

FOR OUR GUESTS...A FEW THINGS ABOUT FIRST BAPTIST

☐ For General Prayer List

☐ Confidential

We Gather Around God's Word in Our Singing & Preaching

We Hope You Will Connect by Attending a Sunday School

We have Bibles for Everyone

We Provide Child Care

PASTORS/ MINISTRY DIRECTORS



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Sunday Worship Service is available to watch.

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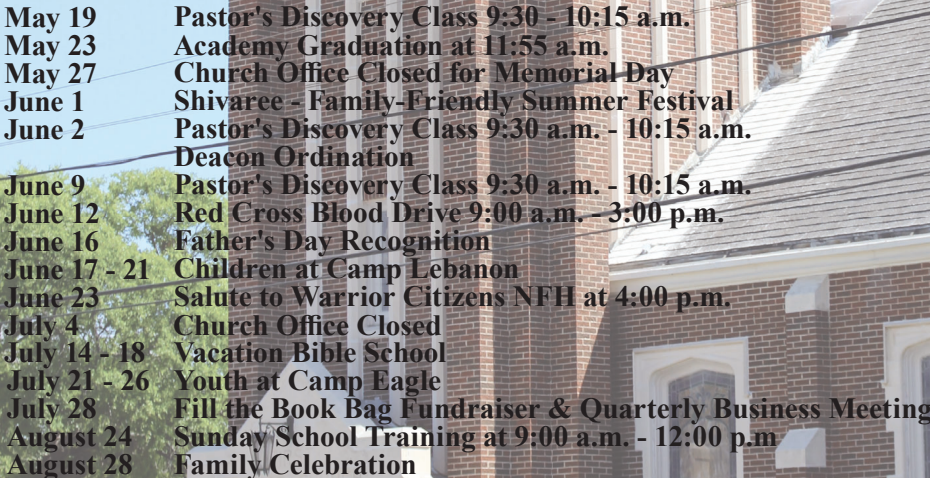
Contact our staff by email at office@fbcgatesville.org

5.19.19



First Baptist Church of Gatesville

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:



May 19 Pastor's Discovery Class 9:30 - 10:15 a.m.
May 23 Academy Graduation at 11:55 a.m.
May 27 Church Office Closed for Memorial Day
June 1 Shivaree - Family-Friendly Summer Festival
June 2 Pastor's Discovery Class 9:30 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.
Deacon Ordination
June 9 Pastor's Discovery Class 9:30 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.
June 12 Red Cross Blood Drive 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
June 16 Father's Day Recognition
June 17 - 21 Children at Camp Lebanon
June 23 Salute to Warrior Citizens NFH at 4:00 p.m.
July 4 Church Office Closed
July 14 - 18 Vacation Bible School
July 21 - 26 Youth at Camp Eagle
July 28 Fill the Book Bag Fundraiser & Quarterly Business Meeting
August 24 Sunday School Training at 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
August 28 Family Celebration

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From Our Pastor

Message from Dr. David Crosby

PICTURE JOY is the theme for our journey this summer through the inspiring letter of PHILIPPIANS. It’s only four chapters, but it is packed with ways to help us flourish in our Christian living.

WE NEED YOUR HELP! We want to create a GALLERY of pictures in our west foyer. Please send your digital images to our email address at office@fbcgatesville.org. We will print the images and display them appropriately, or you can bring a picture to the office and we will make a copy.

We are also wide open to other expressions of joy including poetry and brief prose. Sharon Streetman is designing our gallery. We will also try to assemble a digital gallery for you to enjoy on Facebook and our FBCG website.

Pictures of grandkids and pets are welcome, along with joyful displays of our magnificent Springtime in Central Texas.

Our Strategy for Ministry



Christ-Centered



Bible-Based



Mission-Driven

Last Week 4.28.19

Sunday School Attendance	100
Worship Attendance	180
Annie Armstrong Mission	\$1,425.07
Goal - \$2,000	

April 2019

General Budget Received (YTD)	\$136,110
General Budget Required (YTD)	\$124,500

Emergency Contacts

Richard Sweaney (Deacon Chair)
214-213-0887

Allen Place (Council Chair)

512-422-2774

Deacon of the Week

Chris Carroll

A missional, Bible-teaching fellowship which sincerely worships Jesus Christ.

Upcoming Events

Welcome To Our New Youth Minister

Branton Tennison is the new full-time Youth Minister at FBCG! Please welcome Branton and his wife, Kayleigh. We are excited for them to be a part of our church family.



Prayer Ministry

Minnie Wright will be in the Prayer Room during services today.

Share the Live Stream

The Worship Service is being live streamed on our church Facebook page. [Share with friends](#). First Baptist Church of Gatesville is the name of our Facebook page.

Our **New** First Baptist Church Website 🌐

The URL is <https://www.fbcgatesville.com> (not .org). The site is still a work in progress and we are always open to ideas. Also please send any corrections or suggestions to the church office at office@fbcgatesville.org or call 254-865-2014.

Experiencing God with Pastor David on Mondays at 8:30 a.m.

If you are interested in being a part of this book study, just show up on Mondays at 8:30 a.m. We will end promptly at 9:30 a.m. You can leave earlier as needed. This is a very powerful discipleship study.

Study with Pastor David on Wednesday, May 22 at 6:00 p.m.

The "*First Principles* Basics of Biblical Faith" series is on Wednesdays. Dr. Crosby plans to discuss Chapter 14, "I Believe in Family Worship".

Pastor’s DISCOVERY CLASS: **New**

Discovery Class is where new people (and members who want to come) can learn the basics about FBCG. The class will meet in the lobby near the Pastor's office.

A. Sunday, May 19, 9:30 - Responding to God: Basics of Salvation and Discipleship

B. Sunday, June 2, 9:30 - Connecting to the Church: Baptism, Lord’s Supper, Church membership

C. Sunday, June 9, 9:30 - Identifying Your Mission: Spiritual Gifts and how to Use Them

North Fort Hood Salute, June 23

We need lots of helpers at the Salute. Please sign up in the lobby. Only 3 people have signed up so far. If you do not have a post pass, please get one right away (there is no cost). Pass information is on a green half-sheet in the lobby. Food team, you will need to have your 2018 food handlers certificates with you - this is very important. If you need information on acquiring a food handlers certificate, contact David Fincher at 254-223-6338. All food handlers are required to be certified.

Picture Joy, June 2

On June 2, Dr. Crosby will begin a series of messages on “Picture Joy”. We need your help in completing our “**Picture Joy**” **Gallery** that will be displayed in the church’s west entrance foyer for this summer series. Where do you see beauty? What brings you **joy**? Your First Baptist Church Family wants to know. Please submit your photos, pictures, art work, poem, story, song, letter, quote, phrase, prayer, scripture, symbols, landmark--anything that brings you joy--to the church Office by May 22. Please note that we must be able to make a copy of your submission in order to format it for our “**Picture Joy**” **Gallery**. Contact Sharon Streetman or the church office with questions.

Thank You from the Children

A big thank-you from the Children's Ministry for your support of the Mother's Day Breakfast! Your generous donations will be used by the children for Camp Lebanon in June.

Wednesday Night Activities for Adults

6:00-7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study (New study titled ***Fearfully and Wonderfully Made***, will begin June 5)

7:00-8:00 p.m. Worship Rehearsal

The church office is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Friday. You may call the church office any time at 254-865-2014. Please leave a voice mail message if no one answers.

CONNECT

May 19, 2019

Complete, detach and place in the offering plate or bring to the Connections Center for a gift

☐ Change in contact information

Name: _____

☐ 1st time guest ☐ 2nd time guest

☐ Regular attendee ☐ Member

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip: _____

Best Phone: _____

Email: _____

Birthdate: _____

How did you hear about First Baptist Church of Gatesville?

(newspaper, name of person who invited you)

Are you married? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Spouse’s name: _____

Birthdate: _____

Children? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name(s) and age(s): _____

My NEXT STEP TODAY IS TO...

☐ Find out more about a personal relationship with Jesus Christ

☐ Request a call from a pastor to discuss church membership

☐ Connect with a small group/ Bible study class

☐ I am interested in helping with
