

We're so glad you joined us today! We would love an opportunity to meet you! Please stop by our "First Time Guest Tent." You can also meet Pastor Brian after the service in the alcove near the east entrance.



Be sure to get yourself a cup of coffee at our coffee bar! Located in The Commons near the main stairs.

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#### DOWNLOAD OUR APP

For Apple, Android and Windows devices, go to your app store and look for First Baptist Church Plant City.

#### GET CONNECTED

Three ways to fill out a Connect Card:

- In the seat back pocket in front of you.
- From our church app.
- On our church website, www.fbcpc.com.

#### STARTING POINT LUNCHEON

Whether you just started attending church, or you've been coming for a while, attending Starting Point will help you connect and learn the ins and outs of our church. Have lunch, meet our pastors, and get your questions answered.

Next Starting Point: Sunday, May 19, 2019

Please RSVP online at fbcpc.com/starting-point.

#### LOOKING FOR A PLACE TO SERVE?

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Church: 3309 James L. Redman Pkwy, Plant City, 33566 Offices & Mailing: 503 N. Palmer St., Plant City, 33563 813.752.4104 | www.fbcpc.com Sermon Notes, April 7, 2019 Dr. Brian Stowe | Romans 3:21-26

He Is Just | "He Is" Series

1. God is just in His	•
A man ca	nn measure up to God.
We have fallen short of the glory of God. What does that mean? It means we have fallen short of God's standard - Him. We are guilty.	
•	ness of our sinful state. At best, any righteousness by works desperately inadequate." Mounces, R.H.
B or _ standard.	other than God as the standard is a fault
2. God is just in His	
A. God did what was neces	ssary to
	God never, ever, just pretended the sins never ignored them.
	b be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the ess of God in him." 2 Corinthians 5:21
2. God is	v 26.
	s holy Law, the meeting of its just demands, so that God can forgive those that come to Christ.
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### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH PLANT CITY

# WELCOME We're glad you're here!

#### **Service Times**

Sundays, 9:00 am, Blended Service and 10:30 am, Modern Service Wednesdays, 6:15 pm

#### Small Groups

Sundays, 8, 9, and 10:30 am Home Groups at various times. Call 813-752-4104 for information.

April 7, 2019

#### Today's Message

He Is... Just

Dr. Brian Stowe | Romans 3:21-26



He is! I am so excited about our current series of messages that is leading us up to Easter. We serve and worship an awesome God. However, I fear we are forgetful of just how awesome He really is. So, we are going to remind ourselves and be challenged in every message to worship Him, trust Him, follow Him, and declare Him. He is... all you need!

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**Did You Know...?** There are more than 7,000 spoken or signed languages used throughout the world. 5,817 of these languages still do not have a complete Bible available. Pray that translation projects for these remaining languages would begin soon.

Be sure to checkout the Global Connections Center in the north alcove for the new, interactive experience on Bible translation.

#### **OPPORTUNITIES TO CONNECT & ENGAGE**

 SR Adult Trip Informational Meeting TODAY at 5:00 in room 113-114 Amish Country, Lancaster, PA from September 30

Amish Country, Lancaster, PA from September 30 through October 4, 2019. We will be flying from Tampa to Philadelphia. Trip is limited to 40 people.

#### Holv Week Events

April 14, Palm Sunday, 9:00 and 10:30 am April 17, No regular activities, (choir at 7 pm) April 19, Good Friday Service, 7:00 pm April 20, Saturday Easter Celebration, 5:00 pm April 21, Easter Sunday, 9:00 and 10:30 am

#### Walk With Jesus

April 17, 5:30-7:30 pm and April 20, 2 -4:00 pm
This guided, immersive event for children and adults walks through Jesus' last days on earth.
Enter Jerusalem for Palm Sunday, sit down at the Last Supper, pray in the Garden of Gethsemane, discover the sacrifice of Good Friday, and celebrate the victory of the empty tomb. To reserve a time slot register at https://www.fbcpc.com/walk2019

Florida Baptist Disaster Relief Training
 April 27th, Northridge Church, Haines City
 Our Southern Baptist State and National Conventions do an incredible job mobilizing our churches to help in natural disaster situations. Registration begins at 8:30 am. Meet at FBCPC at 7:30 am if you are riding with us. Registration Fee: \$25 (bring cash the day of event). Price includes: lunch, training materials, ID badge, t-shirt, hat and pin.

#### Saturate

Looking for a place to *Serve & Reach*, what about joining our Saturate Team? Join us for an info meeting today after the second service in 114.

 Women's Bible Study Sundays at 4:00 pm, Wednesdays at 6:15 pm, or Fridays at 9:00 am.

Current study by Jennifer Rothschild, Psalm 23: The Shepherd with Me.

#### Wednesdays for Women 6:15 pm, Rooms 111-112

We are discovering what it means to be REAL as we explore Relationships, Encouragement, Accountability, and Laughter.

- Wednesday in the Word
   Wednesdays at 6:15 pm, Room 114
   Join us for our in-depth study of Exodus, "From
   Sands to Sinai." This class is open to everyone.
- Montreal Mission Trip Information Meeting April 14th after 2nd service, Room 114
   Make plans to come and find out about this summer's mission project in Montreal.
- Secret Church
   Friday, April 26 from 6:30 pm 1:00 am
   Join us for a night of prayer, fasting and pursuit
   of God. No childcare provided.
- Thursday Night Bible Study (in English)
   7:30 pm, Fellowship Hall (Admin Bldg)
   An in-depth Bible Study led by John Foxx. This is a co-ed class and is open to everyone.
- Support Our Church Plant in Chiapas, Mexico!
   In the Commons you will find 3 boxes to fill with much needed supplies. Our team will be going down to Chiapas April 25 29.

#### THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, April 7
8:00, 9:00, & 10:30 am | Small Group Bible Study
9:00 am | Blended Service | Worship Center

10:30 am | Modern Service | Worship Center

12:00 pm | Saturate Info Meeting | 114

4:00 pm |Women's Bible Study | 111, 112

2:30 pm | Student Worship Band

4:00 pm | Amplify | 200

4:30 pm | English Class | Admin. Building

5:00 pm | Senior's Lancaster Trip Meeting | 113, 114

6:00 pm | Spanish Church | Admin. Building

**6:00 pm | Young Pro's Small Group |** The Helm's home. Text for directions or more info, 813-943-8894.

6:00 pm | College Small Group | Landing

**MONDAY, April 8** 

6:00 pm | REACH | The Commons

WEDNESDAY, April 10

**10:30 am | Library Open |** Admin. Building **5:00 pm | Kid's Choirs |** 4-K, 208; 1st - 6th, 200

6:00 pm | Grief Share | Admin Bldg.

6:00 pm | AWANA

6:15 pm | Men's Ministry | 110

6:15 pm | Wednesdays for Women | 111,112

6:15 pm | Women's Bible Study | 202

6:15 pm | Adults: Wednesday in the Word | 114

6:15 pm | First Student Worship | The Landing

7:30 pm | Adult Choir and Orchestra Rehearsal

7:30 pm | College & Young Pros | Krazy Kup

THURSDAY, April 11

9:00 am | MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) | 112

7:00 pm | Biker Bible Study | Krazy Kup

7:30 pm | Co-Ed Bible Study in English | Fellowship Hall at Admin. Bldg.

FRIDAY, April 12

9:00 am | Women's Bible Study | 111, 112

5:00 pm | Ignite Weekend

#### VITAL SIGNS

#### NEW MEMBERS By Baptism

Ryan Banks

By Letter

Josh and Brittany Cranor Sammy Whitcomb

MEMORIALS Phil Roberts

Winfred & Sue Harrell

Betty Sparkman
Winfred & Sue Harrell
Clyde Smith Family

**Doris Johnson** *Bill & Diane Morrow* 

Harold Register
Barnabas Class
Paul Tindle
Earl Taylor

BEREAVEMENT

Our Pastor & Church Family extend their deepest sympathy and love to:

**Henry & Frances Register** and family, on the loss of his brother, **Rubin Register.** 

**Linda Atkins, Ann Combass** and family, on the loss of their mother, **Doris Johnson.** 

**Jean Brady** and family, on the loss of her sister, **Carol Donovan.** 

Jaime Gietzen Jones and family, on the loss of her husband, John Jones.

**STATISTICS** *3.31.19* 

Small Group Attendance: 1256

 Budget Receipts:
 \$70,981.54

 Wills & Trusts:
 \$0.00

 Budget Requirements:
 \$76,119.98

 YTD Budget Receipts:
 \$2,127,911.56

 YTD Requirements:
 \$1,979,110.50

**Destination Next** 

Pledges: \$4,027,871.88 3-31-19 Receipts \$10,638.00 Received to Date: \$773,693.36 OUR MISSION







We exist to lead people beyond just good enough to experience "L.I.F.E." in Christ, and we do this by helping you to Worship, Grow, Serve, and Reach.

#### **ABOUT US**



At First Baptist Church Plant City our mission is to lead people beyond just good enough to experience LIFE in Christ. Our passion is to ensure that people hear the Good News of the Gospel and that God is glorified.

First Baptist Church of Plant City is associated with the Southern Baptist Convention. While each Southern Baptist congregation is an autonomous body unto itself, we adhere to a statement of generally held convictions called The Baptist Faith and Message.

**OUR PASTOR** 



Pastor Brian came to First

Dr. Brian Stowe

Baptist Church in 2013. He and his wife Bonnie have four children, Sarah, Hannah, Andrew, and Elizabeth.

Dr. Stowe earned his Doctorate in Ministry from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. He also holds a MDiv from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Texas and a BS in Mechanical Engineering from the Georgia Institute of Technology.

#### **HOW TO GIVE** ■

You can give during the worship service by check or cash when the offering is collected. You may want to download our Apple or Android app titled "FBC Plant City," and follow the Give link at the bottom of the screen. You may also give at any time on our website at fbcpc.com. Thank you for supporting the ministry of First Baptist Church Plant City.