

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

We are honored to have you as our guest! So that we may have a record of your visit, please fill out a Connection Card (located in the seat-back pocket) and place in the offering plate. You may also list your prayer concerns and our staff will be honored to pray for you this week. Our Greeters are easily identified by their "Ask Me" badges and will gladly answer any questions.

We pray God will do a life-changing work in you today! We invite you to share any decision made during today's service by either coming forward during the invitation or by sharing your decision on a Connection Card.

Immediately following the 9:00am service, we will have a light breakfast and a time of fellowship and we invite you to join us in the Fellowship Hall. On your way out today, be sure to stop by our Welcome Desk (located in the Welcome Lobby) and pick up a special gift we have just for you.

If you are wondering what is your next step to getting more involved in the ministry of First Baptist Church of the Islands, we encourage you to join one of our small group Bible Studies. Please check out our "Ministry Opportunities" board (located in the Welcome Lobby) for further details on times and locations.

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FBCI FAMILY INFORMATION

Easter Services 2014 Attendance & Giving:

Saturday: 391 Sunday: 9:00am - 377 10:45am - 434

General Budget: \$20,094.98 Beyond Measure: \$1,242.00

April 13, 2014 Attendance & Giving:

9:00am - 178 10:45am - 395

General Budget: \$34,220.54 Beyond Measure: \$1,915.00

New Members: Barron Mock, Alan & Martha VanVleck, Kristen VanVleck

For special needs after office hours, please page the Deacon-on-Call at 912.495.4125 and a deacon will respond as soon as possible.

Visit our website www.fbcislands.com to listen to Pastor Brooks' sermons, read bulletins, see a detailed calendar, and join our online community entitled Church Community Builder (CCB).



Current Sermon Series

First Baptist Church of the Islands

The Mission of First Baptist Church of the Islands is to lead people to **know** Christ, to **grow** in Christ, to **show** Christ, and to **go** with the Gospel!

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Question & Answer Session with Pastor Brooks

Pastor Brooks will hold a Question & Answer Session today (following the 10:45am service) in the Student Worship Center. This is concerning the new Equipping Pastor position that Jason Gamble will be filling and the future of our Children’s Pastor position. If you have any questions about either of these topics, this is your opportunity to ask. FBCI will have a Special Called Business Meeting on Sunday, May 4, at 7:30pm (following DIVE) to vote on the new staff position.

Student Ministry Camp Parent Meeting

Our Student Pastor, Eric Summers, will have a brief Camp Parent Meeting today at 12:15pm in the Choir Room to answer any questions you may have concerning summer camp. After this meeting, Pastor Brooks will still be available in the Student Worship Center to answer any questions you may have in regards to the new Equipping Pastor position.

DIVE Discipleship Ministry

Join us tonight (6:00-7:15pm) as our Spring DIVE Discipleship Ministry kicks off. We are offering 5 classes for adults, along with classes for students, children, and preschoolers. Brochures are available at the Welcome Desk.

S.A.M. Lunch Bunch

Senior Adults, join us tomorrow at 12:00pm in the Fellowship Hall for Lunch Bunch. This month, lunch will be provided so just bring a dessert and join us for a time of fellowship. For more information on S.A.M., contact the church office.

National Day of Prayer

This Thursday, May 1, from 9:00-10:00am in Classroom E109 the Women on Mission will host the National Day of Prayer. The theme is “One Voice United in Prayer.” Please join them as they unite in prayer.

Men’s Breakfast

Men’s Breakfast will be Saturday, May 3, at 8:00am in the Fellowship Hall. Invite a friend to join us. This is a great opportunity to get to know other men in our church family. For information on our Men’s Ministry, contact 912.897.2142.

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

FBCI is collecting for the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering through May 5. Our goal is \$16,000. This offering helps support North American Missions. Use envelopes marked Annie Armstrong located in the seat back pockets.

Special Called Business Meeting

FBCI will have a Special Called Business Meeting on May 4 at 7:30pm to vote on the new Equipping Pastor position.

Something WEIRD is Coming!

Weird Animals Vacation Bible School will be held June 9-13 and we need a whole team of volunteers to make it happen. So, sign up today in the Welcome Lobby; upstairs in the KidLife Hallway; or go to www.fbcislands.com and follow the links.

S.A.M. Bamboo Farms Picnic

Our senior adults will attend the Bamboo Farms Picnic on Thursday, May 15, (bus pulls out at 9:30am). If you would like to go, you must RSVP to 912.695.2985 no later than May 8. For more information on S.A.M., contact the church office.

FBCI Co-ed Softball Team

If you would be interested in playing softball on the FBCI Co-ed Team, please contact Wes Hawk at 678.925.2035.

Happy Anniversary

This month, Sandy Manley celebrates one year serving on staff at First Baptist Church of the Islands as Music and Worship Ministry Assistant. Our Music Ministry would not be what it is without Sandy's work behind the scenes each week. In addition to her passion for Christ and strong work ethic, Sandy adds great humor and pizzazz to our staff! We praise God that the Lord led her and her husband, Paul, and their two boys, Carter and Zach to our church. Happy Anniversary, Sandy, and thanks for ALL you do!

SERMON NOTES

THIS WEEK @ FBCI

Today, April 27

- 9:00am Worship Service, Sunday School
- 10:45am Worship Service, Sunday School, KidLife Worship
- 12:15pm Question & Answer Session with Pastor Brooks
Student Camp Parent Meeting
- 6:00pm DIVE Discipleship Classes

Monday, April 28

- 12:30pm Lunch Bunch
- 6:30pm Visitation Ministry

Tuesday, April 29

- 5:15am The Ironworks
- 9:30am Ladies’ Tuesday Bible Study
- 6:00pm Middle/High School Guys Island Group
- 6:30pm Middle/High School Girls Island Group

Wednesday, April 30

- 6:30pm AWANA (3 years old—5th grade)
Revolution (6th-12th grade)
Adult Prayer Service

Thursday, May 1

- 9:00am National Day of Prayer
- 7:00pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

Saturday, May 3

- 8:00am Men’s Breakfast

UPCOMING EVENTS @ FBCI

- May 4 Special Called Business Meeting
- May 15 Music Ministry Prism Music Preview
- S.A.M. Bamboo Farms Picnic
- June 9-13 Weird Animals Vacation Bible School