



**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
STATESBORO**

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:30am
11:00am

SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:45am

NO EVENING WORSHIP

WEDNESDAY

6:30pm Adult Bible Study

fbc-statesboro.org

July 8, 2018

912-764-5627

From the Pastor

Invite a Family to Splash

We've scheduled a wonderful "invite event" for you on July 22 as First Baptist Church Statesboro rents Splash in the Boro for the evening. This waterpark is one of the treasures of Bulloch County, and this event gives you an easy way to introduce a friend, neighbor, or coworker to our congregation. There is no charge for admission, but tickets are required for entry at 6:30 pm. Pick up a ticket for your family in the elevator lobby, and grab a couple more for one or two families in your circle of relationships who are not involved in another church.

There are many great things happening within the life of our church, but some newcomers or unchurched families are hesitant to visit on Sunday because of building size, lack of easy parking, or misperception in the community. You can overcome these by introducing a family to our congregation in a relaxed environment such as Splash in the Boro. Plan to be a part of this fun evening with your family, but choose now to invite and bring a guest family with you.

Waiting on the Bullard Report

George Bullard encountered his 46th wedding anniversary and several holidays during the preparation of his report to us, so he is still working to complete the final document. Your participation was so strong that his team received a wealth of information, which also created the need for more time. Our plan is to make his report available to interested persons, hopefully in another week or so. Thank you for your understanding of Bullard's schedule as he continues moving this project along.

Lord's Supper Next Sunday

During both morning worship services on July 15, we will observe the Lord's Supper, which is a symbolic reminder of the death and resurrection of Jesus. As is our custom, we will receive an exit offering for local families at the conclusion of the services.

-- John Waters

Today at FBC

**Thief on the Cross:
A Recipient of Grace**

- This is Amazing Grace
- How Great Is Our God
- The Old Rugged Cross
- I Still Glory In The Cross
- Trust and Obey



HELPING YOU START & STRENGTHEN YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS

THE PROCLAIMER



WELCOME

Thank you for joining us today!

---If this is your first time joining us, we want to get to know you better. Fill out the welcome card and take a moment to meet our Pastor after the service.

CHURCH WIDE

No Evening Worship tonight

---Enjoy the time with your family.

FBC Family Night at Splash

---July 22; 6:30-8:30pm; Splash in the Boro at Mill Creek; pickup tickets today in the elevator lobby.

Mission Trip Information Meetings

---July 8; 3:00pm; Israel; Cowart 210.

---July 8; 4:00pm; East Atlanta; Cowart 210.

Online Giving

---Click the GIVE tab on our home page to find information about online giving. Try the *Quick Give* feature as an easier option. Contact Tammy at tammy@fbc-statesboro.org or 912-489-7907 for more information.

FLOWERS

---The flowers are placed in the Welcome Area for the glory of God and in loving memory of Mr. Hal Averitt, Mr. and Mrs. James B Averitt and Dr. and Mrs. Jack N. Averitt by Connie Averitt and family.

MEMBERSHIP

Requesting Church Membership

---First Baptist Church welcomes Robbie and Amy Scott, Phillip, Juliet, Kaden, and Trey Story, Billy and Ann Crider, Walter and Angela Leveritt.

SYMPATHY

---We express our deepest sympathy to the family of Mrs. Susan Tillery in the loss of her husband, Don.

CHURCH CONFERENCE

---Wednesday, August 1; 6:00pm; Perry Fellowship Hall.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Family Mission Trip to Fresh Air Home

---July 21; Tybee Island; email registration to Kim@fbc-statesboro.org.

Stepping Up

---July 29; 6th graders step up to student ministry.

Flip Flop Sunday

---August 5; Kidz flip flop to new Sunday School classes.

STUDENT MINISTRY

Rock the Universe

---Online registration open.

Fresh Air Home Tybee Island Worship Ministry

---July 8 & 22; 8:00am-2:00pm.

Youth Week

---July 27-August 1.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Celebration Choir and Orchestra Practice

---No choir practice in July.

---Choir and Orchestra Kickoff Rehearsal; August 1, 6:30pm in the choir room; best time to join the choir; come be our guest.

Spectacular September Nights

---September 9; 6:00pm; FBC Musicians;

dessert fellowship in Perry Fellowship Hall.

---September 16; 6:00pm; Gold City Quartet;

boiled peanut fellowship in Perry Fellowship Hall.

---September 23; 6:00pm; Choir Orchestra Top 5;

ice cream fellowship in Perry Fellowship Hall.

FOR THE RECORD - JULY 1, 2018

Attendance

Morning Worship.....1125
Sunday School751

Year-to-Date General Fund

Goal.....\$1,485,299.92
2018 Receipts.....\$1,376,921.53
2017 Receipts.....\$1,346,072.05

Gifts Received

General.....\$71,693.95
Designated.....\$4,180.00
Building.....\$9,078.72

Long Term Debt

Balance Owed....\$2,351,663.98

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