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—*Christus Victor (Amen)*

Worship Song—*Great Are You Lord*

Welcome to Guests

Special Music—*How Great Thou Art*—Lakeside Bells

Worship Song—*Bless His Holy Name*

Offering

Choral Message—*No Longer Slaves*

Message—*1 Corinthians 2:6-15*—Joel Samuels
Faith Overcomes Fear Through The Word

Invitational Hymn—*Amazing Grace! How Sweet the Sound*

Announcements

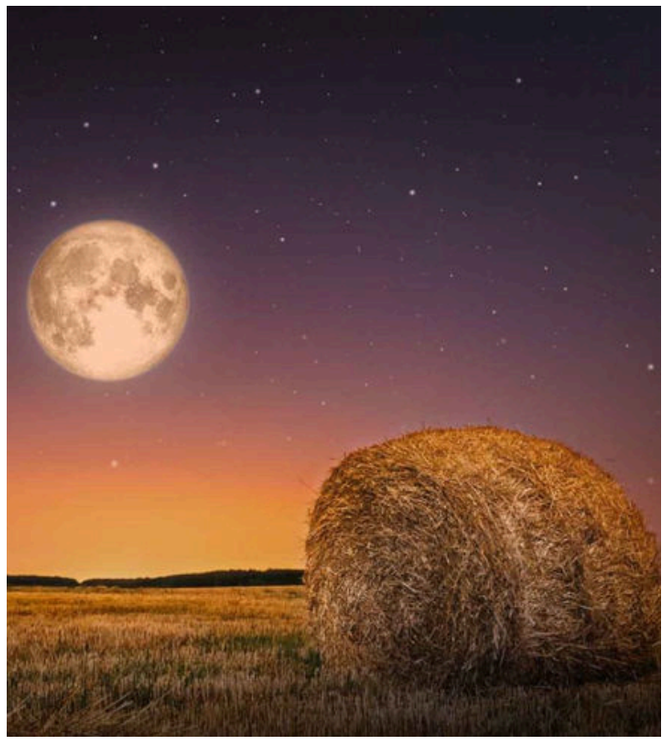
Song of Celebration—*No Longer Slaves*

To Know Christ and To Make Him Known

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

WEEKLY NEWS AND INFORMATION

October 25, 2026



"...No eye has seen, no ear has heard,
and no mind has imagined
what God has prepared
for those who love him."
—1 Corinthians 2:9 NLT

Due to Trunk or Treat, there will be no Wednesday night activities this week, *except for music rehearsals.*



YOUTH NEWS

Strength to Stand Deposits ($75) are NOW DUE.
Total cost is $275.

- Oct. 25—Sr. High Boys Kayaking (rescheduled from 9/12) —see Warren, Roy or Dustin to be added—
- Oct. 28—All youth meet at Trunk or Treat
- Nov. 6-8—Camping Trip

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

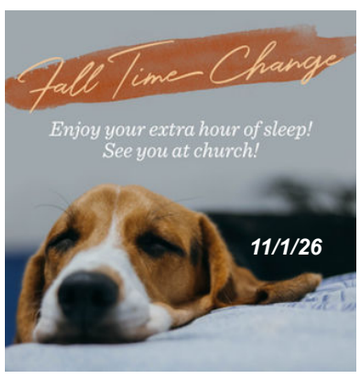


Taco Lunch Fundraiser for Mission Trip to Belize
TODAY @ 11:00 am
In the Fellowship Hall



For planning purposes, please let Micah know ASAP if you plan to decorate a trunk.





Election Information

It is time to elect Deacons and Committee on Committees Members for the 2027-2029 term. Ballots will be sent via email to each *church member* this week. Please return your completed ballots *in person* on next Sunday, November 1, 2026.

Mature Adult News

Top of the Rock
October 27
9:30 am

Please sign up on the old Lord's Supper table



Andy Griffith Bible Study Schedule
Wednesdays @ 5:45 pm in the Sanctuary
Nov 4, 11, 18, and Dec 9

Save the Following Dates

- *Sunday, November 8 @ 9:00 am*–Patriotic music with the Worship Choir and the 3rd-5th Grade Children's Choir
- *Sunday, November 22 @ 5:00 pm*–Community Thanksgiving Service–Guntersville First Methodist Church Sanctuary
- *Sunday, December 6 @ 9:00 am*–Children's Choirs Sing
- *Sunday, December 13 @ 6:00 pm*–The Worship Choir presents **A King Is Coming** Christmas Musical
- *Sunday, December 20 @ 6:00 pm*–Carols by Candlelight

YOU BELONG @ FIRST

this week @ *fbc*

week of October 25, 2026

Sunday

*Worship	9:00 am
Kids Church	9:00 am
*Sunday School	10:00 am

**Child Care Available*

Wednesday

~~Fellowship before Discipleship (September-May)~~	~~5:00 pm~~
~~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

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 28
Trunk or Treat
No WNS





Terrace Lake Bible Study
10:30 am
Oct 26–Keith Swisher
Nov 2–Eddie Hinote

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

Our People Came	10/18/2026
Worship Service	**243**
Nursery/Children	**74**
Worship Total	**317**
FBC SS Total	**275**

Our People Gave	10/13–10/19
Undesignated	**$ 18.711.00**
Building by Faith	**$ 56,740.00**
Other Designated	**$ 1,725.00**
TOTAL	**$ 77,176.00**

Visitor QR Code

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