

# CONNECTIONS

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Connecting the Past, the Present, and the Future

### A Joyful July at FBCT

The month of July was a season of joy and encouragement in the life of our church family. We were blessed to welcome two new members into fellowship and experienced strong Sunday attendance, including many first-time visitors. We are deeply grateful for the faithful presence of our members each week. Regular participation in worship is not only a blessing to the body but a vital part of our calling as members of Christ's church.

Our student ministry had a vibrant and active July, filled with meaningful fellowship, joyful activities, and weekly engagement with the Word of God. We extend heartfelt thanks to the many volunteers who gave their time and energy to lead and support our youth during the summer months.

The Student Pastor Search Committee has been faithfully and prayerfully seeking the individual God is calling to serve in this important role. The church has received several resumes, and the process of discernment continues. Please join us in praying for the committee and those being considered for this position, that the Lord's will may be made clear.

As we prepare for a new school year, we're excited to launch our new Wednesday night children's ministry, Rooted. While the structure will feel familiar, this refreshed program features a new curriculum and an even greater emphasis on biblical instruction and spiritual growth. We look forward to seeing how God will use this ministry in the lives of our children and families.

As we enter the fall season, may we do so with hearts full of expectancy. Let us continue to pray fervently, participate faithfully, and press on together toward the prize for which God has called us heavenward in Christ Jesus (Philippians 3:14).

In Christ's love,  
FBCT Pastors

### August 6<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday Night Supper  
Resumes 5:30 pm

Wednesday Prayer Meeting  
Resumes 6:15 pm

### August 17<sup>th</sup>

Deacon's Meeting  
5:00 pm in Bldg. C

### August 21<sup>st</sup>

Senior Adult Day Trip!  
Lagrange, Ga

### September 03<sup>rd</sup>

Children's Ministry Resumes  
3:15 pm-5:30 pm

Youth Group  
Wednesdays @ 6:30pm, Florida  
Room (Building B)

## Talk To Us

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### Youth Group

Wednesdays @ 6:30 pm,  
Florida Room (Building B)

## August Events



### Senior Adult Day Trip!

August 21, Lagrange, Ga

(Hills and Dales Callaway family Estate Tour & Fried  
Tomato Buffet)

Leave church 8:45am, return at approximately 3:00pm  
\$20 cash per person and bring \$ for lunch. (Call the  
church office to reserve a seat, only 14 available!)

House of  
Care needs  
Ramen  
Noodles &  
Vienna  
Sausage for  
the month of  
August



OPEN MON & WED  
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM



### Wednesday Supper Resumes

August 6 @ 5:30pm  
Must Reserve meal reservations  
online each week by going to  
website or app, find the calendar,  
and register under supper date.

## Volunteers needed:

Wednesday Afternoon Children's  
Ministry Volunteers Needed

If you are interested in  
volunteering in any of these time  
slots, please contact Andy by  
calling the church office or  
emailing him at  
[ajohnston@fbcthomaston.org](mailto:ajohnston@fbcthomaston.org).  
The schedule will start on the  
Wednesday after Labor Day and  
continue until the end of April.

### What We Offer?

- ✓ SNACK: 3:15PM-3:40PM
- ✓ CHOIR: 3:45PM-4:15PM
- ✓ RECESS/GAMES: 4:20PM-4:50PM
- ✓ BIBLE/WORSHIP: 4:55PM-5:25PM
- ✓ BIG GROUP PRAYER/PICK UP: 5:30PM

## BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Maria Moseley
- Chad Rosborough
- Jade Stallings
- Dana Leslie York
- 3 Brenton Haygood
- 4 Julie Love
- Joan Matthews
- Katie Sosebee
- 5 Emily Caldwell
- 7 Karen Howell
- Brian B. Oglesbee
- Alexander Weason
- Britney Weason
- Diane Wildes
- 8 Nancy Allen
- Joy Garrison
- 9 Kathy Gish
- Ken Love
- Christi Parrott
- Jade Roberts
- 10 Megan Johnson
- 11 Jan Knight
- 12 Jackson Wells
- 15 Seth Gardner
- Sue Mallard
- 16 Martha Gaskins
- Jeann Westberry
- 19 Barbara Greene
- Brenda Holstrom
- Harper Johnston
- 20 Jace Chastain
- Phyllis Franklin
- Mary Knight
- 21 Faye Bridges
- Clifford Jay Porter
- Betty Pressley
- Sybil Uphold
- 22 Frances Goss
- 23 David M Adams
- 25 Karen Roberts
- 26 Chris Hosey
- Ralph Warnock
- 28 Harold Stevens
- 31 Barbara Tarpley
- Pebble Thornton

### SUNDAY CHURCH HOURS: WEDNESDAY

8:30 am Worship  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship

3:15-5:30 pm Children's Ministry  
5:30 pm Wednesday Night Supper  
6:15 pm Prayer Meeting/Celebration Choir  
6:30 pm Youth Group  
7:15 pm Frontline

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