

WE INVITE YOU TO BECOME A PART OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH FAMILY

At the close of each service we give an invitation to accept Christ as Lord and Savior and to become a member of this church. We offer this opportunity during the singing of the invitation. If you wish to become a member of First Baptist Church, simply walk to the front while the hymn is being sung and tell the minister the decision you wish to make. This church receives members in the following ways:

BY PROFESSION OF FAITH AND BAPTISM

You receive Christ into your life as your personal Savior and Lord. You profess faith in Christ by publicly acknowledging that you have received Him, by being baptized as He directed, and by living for Him. You need to know the following to receive Christ:

1. God Loves You. John 3:16
2. God intends Abundant Life for You. John 10:10b
3. You Have Sinned. Romans 3:23
4. Sin Robs You of Life. Romans 6:23a
5. God Offers You Life in Christ. Romans 6:23, 5:8
6. You Must Believe and Confess. Romans 10:9-10

BY TRANSFER OF LETTER FROM ANOTHER BAPTIST CHURCH

If you are already a member of another Baptist Church, we will write to them for a transfer of your letter.

BY STATEMENT OF FAITH AND NEW TESTAMENT BAPTISM

If your membership is in another denomination, you may join this church upon your statement that you have previously trusted Christ as your Lord and Savior and have received baptism by immersion. If you have not been baptized by immersion to profess your faith in Christ, we would ask you to join us in that experience in becoming a member of this church.

Deacon of the Week
9/15/24 - 9/21/24
Kris Imgrund 912-227-9480



The flowers were placed in the Worship Center by Alan & Christy Carrington in loving memory of their parents, Dave & Joan McKinnon and Roy & Linda Carrington's 64th & 65th Wedding Anniversary



10:30 AM KIDZ CHURCH
Ashli Shaw Children's Ministry Director

2's & under.....Jimmy & Vicky Campbell
3k & Pre-k.....Janet Smith & Kim Brown
K - 2nd.....Debria & Kris Imgrund
3rd - 5th.....Beth & Gabby Gaskin

Take a minute to thank the workers of our Children's Ministry.

ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY - September 15
8:45 am Bodybuilding Fellowship
9:15 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship/Kids Church
4:30 pm Young Couples Class/Griefshare
5:30 pm Evening Services
6:30 pm Worship Choir Practice

MONDAY - September 16
12:00 pm Lunch with Pastor Gary

TUESDAY - September 17
6:00 pm Ladies Bible Study

WEDNESDAY - September 18
5:30 pm Family Supper
6:30 pm Evening Bible Studies/RA's & GA's/Youth Bible Study

THURSDAY - September 19
9:30 am Ladies Bible Study
6:00 pm Senior Adult Supper

SUNDAY - September 22
8:45 am Bodybuilding Fellowship
9:15 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship/Kids Church
4:30 pm Young Couples Class/ Grief Share



FIRST BAPTIST ST. MARYS, GA
HELPING PEOPLE FIND & FOLLOW JESUS



Welcome!
We Are Glad You Are Here!
Sunday, September 15, 2024

Church in Worship

Sunday, September 15, 2024 • 10:30 AM

Worship Through Songs

Prelude

Hymn *“House of the Lord”*

Hymn *“Firm Foundation”*

Welcome and Announcements Pastor Gary

Hymn *“At the Cross”*

Hymn *“Gratitude”*

Worship Through Tithes & Offering

Offertory Hymn *“Doxology”*

Offertory Prayer Deacon of the Week

Worship Through Tithes & Offerings

Special Music Rick Lundgren

Message from God's Word

Sermon Pastor Gary

Invitation *“Draw Me Close”*

Postlude

Have a Blessed Wee k!



Welcome Guests

Please take time to fill out a connection card, located in the back of the pew that is right ahead of you. If you will bring this to the lobby at the end of service, we have a special gift for you. Thank you for being here. Please come again soon!!!



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Church Office Hours
Monday - Thursday, 8:30am - 2:15pm

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FBC Deacons

Alan Carrington, Bill Brown,
Conrad Carlson, Tom Cochran,
John DuBose, Brad Jones, Tim Griffis
Kris Imgrund, David Thorpe

UNDESIGNATED

Budgeted – Need to Date
\$275,377.15

Giving – Received to Date
\$289,017.97

Monthly – Budgeted Need
\$38,246.83

September - Giving Received
\$17,293.98



Thank you for your faithful giving as unto the Lord. When you are faithful to give, you are faithful to God!



Text to Give
Text: 73256
Text Keyword: FBCSM
Giving made easy!

Mom's Meetup
Friday, September 20th
9:00am -11:00am
Come join the other moms and have time of prayer, fellowship and a continental breakfast.



ROYAL AMBASSADORS RA's & GA's
6:30 pm Wednesday's
Royal Ambassadors and
Girls in Action for kids in 1st - 5th grades on We will also have Missions Friends for Pre-k and Kindergarten. Bring your child and let FBC teach them about Missions. They will love it.



Grief Share
Sunday's at 4:30pm. If you need someone to talk with or know someone that does, this is a wonderful time of sharing. If you need any additional information, please call Ms. Veronique at 770-878-1450.



Covered Dish Dinner
Thursday, September 19th at 6:00pm
Bring a dish to share and enjoy some time together.



FALL FESTIVAL Sunday, October 20th
1pm - 4pm
Fall Festival
During the St. Marys Scarecrow Stroll



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!
OUTREACH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
If you love helping people and the community and love Jesus, you may want to consider joining the outreach committee. We need a few people to come along side of us to help reach our community for Christ. We meet once a month to organize various events and activities throughout the year. If you're interested in how you can become involved, please contact Christy Carrington, 912-409-2449. Come be blessed by being a blessing.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!
Outreach Informational Lunch and meeting will be on Sunday, September 29th after the morning service.
Everyone interested in helping in the Fall Festival please plan to attend this meeting. We will eat a quick lunch and go over the plans for the festival. This is a good time to get signed up to work a booth. This is a huge outreach and we will need as many people to help as possible.



Thank you from Ravens of Elijah
Thank you for going above and beyond to make a difference. Your dedication and hard work have not gone unnoticed. We are truly grateful for your exceptional contributions.
Ravens of Elijah, Odie Holland

