

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.

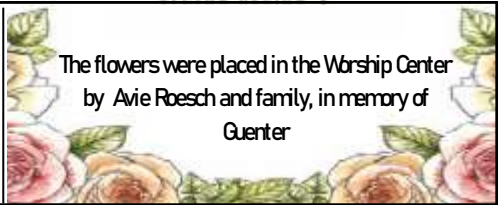
BY STATEMENT OF FAITH AND NEW TESTAMENT BAPTISM

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
10/19/25 - 10/25/25
TOM COCHRAN 304-890-1848

The flowers were placed in the Worship Center by Avie Roesch and family, in memory of Guenter






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

Babies - 23 Months.....	Jimmy and Vicky Campbell
2 & 3 Year Olds.....	Terry and Kristen Ziegler
Pre-K & Kindergarten.....	Kim Brown and Janet Smith
1st & 2nd Grade.....	Kris and Debra Imgrund
3rd - 5th Grade.....	OPEN.....


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

Or Scan the QR to watch the service wherever you go!



ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, October 19		"Homecoming"
8:45 am		Coffee Fellowship
9:15 am		Sunday School
10:30 am		Morning Worship / Kids' Church
12:00 pm		Dinner on the "Grounds"
		NO EVENING SERVICES
MONDAY, October 20		
12:00 pm		Lunch with the Pastor
TUESDAY, October 21		
6:00 pm		Ladies' Bible Study
WEDNESDAY, October 22		
5:30 pm		Family Supper / Flu Shots in Library
6:00 pm		Young Couples Bible Study
6:30 pm		Evening Bible Studies
THURSDAY, October 23		
10:00 am		Ladies' Bible Study
FRIDAY, October 24		
12:00 pm		Women of Worth - Clothing Swap
SUNDAY, October 26		
8:45 am		Coffee Fellowship
9:15 am		Sunday School
10:30 am		Morning Worship / Kids' Church
12:00 pm		Fall Festival Outreach
		NO EVENING SERVICES

@rightnow MEDIA

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

Join realm
and stay connected!

SCAN THE QR CODE to setup your account today and explore the benefits!



WELCOME TO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ST. MARYS



"An intentional life is a purposeful life"

Sunday, October 19, 2025

Church in Worship

Sunday, October 19, 2025 • 10:30 AM

Worship Through Songs

Prelude		Rick Lundgren
Song	<i>“Praise”</i>	
Song	<i>“I Will Sing Praise”</i>	
Special Music	<i>“High and Lifted Up”</i> solo- Denise Rose	Worship Choir
Prayer		Pastor Gary
Welcome and Announcements		Alan Carrington
Song	<i>“Praise Him! Praise Him”</i>	

Children Dismissed

Worship Through Tithes & Offering

Offertory Hymn	<i>“Doxology”</i>	
Offertory Prayer		Tom Cochran
Worship Through Tithes & Offerings		
Sermon	<i>Message from God's Word</i>	Rev. Vernon Dillingham
Invitation	<i>“Just As I Am”</i>	

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!”



WOMEN OF WORTH - CLOTHING SWAP
OCT. 24 FROM 12-7:00 PM
STOP IN AND “SHOP” FOR (NEW TO YOU) OUT FITS...
FREE! IF YOU HAVE ANY GENTLY USED CLOTHES
AND/OR SMALL ACCESSORIES YOU WOULD LIKE TO
DONATE TO THE SWAP, PLEASE
CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE.

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 28TH
AT PATRICK BARNES HOUSE
115 WILLOW LAKE DR, KINGSLAND
CALL PATRICK FOR MORE INFO 904-993-5477.

FLU SHOTS-OCTOBER 22ND
WILL BE OFFERED IN THE
LIBRARY DURING WEDNESDAY
DINNER. CALL THE CHURCH
FOR MORE INFORMATION

FALL FESTIVAL DONATION DUE DATES
OCT 22: SUNDAY SCHOOL BASKETS
OCT 26: CANDY AND/OR CAKE WALK ITEMS

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)



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



Kairos Prison Ministry
is requesting small bags, filled with
6 cookies each, for their next prison
retreat. Please bring in your baked
goods to the Fellowship Hall on
Wednesday, Nov. 5th by 6:00 pm.

Pancakes and Pajamas
IN CELEBRATION OF AN EXTRA HOUR OF
SLEEP, OUR CHILDRENS MINISTRY WILL
HAVE BREAKFAST AT 10:30 AM ON NOV 2ND
IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL. ANY DONATIONS
OF PANCAKE MIX, SAUSAGE, FRUIT, OJ, AND/
OR APPLE JUICE WOULD BE APPRECIATED

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

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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
\$392,336.10
Giving – Received to Date
\$350,798.71
Monthly – Budgeted Need
\$38,276.69
October – Giving Received
\$21,047.56

ONLINE giving

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