

Sunday Small Groups is to  
TEACH the Bible to change lives  
REACH the lost with the Good  
News of Jesus Christ and  
CARE for people through prayer,  
ministry and fellowship.



07-27-2025  
Attendance: 252  
Visitors: 6  
Enrollment: 502

WEDNESDAY  
FELLOWSHIP MEAL

Please submit your  
reservation by noon Tuesday  
before the meal on  
Wednesday.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, August 06  
5:15 pm to 6:00 pm  
Baked Spaghetti, Salad, &  
Bread

Alternate Choice: Chicken  
Tenders & Fries

\_\_\_\_\_ Regular meal plate

\$5.00 per plate

\_\_\_\_\_ Chicken tenders & fries

\$3.00 per plate

\_\_\_\_\_ Yearly reservation

\_\_\_\_\_ I prefer to make  
reservations on a weekly  
basis.

Payment is expected for  
cancellations after  
Tuesday, 12:00 pm.

Mark your  
Calendar

AUGUST 3	Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon
AUGUST 3	Awana Kick-Off
AUGUST 6	7-Up Night
AUGUST 7	Legacy Builder Luncheon
AUGUST 21	Legacy Builder Bible Study

Make Plans to get Involved!



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Sunday, August 03

9:15 am Sunday Morning Small Groups

10:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)

11:30 am Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon (Fellowship Hall)

4:30 pm Sanctuary Small Group (Sanctuary)

5:30 pm Adult Bible Study (Conference Room)

5:30 pm Youth Bible Study (Summit)

5:30 AWANA Kick off (Multi Purpose Room)

Wednesday, August 06

5:30 pm Youth Pizza & Fellowship (Summit)

5:45 pm First Kids Music & Missions (Multipurpose Room)

6:30 pm Adult Prayer & Bible Study (Fellowship Hall),

Adult Choir Practice (Choir Room),

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
101 South Second Street  
Cochran, GA 31014-6806

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Permit No. 2  
Cochran, GA 31014

TITLE FIRST LAST

ADDRESS

CITY, STATE ZIP

First Baptist Church Cochran  
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APPRECIATION  
LUNCHEON

August 3, 2025

Our Church would like to honor and thank everyone who gives up  
their precious time, energy, and effort to keep our church  
ministries running. We have planned to have a special meal here  
for you, August 3, following the 10:30am worship service. Please  
join us in this special time as we come together in appreciation.

EACH ONE *Gift*  
should use whatever  
HE HAS *to serve* OTHERS  
faithfully  
ADMINISTERING  
GOD'S *grace*  
*in its* VARIOUS FORMS  
I PETER 4:10



At a college reunion, a group of successful alumni—now doctors, lawyers, business owners—decided to visit their old professor. They chatted about their careers and families, but soon the conversation shifted to life’s pressures, stress, and constant chasing after more.

After listening for a while, the professor smiled and said, “Hold on a minute. I’ll go make us some coffee.”

He came back with a large pot and a tray full of cups—none of them matching. Some of the cups were fine porcelain, others were plain ceramic, a few were chipped glass mugs, and one even looked like it came from a diner.

As everyone reached for a cup, the professor watched in silence. Once they all had coffee in hand, he said, “Notice what just happened. Most of you instinctively reached for the nicest cups—leaving behind the simpler ones. It’s normal to want the best for ourselves, but that’s often where the stress begins.”

He gestured toward the cups.

“The cup doesn’t make the coffee taste any better. What you really wanted was the coffee. But you still focused on the cup.”

Then he paused...

“Life is the coffee. Your job, your house, your income, your status—those are just cups. They help contain life, but they don’t define it. And the trouble is, the more we focus on the cup, the more we miss out on the coffee.”

He smiled, “Remember, contented people don’t always have the best of everything. But they know how to make the best of what they have.”

I think this story is a good illustration of the point Jesus was making in Matthew 6 when He said, “Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys, and where thieves do not break in or steal; for where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.” Keep growing in grace...love you. PK

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A  
DROP-IN

# Bridal Shower

HONORING

## Abbi Belflower

AUGUST

SAT  
9

2025

10 - 11:30 AM @ THE WHIPPLE HOUSE  
119 SECOND STREET, COCHRAN  
REGISTRY CAN BE FOUND AT ABBIMARK.COM







May all who come behind  
us find us faithful

## Looking Ahead:



**AUGUST 7**  
**LEGACY BUILDER LUNCHEON**

**Bring Canned Meat for FBC Food Pantry**



**Salad Sandwich Dessert**

**AUGUST 21, 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM**  
**LEGACY BUILDER BIBLE STUDY**  
**WITH REED CRUMBLISS**



# DEEPEST CONDOLENCES

To the family of Jimmy  
Wimberly



**7UP NIGHT**  
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6  
5:30-7:30



**Kick-off**  
**SUNDAY, AUGUST 3**  
**5:30-6:30**



**PARENTS WELCOME!**



*It's a*  
**BOY**

Wade Lee Faulk  
born to Lucas &  
Taylor Faulk

proud grandparents  
Lee & Candi Dykes



**Welcome**  
**DAWSON ISAAC**  
**SHEPHERD**



Proud parents Jason &  
Kristen Shepherd

