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FIRST BAPTIST
Newnan

FEBRUARY 2018 | DR. JIMMY PATTERSON, PASTOR | fbcnewnan.org

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 NEWNAN CALLS
 EXECUTIVE PASTOR**

On Sunday, January 21, First Baptist Church Newnan, Georgia, called Rev. Andy Brown as our Executive Pastor.



He will work alongside Senior Pastor Jimmy Patterson in this role formerly filled by Rev. Mike Emeott who retired this past July.

Rev. Brown is 32 years old and has been married to his wife Katie for 9 years. They have three beautiful children, Adalee (6), Titus (3), and Ezra (1 in September). Andy grew up in Newnan and graduated from NHS. He was ordained to the Ministry at First Baptist Church, Atlanta on March 2009 under the charge of Dr. Charles Stanley.

Andy comes to FBC Newnan with 5 years experience as the Lead Pastor at Oxford Baptist Church in Oxford, Georgia, and 5 years experience as the Lead Pastor at Sorrell's Grove Baptist Church in Morrisville, North Carolina. In addition, Andy served on the staff of FBC, Atlanta for two years as an intern.

Rev. Brown is currently enrolled as a doctoral student at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. He is also has two degrees, a Masters in Theology and a Masters of Divinity from of Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. While there, Rev. Brown received the Sarchet Award in Biblical Preaching. Andy also is a graduate of Kennesaw State University and Truett McConnell University.

Rev. Brown will assume responsibilities as the Executive Pastor at First Baptist Church on March 1.



TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13TH | 6:30 PM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Featuring Christian Comedian and Ventriloquist, Marc Griffiths.

Marc was a finalist on Britain's got Talent.

Come for a great meal and service provided by our Deacons and enjoy an evening filled with food and fun! If you need for your Deacon to pick you up, send an email to bturner@fbcnewnan.org. Call the church office at 770-253-0797 to make your reservation. All reservations should be received by February 4th.

**“WALK THRU THE BIBLE” O.T. LIVE EVENT
 FOR 3RD GRADE & UP**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 3 | 9 A.M. - NOON | THE “WAREHOUSE”
 LEARN THE OLD TESTAMENT IN JUST A FEW HOURS**

There's a lot to remember in the Bible. And it can be overwhelming and confusing. But through otLIVE, in just a few short hours, you will learn the major people, and events of the Old Testament in chronological order—and you'll enjoy yourself in the process!

EXPERIENCE THE BIBLE LIKE NEVER BEFORE

It's interactive, memorable, relevant, exciting, and fun! Using the exclusive Walk Thru the Bible hand signs memory system, our certified Walk Thru the Bible instructor will guide you through the Old Testament in a way you've never experienced!

Childcare & Fun Engaging Bible Lessons will be provided for Babies-2nd grade.

3rd Grade & up are encouraged to register for and attend the event with their Family. Refreshments will be provided for all ages at various times throughout the event. Please register no later than February 13th at fbcnewnan.org. The cost of the event will be \$10 per person and/or \$25 for a family of 3 or more.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL TRAINING

“TEACHING MATTERS”

MARCH 11 | FOLLOWING THE 10:50 SERVICE | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Adult Sunday School teachers and leadership, please join us Sunday, March 11 immediately following the 10:50 service in the Fellowship Hall for lunch and then at 1:00 pm in the Warehouse for a time of training. We will discuss the topic “Teaching Matters”.

CHILDREN

PARENT/CHILD DEDICATION MARCH 4

During the past year, our church has been blessed with the beautiful gift of precious new babies and young children into our church family. We hope you will be able to participate in our Parent/Child Dedication Service on March 4th as we dedicate these infants and children to God. If you wish to take part, please contact the church office or Susan Hester shester@fbcnewnan.org for more details.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

VBS CLINIC

MARCH 17

FLAT CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

EASTER EGG HUNT

MARCH 24

VBS

JUNE 11-15

CAMP SONSHINE

JULY 16-20

STUDENTS

SR. HIGH FUNDRAISER LUNCHEON FEBRUARY 4

Italian Noodle Casserole, Salad, Garlic Bread, Homemade Desserts.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE

The First Baptist Church Scholarship Committee will award scholarships this year from the Marvin F. Atchison Trust Fund. Applications for this scholarship will be available February 1 from the church office. You may pick up an application anytime during normal church hours. Completed applications must be returned to the church office by 5:00 pm on Thursday, March 29th.

MUSIC

CHOIR OPEN ENROLLMENT

Our Sanctuary Choir which leads in our 10:50 service and our VOE Choir which leads in our 8:30 service, both have open enrollment. Do you need encouragement during the week, to be part of a group that will keep you accountable, to be part of something bigger than yourself, a greater desire to use Heaven's language and to be an encouragement to others? Then choir is the place for you! Come join us at 7:00 on Wednesdays for Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal and Tuesdays at 1:15 for VOE Rehearsal.

MISSIONS

A O MINISTRY NEEDS

The A-O Ministry needs your help in keeping its shelves stocked! Please bring items to the main office entrance and put in the tub marked AO HOUSE.

ITEM OF THE MONTH:

Spaghetti Sauce. Men's Clothing Needed.

GA FUN NIGHT

FEBRUARY 2 | 5:30 - 7:30 PM

FELLOWSHIP HALL

Join us for a night of fellowship and missions. Dinner will be provided. RSVP to Kim Higgins by January 31st higgins30263@gmail.com

6TH ANNUAL RACE FOR THE ORPHANS 5K

Do you want to help change lives? Join more than 700 participants on Saturday, May 5th at the Coweta County Fairgrounds to raise money for area adopting families. Tot Trot (5 & Under) at 8:15 am, 1 mile Fun Run/Walk at 8:30 am, 5K (USATF Certified Course/Peachtree Road Race Qualifier) at 9:00 am, awards ceremony at 10:00 am. Runners, joggers, walkers, and strollers welcome!

Visit racefortheorphans.org to register or contact Kelly Preston, RACE Director, at 770-310-8222 or kelly@racefortheorphans.org for more information.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNERS

FEBRUARY 7

Adults: Chick-fil-A Sandwiches
Child: Chick-fil-A Nuggets
Servers: Deborah Lane,
Marcia Cook, Carol Wortham

FEBRUARY 14

Adults: Hamburger Steak (Salisbury)
Blackeyed Peas,
Sweet Potato Casserole,
Bread, Dessert, Tea
Child: Smaller Portion of Same
or Pizza
Servers: Myra Smith,
Rena McMichael, Shirley Long

FEBRUARY 28

Adults: Waffles, Scrambled Eggs
Bacon or Sausage, Hashbrowns
Milk or Orange Juice
Child: Smaller Portion of Same
Servers: Tom & Linda Dennis,
Bob & Alice Slay

PLEASE NOTE PRICE INCREASE

Please call the church office by noon on MONDAY to make or cancel your reservations.

Adult: \$6.00 each

Child: \$4.00 each

Family Maximum: \$24.00

VISION2020

Without a vision the people perish.
PROVERBS 29:18

TOTAL COMMITMENTS

\$1,422,311

TOTAL GIVEN TO DATE

\$845,437

2017 LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING

GOAL: \$40,000

COLLECTED: \$34,761.65



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