



FBC MONTHLY



ST. MARYS

GARY SMITH, SENIOR PASTOR

OCTOBER 2025

WORD
OF THE
YEAR

intentional

"AN INTENTIONAL LIFE IS A PURPOSEFUL LIFE"

CURRENT ONGOING ACTIVITIES

WEDNESDAY NIGHT KIDS

6:30 P.M.



Pre-K- 5th Grade
CHILDCARE FOR BABIES TO 3YR

YOUNG COUPLES STUDY



WEDNESDAYS
6-7:30 PM

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER BEGINS AT 5:30 PM



LUNCH WITH THE PASTOR MONDAYS AT NOON

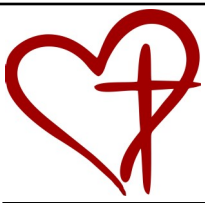


Worship Choir Practice SUNDAY EVENINGS AT 6:30 PM

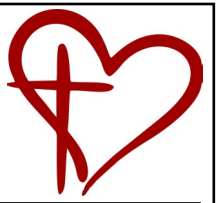


CHILDRENS CHOIR SUNDAYS AT 5:00 PM





From the Heart of the Pastor



Hey Church Family,

What a joy-filled summer it has been at FBC St. Marys! God has blessed us with new faces in our church family, and we've celebrated several baptisms together. What a reminder of God's goodness and faithfulness. We are excited about what He's doing in our midst and can't wait to see what this new season brings.

Homecoming Sunday – October 19

Homecoming is always a special time, and we'd love for you and your family to be here! Rev. Vernon Dillingham will be our guest preacher for this big day, and after the morning service we'll enjoy dinner on the grounds. Bring your favorite dish to share and come ready for a sweet time of fellowship. It's the perfect Sunday to invite friends, neighbors, and even those who haven't been in a while. Let's pack the house!



Fall Festival – October 26

The very next Sunday, October 26, we'll roll right into our annual Fall Festival after church. This is one of our favorite ways to bless our community with fun, food, and fellowship. There will be activities for all ages and plenty of opportunities to get to know people. We need lots of helping hands to make it happen, so if you can serve, whether by running a game, setting up, or just greeting families with a smile, we'd love to have you on the team.

Thank You Wednesday Night Dinner Team!

We can't close without a big shout-out to our Wednesday Fellowship Dinner team. Week after week, they serve up wonderful meals that bring us together as a church family. Their hard work, cheerful spirits, and delicious cooking are such a blessing. Thank you for making Wednesday nights feel like home!

Let's step into October with intentionally grateful hearts and a willingness to serve. God is moving among us; let's keep joining Him in the work! And remember, we shouldn't come to church to worship; we should come to church worshipping!

Pastor Gary

DEACONS FOR THE MONTH

OCTOBER 5TH

BILL BROWN

770-335-5000

OCTOBER 19TH

TOM COCHRAN

304-890-1848

OCTOBER 12TH

JOHN DUBOSE

912-227-2761

OCTOBER 26TH

TIM GRIFFIS

912-552-2258

Happy Birthday TO YOU...

10/1: ANN HUNTER
 10/3: BILL BROWN, ABBY CORBITT
 10/4: ISLA BOWEN, PASTOR GARY, AIRADESSA PATRICK
 10/5: PAT BROWN, STEPHEN CLEMENTS
 10/6: SCOUT CLEMENTS, CLARK SHAW, ROY ULMER, JOAN SMITH, SARAH NELSON
 10/7: RHONDA DUNN
 10/9: DOROTHY MILLER
 10/10: LIBBY TURNER
 10/14: BILL BARNES, MARK ZIEGLER
 10/18: MIKE BOSTIC, ALYRIC IMGRUND
 10/19: VEIGN DANGERFIELD, JACK PARR
 10/20: KEYANNA IMGRUND, JONATHAN OLIVER, BETTY GREEN
 10/21: JAN RIGGLE
 10/26: BOBBY MITCHELL
 10/27: ERIC SHAW
 10/30: JENNIFER NEYMAN

Happy Anniversary

OCTOBER 10TH:
JACK & CINDY PARR



WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS MONTH

WEDNESDAY- OCTOBER 1

5:30 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER
 6:00 PM YOUNG COUPLES' BIBLE STUDY
 6:30 PM EVENING BIBLE STUDIES

THURSDAY- OCTOBER 2

6:00 PM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

SUNDAY- OCTOBER 5

8:45 AM SUNDAY MORNING FELLOWSHIP
 9:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL
 10:30 AM MORNING WORSHIP
 12:00 PM CHILDREN'S FUNDRAISER LEMONADE STAND
 5:00 PM CHILDREN'S CHOIR
 5:17 PM YOUTH WIFFLE BALL AT AQUATIC CENTER
 5:30 PM EVENING WORSHIP
 6:30 PM CHOIR PRACTICE

MONDAY- OCTOBER 6

12:00 PM LUNCH WITH THE PASTOR

TUESDAY- OCTOBER 7

6:00 PM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAY- OCTOBER 8

5:30 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER
 6:00 PM YOUNG COUPLES' BIBLE STUDY
 6:30 PM EVENING BIBLE STUDIES

THURSDAY - OCTOBER 9

10:00 AM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

SATURDAY- OCTOBER 11

8:00 AM CHURCH WORK DAY
 5:00 PM MOMS' NIGHT OUT

SUNDAY- OCTOBER 12

8:45 AM SUNDAY MORNING FELLOWSHIP
 9:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL
 10:30 AM MORNING WORSHIP
 5:00 PM CHILDREN'S CHOIR
 5:30 PM EVENING SERVICES / YOUTH
 6:30 PM WORSHIP CHOIR

MONDAY - OCTOBER 13

12:00 PM COLUMBUS DAY
 LUNCH WITH THE PASTOR

TUESDAY - OCTOBER 14

6:00 PM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAY - OCTOBER 15

5:30 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER
 6:00 PM YOUNG COUPLES' BIBLE STUDY
 6:30 PM EVENING BIBLE STUDIES

THURSDAY - OCTOBER 16

10:00 AM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

SUNDAY- OCTOBER 19

8:45 AM SUNDAY MORNING FELLOWSHIP
 9:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL
 10:30 AM MORNING WORSHIP
 12:00 PM DINNER ON THE GROUNDS

MONDAY - OCTOBER 20

12:00 PM LUNCH WITH THE PASTOR

TUESDAY - OCTOBER 21

6:00 PM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY PARTY

WEDNESDAY - OCTOBER 22

5:30 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER
 6:00 PM YOUNG COUPLES' BIBLE STUDY
 6:30 PM EVENING BIBLE STUDIES

THURSDAY - OCTOBER 23

10:00 AM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

SUNDAY- OCTOBER 26

8:45 AM SUNDAY MORNING FELLOWSHIP
 9:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL
 10:30 AM MORNING WORSHIP
 1:00 PM FALL FESTIVAL

MONDAY - OCTOBER 27

12:00 PM LUNCH WITH THE PASTOR

TUESDAY - OCTOBER 28

6:00 PM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAY - OCTOBER 29

5:30 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER
 6:00 PM YOUNG COUPLES' BIBLE STUDY
 6:15 PM TRUNK OR TREAT AT METHODIST CHURCH
 6:30 PM EVENING BIBLE STUDIES

THURSDAY - OCTOBER 30

10:00 AM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Sunday Children's Church

OCTOBER 5TH

BABIES-23 MONTHS: Melodie Page & Tash Griffis
2-3 YEAR OLDS: Ryan & Jordan Thompson
PreK-KINDERGARTEN: Tiffany Valentik & Piper Hand
1ST-2ND GRADE: Rhonda & Lindsey Dunn
3RD-5TH GRADE: **OPEN**

OCTOBER 12TH

BABIES-23 MONTHS: Aries Richmond & Allison Perry
2-3 YEAR OLDS: Kathie Branistareanu & Cheryl Stacy
PreK-KINDERGARTEN: Susan Purcell & Olivia Popa
1ST-2ND GRADE: Bella Dangerfield & Callie DeLorenzo
3RD-5TH GRADE: Dustin & Sarah Nelson

OCTOBER 19TH

BABIES-23 MONTHS: Jimmy & Vicky Campbell
2-3 YEAR OLDS: Terry & Kristen Ziegler
PreK-KINDERGARTEN: Kim Brown & Janet Smith
1ST-2ND GRADE: Kris & Debria Imgrund
3RD-5TH GRADE: **OPEN**

OCTOBER 26TH

BABIES-23 MONTHS: Frances James & Valerie Capanna
2-3 YEAR OLDS: Shawny Thorpe & Ginny Caldwell
PreK-KINDERGARTEN: Gary & Teri Tolbert
1ST-2ND GRADE: Chance & Amanda Harper
3RD-5TH GRADE: **OPEN**

Wednesday Night Missions

BABIES: Veronique Wheeler & Ashli Shaw
TODDLERS: Hayley, Haley, & Mrs. Ivy
MISSION FRIENDS: Tash Griffis & Lynne Pipkins
GIRLS IN ACTION (1ST-5TH GRADE): Melodie Page, Kathie Branistareanu, & Heidi Barnes
ROYAL AMBASSADORS (1ST-5TH GRADE): David Thorpe & Gary Tolbert

LAUGHTER IS THE BEST MEDICINE

Which seating section would you prefer for our offering?

