



# THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

198 East Church Street, Jasper, Georgia

JUNE 4, 2017 • Eleven O'Clock  
PENTECOST SUNDAY

*Please silence all electronic devices.  
No food, drink, or candy in the Sanctuary.*

## The Worship of God

### WELCOME

Greg Pope

Please pass the Friendship Register as you record your name.

### GREETING

### CHIMING OF THE HOUR

### THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

### CALL TO WORSHIP

*Acts 2.1-4, 43-47*

As we enter into worship, lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

### LIGHTING THE CANDLE OF DIVINE PRESENCE

Sam Williams

*We light a candle as a symbolic reminder of God's presence with us.*

### HYMN NO. 58

*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Stan Barnett

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Congregation

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.**

**Amen.**

### SCRIPTURE READING

*1 Corinthians 12.4-7, 12, 27*

*Ephesians 4.11, 15-16*

*Romans 12.6*

You are the Body of Christ and individually members of it.

**For just as the Body is one and has many members,  
so it is with Christ.**

There are varieties of gifts and ministries,  
but the same Spirit who activates all of them in everyone.

**To each is given a gift of the Spirit for the common good.**

**We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us.**

The gifts Christ gave were that  
some would be apostles,  
**some prophets,**  
some evangelists,  
**some pastors and teachers**  
**to equip the saints for the work of ministry,**  
**for building up the body of Christ.**

We must grow up into Christ who is the head of the Body,  
**who joins and knits together the Body of Christ,**  
equipping each part to work properly,  
**promoting the Body's growth in love.**

This is the gift of Holy Scripture.  
**Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Kim Mason

"GOD IS HERE" TESTIMONY

HYMN NO. 298

*God is Here!*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE OFFERING OF OUR SELVES, OUR TITHES, AND OUR GIFTS

CHORAL ANTHEM

*Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God*

*Holy Spirit, living breath of God, breathe new life into my willing soul;  
bring the presence of the risen Lord to renew my heart and make me whole.  
Cause your word to come alive in me; give me faith for what I cannot see.*

*Give me passion for your purity, Holy Spirit, breathe new life in me.*

*Holy Spirit, come abide within, may your joy be seen in all I do.*

*Love enough to cover every sin in each thought and deed and attitude.*

*Kindness to the greatest and the least; gentleness that sews the path of peace.  
Turn my striving into works of grace; breath of God, show Christ in all I do.*

*Holy Spirit, from creation's birth, giving life to all that God has made.*

*Show your power once again on earth,  
cause your church to hunger for your ways.*

*Let the fragrance of our prayers arise; lead us on the road to sacrifice,  
that in unity the face of Christ will be clear for all the world to see!*

*Holy Spirit, living breath of God, Holy Spirit, breathe new life in me,  
Holy Spirit, in me.*

DOXOLOGY

Children who are 3 years old through Kindergarten may follow  
Kim Mason and Samantha Dunn to Children's Church.

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;*

*Praise him, all creatures here below;*

*Praise him above ye heavenly hosts;*

*Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.*

*Amen.*

*A Church Full of Gifts*

**SILENT REFLECTION**

*On the Worship Guide form below, respond to these two questions:*

What are the gifts you believe God has given you?

In what ministry would you like to be involved?

*As you come forward for Communion, place your responses on the altar.*

**HOLY COMMUNION**

***The Servant Song***

*We are travelers on a journey, fellow pilgrims on the road;  
we are here to help each other walk the mile and bear the load.  
I will hold the Christ-light for you in the nighttime of your fear;  
I will hold my hand out to you, speak the peace you long to hear.*

*Sister, let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant, too.*

*Brother, let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant, too.*

***God of Grace, God of Glory***

*God of grace and God of glory, on thy people pour thy power;  
crown thine ancient church's story, bring her bud to glorious flower.  
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, for the facing of this hour.*

***We Are Called to be God's People***

*We are called to be God's servants, working in the world today;  
taking his own task upon us, all his sacred words obey.*

*Let us rise, then, to his summons, dedicate to him our all,  
that we may be faithful servants, quick to answer now his call.*

**INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP AND COMMUNITY**

If you desire to profess publicly your decision to follow Christ  
or to unite your life with this community of faith,  
you are invited to come forward during the Hymn of Response  
and share your decision with the minister.

**HYMN NO. 490**

*Take My Life and Let It Be*

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

What are the gifts you believe God has given you?

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In what ministry would you like to be involved?

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FOR MORE OPPORTUNITIES, SEE [WWW.FBCJASPER.COM](http://WWW.FBCJASPER.COM)

**Sunday, June 4**

**Deacons of the Week: Chuck Payne**

- 9:00** Worship in Chapel
- 10:00** Sunday School Classes for all ages
- 10:30** Cable broadcast of 05/28 worship on ETC 3
- 11:00** Worship in Sanctuary (broadcast live on WYYZ)
- 5:00** VBS Kickoff - Corner Parking Lot (in Welcome Center if raining)

**Monday, June 5 through Thursday, June 8 from 9 to 12: VBS**

**Wednesday, June 7**

- 5:30** Revive! (7th-12th Graders)
- 6:00** Prayer & Bible Study - Walker Hall
- 7:00** Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, June 8**

- 10:30** Lamplighters
- 1:30** Youth Pool Party at the McCrary's
- 7:30** Band Rehearsal

**Sunday, June 11**

**Deacons of the Week: Kathy Westbrook**

- 9:00** Worship in Chapel
- 10:00** Sunday School Classes for all ages
- 10:30** Cable broadcast of 06/04 worship on ETC 3
- 11:00** Worship in Sanctuary (broadcast live on WYYZ)
- 5:00** Church Wide Picnic @ Lee Newton Park

**Monday, June 12**

- 5:30** Finance Meeting
- 7:00** Deacon's Meeting

## The Communion Table Flowers

Given in Memory of  
Guy & Florence Rabun Chapman  
whose wedding anniversary  
was June 3rd.



***SIGN UP FOR E-MAIL OR JOIN THE FBC JASPER  
FACEBOOK PAGE AND RECEIVE...***

- ...notices about cancellations due to weather*
- ...weekly happenings at FBC Jasper*
- ...special announcements*

*Visit [www.fbcjasper.com](http://www.fbcjasper.com) and click the CONTACT tab  
to add your information to our list  
or call 706-253-5015 or email [office@fbcjasper.com](mailto:office@fbcjasper.com).*

# Summer Worship

## **GOD IS HERE: A SUMMER SERIES ON OUR LIFE TOGETHER**

Our theme for this summer – “God Is Here!” – is a theme we will carry with us wherever we go. There are “God Is Here!” signs in the office, chapel, and narthex for you to take with you and take pictures to post on Facebook.

#WhereverFBCJgoes

Church members will also be sharing in worship where they see God present in our life together as a congregation. We will conclude our summer series with a Homecoming Celebration on Sunday, July 30. Many of us travel throughout the summer, but when you are in town, make every effort to be present for worship and Bible Study.

**June 11** *A Church with Glad and Generous Hearts*

**June 18** *A Church Sent Out Into the World*

**June 25** *A Church Following The Jesus Way*

**In the month of July we will hold only one service at 11:00 in the sanctuary in order to give our worship band a rest and to take some time for creative planning.**

**July 2** *A Church Serving and Praying Together*  
(Commissioning of Mission Trip Participants)

**July 9** *A Church That Shares Our Faith*

**July 16** *A Church of Prayer and Worship For All People*

**July 23** *A Church in Covenant Community*

**July 30** *A Church That is Home*

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## **HOMECOMING**

**Sunday July 30**

10:00 Mission Trip Report in Chapel

11:00 Worship in Sanctuary

12:00 Lunch in Walker Hall

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

*JUNE 5-8 FROM 9:00-12:00*

*FOR KIDS AGES 3 (BY 9/1/12) – 6TH GRADE*

*VBS KICKOFF PARTY*

*SUNDAY, JUNE 4 AT 5:00*

*CORNER PARKING LOT*

*(IN WELCOME CENTER IF RAINING)*

*FUN ACTIVITIES, HOT DOGS, AND VBS REGISTRATION!*



# AN INVITATION

First Baptist Church extends to all an invitation to membership. If you are looking for a community of faith where you can seek God, follow Jesus, and serve the needs of the world, we would gladly welcome you in this place. If you would like to commit your life to the way of Jesus and live as the beloved, forgiven child of God you are, and be baptized, we invite you to come forward during the Hymn of Response and share that decision with the pastor. You may also unite with our church by moving your membership from another community of faith. If you have any questions about FBC or what it means to follow Christ, the pastor would be glad to speak with you at any time. Welcome to First Baptist Jasper!

## MINISTRY LEADERSHIP TEAM

**Christie Beiring**, Office Administrator

**Joy Huddleston**, Organist

**Kim Mason**, Minister to Children

**Melanie McCurdy**, Pianist

**Ruth Mehari**, 9:00 Worship Leader

**Matthew Newton**, Associate Pastor, Minister of Music & Administration

**Greg Pope**, Pastor

**Cassie Rasco**, Preschool Director

**David Stuart**, Minister of Music Emeritus

**Annie Sutton**, Minister of Youth & Outreach

### Party in the Park

Sunday, June 11 at 5:00 p.m.  
Churchwide Picnic at Lee Newton Park in Jasper

Hamburgers, hot dogs and drinks will be provided.  
Please bring a "potluck" side or dessert to share.

Join us in true Baptist fashion for fellowship, food and fun!

Bring your own chair and games.

### *2017 Budget*

<i>Operating Budget</i>	<i>Building Fund Budget</i>	<i>Remaining Balance on Building Loan</i>
Required YTD \$228,863.93	Required YTD \$37,511.10	<i>As of 05/31/2017</i> \$267,343.75
Received YTD \$188,700.66	Received YTD \$28,608.50	
Spent YTD \$206,409.76		