

First Baptist Church

Valdosta, Georgia



First Family Chimes

Love God, Love Others, Love the World



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Rev. Ken Hall

Message from God's Word
Sunday, June 7, 2026
Foundational Stones
Rev. Ken Hall

Student Ministry



Rev. Davis Howell

Summer Calendar
FBCV STUDENTS SUMMER 2026

<p>June 1 - 5 : IMPACT CAMP</p> <p>June 8 - 11 : TEMPO CAMP (Volunteer Opportunity)</p> <p>June 17 : Student Ministry Day Trip</p> <p>June 21 - 24 : VBS (Volunteer Oppourtiniy)</p>	<p>July 4th : Happy America 250!</p> <p>July 9 : Student Ministry Day Trip</p> <p>July 13 - 18 : FUGE Camp</p> <p>July 22 : Student Ministry Day Trip</p> <p>July 26 - 29 : COLLAB Week 2026</p>
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Children Ministry



Rev. Justin Devereaux

Tempo Camp
JUNE 8-11

Summer Calendar

- July 5: One Service in Sanctuary (No Sunday School)
- July 9: Kids Day Trip
- July 21: Kids Day Trip
- July 27: Water Day
- August 9: Sunday Night Kids Resume

SHINING A LIGHT ON WHO JESUS REALLY IS
ILLUMINATION STATION
JOHN 8:12

VBS 2026: June 21-24
5:30– 8:00pm



Rev. Terry Sampson

Education/Administration Ministry

Sunday Night Bible Study

6:00 PM.

Benny Olliff is teaching a series of lessons on the Book of John.
Harrell Sunday School Classroom



Adult VBS June 21-24, 2026

Speaker: Joel Weaver

6PM in the Outlaw Class

Music Ministry

Finger Pointing or Cross bearing

"Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."

Galatians 6:2



Dr. J. Michael Dennis

My basketball coach deserves a place in the Alabama High School Sports Hall of Fame for putting up with those rambunctious teenage boys from New Site, Alabama. I was one of them, yes, but less chaotic than others, in my opinion. In all the seasons I played, I had many reasons to complain and to point a finger at the coach or teammates. Imagine what my coach would have said if one of us blamed a teammate or complained about the hard drills or long hours. (I'll not recount those tirades that live in my memory when it did happen.) My job as a player was to work hard, to train consistently, to collaborate well, and to follow the game plan. When I failed, I was made to understand my mistakes, own them, and work harder. Blame was not an acceptable answer. We were working to overcome and to win.

In my spiritual journey, my role is communal as well as individual. I have a duty to learn to love God more and more and to confess when I fail and to reset with diligence. I also have a responsibility to carry the burdens of another. Praying for, providing for, listening to, and loving my neighbor through life's challenges is my job in the kingdom.

Could I choose to blame God for my challenges? I could but to my own detriment.

Are my circumstances perfect so I can serve my neighbor with ease? Not often, but I daily choose to love my neighbor and honor my Savior. As a believer, I can do no less.

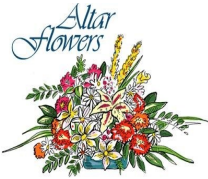
Missions Ministry



Rev. Mac Weaver

**Romania Mission Trip
September 6-18, 2026**

First Family News



Sanctuary Flowers

The beautiful flowers are placed in the Sanctuary to the glory of God and in memory of Will Burgsteiner, Bill & Edwina Burgsteiner by Jane Burgsteiner

Please Pray For The Search Committee

Pray for our next pastor's family. Whether married or single, having children or not, pray that God would strengthen and guide the new pastor's family as they are led toward our church. Give them peace in knowing God's will.

And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him: bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God; being strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy; giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.

Colossians 1:19-12

Wednesday Prayer Meeting/ Lunch

Wednesday, June 3, 12PM

Family Life Center

Menu: Fried Fish, Cole Slaw, Cheese Grits, Hush Puppies,

Salad, June Birthday Cake/ Ice Cream

Donation \$8 per person

Pastor Search Committee

Greg Hunter, Chair; Jim Clary, Kristen Fielding, Scott/Cara Goodwin, Patrick Hill, Sylvia Hutton, Candice Massie, Jared McGahee, Susan Wiggins

Pastor Search Update

The team is now accepting resumes. We will work through each one carefully, trusting God to lead us to the right person for our church.

Candidates can learn more and submit materials at fbcvaldosta.org/hiring.

We ask that you continue praying for the Pastor Search Team and for wisdom as they work through this process.

Church Staff

Rev. Ken Hall, Transition Pastor

Rev. Terry Sampson, Minister of Education & Administration

Rev. Justin Devereaux, Minister to Children & Families

Rev. Dr. J. Michael Dennis, Minister of Music

Rev. Davis Howell, Student Minister

Rev. Mac Weaver, Missions Pastor

Rev. Dennis Massie, Church Pastoral Ministry

Caitlin Moore Parizek, Pianist

Joe Corbett, Praise & Worship Leader

Amy Barnes, Financial Secretary

Becky Royals, Church Secretary

Melissa Stephens, Events/Evangelism Coordinator

Cathy Harrison, Wedding Coordinator

Terri Warren, Preschool Coordinator

Teresita Carver, Custodial Staff

Helana Bennett, Custodial Staff

Angelia Miller, Food Service Coordinator

CeCe Little, Food Service Assistant

This Week at FBC

June 7– June 14, 2026

Sunday Evening

6:00pm Bible Study

Monday June 8

9:00am Food Ministry

Wednesday June 10

12:00pm Prayer Meeting/Lunch

6:30pm Choir Practice

Thursday June 11

6:30pm Worship Team Practice

Saturday June 13

9:00am Food Ministry

9:00am Lilies Clothing Ministry

Sunday June 14

8:30am Traditional Worship

Sanctuary

9:30am Sunday School

10:30am Contemporary Worship

Family Life Center

Lilies Clothing Ministry
9– 11:45 am
Saturday, June 13
Monday, June 15

May 31, 2026

Sunday School

Total Attendance 233

Worship Service

Total Attendance 278

Sunday Evening Classes

Bible Study 6

Wednesday, June 3

Prayer Meeting 42

Choir Practice 18

Total Attendance 60

FBC Food Ministry

	May	YTD 2026	Grand Totals
People served ages 0-18	82	330	66,261
People served ages 19-64:	142	650	76,981
People served ages 65 & up:	198	971	54,111
Total People Served:	422	1,951	197,350
Total Meals Given:	7,818	37,677	4,188,746

05/31/2026

Weekly Budget Needs

\$34,189.10

Budget Receipts

\$20,234.00

Budget Needs to Date

\$752,160.12

Budget Gifts to Date

\$616,432.41

% of Budget Needs

to Date—81.95%

(Figures are based on weekly expenses & contributions.)



Nursery Schedule

June 7

Meredith Adams

Alyssa Pate

June 14

Carol Wisenbaker

Ashley Fielding



Deacon Schedule

June 7

Mike Davis-FLC

John Gayle– Sanctuary

June 14

Paul Day-FLC

Jim Clary-Sanctuary

***Traditional Worship
8:30AM Sanctuary***

We Read the Word
Scripture Reading
2 Corinthians 5:21

We Sing the Word
Jesus Messiah
Living Hope
It Is Well With My Soul

We Pray the Word

Offertory Prayer
Revelation Song
First Voices & Quartet

We Hear the Word
Rev. Ken Hall
Foundational Stones

We Respond To The Word
Wherever He Leads I'll Go

Benediction

(Our Benevolent Offering will be received following the service)

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**Contemporary Worship
10:30AM Family Life Center**

**Pre-Service
Graves Into Gardens
Holy Spirit
Holy Forever**

Host/Offering

**We Hear The Word
Rev. Ken Hall
Foundational Stones**

**King Of Kings
Close**

(Our Benevolent Offering will be received following the service)

**Romania Medical/ Evangelism Mission Team
September 6-18, 2026**

We need our church members to help us in collecting the following items for the Medical Mission. Your Prayers and help with the medicine and glasses will be greatly appreciated!

Tylenol 325 mg and 500 mg (generic OK); Motrin or Ibuprofen
One-a-day Vitamins (any kind); Kids Chewable Vitamins
Neosporin Ointment (of generic); Voltaren Gel (Generic Ok)
Calcium tablets (any kind); Naproxen Tablets
Hydrocortisone Cream; Zyrtec or Generic (Loratadine also)
Children's Liquid Tylenol and Motrin (Generic Ok)

Glasses Needed for Romania

Strength	# Needed
.50	75
1	75
1.25	74
1.5	66
1.75	63
2	50
2.25	75
2.75	75
3	74