



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH STATESBORO

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:30am
11:00am

SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:45am

WEDNESDAY

5:00 - 6:30pm Family Night Supper
6:15pm The Gathering (Students)
6:30pm Bible Studies/Small Groups
6:30pm Choir/Orchestra Rehearsal

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June 18, 2017

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From the Pastor

Happy Father's Day

Someone once asked a child the difference between Mother's Day and Father's Day. With the innocence that belongs only to a youngster, the boy replied, "It's the same, sort of, except that you don't spend as much money."

This funny thought may or may not accurately describe your family at Father's Day, but I trust you will find some way to honor your father and express your love and respect for him. And thank you for worshiping at First Baptist Statesboro on Father's Day, which is a great way to honor your Heavenly Father.

Why Don't We Have a Children's Church?

Every now and then I am asked why our church does not have a full children's church for grades 1-6 that runs simultaneous to our worship time. A new trend in many churches is to offer a "children's worship" in one room while the "adult worship" takes place in another room.

Part of our commitment to your family, under the vision and leadership of our children's minister, Susan Allen, is to provide opportunities for families to worship and serve together. Children need to see their parents singing worship songs, reading the Bible, and listening to sermons. It is a powerful example they will not soon forget.

We do invite our first and second graders to leave part way through the service, but only after they have shared a time of worship with their family and the larger congregation. We believe that separating children entirely for their own worship time, apart from the other ages, creates an unhealthy perspective about church in the minds of children, which can have unintended consequences as they become teenagers and adults.

By asking all ages to worship together, we create a multi-generational community where young and old alike sing, learn, and grow together, which is a beautiful and accurate picture of the Body of Christ.

--- John Waters

Today at FBC

What's A Father to Do?

Dr. Tom Rush

- Good Good Father
- Jesus
- Unto the Lamb
- Revelation Song
- Holy Holy Holy
- I Want to Be Just Like You



HELPING PEOPLE START & STRENGTHEN THEIR RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS

THE PROCLAIMER



CHURCH WIDE

No Evening Worship Service Tonight

-- Enjoy the evening with your family.

Wednesday Night Supper June 21

--- Baked ham & sausage, rice & tomatoes, field peas with snaps, rolls and corn bread, fried apple pies and ice cream, water/tea/lemonade/coffee.

Blood Drive

-- American Red Cross Blood Drive; Thursday, June 22; Multi-Purpose Room; 2:00-7:00pm.

Church Conference

-- No Church Conference for the month of June.

FBC Night at Splash in the Boro

--- July 23; 6:00pm.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Praise Moves: The Christian Alternative to Yoga

--- Mondays @ 5:30pm; Tuesdays @ 9:30 & 11:00am; Thursdays @ 11:00am & 5:30pm; Fridays @ 9:30am; All classes held in the Historic Sanctuary.

SYMPATHY

--- We express our deepest sympathy to the family of Mr. & Mrs. Ray Durden in the loss of her mother Madge Bond and to Mr. & Mrs. Jimmie Young and family in the death of her mother Maudeane Clifton.

MEMBERSHIP

Requesting Church Membership

--- First Baptist Church would like to welcome Charlotte Pagliarullo, Max Hall, Harrison Broadwell, Morgan Westberry

--- The flowers are given this Sunday to the glory of God and in loving memory of a wonderful father, Charlie Joe Mathews by his wife, Jean Smith Mathews and his children, Charlie and Susan, Harry and Alice, Joe and Beth and his grandchildren.

--- The flowers are given in the Welcome Area this Sunday in memory of Marguerite and Charles Bryant by Lavinia and Walter Strickland, Megan, Kristy and Bryant.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Family Missions Event

--- Day trip to Tybee Island's Fresh Air Camp June 24; \$10 registration fee per family.

STUDENT MINISTRY

FBSM Ultimate and Cookout

--- June 21; 6:00 - 8:00pm \$10 plus supper; meet at the RAC field.

FBSM at Atlanta Braves

--- July 5 & 19; \$30 sign up.

FBSM Rafting Trip

--- New for Summer 2017, rafting the Ocoee; July 12-15.

Rock The Universe

--- September 8-10; Universal Studios Florida.

COLLEGE MINISTRY

Tuesday Bible Study

--- 7:00pm each Tuesday; Henderson Library.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Choir & Orchestra

--- No choir & orchestra practice in July.

Premiere Night Choir/Orchestra Kick-off Party

--- August 2; 6:30pm.

Awesome August Nights

--- Special music from FBC Celebration Choir and Carolina Boys Quartet; food and fellowship in Perry Fellowship Hall after the service. August 6, 13, 20; 6:00pm.

FOR THE RECORD - JUNE 11, 2017

Attendance	
MorningWorship.....	1134
Sunday School.....	783

Gifts Received	
General.....	\$59,161.76
Designated.....	\$7,261.24
Building.....	\$12,398.00

Year-to-Date General Fund	
Receipts.....	\$1,256,743.15
Goal.....	\$1,371,046.08

Long Term Debt	
Balance Owed....	\$ 2,990,734.13

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