



First Baptist News



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
ORANGEBURG SC
Building a community of faith that glorifies God
and reflects Jesus Christ

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**Sunday
October 6th**



FALL **Family** *FESTIVAL*

**Wed., October 30th
5:30pm - 7:00pm @ FLC**

*There will be Inflatables, Games,
Food [menu: Hot Dogs, Chips, a Drink, & a Cookie for \$2],
& many other FUN things in store for the evening stay tuned!*



FLC News...**FBCO Upward Basketball League [5K – 6th Grade Boys & Girls]**

Registration is now open for the 2019-2020 basketball league at the Family Life Center. Register forms can be found in this years brochure, or children may be registered online: registration.upward.org/UPW69188

****Early Bird special of \$65 per child through October 18.****
After Oct. 18, the cost will be **\$75** per child. Basketball shorts are **optional** at a cost of **\$15**. Deadline to register is **November 1**.

If you are interested in coaching, please reach out to Zeke by phone at the FLC (534-2960) or by email: zeke@fbcorangeburg.org

Evaluations:

- **4th – 6th Grade:** Sun., Nov. 10th, between 4:00pm – 6:00pm
- **5K – 3rd Grade:** Mon., Nov. 11th, between 6:00pm – 8:00pm
- 1st Practice: Mon., Dec. 2, 2019
- 1st Game: Sat., Jan. 11, 2020 [**NO** games on Sat., Jan. 18, 2020 (Holiday Weekend)]
- Awards Celebration: Sat., Feb. 22, 2020

For More Info. Contact: Zeke Stephenson: zeke@fbcorangeburg.org or Angie Carr: flc@fbcorangeburg.org

Weekend Staff Member On Call

Oct. 5-6 Rev. Jane Williams C) 803-747-1221
Oct. 12-13 Rev. Zeke Stephenson C) 828-305-2183

Oct. 19-20 Rev. Ryan Tucker C) 803-707-2132
Oct. 26-27 Rev. Anna Kate Stephenson C) 205-542-9839

As always, the minister may be reached at the church office (803-536-1545) during business hours.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT Suppers

Call in your Wednesday night supper reservation(s).

Reservations must be called in by 10 am each Monday!!

Adults (age 12 & up): \$6;

**Family Night Supper
Reservation Line #:
803-531-4138**

if you have standing reservations & are **NOT** going to be able to make it please call & let us know.

FN\$ Menu

Wed., Oct. 2 Cube Steak & Gravy
Wed., Oct. 9 Baked Pork Chops
Wed., Oct. 16 Spaghetti & Meatballs
Wed., Oct. 23 Baked Ham
Wed., Oct. 30 FFF @ FLC

Upcoming Calendar Events...**Tues. Oct. 1****Golden Singers Rehearsal**

Weekly: Tues.: 11:00am, Social Hall

Wed. Oct. 2**Wednesday Night Activities**

5:00pm, Family Night Supper
6:00pm, Prayer Mtg. CM & Praise Team
7:00pm, Chancel Choir

SM Wed. Night Activities

5:30pm - 7:15pm, FLC

Thurs. Oct. 3**Couples S.S. Class Supper-6pm, FLC****SM Middle School 1st Thursday Dinner Out Event**

5:30pm meet @ FLC {bring \$ for dinner}

Sun. Oct. 6**Lord's Supper**

during BOTH worship services

SM Sun. Night Activities

Youth Choir @ 5:00pm - 6:00pm, FLC
Youth Group @ 6:00pm - 7:15pm, FLC

Tues. Oct. 8**Golden Singers Rehearsal****Wed. Oct. 9****Wednesday Night Activities**

5:00pm, Family Night Supper
6:00pm, Prayer Mtg. CM & Praise Team
7:00pm, Chancel Choir

SM Wed. Night Activities

5:30pm - 7:15pm, FLC

Sun. Oct. 13**Men's Choir Singing**

during 11am worship

SM Sun. Night Activities**Mon. Oct. 14**

WEM Prayer Grp - 4pm-Bryant Hall, FLC

Tues. Oct. 15**Golden Singers Rehearsal****Wed. Oct. 16****Wednesday Night Activities**

5:00pm, Family Night Supper
6:00pm, Prayer Mtg. CM & Praise Team
7:00pm, Chancel Choir

SM Wed. Night Activities

5:30pm - 7:15pm, FLC

Thurs. Oct. 17**SM High School 3rd Thursday Event**

5:30pm meet @ FLC {details TBA}

Sat. Oct. 19**SM Hiking Day Trip @ Congaree Park**

Leave FLC @ 8:00am {other details TBA}

CM Sweet Frog & Play

2:00pm - 3:00pm {details TBA}

Sun. Oct. 20**Adult S.S. Training & Luncheon**

after 11am worship in Davis Hall

SM Sun. Night Activities

CM Council Mtg-5pm- Crtyrd Lby, FLC

Trustees Mtg - 5pm - A&C Rm, FLC

Deacon's Mtg - 6pm - A&C Rm, FLC

**Tues. Oct. 22
Golden Singers Rehearsal****Wed. Oct. 23****Wednesday Night Activities**

**** QUARTERLY REPORT ****

5:00pm, Family Night Supper
6:00pm, Prayer Mtg. CM & Praise Team
7:00pm, Chancel Choir

SM Wed. Night Activities

5:30pm - 7:15pm, FLC

Sat. Oct. 26**CM 1st - 5th Grade GIRLS Night Out**

6:00pm - 8:00pm {details TBA}

Sun. Oct. 27**CM Family Lunch & Missions Activity**

after 11am worship in Davis Hall

SM Sun. Night Activities**Tues. Oct. 29****Golden Singers Rehearsal****Wed. Oct. 30****Wednesday Night Activities**

NO downtown activities: {FNS, Prayer Mtg, CM, Praise Team, & Chancel Choir Rehearsals}

Fall Family Festival

5:30pm - 7:00pm, FLC

NO SM Wed. Night Activities**Thurs. Oct. 31**

HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

Children's Ministry News...



Congratulations

to **Brandon & Molly Lukens**
on the birth of their daughter
Chamberlain Kate Lukens
born on September 12, 2019

6 lbs - 11 oz - 18 inches
2:14pm ~ Orangeburg, SC

Little sister of Davis & Jack Fisher



"We have had a great September! We kicked off Wednesday Night Activities & have already begun learning about how we as a church do missions. Our older kids have written letters to children at the orphanage in Haiti & packaged soap & wash cloths for those who may need it that attend soup kitchen. We've also been learning about what it means to welcome others into our church who might feel as though they have no place to belong. Our younger kids have spent time learning about Joseph's coat of many colors, & the steps it takes to build a strong foundation in God. We are all walking on a journey towards God & it's a wonderful thing to see our children experiencing that for themselves.

We enjoyed a day in the sun, munching on popsicle's & playing at the spray park! It was a great time of fellowship for our children's ministry. We also celebrated the end of our 40 weeks of reflecting Jesus with a Party at the Pooser's! We had a blast on the water slide & slip 'n slide! What a wonderful way to end the summer fun!

As we move on into October, we're beginning to collect candy donations for our Fall Family Festival, but we also would like other treats & prizes that are not sweets. For example: bouncy balls, erasers, tattoos, & etc.... We'll have donation drop offs located around the Church & FLC. Please drop off a bag of candy or two &/or other items at the drop off stations from now until the 23rd of Oct.!

Instead of our normal scheduled Wed. Night Activities (@ the downtown campus) on **Wed., October 30th**... We will be having our **Fall Family Festival** from **5:30pm - 7:00pm @ the FLC**. There will be Inflatables, Games, Food [menu: *Hot Dogs, Chips, a Drink, & a Cookie* for \$2], & many other **FUN** things in store for the evening stay tuned!"

Here are a few additional special CM dates to put on your calendar!

09.29.2019 - Family Lunch & Missions Activity after 11am Worship, Davis Hall

We'll be packing snack packs for children in our community

10.19.2019 - Sweet Frog & Play 2:00pm - 3:00pm {more details TBA}

10.20.2019 - CM Council Meeting @ 5:00pm, Courtyard Lobby, FLC

10.26.2019 - 1st - 5th Grade GIRLS Night Out 6:00pm - 8:00pm {more details TBA}

10.27.2019 - Family Lunch & Missions Activity after 11am Worship, Davis Hall

10.30.2019 - FALL FAMILY FESTIVAL @ 5:30pm - 7:00pm, FLC

Education Ministry News...

To Adult Bible Study Teachers

(including all that are on a rotation, fill in role)

We will have a luncheon & training session for all adult leaders/ teachers on October 20, 2019. Please meet in Davis Hall at 12:00pm noon or right after the 11:00am worship service. We will have a meal, prepared by Jackie Moyer. Please mark your calendars for this time together. Spouses are welcome. Please RSVP to Rev. Jerry as soon as you can.

2019 Christmas Advent Devotional

If you would like to write a daily devotion for our 2019 Christmas Advent Devotional the deadline for submitting a daily devotion will be Oct.18th. Please contact Rev. Jerry if you're interested in writing one.

Student Ministry News...

All students are invited to join youth from across the Southeast in Huntsville, AL. for the Youth Winter Summit! This event is over the MLK holiday wknd, but will require students who are participating to miss school on Fri. as the event begins early Fri. evening. If this is an issue, please talk w/ me, ASAP. The event will be held @ FBC Huntsville, & accommodations will be the Embassy Suites in Huntsville, AL... **January 17-19, 2020 Cost: \$150**
Deadline to register is: Sun., Oct. 13
Sign-Up @: <https://forms.gle/MnxwGYCZz7Pfp7kCZ>

MIDDLE SCHOOL 1ST THURSDAY EVENT

Thurs., Oct. 3 meet @ FLC @ 5:30pm
(bring \$ money \$ for dinner)

HIGH SCHOOL 3RD THURSDAY EVENT

Thurs., Oct. 17 meet @ FLC @ 5:30pm
(details to be announced)

Hiking Day Trip @ Congaree Park

Sat., Oct. 19 Leave FLC @ 8:00am
(other details to be announced)

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

Youth Group @ 5:30pm - 7:15pm, FLC
Dinner, Bible Study, & Fellowship

SUNDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

Youth Choir @ 5:00pm - 6:00pm, FLC
Youth Group @ 6:00pm - 7:15pm, FLC
Dinner, Bible Study/ Activities, & Fellowship

Worship Ministry News...

We are now rehearsing for the Christmas Cantata, & would like to encourage anyone who is interested in singing to join. Practice is from 7:00pm - 7:15pm on Wednesday nights in Music Suite A. The **Christmas Cantata** will be on **Sunday, December 15th at 11:00am.**



October 13th

Men's Choir will be Singing

during the 11:00am worship service

Report to the sanctuary at 10:30am for practice. All are welcome!



November 3rd

All Saints Day Service of Remembrance

1 Combined Worship @ 11:00am

We will celebrate the lives of FBCO members that passed away since Nov. 2018

November 10th

Veterans Day Luncheon

directly after the 11:00am service in Davis Hall

All Veterans & Spouses are invited



November 17th

Dedication of Shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child

during BOTH Worship Services

Christmas Poinsettias... If you would like to place a poinsettia in the church **In Honor Of** or **In Memory Of** a loved one, please complete this form & return to the church office by Thurs., Nov. 14. The cost per plant is \$15. Plants may be picked up following the Christmas Eve Candlelight service.

Donor's Name: _____

of Plants: _____ Amt. Remitted: _____

Name of Person for whom Poinsettia is given: _____

Please circle: ☐ In Memory Of ☐ In Honor Of



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On Sunday, November 17, 2019, in the morning services, we will be voting for 8 deacons and 3 trustees to serve a three-year-term beginning in 2020. If you would like to submit nominees to be considered, please fill in the spaces below and they will be given to the Deacon/Trustee Nominating Committee.

**PLEASE PLACE THIS SHEET IN THE OFFERING PLATE ON
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH OR RETURN IT TO THE CHURCH OFFICE BY
NOON ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH.**

DEACONS**TRUSTEES**

_____	_____	_____
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*The following people are **INELIGIBLE** to be nominees for this term.* (Deacons and Trustees shall remain off for two years at the end of each term before they are eligible for re-election to either office.)

Melvin Adams	Merle Buck	Jim Holstein	Yvonne Pooser
Lee Ashe	Lyn Burleson	Jim Huffman	Henry Rutland
Tommy Ashley	Phala Burleson	Jamie Kennerly	Richard Salley
Glenn Barr	Kathy Chaplin	Joey King	Billy Sanford
Jennifer Blanchard	Chuck Cleveland	Rebecca Love	Bill Varn
Russ Blanchard	Tracy Dibble	Tripp Love	Ryan Vaughn
Deborah Bonnett	Allen Fairey	Matt Martin	Bert Walling
Tom Bonnette	Ann Glover	Paul Miller, Jr.	Ginny Williams
George Brooks	Phillip Gulley	Sylvia Ott	
Bettis Bryant	Harriet Hare	Calvin Parker	
Jack Bryant	Sue Hartzog	Greg Phillips	
Lucky Buck	Russ Hewitt	Richard Phillips	

IN REMEMBRANCE

Janiece Collins Sanford

Joined First Baptist....Apr. 8, 1945

Died.....Sept. 9, 2019



We extend our deepest Christian sympathy to J. "Leonard" Sanford & family in the death of his wife Janiece Collins Sanford.

Gifts Received In Memory Of...

Robert Carl Cleveland, Sr.: Norman & Shirley McLean

"Buddy" Mendel Leon Hawkins: Rebecca B. Hawkins

"Don" Donald Leonard Moyer: Rebecca B. Hawkins

Dr. William "Everette" Salley, DVM: Kathie Goodwin

Janiece Collins Sanford: Mr. & Mrs. Guy Best and

Mrs. Abbott Best, Kathryn Cannon,

Mr. & Mrs. Harold Carroll, Merritt & Faye Fogle,

Jimmy Hartzog, "Ed" Edward Hinshaw, Grace Livingston,

Larry & Linda Parker, Margaret Poole, Bert Pooser,

Chessye B. Powell, Larry & JoAnn Shaver, Freda Summers,

Barbara L. Welch

Rev. & Mrs. Lloyd Till: Rev. David & Dr. Sharon White, III

SENIOR ADULTS FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

**FALL LUNCHEON**

November 14, 2019

12:30p.m.

Family Life Center

\$5.00

Food, Fun, Fellowship

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

****Note Time Change****

**For Reservations,
Call the Church Office (536-1545)
by Monday, Nov. 11, 2019**

*Thank you for your donations to
Capital Campaign.
Please be sure you label your gifts as
~ Capital Campaign ~
when filling out your envelope.*

Gifts Received In Honor Of...

Susan Nichols Salley: Kathie Goodwin

Quarterly Report
WEDNESDAY
October 23

PRAYER CHAIN CONTACTS

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TOWN HALL MTG

Sun. Nov. 3rd
6:00pm
Bryant Hall, FLC
Budget & Other Votes
Discussion
Childcare provided

The Record Speaks:

Date:	08/25/19	09/01/19	09/08/19	09/15/19	09/22/19
SS Attendance:	211	175	223	210	170
Weekly Budget Requirement:	\$ 23,691.12	\$ 23,691.12	\$ 23,691.12	\$ 23,691.12	\$ 23,691.12
Weekly Budget Received:	\$ 21,277.18	\$ 24,069.82	\$ 25,771.45	\$ 26,314.32	\$ 16,486.00
Building Fund Gifts YTD:	\$ 8,580.00	\$ 8,635.00	\$ 8,690.00	\$ 9,130.00	\$ 9,860.00
Global Missions Goal:	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 16,000.00
Global Mission Received:	\$ 1,278.00	\$ 1,278.00	\$ 1,278.00	\$ 1,278.00	\$ 1,278.00
Capital Campaign Goal:	\$ 1,950,000.00	\$ 1,950,000.00	\$ 1,950,000.00	\$ 1,950,000.00	\$ 1,950,000.00
CC Rec'd & Outstanding Pledges:	\$ 1,356,565.25	\$ 1,356,665.25	\$ 1,356,665.25	\$ 1,357,680.25	\$ 1,357,680.25
Capital Campaign Gifts Rec'd:	\$ 1,088,203.89	\$ 1,089,018.89	\$ 1,092,318.89	\$ 1,093,443.89	\$ 1,094,003.89
Designated Gifts:	\$ 755.00	\$ —	\$ 9,137.00	\$ 1,195.00	\$ 2,350.00
Year to Date Received:	\$ 777,443.44	\$ 801,513.26	\$ 827,284.71	\$ 853,599.03	\$ 870,085.03
Year to Date Expended:	\$ 732,530.94	\$ 763,834.26	\$ 783,209.06	\$ 815,378.49	\$ 824,849.25
Year to Date Balance:	\$ 44,912.50	\$ 37,679.00	\$ 44,075.65	\$ 38,220.54	\$ 45,235.78