

**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

Deacon of the Week

7/20/25 - 7/26/25

Conrad Carlson 810-210-7399



The flowers were placed in the Worship Center this morning in honor of Pastor Gary and Sharon's 50th Wedding Anniversary.



10:30 AM KIDZ CHURCH

Ashli Shaw Children's Ministry Director

Babies .....	Jimmy & Vicky Campbell
1 & 2's.....	Terry & Kristen Ziegler
3k & Prek.....	Janet Smith & Kim Brown
K-2nd.....	Debria & Kris Imgrund
3rd - 5th.....	Lily Dangerfield & Harley

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

ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY - July 20

8:45 am

Coffee Fellowship

9:15 am

Sunday School

10:30 am

Morning Worship/Kids Church

5:30 pm

Evening Worship

6:30 pm

Dessert Social for Ms. Robins Retirement

MONDAY - July 21

12:00 pm

Lunch with Pastor Gary at Southern Roost

WEDNESDAY - July 23

5:30 pm

Family Supper

6:30 pm

Evening Bible Studies

SATURDAY - July 26

8:00 am

Youth Outing/Juniper Springs Canoe Trip

SUNDAY - July 27

8:45 am

Coffee Fellowship

9:15 am

Sunday School

10:30 am

Morning Worship/Kids Church

5:30 pm

Evening Worship

WEDNESDAY - July 30

5:30 pm

Family Supper

6:30 pm

Evening Bible Studies



Welcome!  
We Are Glad You Are Here!  
Sunday, July 20, 2025

# Church in Worship

*Sunday, July 20, 2025 • 10:30 AM*

## Worship Through Songs

Prelude Rick Lundgren

Song “*Victory in Jesus*”

### Baptismal Service

### VBS Presentation

Welcome and Announcements Alan Carrington

Song “*Friend of God*”

Song “*What a Friend We Have in Jesus*”

*Children Dismissed*

## Worship Through Tithes & Offering

Offertory Hymn “*Doxology*”

Offertory Prayer Deacon of the Week

Worship Through Tithes & Offerings

## *Message from God's Word*

Sermon Pastor Gary

Invitation “*Just As I Am*”

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!!!



A very special Thank you for all of the Volunteers for Vacation Bible School! We could not have done it without you!



Dessert Social  
TONIGHT, 6:30pm  
Robin Bostic, our church secretary is retiring. Come and enjoy something sweet and wish her well on her new journey into Retirement.



**FBC Youth Get-together  
Juniper Springs Canoe Trip  
Saturday, July 26th, 8am - 5pm**  
More info to come!



**Parents Night Out  
Saturday, August 9th,  
5pm - 8pm**  
Pizza, Games and Crafts  
So much fun!

There will be no Pastor lunch tomorrow.  
Pastor Gary is out of town.



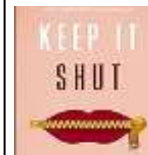
### \*\*\*\*SAVE THE DATE\*\*\*\*

Sunday, September 7th  
Church in the Park/  
Aquatic Center

We will have the Pavilion  
from 4pm --6pm

And we have rented the Aquatic Center  
from 6pm - 8pm. Come and bring a family  
member, friend or neighbor.

It is always a great time.



### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY *KEEP I T SHUT*

Please purchase the book  
and separate study guide,  
(available through

christianbook.com or Amazon.com)

Begins August 12<sup>th</sup> 6-7:30pm or

August 14<sup>th</sup> 10-11:30am

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by August 5<sup>th</sup> :

Phyllis (207)607-9617 or

[writenstamp@gmail.com](mailto:writenstamp@gmail.com)

Childcare available with registration  
Have you ever said something you re-  
gretted? wished you'd worded things  
differently? Got caught up in gossip?  
Karen is relatable and she directs us to  
*God's words about our words.* Learn  
what to say, how to say it and when to  
KEEP I T ZI PPED! Homework will include  
reading and workbook and classes will be  
1 ½ hours for 6 to 7 weeks.



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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  
\$267,936.85

Giving – Received to Date  
\$236,375.29

Monthly – Budgeted Need  
\$38,276.69

July - Giving Received  
\$24,170.30



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