

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.



 <p>Deacon of the Week: 2/22/26-3/1/26</p> <p>TOM COCHRAN 304-890-1848</p> 	 <p>The flowers were placed in the Worship Center by: Veronique Wheeler, in memory of her daughter, Amanda Crymes</p>
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CHILDREN WILL START IN THE SANCTUARY AT 10:30 AM AND THEN BE DISMISSED FOR CLASS

Babies - 23 Months.....	Frances James and Valerie Capanna
2 & 3 Year Olds.....	Shawny Thorpe and Ginny Caldwell
Pre-K & Kindergarten.....	Gary and Teri Tolbert
1st & 2nd Grade.....	Chance and Amanda Harper
3rd - 5th Grade.....	OPEN.

PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO THANK OUR VOLUNTEERS

	<p>Can't make it to church? We've got you covered!!!</p> <p>Go to https://fbcstmarys.com/watch_live#content_start</p> <p>Or Scan the QR to watch the service wherever you go!</p>	
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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND	
8:45 am	Coffee and Fellowship
9:15 am	Sunday School
10:30 am	Morning Worship / Children's Church
4:00 pm	Church Movie Night - Kings Bay Cinemas
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD	
12:00 pm	Lunch with the Pastor
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH	
10:00 am	Women's Bible Study
6:00 pm	Men's Bible Study
6:00 pm	Women's Bible Study
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH	
5:30 pm	Wednesday Night Dinner
6:00 pm	Young Couples' Bible Study
6:00 pm	Children's Choir
6:30 pm	Church Activities
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH	
5:00 pm	Shaw's House Warming Party
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH	
9:00 am	Youth Work Day - Yard Sale Prep
SUNDAY, MARCH 1ST	
8:45 am	Coffee and Fellowship
9:15 am	Sunday School
10:30 am	Morning Worship / Children's Church
12:00 pm	VBS Informational Meeting
4:30 pm	Financial Peace University
5:30 pm	Evening Worship / Youth Groups
6:30 pm	Worship Choir Practice

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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

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WELCOME TO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ST. MARYS



*- Steadfast -
"Stand firm with Christ"*

Sunday, February 22, 2026

Church in Worship

Sunday, February 22 2026 • 10:30 AM

Worship Through Songs

Prelude		Rick Lundgren
Song	“O Worship the King”	
Song	“Crown Him with Many Crowns”	
Welcome and Announcements		Alan Carrington
Song	“The Blood Medley”	
Song	“O the Blood”	
<i>Children will be dismissed for Children’s Church</i>		

Worship Through Tithes & Offering

Offertory Hymn	“Doxology”	
Offertory Prayer		Tom Cochran
<i>Worship Through Tithes & Offerings</i>		
Special Music	“Written in Red”	Kathie Fortner
Message from God’s Word		
Sermon		Pastor Gary Smith
Invitation	“Just As I Am”	

Have a blessed week!

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!”



LUNCH WITH THE PASTOR
THIS MONDAY AT NOON
AT SOUTHERN ROOST

FBCSM CHILDREN’S MISSION GROUPS
WEDNESDAYS
AT 6:30 PM
PRE-K THRU 5TH GRADE
CHILDCARE PROVIDED FOR BABIES - 3 YEAR OLDS

IN MEMORY OF AN HOUR LOSS OF SLEEP, OUR CHILDRENS MINISTRY WILL ENJOY A BREAKFAST MEAL AT 10:30 AM ON MARCH 18TH IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL. ANY DONATIONS OF PANCAKE MIX, SAUSAGE, FRUIT, OJ, AND/OR APPLE JUICE WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED! PLEASE SEE ASHLI FOR INFO OR CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE

CHILDREN’S CHOIR
WEDNESDAYS AT 6:00 PM

FBCSM WORSHIP CHOIR
MARCH 1ST - 6:30 PM

VBS! VOLUNTEER MEETING
MARCH 1ST
AFTER AM SERVICE

FOR MORE INFO & TO RSVP, GO TO REALM. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP, YOU CAN LIST HOW WITH YOUR RSVP.

FEB 26TH **WELCOME HOME SHAWS** 5-7:00 PM
HOUSEWARMING PARTY

MEN’S BIBLE STUDY
EVERY TUESDAY AT 6:00 PM
HAROLD FORTNER’S CLASSROOM
(PLEASE ENTER THRU FELLOWSHIP HALL DOORS)
MEN AT ALL STEPS OF THEIR WALK WITH CHRIST ARE INVITED AND ENCOURAGED TO JOIN

YOUNG COUPLES STUDY
Wednesdays 6-7:30 pm

-YOUTH YARD SALE WORK DAY-
FEBRUARY 28TH @ 9 AM
PLEASE LET MR. TIM OR MRS. TASH KNOW IF YOU CAN HELP SORT AND ORGANIZE

KAIROS
PRISON MINISTRY
TO LEARN HOW YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE
CONTACT PATRICK BARNES (904) 993-5477

FBCSM YOUTH IS COLLECTING ITEMS FOR THE UPCOMING COMMUNITY/DOWNTOWN YARD SALE ON MARCH 7TH. IF YOU HAVE ITEMS TO DONATE, PLEASE SPEAK WITH A YOUTH MEMBER, MR. TIM, OR CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE. THANK YOU IN ADVANCE!

YARD SALE

WALK FOR LIFE
SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2026
FRIENDS OF SRY LARK.COM/WALK
JOIN OUR CHURCH WALK TEAM TODAY!

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 \$67,655.40
Giving – Received to Date \$76,091.28
Monthly – Budgeted Need \$38,660.23
February Giving Received \$43,016.66

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