

This Week at First Baptist Church

<u>SUNDAY, AUGUST 9</u>	<u>WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12</u>
9:00 AM Worship	5:00 PM Wednesday Meal
9:30 AM Kids Morning	5:30 PM Finance Team Mtg
Celebration, Studio & Children's Area	6:00 PM Prayer Meeting
9:45 AM Sunday School	6:00 PM Deaf Ministry
11:00 AM Worship	Bible Study
11:00 AM Preschool & Kids	7:00 PM Sanctuary Choir
Worship	
5:00 PM Deacons Meeting	<u>THURSDAY, AUGUST 13</u>
6:00 PM Vespers	9:00 AM Better Life Fitness Class
6:30 PM Student Ministry	
Putt-Putt	
	<u>SUNDAY, AUGUST 16</u>
	9:00 AM Worship
	9:30 AM Kids Morning
	Celebration, Studio & Children's Area
	9:45 AM Sunday School
	11:00 AM Preschool Worship
	11:00 AM Worship
	4:30 PM Back to School Bash
	6:00 PM Vespers
<u>MONDAY, AUGUST 10</u>	
6:30 AM Men's Bible Study	
<u>TUESDAY, AUGUST 11</u>	
9:00 AM Better Life Fitness Class	
2:00 PM SAF Leadership Team Meeting	
5:00 PM Celebrate Recovery	

Giving Update August 2, 2026

Budget Goal 2026: \$1,996,928	Budget Goal (Weekly): \$38,402
Budget Goal (YTD): \$1,190,476	Budget Receipts: \$30,903
Receipts (YTD): \$1,197,253	

God's Good News for You

God made you and loves you. *(Genesis 1-2; Psalm 139:13-16)*

You sinned and separated yourself from God. *(Romans 3:23, 6:23)*

But God loves you and sent His Son to rescue you. *(John 3:16)*

Jesus died on the cross to pay for your sin.
(Romans 5:8; 2 Corinthians 5:21)

Jesus rose again from the dead and lives today.
(1 Corinthians 15:3-4)

You must respond. Here's how...

Repent. Turn away from your life of sin. Believe the Good News about Jesus. Ask Jesus Christ to be your Savior & Lord.

Share your decision by being baptized!

Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water to symbolize our faith and express our devotion to Jesus. To learn more about baptism, connect with one of our ministers or e-mail connect@firstbaptistbg.org.

Senior Adult Sponsored Trip

Tour The Center for Courageous Kids
in Scottsville, KY (1501 Burnley Rd)

August 26 | 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
(meet at church at 9:25 AM or
meet at The Center for Courageous Kids at 10:00 AM)

After the tour, those who want lunch,
meet at Harper's Catfish.

-- Sign up at the Welcome Center --
For more information, contact Larry Elliott

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
BOWLING GREEN

What We Believe

A 12-Week Adult Discipleship Study

Our Articles of Faith & the BFM 2000.
Every believer should know what they believe.

BEGINS
Wed, August 19

TIME
6:00 PM

QUESTIONS
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Foreword by David Limbaugh

I Don't Have Enough FAITH to Be an ATHEIST

Norman L. Geisler
Frank Turek

I DON'T HAVE ENOUGH FAITH TO BE AN ATHEIST

16-Week Class

Led by Mike Jones

Starts August 16 at 4:00 PM

Each Session 90 Minutes

Cost of Materials \$25.00

by Norman Geisler & Frank Turek

FBC Kids

POP UP PARTY

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16 • 4:30-6:30PM

Let's celebrate popping up to a new school year!

PIZZA • POPCORN • POPSICLES • POP

DON'T FORGET YOUR PJs!

ABOVE EVERY

Name

JESUS IS LORD

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
BOWLING GREEN

August 9, 2026



Good morning and welcome to First Baptist Church! We're glad you're here. Our goal is to trust and follow Jesus in every moment that we live, so whether you are new to church or have been following Jesus for a long time, we hope you get closer to Him today!

Dr. Jeff Reynolds, Senior Pastor
(jreynolds@firstbaptistbg.org)

Connect With Us!



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Wednesday Evening Meals

*Cost: \$5 meal
\$20 maximum cost
per family*

August 12
Loaded Nachos,
Mexican Rice, Dessert

Ministerial Staff



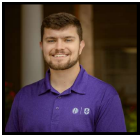
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Prayer for the Unreached

Pray for the Deaf Libyans of Libya

The Deaf Libyans of Libya, numbering 70,500 are Unengaged and Unreached with < 0.1% Evangelical believers. They are a community of individuals who are culturally Deaf and actively participate in Deaf culture, often using sign language as their primary means of communication who primarily adhere to Sunni Islam and speak Libyan Sign Language.

“Above Every Name: Jesus is Enough”
Colossians 1:21-2:7 (Pew Bible p. 983)
Dr. Jeff Reynolds
Sunday, August 9, 2026

Jesus is _____.

1. God _____ us in faith, so we
_____ in faith (1:21-23).

2. God grows us to maturity in _____, our hope of
_____ (1:24-29).

3. The source of our growth is _____ to Christ
_____ (2:1-7).

*“Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving”
(Colossians 2:6-7).*

9:00 AM Worship

“Holy Holy Holy (Nicaea)”

“Cornerstone”

PRAYING FOR THE UNREACHED

OFFERING

“Is He Worthy”

MESSAGE: Above Every Name: Jesus is Enough
Colossians 1:21-2:7
Dr. Jeff Reynolds

“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”

11:00 AM Worship

PRELUDE
Prelude on “Nicaea”
arr. Callahan
Bryson Richey, Organ

“Holy, Holy, Holy”
CONGREGATIONAL HYMN NO. 1

WELCOME AND PRAYER
Dr. Jeff Reynolds

“Higher Ground”
CONGREGATIONAL HYMN NO. 641

“I Sing the Mighty Power of God”
CONGREGATIONAL HYMN NO. 19

“His Name Is Wonderful”
CONGREGATIONAL HYMN NO. 343

OFFERTORY PRAYER
David Tooley

MUSIC MESSAGE
“Be Still”
Mary McDonald
Sanctuary Choir

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD
“Above Every Name: Jesus is Enough”
Colossians 1:21-2:7(Pew Bible p. 983)
Dr. Jeff Reynolds

“Breath on Me”
HYMN OF RESPONSE NO. 231

RECOGNITION OF DECISIONS & PRAYER
Dr. Jeff Reynolds

POSTLUDE
“Tuba Tune in D Major”
Fey
Bryson Richey, Organ

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