boys Kayaking (rescheduled from 9/12)
- Nov. 6-8—Camping Trip

Sign-ups at Youth Building or Online
Facebook: FBCgvilleyouth
Instagram: GFBC Youth

