

Welcome to First Baptist Church!

Welcome to First Baptist Church, where we celebrate God's love and Christ's salvation. We hope that you feel the warm embrace of the First Baptist family and grow deeper in the Lord.

Nursery is provided for both services. We also have a "Family Room" for those who need time with their children—live streaming and changing stations are available! Hearing devices are available for the hearing impaired. Please see an usher for any questions or concerns!

This Week's Opportunities

Sunday, June 20, 2021 - Father's Day

7:45 AM Worship Team Warmup
8:30 AM Celebrations Worship Service
9:15 AM The Gathering - FLC
9:30 AM Sunday School
9:45 AM Music Ministry Warmup
10:30 AM Traditions Worship Service

Fellowship Dinner:

Kielbasa & sauerkraut,
new potatoes,
& German chocolate cake
\$6.00 each

Monday, June 21, 2021

6:00 PM Treasure Coast Sports Ministry

Deacon of the Week

Jonnie Hill

Tuesday, June 22, 2021

7:30 AM Men's Prayer

Wednesday, June 23, 2021

4:00 PM Clothing Room Opens
5:00 PM Fellowship Dinner & Wednesday Friends Dinner
6:00 PM Missionary Speaker, Davidson Jean-Rejouis

Thursday, June 24, 2021

7:00 PM Youth Group

Birthdays Wishes - June Nonagenarian (90-99)

We would like to say **Happy Birthday** to our nonagenarian member:
Johnnie Sherwood (98)

Birthdays this Week:

Harry Righton, Carter Reeb, Nancy Reidenbach, Glenn Orndorff, Drusilla Powell, Joe Graves, Judy Phillips, Daniel Brausam, Reed Willmot and Myra Chisholm

Prayer Letters * www.fbcvero.org/prayer-request

Do you know someone who would like a prayer letter or a congratulations letter? Please visit our website & send us their name & address.

Funeral

The funeral of Margie Basile will be Saturday, June 26, 2021. Visitation will be at 10:00 AM and funeral service at 11:00 AM. These services will be held in the sanctuary. No reception is planned.



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News and Notes

Missionary Speaker * Wednesday, June 23, 2021 at 6:00 PM

Join us for supper (5:00 PM) and speaker, Davidson Jean-Rejouis, as he presents his family's missionary journey in Toulouse, France. Davidson was a youth at FBC who went on to become a missionary. Come and hear what he and his family have been doing to spread the good news of Jesus in France.

Children's "Walk and Talk" * Weekly at Humiston Park

Children and their parents get together for a time of fun and fellowship every week. Visit the FBC Kids website at fbcvero.org/fbc-kids for dates and times.

Youth Fellowship * Thursdays at 7:00 PM

Middle and High School youth are invited to the gym with Pastor Bryce for a time of fellowship, devotional, and fun. See Pastor Bryce for more details.

Men's Breakfast * Saturday, June 26, 2021 at 9:00 AM

All men are invited to breakfast in the Family Life Center, Building C. Get filled with nourishment both physically and spiritually. The men also meet each Tuesday morning at 7:30 AM for prayer.

Memorial Garden Ceremony * Sunday, June 27, 2021 at 11:45 AM

Everyone is invited to join us for a brief ceremony on Sunday, June 27, after the 10:30 AM service as we honor several people by adding their plaque to our Memorial Garden. We will remember the lives of Lynn Beatty-Lindsey, Marianne Hinz, Pat "Granny" Smith, Dr. C. Raymond "Ray" Lunceford and Augusta "Gussie" Vinson. Please see Pastor Joe for questions.

Wednesday Bible Study Time Change

Beginning Wednesday, June 30, bible study/prayer meeting will start at 5:45 PM.

Wednesday Friends' Needs

Our Wednesday Friends group needs men's jeans (32/30 & 34/30), bug spray, umbrellas and deodorant. Please drop off items at the church office. Thanks in advance for helping those in need - Matthew 7:12.

Church Office Closed

The church office will be closed on Monday, July 5, 2021 in observance of Independence Day. No meetings or activities that day.

Ladies Devotions * Tuesday, July 6, 2021 at 6:30 PM

Bring a devotion and a friend. We will meet in the Family Life Center Small Social Hall, Building C.

CBF Senior Adult Retreat, St. Simon's Island, GA * September 26-28, 2021

Join Pastor Joe for a time of music, fellowship, and discipleship with the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship on St. Simon's Island. The retreat is hosted by the First Baptist Church of Dalton, GA, and First Baptist Church of St. Simon's Island. The cost is \$20 for registration. Accommodations and meals are on your own. Spaces are limited. Please see Pastor Joe for carpool, registration, and accommodation information.

Hurricane Season * Are You Prepared?

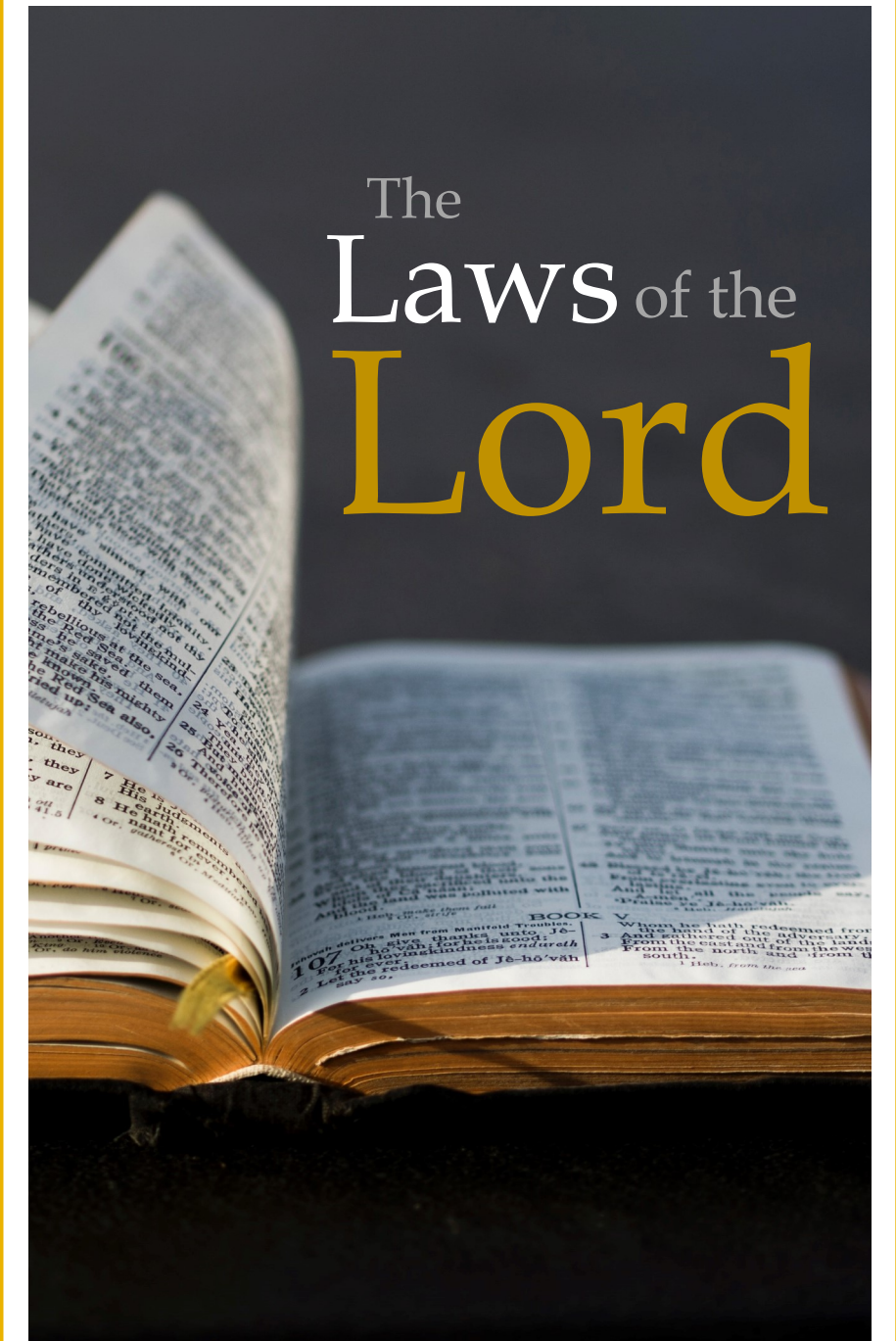
We want to remind everyone that hurricane season is here. It will end November 30. Please be sure to stock up on supplies such as water, food, medications, batteries, pet food, etc.



Notice: Live video stream. You are being recorded.

Attention

Doors on the back side of the sanctuary will be locked after the service begins. If you go out those doors please knock for assistance to come back in.



The Worship of God

"The Ways of the Lord"

A Summer Bible Study Sermon Series
on First and Second Samuel

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Father's Day, June 20, 2021

8:30 AM Celebrations Service

Opening Praise - *I Walk By Faith*

Invocation and Welcome - Deuteronomy 6:1-7 - Rev. Dr. Joe LaGuardia

Worship Songs - *Cry of My Heart / He Knows My Name*

Recognition of Fathers / Pastoral Prayer - Rev. Bryce Richard

A Response - *Still*

Scripture Lesson - 1 Samuel 8:1-9 - Jonnie Hill

This is the Word of God for the people of God. / **Thanks be to God!**

Message - Rev. Dr. Joe LaGuardia - "Teach Them Diligently"

Time of Response - *Be Thou My Vision*

Offertory Prayer - Jonnie Hill

Benediction - Rev. Dr. Joe LaGuardia

Closing Song - *May the Peace of God /Doxology*

Worship Notes

Today, in the Christian calendar, is the Fourth Sunday after Pentecost. The Sundays following Pentecost deal with the Church's work in the world. The Church acknowledges and engages the words of Christ in Acts 1:8: empowered by the Spirit, Christ's followers bear witness of him to the ends of the earth. The color for this season of the Christian Calendar is green signifying the growth of the Church. Today we also celebrate and give thanks for our earthly fathers. Thanks to Patti Carter for playing the piano in the 8:30 service while Dr. Adams is away. Cover photo by Aaron Burden www.unsplash.com.

Pastoral Ministry Team:

Rev. Dr. Joe LaGuardia, Rev. Dr. Michael Carter,
Rev. Bryce Richard, Dr. Ray Adams, and Kristina LaGuardia

Ministry Assistants:

John Clark, David DeGraeve, Millie Portante, and Pat Smith

Celebrations Worship Team:

Dr. Ray Adams, Patrick Gordon,
Justin Mandell, Richie Mola, and Jackson Squires

Technical Support Team:

Jim Aldendorf, Roger Butler, Haleigh Santana LaGuardia, Casey Lunceford,
Henry Richard, Ron Selph, Philip Smith, Stephen Smith, and Jackson Squires

First Baptist Church Preschool

Patti Carter, Director
René LaRosa, Assistant Director

Nursery Workers

Diane Levow and Kim Piscitelli
Macy Richard, Youth Volunteer

10:30 AM Traditions Service

Music Upon Gathering/Sounding of the Chimes Dr. Ray Adams, organ
The organ calls us to focus our attention on God.

Opening Sentences

Leader: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Leader: We know that there is only one God, the Father, who created all things and made us to be His own;

People: And one Lord Jesus Christ, who made everything and gives us life.

Leader: As a father is kind to his children,

People: So the Lord is kind to those who honor Him.

Leader: O Lord, You are our Father.

People: We are the clay, and You are the Potter.

(# 294) *Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own way! Thou art the Potter, I am the clay! Mold me and make me after Thy will, while I am waiting, yielded and still.*

Invocation and Welcome Rev. Dr. Joe LaGuardia
Deuteronomy 6:1-7

*Hymn of Worship (# 248) BEECHER
God, Our Father, We Adore Thee
(Children may come forward during this song.)

Children's Sermon Patti Carter

Choral Affirmation Music Ministry
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven (Mark Andrews)

*Hymn of Affirmation (# 55) TRYGGARE KAN INGEN VARA
Children of the Heavenly Father

Tithes and Offering of a Grateful People

*Offertory Prayer Jonnie Hill

*Doxology (# 253) OLD 100TH

Recognition of Fathers/Pastoral Prayer Rev. Bryce Richard

Musical Affirmation Tom Smith
Bring Back the New Again

Scripture Lesson: 1 Samuel 8:1-9

Jonnie Hill

Sermon "Teach Them Diligently" Rev. Dr. Joe LaGuardia

*Hymn of Invitation (# 504) CHRISTIAN HOME
God, Give Us Christian Homes

*Benediction Rev. Dr. Joe LaGuardia

*Closing Affirmation (# 462) MALOTTE
Our Father...

*Closing Voluntary Dr. Ray Adams, organ

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Sermon Notes