

## Church Calendar Events

### Sunday Morning, August 7th

8:30am ~ Worship  
9:30 - 9:50am ~ Lite Breakfast  
9:45am ~ Bible Study for All Ages  
10:30 - 10:55 ~ Media Center  
11:00am ~ Worship

### Sunday Evening, August 7th

2-4pm Baby Shower in FLC  
No other evening activities

### Wednesday Morning, August 10th

9:30am ~ 12:00pm - Media Center

### Wednesday Evening, Aug. 10th

5:15 - 6:00pm ~ Bring your brown bag dinner & fellowship in FLC.  
6 ~ 7pm ~ KFC Bible Study, 4yr. olds to rising 6th ~ Rm 222  
6 ~ 7pm ~ Youth Bible Study Rising 7th -12th ~ Basement  
6:15pm ~ Adult Bible Study & Prayer Time  
6:30pm ~ Praise Team Practice in the choir room

A meal, and  
so much more.

WE ARE  
**Meals On Wheels**  
so no senior goes hungry.

**Volunteers NEEDED!**

DO YOU HAVE 2 to 3  
HOURS ONE DAY A  
MONTH???

We need your help  
delivering a hot meal  
to local area shut-ins  
on the 3rd Tuesday  
each month.

Call Jean Williamson 945-2384 who is currently serving.

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\* Bridal Shower celebrating *McKenna Castellow* \*  
\* *This Sunday, August 7th* at 2 o'clock in the FLC \*  
\* Registered with Amazon, Target, Bed Bath & Beyond \*  
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We need some NEW team members to join the 4th Sunday Team. Please call Reggie Baker 252-946-8325

## First Baptist Church 200 Year Anniversary Celebration

~ **October 9, 2022** ~



In 1930, during the early months of the Great Depression, the Rev. J. R. Everette was called to serve as pastor of First Baptist. He was instrumental in initiating the unified budget plan, though First Baptist struggled financially. Church minutes reveal that the congregation borrowed from the Bank of Washington several times to pay bills. Nevertheless, acoustical alteration of the church dome and carpeting were made possible through the efforts of the women of the church during his pastorate. Also, during Rev. Everett's tenure, the debt for the construction of and alterations to the 1917 building was finally paid, the mortgage was burned, and the building was dedicated December 5, 1937. Church membership grew to 430. Rev. Everette served until 1943 when he left to serve as an Army Chaplain during World War II.

Dear church family & friends, do you have any historical items, pictures or memorabilia that you would be willing to let us display for this special 200 year celebration of our church history?

Please call Joyce Gardner at 252-944-9370. She will secure your items, label, and return them after our event on **Oct. 9, 2022.**

## The Informer

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## 200<sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary Celebration

October 9, 2022

~ No Breakfast

9:45am ~ Bible Study for All Ages

11:00am ~ Single Worship Service followed  
by Catered Lunch and Blue Grass Gospel



## Anniversary Invitations

We need your help getting mailing addresses or other contact information of Former Members who have moved away.


Please fill out one of the cards that have been provided and return to the church office or email: [teresa@thefirstbaptistchurch.com](mailto:teresa@thefirstbaptistchurch.com) ~ asap!



**Wrapping up our Summer**  
**Youth & Children**  
**Join us for a**  
**Water Fun Night**  
**Wednesday, August 24th**  
**6pm in FLC**

**Bring a towel and**  
**some clothes you**  
**can get wet in.**

**You may need to bring**  
**dry clothes too!**  
**Hope to see you there!**




**Emmaus Walk Meeting**  
**on August 14, 2022**  
**In the FLC at 4pm**

**If you have ever been on an Emmaus Walk we need**  
**you to come help decide what we would like to do**  
**for the upcoming Fall Walks.**

**Please bring your agape ideas to share.**

**FBCW Contact Chastity Perry 252-945-6206**



**Church**  
**Renewal Journey**  
**24-Hour Prayer Vigil**  
**September 15, 2022**

We would love to cover our Church Renewal Journey weekend with a 24 hour Prayer Vigil on Thurs, September 15th. Prayer prompts will be available.

Join us in seeking God's direction in our lives as individuals and as a church family. Please sign up online for an hour that you will commit to pray. The church sanctuary will be unlocked during the hours of 6am until 6pm. The remaining time you can pray from home using the same prayer prompt sheets that will be made available the week prior at the welcome center and other entrances.

For help signing up, call the church office, 252-946-8074.



**Church**  
**Renewal Journey**  
**September 16 ~ 18**

It is a weekend designed to reawaken the church to our purpose and passion, to refresh us with a godly perspective, and renew our love for Christ.

A team of Baptists from throughout the nation will come to lead us in small groups, in larger worship gatherings, and for meals together.

*"Repent and return..., in order that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord." Acts 3.19*

**SAVE THESE DATES ~ Activities for the whole family.**

*We will need you to register your family for this renewal weekend. Online registration will be available soon... We'll let you know.*

**Serving the Week of August 7th**

**Nursery Workers** - Joan Harris, Beth Coats, Lisa Silva, Patty Lewis, Tyler & Derek Brooks

**Children's Church - 8:30 ~ Crystal Modlin**  
**11:00 ~ Joy Stallings**

**Deacon of the Week - Joan Harris**

**Deacon Team Members** - Peter Omonde, Linda Fann

**Breakfast Team – George Piegols ~ 1st Sunday Team**

**Audio/Visual Ministry Team** - John Davis, Brody Fox, Wyatt Renfrow, Emerson Asby, Fred Anderson, Don Fann, Jimmy Harris, Robert Sebald, Carol Evans. **Anyone interested in serving in the Audio/Visual Ministry, call Jesse Davis 946-8074 or Carol Evans 252-531-8901.**

| Financial Report for July 31, 2022 |    |            |
|------------------------------------|----|------------|
| YTD Budget Requirement (WK 44)     | \$ | 540,299.32 |
| YTD Budget Receipts                | \$ | 601,492.27 |
| Budget- <u>Over</u> /Under         | \$ | 61,192.95  |
| Weekly Budget Requirement          | \$ | 12,279.53  |
| Actual Budget Offering             | \$ | 12,242.00  |



**Sunday morning,**  
**August 21<sup>st</sup> at**  
**Both Services**

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