

October 5, 2025



ENTERPRISE

FIRST BAPTIST

We Exist to Glorify God by Making Disciples of All Nations
WORSHIP • CONNECT • SERVE • MULTIPLY

Sunday Worship

October 5, 2025

8:15 AM Service

Baby Dedication

Dr. Ben Bowden

Welcome

Congregational Singing - Take You at Your Word

Confession of Sin

Chris Duke

Congregational Singing - Jesus Paid It All

Assurance of Pardon

Dr. Kaleb Wimberly

Pastoral Prayer

Congregational Singing - Crown Him

Sermon - Deuteronomy | Worship & Idolatry
Deuteronomy Chapters 12 - 13

Dr. Ben Bowden

Song of Response - The Heart of Worship

Announcements

Dr. Kaleb Wimberly

Benediction

Lee Scarborough

10:45 AM Service

Baptism of - Lance Hitt

Dr. Ben Bowden

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RESPONSIVE READING

Confession of Sin

Pastor: [Oh God] let your ear be attentive and your eyes open to hear the prayer of your servant that I now pray before you day and night.

People: Confessing the sins of the people of Israel, which we have sinned against you.

Pastor: Even I and my Father's house have sinned.

People: We have acted corruptly against you and have not kept the commandments that you commanded your servant Moses.

Assurance of Pardon (from Colossians 2:13-14)

Pastor: God [has] made [us] alive together with him.

People: Having forgiven us all our trespasses.

Pastor: By canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands.

People: This he set aside, nailing it to the cross.

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERINGS

September 28, 2025

Total Worship Attendance.....	786
Sunday School Attendance.....	800
Additions to Membership (since September 1, 2025)	
• Baptisms	6
• Other Additions	5
Tithes & Offerings	\$ 35,060.92
Designated Gifts	\$ 3,905.00
Total Receipts	\$ <u>38,965.92</u>
Tithes/Offerings Week	\$ 35,060.92
Budget Goal Week	\$ 39,363.45
Budget (Short) or Over Week	\$ <u>(4,302.53)</u>
Tithes/Offerings YTD	\$ 2,222,119.77
Budget Goal YTD	\$ 2,108,383.68
Budget (Short) or Over YTD	\$ <u>113,736.09</u>
Budget Goal 10/05/2025	\$ 87,861.44
Budget Goal 10/12/2025	\$ 72,869.99
Goal (Myers - Mallory)	\$ 25,000.00
Given (Myers - Mallory)	\$ <u>25,945.00</u>
Overage	\$ <u>945.00</u>

OCTOBER 5 - OCTOBER 11, 2025

Sunday, October 5

Auditions for Children's Choir Christmas Play | 2 - 4 PM | Launchpad
Financial Peace University | 4:00 PM | C-110
Evangelism Training for Boll Weevil Fall Festival | 4:00 PM | B-101
Children's Choir | 5:00 PM | Launchpad
Chris Duke Ordination | 5:00 PM | Sanctuary

Monday, October 6

Community Bible Study | 10:00 AM | Chapel
Advanced 3rd-5th Grade Ballet | 4:00 PM | Baptist Center Back
Boy Scouts Weekly Meeting | 6:30 PM | Scout Hut
Cub Scouts Bi-Weekly Meeting | 6:30 PM | Baptist Center

Tuesday, October 7

K3-K4 Ballet | 3:00 PM | Baptist Center Back
K5-1st Grade Ballet | 4:00 PM | Baptist Center Back
2nd Grade-4th Grade Ballet | 5:00 PM | Baptist Center Back

Wednesday, October 8

Senior Adult Ladies Game Time | 1:00 PM | A-108
Wednesdays @ FIRST
4:30 PM - Fellowship Meal
5:00 PM - Playgrounds Open (*weather permitting*)
6:00 PM - Adult Bible Studies
6:00 PM - Preschool, Children Activities, and Student Worship
6:15 PM - Adult Choir

Thursday, October 9

Intercessor Prayer Time | 8:30 AM | B-110
Quilting Group | 1:00 PM | A-105
K3-K4 Ballet | 4:00 PM | Baptist Center Back

BABY DEDICATION

8:15 AM

Landen Elizabeth Graves

Parents: Mitchell & Morgan Graves

DOB: 02/20/2025

8 lbs 5 oz, 21.5 in long

The flowers in the sanctuary have been placed in loving memory of Ann McKinnon by her family.
Don't have a Bible? We would like for you to take home a Bible located in the pew in front of you.

FAMILY AND PERSONAL DEVOTION

Scripture Memory:

Everything that I command you, you shall be careful to do. You shall not add to it or take from it.

Deuteronomy 12:32

Catechism:

Can anyone go to heaven with this sinful nature?

No. Our hearts must be changed before we can be fit for heaven.

(Ezekiel 36:25-27; Jeremiah 31:33-34;

John 1:12-13; 3:1-10)

DEACONS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 6 - OCTOBER 12, 2025

Brock Mathews

Noah Paramore

Josh Howard

If you need a Deacon for anything this week, please call the church office (334-393-5683).

Worship, Prayer, Fun & Food

Sermon Notes: _____

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Nursing Mother's room located under Sanctuary.

TOP 4 ANNOUNCEMENTS – October 5

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Chris Duke Ordination @ 5:00 PM

Please join us in the Sanctuary for the ordination service of Chris Duke.

Children's Choir (grades 1-5) will meet in the Launchpad.

Pancake Breakfast- 2026 Camp Fundraiser

Join us in the Fellowship Hall on October 26 for a pancake breakfast. Donation will go toward NextGen 2026 Camps. Sunday Schools will still meet as usual.

Come get a plate and go to your class.

Church Directory Photos

If you still need to make an appointment for your Church Directory photo, times are: Sundays 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM and Wednesdays 4:00 PM to 5:30 PM.

October 19th is the last day to have photos taken. Every family will receive a free digital photo, and a full-color directory will be available for **\$5**. Please scan the QR code in the October Monthly for simple online sign-up, or call the Church Office at (334) 393-5683 to book your appointment.

Pastor Ben's 10 Year Celebration

Join us in the Sanctuary, October 19, 5:00-7:00 PM to celebrate Pastor Ben's 10 years of honoring God's work and dedication through his ministry.

Worship, Prayer, Fun & Food



Prayer Alert: Sunday, October 5, 2025

First Baptist Church Enterprise

"I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession, and thanksgiving be made for everyone."
1 Timothy 2:1

Health Concerns

Tinker Austin – released from rehab, pray for continued recovery
Chris Blount – at UAB critical care, endocarditis; relief from pain, healing
George Heneveld – Recovery from stroke
Mike Morgan –pray for oncology appt. this week - discuss meds, pain mgt.
Judy Phillips – dealing with continuing pain; pray for healing & relief
Willard Whitehead – recovering from a fall, MCE Rehab, Room #304

Deaths

JoAnn Arnold Kent (Rex Kent's Mother)
9/27; Services 9/29 in Warner Robbins,
GA
Gunther Klein (Mike Morgan's Uncle), 9/24.
Please pray for his widow, Joyce Morgan Klein
94 yo, and for Mike who is unable to travel to
Houston to be with his Aunt due to health
concerns.

Homebound Members

Mary Ellen Williams

Enterprise Health & Rehab

Sarah Donaldson (520-A)
Joanne Harris (Rm. 402)
Ruth Harris (Rm. 702)
Betty Jane Hunt (Rm. 124-B)
Jackie Quisenberry (210-B)
Don Robinson (Rm. 222-A)
Anne Simmons (Rm. 705)
Karen Whitehead (Rm. 508)

Other Health & Rehab Facilities

Jerry Austin (Kelley Place #111)
Ann Bourne (Serenity South- Rm.108)
Suzanne Nagy (Serenity South)
Gene Reynolds (Madison Heights)
Glenda Roush (Hartford)
Peggy Hood Waters (Madison, MS)

Military/Deployed / Contract

(*Member of FBCE)
Trace Head (Middle East)
Samuel Kennis (Pensacola, FL)
Austin Kong (Middle East)
Layton Smith* (Camp Pendleton, CA)
Wyatt Simmons (Camp Pendleton, CA)
Owen Sweitzer (Germany)

Ongoing Concerns

Lindsey Aitken	Gail Hadden	Phyllis Mahan	Participants	Josh Simmons	Ed Waites
Paul Anderson III	Anna Harris	Charlotte Martin	Lora O'Neal	Trish Sims	June Waites
Jerry Austin	George Heneveld	Jeremy "JJ" Burton	Gibson Phillips	Janice Smith	Cindy Waites
Frances Brown	Chester Holland	Jerry Morgan	Audrey Randolph	Joe Swain	Wayne Williams
Dee Brunson	Darlene Hover	Mary Morgan	David Redd	Phyllis Talmadge	
Holly Carter	Peggy Ishee	Mike Morgan	Cindy Rice	Jo Thompson	
Louise Donaldson	Gloria Jones	Larry Murphy	Amanda Scarbrough	Jody Thorn	
Betty Groom	Reba Judson	New Life Recovery	Lester Shambley	Aara Trott	

Missionary (Partners)

Nathan & Abigail, London	David & Jessica Hagins, Uganda
Chase & Kimmey, Haiti	Kevin & Wendy Jordan, Myanmar
The Carmichaels, South Asia	Mike & Vickie Graham
The Skinners, Honduras	Stu & Brynn Sims, Papua New Guinea

Church Planters (Partners)

Christ Covenant, Buckhead—Jason & Paige Dees
City View Church, Atlanta—Dustin & Danielle Lee
Lakeshore Church, New Orleans—George & Joy Ross
Life Community Church, Boston—Noah & Tarin Madden

Special Events, Missions and Ministries

Alabama Baptist Children's Home	Martin Trailer Court Ministry	School Systems
Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts	Mentoring Matters	Small Steps Preschool/
Camp Victory	Military Ministry	Kindergarten
Christian Mission	New Life Recovery	The Vineyard
Community Bible Study	Operation Christmas Child	Visitation Ministry
First Priority/Priority Kids	Nursing Home Ministry	

Non-Member Ongoing Concerns

Nina Carter – (previously worked in FBCE Sunday childcare), now military. Broke her spine in a fall while on duty; had surgery, doctors expect 30-day recovery; continue to pray for healing, pain mgt, residential quarters without stairs after hospital

Margie Riley – (Mother of Makisha Thorn) Pray for recovery after stroke and surgery

Ren Wooten – (6 yo grandson of Pam Fowler) Lives in Korea, has endocrine disorder that limits growth. Gets daily shots but needs a miracle; also has bronchitis.

Max Oden- (Son of Leslie Oden, Office Staff) Pray for healing, travel mercies for Leslie and family and for the medical staff caring for Max. Max was involved in a cycling accident and has sustained numerous serious injuries.

Praise Reports (Please let us know if there is a praise report we should add to this section!)

Lamar Loftin (grandfather of Ellis Loftin– At home, surgery successful!

Non-Member Cancer Concerns (Those on this list remain for 4 weeks unless extension requested)

Arlene Bailey	Bill Curtis	Dodd Hawthorne	Monty Jones	Kathy McKelvey
Nathan Brown	Linda Curtis	Todd Huddleston	Dale Massey	Peggy Parrish
Joe Burnett	Laurie Davis	Kay Huddleston	Carol McClosky	Kelly Stewart
Robert Craft	Meloni Gibson	David Ingram	Diane McCulloch	

First Baptist Church Staff

Dr. Ben Bowden, Pastor

Dr. Kaleb Wimberly, Associate Pastor

Chris Duke, Minister of Music

Dr. Rex Kent, Minister to Senior Adults

Rev. Marc Edge, Minister to High School

Rev. Zach Clark, Minister to Middle School

Catherine Sims, Minister to Preschool / Children

Katrina Scarborough, Director of Preschool

Rev. Anthony Brothers, Minister of Media & Technology

Harrison Smith, Minister of Outreach and Missions

Joel Young, Administrator

Melissa Baxley, Financial Secretary

Marianne Schwab, Ministry Asst. to Pastor / Administrator

Leslie Oden, Min. Asst. to Assoc. Pastor / Outreach & Missions

Kristi Davis, Min. Assistant to Music / Media & Technology

Diane Bourne, Ministry Assistant to Next Gen Ministry

Allison Robley, Min. Assistant to Sr. Adults / Administrator

Gerry Davis, Ministry Assistant to Senior Adults

Chuck Dallal, Ministry Trainee

Hilda Hagins, Organist/Music Associate

Carol Windham, Pianist/Music Associate

Anna Windham, Classical Ballet Director

Le Ann Thomas, Director of Small Steps

Jessica Hawbaker, Assistant Director of Small Steps

Melissa Whitt, Associate Director of Small Steps

Kayla Tharp, Associate Director of Small Steps

Bayleigh Bastion, Director of Food Services

Carolyn Bryant, Food Service Assistant

Brent Slawson, Director of Facilities

Coltan Bastion, Maintenance Assistant

Ray Slawson, Maintenance Assistant

Justin Davis, Setup and Floors Custodian

Bryan Finch, Weekend Setup Custodian / Food Service Asst.

Marquita Owens, Housekeeper

Jessica Miranda, Housekeeper

Fred Smith, Groundskeeper / Food Service Assistant

For Updates, Additions or Deletions, please contact the Church Office at 334-393-5683