

WE INVITE YOU TO BECOME A  
PART OF THE FIRST BAPTIST  
CHURCH-ST. MARYS' FAMILY

At the close of each service, we give an invitation to accept Jesus 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**

**10/12/25 - 10/18/25**

**JOHN DUBOSE 912-227-2761**

The flowers were placed in the Worship Center  
by Margie Doyle  
in memory of her husband,  
Ed Doyle






**CHILDREN WILL START IN THE SANCTUARY AT 10:30 AM AND THEN BE DISMISSED FOR CLASS**

Babies - 23 Months.....	Aries Richmond & Allison Perry
2 & 3 Year Olds.....	Kathie Branistareanu & Cheryl Stacy
Pre-K & Kindergarten.....	Susan Purcell & Olivia Popa
1st & 2nd Grade.....	Bella Dangerfield & Callie DeLorenzo
3rd - 5th Grade.....	Dustin & Sarah Nelson


**PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO THANK OUR VOLUNTEERS**



Can't make it to church? We've got you covered!!!

Go to [https://fbcstmarys.com/watch\\_live#content\\_start](https://fbcstmarys.com/watch_live#content_start)

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**ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK**

<b>SUNDAY, October 12</b>	8:45 am Coffee Fellowship
	9:15 am Sunday School
	10:30 am Morning Worship / Kids Church
	5:00 pm Children's Choir
	5:30 pm Evening Service / Youth Ministry
	6:30 pm Choir Practice
<b>MONDAY, October 13</b>	12:00 pm "Columbus Day"
	Lunch with the Pastor
<b>TUESDAY, October 14</b>	6:00 pm Ladies' Bible Study
	6:00 pm Men's Bible Study (Patrick's Home)
<b>WEDNESDAY, October 15</b>	5:30 pm Family Supper
	6:00 pm Young Couples Bible Study
	6:30 pm Evening Bible Studies
<b>THURSDAY, October 16</b>	10:00 am Ladies' Bible Study
<b>SATURDAY, October 18</b>	9:00 am FCA Youth Dodgeball (Rec Center)
<b>SUNDAY, October 19</b>	8:45 am Coffee Fellowship
	9:15 am Sunday School
	10:30 am Morning Worship
	5:00 pm Children's Choir
	5:30 pm Evening Service / Youth Ministry
	6:30 pm Choir Practice



Did you know?. Everyone in our congregation can access biblical videos on topics like marriage, parenting, youth, recovery, leadership, finances, and so much more. For more information, call the church or email Sarah at [sarah@fbcstmarys.com](mailto:sarah@fbcstmarys.com)



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WELCOME  
TO  
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
ST. MARYS



*"An intentional life is a purposeful life"*

Sunday, October 12, 2025

# Church in Worship

Sunday, October 12, 2025 • 10:30 AM

## Worship Through Songs

Prelude Rick Lundgren

Song “Made for More”

Song “Glorious Day”

Welcome and Announcements Alan Carrington

Song “Indescribable”

Song “The Lion and the Lamb”

Children Dismissed

## Worship Through Tithes & Offering

Offertory Hymn “Doxology”

Offertory Prayer John Dubose

Worship Through Tithes & Offerings

Special Music “Each One Reach One” Aubrey Hand

## Message from God's Word

Sermon Pastor Gary

Invitation “I Surrender All”

Have a Blessed Wee k!

### A Message For Our Visitors:

Thank you for spending your Sunday morning with us here at First Baptist Church St. Marys. If you would, please take a moment to fill out one of our connection cards located in the back of a pew or in the lobby. You can then drop the card in the offering plate during our service or join us in the lobby after the service to receive a small gift of gratitude to say, “Thank you for visiting and we hope to see you again soon!”



### ADULT CHOIR - TONIGHT - 6:30 PM



### CHILDREN'S CHOIR

TONIGHT FROM 5:00 PM TILL 6:30 PM



LUNCH WITH THE PASTOR  
EVERY MONDAY AT NOON  
AT SOUTHERN ROOST

### MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

EVERY OTHER TUESDAY  
AT 6:00 PM

NEXT STUDY IS OCTOBER 14TH  
AT PATRICK BARNES HOUSE  
115 WILLOW LAKE DR, KINGSLAND  
CALL PATRICK FOR MORE INFO 904-993-5477.



WOMEN OF WORTH  
“COME TO THE TABLE”

### LOVE OFFERING

OUR CHURCH WILL BEGIN COLLECTING A LOVE OFFERING UNTIL OCT 26, FOR PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH. WE WILL PRESENT THE OFFERING TO PASTOR GARY AND MRS. SHARON ON PASTOR APPRECIATION SUNDAY, NOV 2. YOU MAY GIVE DURING SERVICE (PLEASE DESIGNATE) OR ON REALM (SELECT GIVING, AND THEN THE PASTOR APPRECIATION OPTION)



### FLU SHOTS-OCTOBER 22ND

WILL BE OFFERED IN THE LIBRARY DURING WEDNESDAY DINNER. CALL THE CHURCH FOR MORE INFORMATION



### FBC ST. MARYS CHILDREN'S MISSION GROUPS

WEDNESDAYS AT 6:30 PM

### YOUNG COUPLES STUDY

Wednesdays 6-7:30 pm



WOMEN'S  
Bible Study

Tuesdays at 6:00 pm or Thursdays at 10:00 am

### HOMECOMING AND DINNER “ON THE GROUNDS”

---OCTOBER 19TH---

PLEASE PLAN TO BRING A DISH OR DESSERT TO SHARE  
DINNER WILL FOLLOW THE MORNING SERVICE



### Power of Prayer

If you would like to be added to our prayer chain e-mail list, please e-mail

Ms. Avie Roesch at [aroesch1102@gmail.com](mailto:aroesch1102@gmail.com)



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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  
\$382,766.92  
Giving – Received to Date  
\$343,628.17  
Monthly – Budgeted Need  
\$38,276.69  
October – Giving Received  
\$13,877.56

### ONLINE giving

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