



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH STATESBORO

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:30am
11:00am

SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:45am

EVENING CONCERT

Jacob Johnson
6:00pm

WEDNESDAY

5:00pm Family Night Supper

5:30pm Kidz Praise

6:15pm Student Ministry

6:30pm Midweek Kidz Ministry

6:30pm Adult Bible Studies

6:30pm Choir & Orchestra Rehearsal

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December 3, 2017

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From the Pastor

Church Conference

Please note that we will have a Church Conference immediately following the evening worship service tonight. In addition to our regular business matters, there will be two additional items for your consideration:

• 2018 Ministry Budget Presentation: Our Finance Committee and Deacons are jointly recommending the 2018 Ministry Budget that was emailed to the congregation over the last two weeks. The proposed budget shows no increase from the previous year, and it represents the faithful stewardship of the resources given generously by families like yours. A vote on whether or not to accept their recommendation will be taken following the morning worship services on December 10.

• College Minister Search Committee: Our Deacons will be recommending the formation of a search committee for our new College Minister, following the clear process outlined in our Church Manual and Bylaws that describe how our church searches for and ultimately calls (employs) a new minister. Those guidelines state:

"The formation and staffing of an ad hoc Ministerial Search Committee shall be recommended by the Deacons to the Church in Conference . . ." (Organizational Manual, Section A).

"The Deacons shall recommend for Church approval the call (employment) of all ministerial-level staff . . ." (Bylaws Article V, Section 3).

Once a final candidate has been determined by the search committee, they will present this person to the Deacons for their approval, who in turn recommend the candidate to the entire congregation for final approval.

A Personal Word

Thank you for your prayers, love, and encouragement following the death of my father this week. You once again have strengthened us by God's grace by your thoughtfulness and genuine concern. Please continue to pray for our family in the days ahead as we journey through this loss and grief.

---John Waters

Today at FBC

Why is the Kingdom Worth it?

Jay Bosley

- Here I Am To Worship
- From Heaven's Glory
- King of My Heart
- Lord I Need You
- Beautiful Lord
- O Come All Ye Faithful

I have a firm conviction
that I am immortal
until my work is done.

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CHURCH WIDE

Church Conference

---Sunday night December 3; after evening worship.

Open Hearts Community Mission

---Grand Opening and Dedication Reception; December 3; 3:00pm

Mission Luncheon

---December 5; 12:00pm; Perry Fellowship Hall; \$7, special guest Linda Dillworth, IMB missionary to the Philippines.

Family Night Supper December 6

---Spaghetti, green beans, garden fresh salad, yeast rolls, red velvet cake, tea/coffee/lemonade/water.

Christmas Poinsettias

---Poinsettias will be available for purchase this Christmas season for only \$10, contact church office to purchase.

Christmas In Bulloch

---Families Adopt Families and provide gifts for Christmas in Bulloch; sign up today at the Welcome Desk.

FLOWERS

---The flowers are given this Sunday to the glory of God and in loving memory of Raymond and Annie Maude Durden and Bob Durden by Ray and Iris Durden, Matt, Kacee, Gray, Sawyer and Palmer Durden, and Susan, Justin and Kaylee Garrison.

SYMPATHY

---We express our deepest sympathy to Dr. John Waters and family in the loss of his father, Marvin R. Waters.

Christmas Is Beautiful

December 3

Jacob Johnson In Concert



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CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Journey to Bethlehem

---December 13; Freddy Blich Farms; 6:00pm.

STUDENT MINISTRY

MOVE Conference

---December 29-30; Macon, GA; \$90 due.

FBSM Ski Weekend 2018

---January 12-15, 2018; information & sign-up online.

IMPACT Camp

---June 11-15, 2018; \$50 deposit; sign-up online.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Celebration Choir and Orchestra Practice

---Wednesday nights at 6:30pm.

55+ Adult Choir Practice

---Tuesday, December 5; 1:30pm.

Jacob Johnson In Concert

---Sunday December 3; 6:00pm; Worship Center.

Shelly E. Johnson In Concert

---Sunday December 10; 6:00pm; Worship Center; joined by FBC Choirs.

An Instrumental Christmas

---Sunday December 17; 6:00pm; Worship Center.

MEN'S MINISTRY

Men's Ministry Bible Study

---December 7; The Life of a Kingdom Man; 6:30pm; Perry Fellowship Hall; \$5 meal.

Wild Game Supper

---January 25; now accepting donations of wild game, call Ricky Allen at 912.489.7922 for more information.

FOR THE RECORD - NOVEMBER 26, 2017

Attendance

Morning Worship.....1074
Sunday School.....744

Gifts Received

General.....\$49,028.35
Designated.....\$6,045.08
Building.....\$5,955.00

Year -to-Date General Fund

Receipts.....\$2,457,737.29
Goal.....\$2,742,092.16

Long Term Debt

Balance Owed....\$2,768,729.64

Lottie Moon Missions Offering

To Date.....\$4,212.50

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