

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.

## 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: TBD

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

#### LOOKING FOR A PLACE TO SERVE?

Download the FBCPC App, click on SERVE, and get connected!

Visit our website: www.fbcpc.com



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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, May 19, 2019 Dr. Brian Stowe | Philemon 22-25

Second chances don't happen in a vacuum.

Answer these four simple questions:

A. Paul shared some of his \_\_\_\_\_

A. Paul wanted to visit \_\_\_\_\_\_.

he had gone to Rome to assist Paul.

helper to the end (2 Tim. 4:11).

A. Paul ends his letter how he began his letter – with \_\_

B. Four musts in accountability:

B. What is at \_\_\_\_\_ for us?

several journeys including the trip to Rome.

2. The Father's \_\_\_\_\_\_. . . .

The Power of Others | Second Chances Series

B. To \_\_\_\_\_\_ have you made yourself \_\_\_\_\_ accountable?

\_\_\_\_\_. He was probably the pastor of the church at Colossae; and

, a believer from Thessalonica, accompanied Paul on

later forsook Paul, having loved this present world (2 Tim. 4:10).

the beloved physician, proved to be a faithful companion and

of accountability v 25

> Paul had a lot riding in his life, ministry, everything. And so do we.

Do you need a second chance?

for Accountability, v 22

of accountability. vv 23-24

2. \_\_\_\_\_ was the writer of the Second Gospel.

# 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.

#### Today's Message

**Second Chances** 

Dr. Brian Stowe | Philemon 22-25



May 19, 2019



Have you ever needed a second chance? Have you ever been given a second chance? I know I've been the recipient of many second chances in my lifetime, and I'm so very grateful for each one! The book of Philemon is a very personal and lovingly pointed appeal of a believer to extend a second chance to someone that had really blown it. As we will see through the four-week study, a second chance can make all the difference – for the one giving it and the one receiving it. Do you need a second chance? The Lord stands ready to give you one. Do you need to give a second chance to someone? This study will help you know how to give it the right way. I can't wait to see what God will do in the weeks ahead!

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Stop by the Global Connections Center to learn more about the Unreached People Group that our church has adopted: The Meskhetian Turks.

Check out the Global Connections Center in the north alcove for an interactive experience on Bible translation.

# **OPPORTUNITIES TO CONNECT & ENGAGE**

• VBS 2019—In the Wild June 9-13 | 6:00—9:00 pm PRE-REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

All kids and volunteers must register. Go to: www.fbcpc.com/vbs. VBS takes you on a wild adventure with elephants and egrets, polar bears and penguins, cockatoos and crocodiles. As you seek out exotic animals, you'll also find snapshots of real-life encounters with Jesus in Scripture. Kids go from bewildered to believing as they get In The Wild at this summer's VBS. Want to serve at VBS this year? Go to <a href="https://www.fbcpc.com/vbs-volunteer">www.fbcpc.com/vbs-volunteer</a> to register.

• Prayer Warrior Ministry

Sign up to be a part of a Sunday prayer group. Contact Kim Evans at <u>Kimberly.evans@live.com</u> for more information.

Wednesday in the Word
 Wednesdays at 6:15 pm, Room 113-114

Join us for a NEW study of how God came to redeem man as told by an eyewitness of all Jesus did and said, John the Beloved. This class is open to everyone.

Employment Opportunity

We are currently seeking a part-time Preschool Ministry Assistant. Contact Bill Bender for more information at <a href="mailto:bbender@fbcpc.com">bbender@fbcpc.com</a>

Wednesdays for Women
 6:15 pm, Rooms 111-112
 Join us for The Basket Case by Beth Moore.

 Fresh Grounded Faith Volunteer Meeting Monday, May 20th at 6:30 pm

We will be hosting Jennifer Rothschild's Fresh Grounded Faith conference on September 13-14. Make plans now to attend this live event and purchase your discounted ticket on our church website! Get involved in the preparations by joining up at this next Volunteer Meeting.

Mission Opportunity

Our church will be partnering with Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church in Marion County to help them remodel their parsonage in preparation for a new minister. We are looking for men, women, and older, supervised children to help with demo, pressure washing, painting, drywall installation, flooring installation, debris removal. The cost is \$20 (scholarships are available if needed). If you are interested in joining a team, contact Adam at 813-752-4104 or email <a href="mailto:acunningham@fbcpc.com">acunningham@fbcpc.com</a>.

June 21-23 · July 5-8 · July 12-15

Church at the Park
 Tomorrow at 5:00 pm

If you are interested in helping our Church at the Park team feed a hot meal to the homeless and needy in our community, please call the church office.

# THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, May 19

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 | Starting Point | Commons

12:00 pm | Financial Planning for College | The Landing

4:30 pm | English Class | Admin. Bldg., 503 N. Palmer St.

6:00 pm | Grad Recognition | Worship Center

6:00 pm | Spanish Church | Admin. Bldg., 503 N. Palmer St.

**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 | The Landing

MONDAY, May 20

5:00 pm | Church at the Park | 403 N. Dort St.

6:30 pm | Fresh Grounded Faith Meeting | 200

TUESDAY, May 21

9:00 am | KIT Group | Admin. Bldg., 503 N. Palmer St.

#### WEDNESDAY, May 22

10:00 am | Library Open | Admin. Bldg., 503 N. Palmer St.

5:00 pm | Kid's Choirs | 4-K, 208; 1st - 6th, 200

6:00 pm | AWANA | 200

6:00 pm | Grief Share | Admin Bldg., 503 N. Palmer St.

6:15 pm | Men's Ministry | 110

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

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, May 23

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

**6:30 pm | Co-Ed Bible Study in English |** Fellowship Hall at Admin. Bldg., 503 N. Palmer St.

7:00 pm | Biker Bible Study | Krazy Kup

# VITAL SIGNS

# NEW MEMBERS

By Letter

Les, Christine, Colton, Emma, and Harper Miller

Bv Baptism

Daniel Wise Christine Wise Hope Eranen

**MEMORIALS** 

**Doris Johnson** *Lynn Wansley David, Betsy, Renee, Pam*& *Todd Sparkman* 

#### THANK YOU

Thank you to our church family for the prayers, calls, visits, cards, and text message during my recent hospitalization and now as I am recovering at home. A special "thank you" to the pastors for their visits and personal prayers.

In Christ's love, Becky Cooper **STATISTICS** *5.12.19* 

Small Group Attendance: 1125

 Budget Receipts:
 \$73,764.18

 Wills & Trusts:
 \$0.00

 Budget Requirements:
 \$76,119.98

 YTD Budget Receipts:
 \$2,607.128.75

 YTD Requirements:
 \$2,435.849.38

**Destination Next** 

Pledges: \$4,027,871.88 5.12.19 Receipts \$13,857.00 Received to Date: \$863,643.36 **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



Dr. Brian Stowe

Pastor Brian came to First 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.