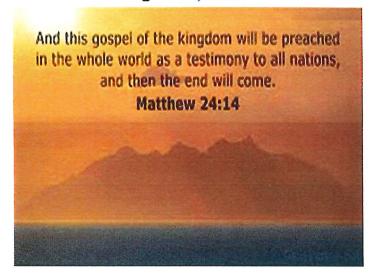
First Baptist Church of Mt. Holly

August 10, 2025



Our Mission is to equip believers to deny themselves and follow Christ by serving the church and witnessing to the world.

Ministers: All the People of God

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Welcome to FBCMH

We are so excited you have chosen to worship with us this morning.

God has drawn us together today. There is a place for every person of every age and circumstance. Let's experience God in this place and please let us know how we can be a helpful part of your life.

Order of Service

* Praise Team: "Great in Power/For the Lord our God Reigns" "Lift You High" "King of My Life"

*Prayer Song: "Goodness of God"

*Prayer and Sermon by Pastor George:

"Is DEI Biblical?"

Closing Song: "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

Announcements: Pastor George

Benediction

PASTOR'S CORNER

Brief Report on Recent Missions Trip When I go on my missions trips, I try to stay for about 7 days. I am just such a creationist! Plus, I do find that the energy of my body is fully spent after seven days. My welcome, too, sometimes thins after seven days, because Lusually try to stay in one place (often at a generous relative's house), which serves as my homebase while I travel to different locations during the day. (Where are those college days when I worked for Youth Hostel Ministries for ten weeks at a time!?) During my most recent trip to Europe, I combined two events - a weekend where I taught elders, deacons, and pastors, concluding with a believers' baptism (Saturday-Sunday, July 26th-27th); and the following weekend a celebration with my classmates with whom I graduated from the 8th grade in 1965. Most often when I travel, I am working with various Romanian Baptist Churches in Serbia, Romania, Moldavia, and Hungary, even though there are occasions when I teach and preach in Serbian churches or non-Baptist churches as well. In 2025 I made a commitment to the Romanian Baptist Churches of Banat, Serbia to be with them on four different occasions - in January, April, July, and again in October. My weekend teaching can be with small groups of 10-20 people, and my preaching on Sundays can be in churches of 10 people, 50 people, or 500 people, which happened on this trip. Usually, I preach in two churches on Sundays. My preaching highlight was preaching to my former 8th grade classmates on Saturday, August 2, 2025. It is very interesting that while communism has disappeared from many of the Eastern European countries, some of the people that were educated in those years still think like pragmatic communists. Amidst the Q&A time after my homily, one of the classmates asked where God is going to place all of the risen people. (This was a professional question because he is a realtor, but also a non-believer. (Continued on page 6 Sermon notes page)

Sermon Notes

Title: "Is DEI Biblical"

Supporting Scriptures: Matthew 24:14,

2 Corinthians 10:1-5, Ephesians 6:10-20

Sermons can be heard live on our Facebook Live and YouTube.

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Thank you all for your prayers and for granting me these opportunities to proclaim theWoird off the Lord near and far.

My next trip will be October 23rd-29th, 2025

Children's Ministry

Ministry Contact: Dorie Bartlet

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Experiencing God through dynamic Bible learning and engaging worship.

Sunday School 9:30-10:45
For Pre-school – 8 years old
And those in 4th-8th grades

Children's Church 11:00-12:15
(during Worship Service in the sanctuary)
Simply Loved
4 year olds -3rd graders

Youth Ministry

Our Student Ministry encourages growth in intimacy with God, seeking to understand and follow His desires for their lives, as they help each other do the same.

Watch for updated information of times and days of Youth Group meetings.

Young Adults' Ministry

We will be starting this ministry Fall 2025 when we have our new Theological Field Education student.

Adult Ministry

Class for All Adults

Sundays at 9:30 am in Room 201
"Epistle of James: Walking in Wisdom"
Being taught by Joshua Trejo
for anyone wanting to remain downstairs.)
(also will be televised in Room 100)

Men's Ministry

Ministry Contact: John Demby
(Men@fbcmh.org)
Men's Weekly Bible Study:

Thursdays at 11:00 am in the Café

Women's Ministry

Ministry Contact: Amy Motley
(Women@fbcmh.org)
Wednesday Morning Bible Study at 9:30 AM
With Florence Williams

Ladies Saturday Morning Bible Study: Current Study: the Book of Acts with Pam Ledeaux

Missions

Ministry Contact: Debi LeDeaux
The Missions Team will meet on Saturday,
August 10 from 10:30 am to 12 noon.
in room 100 to organize the
Back-to-School gifts.

Be In the Know....

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This Week's Events

Sunday, August 10

Education Hour 9:30 am
Worship Service 11:00 am

Fellowship Luncheon After Worship Service

Wednesday, August 13

Women's Bible Study 10:00 am

Thursday, August 14

Men's Bible Study 11:00 am

Saturday, August 16

' Women's Bible Study 8:00 am

Sunday, August 17

Education Hour 9:30 am
Worship Service 11:00 am

Future Events at FBCMH

*TODAY! Lunch & Celebration of Edythe Antonelli's 99th Birthday

*Sunday, September 7th – Honoring the Laborers at FBCMH

*Saturday, September 27 – All Church Gathering (previously called the Roll Call) 9:00 am – 3:00 pm – Materials to be distributed on 9/7

*Saturday October 4 - ABCNJ Convention

*Sunday, October 12 – Pastor's Appreciation Sunday

*Sunday November 2 – The Roll Call (Read Pastor's

Corner)

*Sunday, November 23 – Believer's Baptism (If you want to be baptized or become a church member, please see Pastor George or Daren Motley

* Sunday, December 7- Right Hand of Fellowship

*Sunday November 1st 2026 – FBCMH's 225th Anniversary

We pray that you will put these events on your calendar and seek to be present.