

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF THE ISLANDS

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

We are honored to have you as our guest! We pray God will do a life-changing work in you today! 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.

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

If you are wondering what is your next step to getting 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 (in the Welcome Lobby) for further details on times and locations.

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Sunday, November 8

9:00am **Worship Service & Bible Studies**
10:45am **Worship Service, Bible Studies & KidLife Worship**
5:30pm **Surviving the Holidays**

Monday, November 9

6:30pm **Visitation Ministry**

Tuesday, November 10

5:15am **The Ironworks**
6:00pm **Island Group-Middle School Guys**
Island Group-High School Guys
6:30pm **Island Group-Middle/High School Ladies**

Wednesday, November 11

6:30pm **Awana Clubs (Pre-K-5th grade)**
Revolution (6th-12th grade)
Adult Prayer Service

Thursday, November 12

5:30am **BodyCombat**
7:00pm **Adult Choir Rehearsal**

November 1st Attendance & Giving

9:00am: 145 10:45am: 374 6:00pm: 132
General Budget: \$31,348.96 Beyond Measure: \$2,161.00

SERMON NOTES

Grow in Christ - Bible Study Groups



One of the best ways to Grow in Christ is through Bible Study Groups. It is in these groups that we get to know other believers and share life together, which in turn helps us Grow in Christ! If you have not plugged into a Sunday Morning Bible Study Group, please check out the bulletin board at the end of the Education Hallway for a list of classes offered. You may also contact our Equipping Pastor, Jason Gamble, at 912.897.2142 for more information about our Bible Study Groups.

Women on Mission



We have an active group of ladies involved with Women on Mission. They meet each month for a time of prayer, planning for future events, and learning about how God is working in the lives of people, just like you, to reach souls for His Kingdom. The focus this month is Israel and Teri Gibbs will share about her experiences and mission work while living in Israel. They will meet at 10:00am on Thursday, November 19, in Room E109. Following the meeting, they will enjoy a covered-dish luncheon. If you would like further details about Women on Mission, contact Terri Shepherd at 912.897.2142. Women of all ages are welcome!

Choir Concert In City Market



The FBCI Choir will be performing a special outdoor Christmas Concert at City Market in downtown Savannah on December 5! Have you ever wanted to sing in the choir? This is your chance! We are seeking new faces for just this one event! All music is available on a CD to practice with! Contact Nathan Potter for information or to sign up (nathan@fbcislands.com). This is a fun, family, holiday festival and a great outreach! Please join us!

Cuba Mission Trip Information Meeting



FBCI is planning a short term mission trip to Cuba with the Florida Baptist Convention. The dates for the trip are April 21-29, 2016. There will be an informational meeting at 12:15pm on Sunday, November 15, and again November 22 (only one meeting is needed!). If you are interested in going on this mission trip, please make plans to attend one of these meetings.

Savannah Baptist Center Thanksgiving Food Bags



The Savannah Baptist Center will once again be providing Thanksgiving Food Bags for families in need. Food items needed: stuffing, green beans, corn, cornbread mix, mac & cheese, gravy, pie crusts and filling, yams, tea bags, and sugar. They also need Kroger gift cards in increments of \$20 each to help purchase a turkey or ham. Items are needed by this Tuesday, November 10, and may be placed in Room E109. The bags will be assembled on November 16 and if you would like to assist in assembling them, please contact the Baptist Center at 912.232.1033.

Happy Anniversary



This Friday, November 13, marks the first anniversary of Jeremy Young serving on staff as our Children’s Pastor. Jeremy is responsible for our ministry to children in Kindergarten—5th Grade. His creativity, enthusiasm, and passion to see children know Christ and grow in their relationships with God have added much to our ministry here at FBCI. We are so grateful for Jeremy, his wife Amber, and their children Pearson and Carrick. Be sure to let Jeremy know how grateful you are for his ministry here and give him a big “Happy Anniversary” this week!