




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.

Find Out More!

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, March 10, 2019
Please RSVP online at fbcpc.com/starting-point.

LOOKING FOR A PLACE TO SERVE?
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Sermon Notes, February 10, 2019
Dr. Brian Stowe | Luke 15:1-7

One
One matters - You matter

Notice this of the shepherd;

1. _____. vv 3-4a

A. The _____ cares about the one.

1. He knows the _____ of sheep.

2. He knows the _____ of a shepherd.

"I am the Good Shepherd. The good shepherd gives His life for the sheep. But a hireling, he who is not the shepherd, one who does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and flees; and the wolf catches the sheep and scatters them. The hireling flees because he is a hireling and does not care about the sheep." John 10:11-13

B. As one person mattered to _____, one person must matter to _____.

"There is nothing more helpless than a lost sheep except a lost sinner." A.T. Robertson

2. _____. v 4b

A. The _____ goes after the _____ until it is found. "He joyfully puts it on his shoulders...."

B. Would you be known as one that _____ for the one until found and then _____ caring for the one?

"Because they love a feller over there." Wiersbe, W. W. 1996, c1989. The Bible exposition commentary.

3. _____. vv 5-7

A. He does not _____ the Good News to _____.

B. Are you _____ when you have good news to _____?

Do we celebrate?

- When was the last time you celebrated being rescued by your Shepherd?
- When was the last time you wholeheartedly celebrated another person coming to Christ that you did not know?
- When was the last time you celebrated someone you know personally and went after coming to Christ?

What now?

1. _____ is your one?

2. Pray, work, invite, share, pray some more to have your _____ come by (or on) Easter.

3. _____ your one to the Wild Game Dinner on February 21.

4. Don't _____.

You may feel like you're lost. You don't have to leave that way.

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

One, One Matters. You Matter
Dr. Brian Stowe | Luke 15:1-7

February 10, 2019

destination  next
Isaiah 43:19
Journey On

Dear Church Family,

We are on a journey! There are times in a journey when the goal seems to be easy and to see it is not difficult at all. There are other times when the journey can be long and the goal not quite as clear. Over these next weeks we will journey through the scripture to see individuals that remained faithful to their journey, though the end goal wasn't in sight. Because of their faithfulness – even in the mundane times – incredible things were accomplished. These are exciting days at First Baptist Church. A new facility, lives being changed, new and expanded mission endeavors, growing small groups, growing blessings – and growing challenges. As we journey on to Destination Next, I firmly believe that God is going to do some God-things before our eyes; but it will call for us to remain faithful in our worshiping, growing, serving, and reaching. It will also call for us to be sacrificial in our giving as we never lose sight of our mission to lead people beyond just "good enough" to experience LIFE in Christ.

Journey with me! It's going to be a great – and unforgettable ride!

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
PLANT CITY 

SPOTLIGHT!



A New Church Directory

In March we will begin taking photos for a new church directory. Come by the table in the Commons today to set up your photography session, or go to our church website, www.fbcpc.com, and click on the Life Touch link. There you can select the day and time that works best for you and your family.

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WORSHIP



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
PLANT CITY

SUNDAY SERVICE TIMES

BLENDED 9:00 AM
MODERN 10:30 AM

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REACH



WILD GAME DINNER


Thursday, February 21st

Doors Open: 5:00 pm
Event Starts: 6:00 pm

Get your tickets in the Commons today!

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GROW



SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES

LIFE IS BETTER TOGETHER! JOIN A SMALL GROUP TODAY!

PRESCHOOL
CHILDREN
STUDENTS
COLLEGE
YOUNG PROS
SINGLES
YOUNG ADULTS
MEDIAN ADULTS
SENIOR ADULTS
SPANISH
FAITH RIDERS

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SERVE



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OPPORTUNITIES TO CONNECT & ENGAGE

First Fruits Offering for Destination Next

Special offering envelopes have been provided for our First Fruits Offering today. We will bring our offerings to the altar in both services today.

First Anniversaries in our Building

Sunday, February 17th
Be sure to join us next Sunday as we celebrate one-year in this beautiful facility! We will have special music by our Worship Choir, Orchestra and Worship Teams, as well as a message from our special guest, Tommy Green, the Executive Director for our Florida Baptist Convention.

First Men's Wild Game Event

Thursday, February 21 at the church
5:00 pm open, 6:00 pm start. Tickets are available in the Commons, Wednesday night men's ministry, and at the church office.

Upcoming Mission Trip Meeting

Informational Meeting February 17th
Mission Trip to Guatemala on June 15-21
Mother & 10+ child Trip. Cost is \$1,750

Milestone 6 - An Evening of Affirmation

March 31, 5:00 pm, the Howard's Home
For middle schoolers and their parents. Come join us for a meal and a special time of sharing. RSVP required at www.fbcpc.com/next-gen

Wednesdays for Women

6:15 pm, Rooms 111-112
Jennifer Shiver is teaching a series entitled "Empty Water Bottles and John the Baptist: Allowing Jesus to be All You Need."

Women's Bible Study

Join us for "Job: A Story of Unlikely Joy," a seven-week study by Lisa Harper. Three class times are available: Wednesdays at 6:15 pm, Fridays at 9:00 am, or Sundays at 4:00 pm.

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.

Preteen Survivor Weekend

February 22nd-24th
Registration and payment are due by February 15th. www.fbcpc.com/survivor

VITAL SIGNS

NEW MEMBERS

2.3.19

Grace Gifford
Grade 8
By Baptism

Danielle Reid
1411 Peachfield Dr., Valrico
By Baptism

MEMORIALS

Paul Tindle
Bettye Jean Manee

Jean Weaver
Bettye Jean Manee
Sarah Mott

Alvany Wilson
Bettye Jean Manee
Voncille Calhoun

Dorothy Cooper
Sarah Mott

THANK YOU

God is good. He has provided me with a loving church family. Thank you, dear friends, for your kind words, cards, calls, visits, and for providing so many delicious meals. You made my recuperation so much easier.

Lucille Hall

BEREAVEMENT

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

Lewis Crouse on the loss of his brother, **Alvin "Benny" Crouse.**

Julia Taylor, Heather Polk, Jennifer West, and Diane Morrow, on the loss of their father, grandfather, and brother-in-law, **Jewel Graves.**

Jeff, Taylor, and Brady Michael on the loss of their wife and mother, **Dawn Michael.**

STATISTICS

2.3.19

Small Group Attendance:	1287
Budget Receipts:	\$82,422.24
Wills & Trusts:	\$0.00
Budget Requirements:	\$76,119.98
YTD Budget Receipts:	\$1,519,360.95
YTD Requirements:	\$1,370,159.65

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.

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, February 10

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

2:30 pm | Student Worship Band

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

4:00 pm | Amplify | 200

4:30 pm | English Class | Admin. Building

6:00 pm | Spanish Church | Admin. Building

6:00 pm | Young Pro's Small Group | The Helms' home. Call Daniel at 813-943-8894 for more info.

6:00 pm | College Small Group | The Landing

MONDAY, February 11

6:00 pm | REACH | The Commons

TUESDAY, February 12

6:45 pm | Adult Small Group | Keith & Susan Venning's home

WEDNESDAY, February 13

10:30 am | Library Open | Admin. Building

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

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, February 14

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

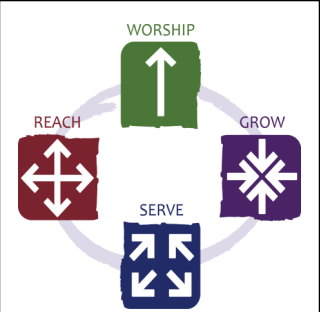
7:00 pm | Biker Bible Study | Krazy Kup

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

FRIDAY, February 15


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

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.