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/Patriotic Countdown

Prayer

Offering
Offertory: Karen Fancher

The Star Spangled Banner

America the Beautiful with Freedom's Song
Soloist: Christi Smallwood

We Honor You—3rd-5th Grade Choir

Armed Forces Medley

God Bless the U.S.A.
Soloist: Tim Hays

Welcome to Guests

Message—Micah Gilmore

Invitational Hymn—*We All Bow Down*

Announcements

Song of Celebration—*Victory in Jesus*

To Know Christ and To Make Him Known

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

WEEKLY NEWS AND INFORMATION

November 8, 2026



"Pay to all what is owed to them: taxes to whom taxes are owed, revenue to whom revenue is owed, respect to whom respect is owed, honor to whom honor is owed."

—Romans 13:7 ESV

Election Results

Newly elected Deacons for the term beginning 01/01/2027:

Blake Campbell — *Ben Samuels*
J.D. Miles — *Mike Thigpen*
Jonathan O'Dell — *Kenneth Vandervoort*

Newly appointed Committee on Committees members for the term beginning 01/01/2027:

Vince Glassco — *John Rutland*

Please note, the Deacons and Committee on Committees members who are rolling off will continue to serve in their current capacity through 12/31/2026.

YOUTH NEWS

- Nov. 15: Soup luncheon to raise money for mission trip
- Nov. 15: Mission trip meeting after lunch
- STS 2nd $75 deposit due NOW. Final balance due Jan. 10
- Jan. 10 @ 5:30: STS meeting, fellowship hall, REQUIRED
- Jan. 15-18: Strength to Stand

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



Mature Adult News

Thanksgiving Luncheon
November 17 @ 11:00 am
Fellowship Hall

Please sign up on the old Lord's Supper table

Sympathy

FBC expresses deepest sympathy to Harv and Barbara Holley in the death of her brother, David Becht in California on October 27, and to Jan Lundquist and the rest of the family and friends of Ed Lundquist in his passing on October 31.



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

Women on Mission

Hope for the Horn of Africa

We have a special guest for our Women on Mission meeting on Thursday, November 12. The program begins at 10:00 am in the fellowship hall, and a soup luncheon and good fellowship will follow.
Candi Williams, emeritus missionary who served in the Horn of Africa for many years, will share her experiences and guide us in understanding how to dffectively pray for this strategic area.
Come join in a special experience.

Save the Following Dates

- *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 November 8, 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

November 11

Salad
Creamy Wild Rice & Chicken Soup
Taco Soup
Cornbread/Crackers
Apple Dumplings/Ice Cream

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	11/01/2026
Worship Service	**284**
Nursery/Children	**71**
Worship Total	**355**
FBC SS Total	**283**

Our People Gave	11/01–11/02
Undesignated	**$ 7,610.00**
Building by Faith	**$ 1,710.00**
Other Designated	**$ 950.00**
TOTAL	**$ 10,270.00**

Terrace Lake Bible Study
10:30 am
Nov 9–Duck Williams
Nov 16–Neil Gunter

Visitor QR Code

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