



First Baptist Monroe

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WARE IT IS

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Senior Pastor

You're Welcome!!! - thanks to Wade Millians! The next time you're on campus, make your way through the fellowship hall and check out our new Welcome Center. As with everything Wade does, it's first class! Now all we need to go with it are people to do the welcoming. So, if you would enjoy helping open the First Baptist doors to others, send Ginger Whitley a text to 404-545-1905. She'll love to include you in our Hospitality Team!



Arkansas Here We Come!

Much praying and planning has gone into our Family Mission Trip to Dennard, Arkansas. The team will be helping with Vacation Bible School and doing construction work. You'll find the team members listed in this week's newsletter. Keep them in your prayers.

FISH & Kids

Fried fish, Bingo, and blessing kids - what more could you ask for? Supper will be served at 6:00pm followed by Kayla Merritt from Uniting Hope sharing a word about the importance of foster care. We'll close out the evening trying to find the lucky person who will win two free Braves tickets in a round of Bingo. There is no cost for supper but we are asking everyone to make a donation of either pull-ups, gas or grocery gift cards, or baby wipes to Uniting Hope. You can click [here](#) or call the church office to register.

Dining in the Round!

Our Dine Around will look a little different this month with it taking the shape of a covered-dish meal in the fellowship hall. It'll begin at 5:00pm. The registration deadline is Wednesday, July 17th. Once our registration is complete, we'll let everyone know what type of dish they need to bring. You can click [here](#) or call the church office to register. This Dine Around is for all ages!

A Service of Worship & Supper

Our Lakeside Summer will come to a close with a special worship service at 5:00pm on the evening of August 4th. The service will provide an opportunity for people to be baptized. While new believers will be baptized, the baptismal waters will also be open to believers who were previously baptized but without an understanding that they were publicly telling others about their faith in Jesus. You can register to be baptized by clicking [here](#). One of our staff will be in touch with you.

We officially wrap up our Lakeside Summer with a Low Country Boil prepared by Joseph Hawes. Supper will follow worship. Please click [here](#) to register. A donation will be received to offset the cost of supper.

I'm looking forward to a great time of worship & fellowship with our First Baptist family!

Learning, Loving & Living Like Jesus,
Todd

FMT

FAMILY MISSION TRIP

July 5 - 13

Dennard, Arkansas

Pray for our team!

Beth Baggett	Zeke Hughes
Bruce Baggett	Hayden Melton
Ellie Grace Brown	Holly Melton
Karen Brown	Greg Nash
Kyle Brown	Lisa Nash
Stanley Brown	Debra Smith
Mike Eckles	Ron Smith
Sallie Eckles	Greg Solsrud
Harrette Hodges	Martha Solsrud
Ginny Hughes	Sophia Solsrud
Obie Hughes	Mildren Torres

PRESCHOOL WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

JULY 7: TEAM LEADER: KATHRYN SANDERS

One Sunday

Infants:

Teri Head
Callie Smith

Toddler/2's:

Donna Roberts

3-5 year olds:

Karen Paul
John Head



July 15-19

\$100 per Student

FIRST ON LAST

Prospective Members Class

Meets the last Sunday of every month during the Sunday School Hour
Register online or call the front office



Room 312
9:45 - 10:45

fbcmonroe.com

ALL AGES ARE INVITED TO SHARE A MEAL & CONNECT WITH OUR CHURCH FAMILY!

DINE AROUND



JULY 21

REGISTER@FBCMONROE.COM

Stay in the loop with FIRST NOTES

VIEW ONLINE AT FBCMONROE.COM OR CLICK HERE



CPR TRAINING

Monday, Aug 5

9am Cost: \$30

Visit fbcmonroe.com for details & registration
Registration deadline: July 29

Please pray and encourage our College Students doing full-time ministry this summer!

- Lily Jennings - FBC Monroe
- Will Bowick - FBC Monroe
- Hayden Melton - FBC Monroe
- Emily Music - Fuge Camps
- Ben Ellerbee - JH Ranch
- Daniel Harkins - JH Ranch
- Allie Harkins - JH Ranch
- Sara Bryan - JH Ranch
- Julia Waldo - JH Ranch

Prayer List

IMMEDIATE CARE:

John & Frankie Beckum
 George Bodeep (Brother-in-law of David Queen)
 Penny Carithers (sister of Linda Head)
 Tommie Anne Crissman (sister of Claudia Phillips)
 Sally Deese
 Jenny Ferguson (sister of Julie Sargent)
 Shirley Guhl
 David Hicks (friend of Willene McNeal)
 Lois Kemper (friend of Susanne Young)
 Chris Kitchens (son of Scarlett Kitchens)
 Scarlett Kitchens
 Faye Morgan
 Steve Reynolds
 Bob Richards
 Richard Sells
 Tariq Shakoor
 Tappey Squires
 John Vaughn (son-in-law of Susanne Autry)
 Eric Webb
 Virginia Wheeler (friend of Claudia Phillips)
 Mike Wood (brother of Tom Wood)
 Eddie Young (son of Elizabeth Young)
 Shelia Young

ONGOING CARE:

Doris Adams
 Norma Barnes
 Alan & Jayne Bolton
 Bobby & Judy Burrow
 Gail Carrell
 Tyrone Carrell
 Leigh Clark (daughter of Willene McNeal)
 Margaret Cooper (mother of Steve Akery & Rita Millians)
 Diane Davis
 Susan Ferguson (friend of Vickie Gasaway)
 Dianne Gove
 Boyce Hall (brother in law of Todd & Teri Ware)
 Sherry Hanes
 Roemelle Holloway
 Shirley Johnson
 Ann Jones (mother of Teri Ware)
 Kathy Kamienski
 Kay Legg (friend of Tim Anderson)
 Jayson Lowe (brother of Stacy McCullers)
 Barbara Malcom
 Ricky Mathis
 Ruth McClellan (friend of Suzanne Young)
 George & Rachel Moyers
 Gloria Potter
 Charlie Powell
 Juan Prado
 Richard Purcell (friend of Tim Anderson)
 Trisha Rackley
 Dale Shinn
 Sherlene Shiver
 Harry Simmons, Jr.
 Joshua Stachowicz (grandson of Evelyn Barganier)
 Barry Stone (husband of Sharyn Stone)

Dennis & Carol Story
 Steve West
 Mark Wilkinson, Sr. (friend of Herbie Malcom)

GIFTS

In Memory of Chuck Leathery
 given by The 2:42 Sunday School Class
 to the Team Up Mentoring fund

In Memory of Wesley Robison
 given by Mrs. Ramona Robison
 to the General Fund



FLOWERS

This week's flowers are placed in the sanctuary in honor of our Pastors and all First Baptist Monroe Staff by the Atha/Trinity Sunday School Class.

GREETERS FOR JULY 7

Edith McKay, Glenda Molton

UPCOMING

ONE SUNDAY, JULY 7

9:15am Sunday School
 10:30am ONE Sunday Service in Sanctuary

SATURDAY - SATURDAY, JULY 5 - 13

Family Mission Trip, Dennard, Arkansas

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10

6:00pm Fish & Kids in Fellowship Hall
 Men's Bible Study in Ed. Annex

MONDAY - FRIDAY, JULY 15 - 19

Love Where You Live

SUNDAY, JULY 21

Dine Around - register [here](#)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

BIRTHDAYS JUL 7 - 13

7	Caroline Conner
8	Lucy Walker
9	Jaycie Dillard
10	Debra Alling
10	Charles Coker
10	Kathy Taylor
11	Jessica Head
11	Noah Prather
12	Hal Breedlove
12	Charlee Ann Brown
12	Ella Potter
12	Abby Kate Sisk
12	Emma Snoddy
13	B.J. Bennett
13	Jay Brown, Jr
13	Sara Powell

DEACONS OF THE WEEK JULY 4 - 10

Kevin Barrett & Bruce Millians

MISSION PARTNER OF THE WEEK

Relay for Life Survivors' Meal

SHUT-IN OF THE WEEK

Lillian Cross
 Great Oaks of Monroe
 920 Highway 138 Room 220
 Monroe, GA 30655

LAST WEEK

June 30, 2024

WEEKLY FINANCIAL NUMBERS

Weekly Budget Required	\$32,874.44
Weekly Budget Receipts	
Sunday Offerings	\$10,668.00
Online Giving	\$7,627.00
Stock Gifts	\$0.00
Budget Required to Date	\$854,735.44
Budget Received to Date	\$768,937.65
Designated Gifts	\$1,794.00
Give to Go Goal	\$75,000.00
Give to Go YTD	\$108,195.43

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Adults	236
Students	20
Kids	26
Preschool	26
Total	310



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OFFICE HOURS

8:30am-5:00pm Monday-Thursday
8:30am-1:00pm Friday

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AFTER-HOURS

On-Call Pastor Care Number
706-389-9804
July 5 - 7
Todd Ware

BRUCE BAGGETT Associate Pastor
ALEX BOSKOFF Early Worship Leader
MARIA BRANNEN Minister to Children
KYLE BROWN Minister to Students
CHRIS BRYAN Informal Worship Leader
DARLENE CHRISTIE Director of Weekday School
BROOKE GOUGE Family Ministry Assistant

JOE GRAHAM Church Administrator
KIM HENSEL Ministry Assistant
CARROL HOLMAN Financial Secretary
CURTIS MURDOCK Traditional Worship Leader
GLORIA NGUYEN Minister to College and Young Adults
TODD WARE Senior Pastor

