



END OF SUMMER POOL PARTY

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13

7:00-9:00 P.M. AT THE ELK'S POOL
PIZZA AND A DRINK WILL BE AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE.

FALL 2017 KICKOFF

Wednesday, September 6

6:15-7:30 p.m.

- Pastor's Bible Study
- LifeStep Classes
- Women's Bible Studies (Begin September 13)
- AWANA
- Student Ministry Growth Groups

Fall Classes

Experiencing God's Dream for Your Marriage

By Chip Ingram
Wednesday Evenings
September 6–October 11
6:15–7:30 p.m.

A 6-week study led by Dave Marshall.

In this series, you'll learn what God's dream for your marriage looks like, how to identify the major barriers to intimacy and how to move past them, as well as how to deal with conflict and communicate more clearly and effectively with your spouse.



Bible Study for Men: The Promises of God Tuesday Mornings September 12–October 3 9:00–11:00 a.m.

An 8-week discussion-based study led by Bob Jaeger.

Looking at the scriptural promises of God and their impact on our daily walk. This class is designed to stimulate discussion and better understanding of God's word as it guides our lives.



Family Ministry

Family Night at the Asheville Tourists

Friday, August 25

Cost: \$5 per person

Meet at Crosswalk at 6:00 p.m.

Game begins at 7:00 p.m.

Sign up in the Welcome Center



Women's Ministry



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Fall 2017 Bible Studies



Tuesday Mornings at Crosswalk 9:00-11:30 a.m.

Chronological Bible Study: Part II: New Testament
September 12–December 12 • Cost: \$30.00
A 13-week study led by Connie Fuller.

How We Got the Bible by Timothy P. Jones
September 12–October 24 • Cost: \$15.00
A 7-week DVD based study led by Melanie Pieper.

Mining for Gold by Ken Hemphill
September 12–October 24 • Cost: \$8.00
A 7-week study led by Paula Hemphill.

Covenant—Knowing God's Covenant by Kay Arthur
September 12–December 12 • Cost: \$25.00
A 13-week DVD based Precept study led by Marie Wright.



Tuesday Morning Late Fall at Crosswalk 9:00-11:30 a.m.

**Hosea---Unfailing Love Changes Everything
by Jennifer Rothschild**
October 31–December 12 Cost: \$13.00
A 6-week DVD based study led by Teresa Barrow.



Wednesday Evening Bible Studies Main Campus 6:15-7:30 p.m.

Walking by Faith by Jennifer Rothschild
September 13–October 25 • Cost: \$15.00
A 7-week study led by Rene Zivich.

For Women Only by Shaunti Feldhahn
September 13–October 25 • Cost: \$16.00
A 7-week DVD based study led by Vanessa Fleming.



Childcare is available by reservation. Please sign up in the Welcome Center.

Missions

OPERATION INASMUCH *"Inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me." -Jesus*

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14
9:00 A.M. - NOON
PROJECTS FOR EVERYONE!**

No matter your age or skills, you can help!

If you know of a need we can meet, referral cards are available at the Welcome Center.

If you would like to sign up to help, registration cards are located in the Welcome Center and in your Sunday School Classroom.

For more information contact Rebecca Moon at (828) 685-2786 or bekka409@hotmail.com.



**MISSIONS CONFERENCE SPONSORED BY
THE WOMEN'S MISSION UNION**

**Saturday, August 12
10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
In the Fellowship Hall**

Cost: \$15 (Includes lunch and WMU yearbook)

A missions-focused conference with breakout sessions that will equip and inspire you to share the gospel in your everyday lives and give you a better understanding of how to support missions globally.

To register: www.fbchnc.org



Inspirational Speaker: Ruth McWhite
Ruth is the Women's Ministry Director at North Greenville University. She has worked with the IMB as a missionary in Ecuador.

AUGUST CALENDAR

2: GROWTH GROUPS-6:15 P.M.

4: GUY'S NIGHT & GIRL'S NIGHT
8:00-10:00 p.m. • Cost: \$15

9: GROWTH GROUPS-6:15 P.M.

10-12: MISSION TRIP: CLARKSTON, GA

16: GROWTH GROUPS-6:15 P.M.

19: SERVE HENDO- 9 A.M.-5 P.M.
Service projects in Henderson County.
Lunch is provided.

23: GROWTH GROUPS-6:15 P.M.

25-26: JR/SR. RAFTING TRIP

27: BACK TO SCHOOL BASH-6-8 P.M.

30: GROWTH GROUPS-6:15 P.M.



**Back 2 School
Bash**
Sunday, August 27
6:00-8:00 pm
at Crosswalk

Crosswalk After School

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Resumes Monday, August 28

Monday-Thursday, 3:00-6:00 p.m.

Our after school program will begin on Monday, August 28. Much of this ministry is staffed by volunteers who willingly give of their time and talents in order to make Christ known to the youth of our community. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Brian Proctor at proctorb@fbchnc.org.



New Sunday School Classes



COLLEGE & CAREER:
Singles in their 20s
Led by Karen Scoggins
Room E-530



YOUNG MARRIED
Led by Tim Mathisen
Conference Room 3

Children's Ministry

Rising 6th Grade Celebration

Sunday, August 20
11:00 a.m. in the Chapel

Parents, come and celebrate with us during MERGE as your child prepares to become a part of our Middle School Ministry.

Rising 6th Grade Fun Day

Monday, August 14
9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Meet at Crosswalk for a light breakfast and then we will go to Fun Depot followed by lunch.

First Baptist Academy

In just a few short weeks, the 2017–18 school year will begin at First Baptist Academy. We look forward to welcoming everyone to school on Monday, August 28.

Important dates for Academy families:

Sunday, August 13: First Baptist End of Summer Pool Party

Thursday, August 17: Parent orientation

Friday, August 25: Open house

Monday, August 28: First day of school (3 & 5 day students)

Tuesday, August 29: First day of school (2-day students)

(You will receive a reminder postcard with times and details.)

If you are looking for a preschool for your child, there are still a few spots open. Please call the Academy office at (828) 693-8312 to find out what is available or to schedule a tour. We are looking forward to a great year!



Family Fun Night

Wednesday, August 30
6:15-7:30 p.m. in the Gym

Parents and their children are invited to join us for a night of fun, games & inflatables!

Promotion Sunday

Move
UP↑

August 27 • 9:15-9:45 a.m.

Parents and children are invited to meet their new teachers and fellowship with them in their new classrooms. Light refreshments will be served. Rising 6th graders will promote to their new class at Crosswalk.

Worship Ministry



Christmas Music Reveal

Saturday, August 12
9:30 a.m. – Noon

Join us as we preview this year's Christmas musical!

General Announcements

Deacon Nominations

Nominations for deacons will be accepted the entire month of August. Nomination forms will be made available through the Sunday bulletin on August 6 and in the Welcome Center.

You may nominate up to twelve men. Qualified candidates are men who meet the biblical qualifications found in Acts 6:3, 1 Timothy 3 and Titus 1. They must be a member of First Baptist Church for at least one year and have not served as a deacon for at least one year.

The list of current deacons will be available on the nomination ballot. Please begin to pray about whom God would lead you to nominate for this important ministry role in our church.

Deacons currently serving are not eligible for nomination. Our current deacons are:

Bill Alexander	Buck Jenkins
Mike Armstrong	Don Keever
Bruce Ashe	Bud Leonard
Ben Blair	Tim Locher
Jim Crafton	Mike Marsengill
Tim Ertzberger	Tim Mathisen
John Farren	Sam McGuirt
Mark Geouge	Hale Meserow
Ray Harrill	Bruce Miller
William Hoffman	Derek Nelsen
Austin Hurley	Greg Newman
Don Isley	David Nicholson

David Oates
Randy Owenby
Ronnie Pepper
John Roach
Randy Sain
John Seward
James Stewart
Mike Storey
T.C. Thompson
John Todd
Charlie Williams
Bob Yorro

Communion Service

Sunday, August 6
6:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

Speaker: Brian Proctor

F3 Boot Camp Workouts

Tuesdays, Thursdays, & Saturdays
at 5:30 a.m. at the Old Courthouse

- FREE of charge
- For men only

For more information:
www.F3nation.com

Moms Connect

Monday, August 14
6:30–8:00 p.m.
Room A-100

A gathering for coffee, conversation, and encouragement from God's Word. Childcare is available.

For more information, contact Katy Stafford at stakaty@gmail.com.

Celebrate Recovery

Every Monday
5:45 p.m.
Fellowship Hall



Women on Mission

Monday, August 7
9:45 a.m.
Room A-200B

Program: Carlene Cobb,
Retired Missionary
Mission Action: School Supplies

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Saturdays at 8:00 a.m.
Fellowship Hall
Cost: \$3

Breakfast is free for first-timers!



SSA Support Group

Tuesday, August 15
6:30 p.m.
Room E-542

Does someone you love struggle with same sex attraction? We have a support group just for you!

For more information contact Gary and Kathy Pierson at (248) 840-2731.

Live Embers

Covered Dish Luncheon
Tuesday, August 15
12:30 p.m.
Fellowship Hall

Program:
Steve Briggs:
Bluegrass Band

Church News

New Members

Becky Beasley
Scott, Anita and Will Foster
David and Susan Shipp
Mike and Ammie Sullivan
Darlene Tutton



FIRST BAPTIST LIBRARY

Library Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday
9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

The church library has a wide selection of books for children, teens and adults in fiction & non-fiction. We also have music and movies for the whole family.

Christian Sympathy

To Gary and Debbie Smith on the loss of his father on July 4.



August Menus

August 2: Chicken Fillet Sandwiches
August 9: Pork Loin
August 16: Hamburgers
August 23: Fiesta Night
August 30: No Meal

A salad bar option is available each week.
Reservations are required.
Contact the church office to sign up.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday Morning

Sunday School:
8:30 · 9:45 · 11:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m. Traditional Service
9:45 a.m. Celebration Service
11:00 a.m. Celebration Service

Sunday Evening

5:00 p.m.
Sr. Adult Choir (1st & 3rd Sundays)

Monday

5:45 p.m. Celebrate Recovery

Tuesday

8:30 a.m. Mother's Morning Out
9:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Studies
12:30 p.m. Live Embers (3rd Tuesday)

Wednesday

5:00 p.m. Dinner
6:15 p.m.
Pastor's Bible Study
Adult Bible Studies
Children and Preschool Programs
Growth Groups for Students
Orchestra & Choir Rehearsals

Thursday

8:30 a.m. Mother's Morning Out
11:00 a.m. Love's Kitchen
1:00 p.m. Women's Prayer Group

Saturday

8:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast

Contact Us:

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Find Us:

Download our church app: Search for "FBCHNC" in Google Play or the App Store.



Ministerial Staff

Steve Scoggins, Senior Pastor
Wally Shamburger, Associate Pastor, Senior Adults and Pastoral Care
Steve Briggs, Associate Pastor, Business Administration
Chason Farris, Associate Pastor, Worship
Dave Marshall, Associate Pastor, Discipleship and Evangelism
Brian Proctor, Associate Pastor, Missions
Yvette Haney, Minister to Children
Justin Alexander, Minister to Students

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JOURNEY THROUGH THE BIBLE: A HOLY LAND TOUR

November 28-December 7, 2017

Hosted by Dr. Jim Elwell & Dave Marshall

Due to the high interest in this trip, we have added another bus!

For more information or to sign up, contact Jim Elwell at (828) 489-6772 or jvelwell@yahoo.com.

