

May 17, 2026



ENTERPRISE
FIRST BAPTIST

We Exist to Glorify God by Making Disciples of All Nations
WORSHIP • CONNECT • SERVE • MULTIPLY

Sunday Worship

May 17, 2026

8:15 AM

Welcome

Dr. Ben Bowden

Congregational Singing - Take You At Your Word | Death Was Arrested

Lord's Prayer

Rev. Zach Clark

Pastoral Prayer

Congregational Singing - A Thousand Hallelujahs

Sermon - Colossians | Established in the Faith

Dr. Ben Bowden

Colossians 2:1-7

Song of Response - A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Processional of Graduates

Recognition of Graduates

Rev. Marc Edge

Recessional of Graduates

Benediction

Philip Wilkes

10:45 AM Service

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Choir Special - Reason I Sing

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Colossians 2:1-7

Song of Response - A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Benediction

Dr. Rex Kent

Recessional of Graduates

FAMILY AND PERSONAL DEVOTION

Scripture Memory:

Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

Colossians 2:6-7

Catechism:

How can being a witness help us to grow in our salvation?

By sharing our faith with others, God gives us a fuller understanding of who we are in Christ.

(Acts 1:8; Philemon 6)

DEACONS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 18 - 24, 2026

Brock Mathews
Taylor McCulloch
Johnny Blaise

Worship Through Giving:
Scan the QR code to give online.



If you need a Deacon for anything this week, please call the church office (334-393-5683).

THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERINGS

May 10, 2026

Total Worship Attendance	1,007
Sunday School Attendance.....	857
Additions to Membership (since September 1, 2025)	
• Baptisms	39
• Other Additions	60

Tithes & Offerings	\$ 143,461.72
Designated Gifts	\$ 2,392.00
Total Receipts	\$ 145,853.72
Tithes/Offerings Week	\$ 143,461.72
Budget Goal Week	\$ 79,110.82
Budget (Short) or Over Week	\$ 64,350.90

Tithes/Offerings YTD	\$ 1,188,836.15
Budget Goal YTD	\$ 1,187,703.60
Budget (Short) or Over YTD	\$ 1,132.55

Budget Goal 5/17/2026	\$ 56,750.82
Budget Goal 5/24/2026	\$ 50,134.92

MAY 17 - 23, 2026

Sunday, May 17

Graduate Sunday (AM Services)
Discover FBC | 12:00 PM | Library

Monday, May 18

Men's Prayer Time | 7:00 AM | Library
Boy Scouts Weekly Meeting | 6:30 PM | Scout Hut
Cub Scouts Bi-Weekly Meeting | 6:30 PM | Baptist Center

Tuesday, May 19

Senior Adult Mystery Luncheon | Buses Depart at 10:30 AM

Thursday, May 21

Intercessor Prayer Time | 8:30 AM | Room B-110
Quilting Ministry | 1:00 PM | Room A-105

Friday, May 22

Men's Prayer Group | 7:30 AM | Library

The church received a thank you note from the Community Bible Study for "faithfully hosting (their) weekly community Bible Study..."

The church received a card of encouragement from St. Luke United Methodist Church stating that they had prayed for our church, her missions, and her ministries.

The church received a thank you card from New Brockton High School's seniors for hosting their Baccalaureate Service.

Don't have a Bible? We would like for you to take home a Bible located in the pew in front of you.



Congratulations, Class of 2026

GRADUATE SUNDAY

May 17, 2026

CONGRATULATIONS, CLASS OF 2026



**Bennett
Anderson**
Parents:
Tom & Christina
Anderson
Grandparents:
Dr. Jack & Teresa
Anderson



**Graham
Andress**
Parents:
Rob &
Tricia
Andress



**Benjamin
"Cates"
Blackmon**
Parents:
Ben &
Misty
Blackmon



**Charles
"Charlie"
Bourne**
Parents:
Charles &
Diane
Bourne



**Brady
Cavanaugh**
Parents:
Ray
Cavanaugh,
Brooke
Cavanaugh



**Brooklyn
Cox**
Parents:
Adam &
Shauna
Cox



**Hayley
Cruz**
Parents:
Ruben &
Gina
Cruz



**Stephen
Faulkner**
Parents:
Stephen &
Rebecca
Faulkner



**Lillian
Haggard**
Parents:
Aaron &
Beverly
Haggard



**Shaniya
Harris**
Parents:
David
Harris,
Norinco
Warren



**Allyson
Hawbaker**
Parents:
Ryan &
Jessica
Hawbaker



**McKinley
Howard**
Parents:
Josh & Hannah
Howard
Grandparents:
Rick & Brenda
Howard



**Courtney
Jenkins**
Parents:
Matt & Bianca
Windham
Grandparents:
Stan & Carol
Windham



**Katelyn
Luna**
Parents:
Miguel &
Heather
Luna



**Brooks
Morgan**
Parents:
Chase Morgan,
Rebekah Heath
Grandparents:
Robin Earl
Morgan,
Ginger Redd



**Ashlee
Owens**
Parents:
David &
Kelli
Owens



**Craig
Pittman, III**
Parents:
Craig &
Sally
Pittman



**Sophia
Przychoda**
Parents:
The Late Brent
& Sue
Przychoda



**Jackson
Reiney**
Parents:
Barnes &
Laurie
Reiney



**Brack
Sawyer**
Parents:
JP & Keely
Sawyer
Grandmother:
Judy Warren



**Lint
Sawyer**
Parents:
JP & Keely
Sawyer
Grandmother:
Judy Warren



**Davis
Shiver**
Parents:
Andy & Leigh
Shiver
Grandmother:
Judy Warren



**Silas
Sims**
Parents:
Rev. Nathan &
Catherine
Sims



**Landon
Smith**
Parents:
Eric & Beth
Smith



Zander Thrash

*Parents:
Chad Thrash,
Amy Thrash*



Virginia Townsend

*Parents:
Turner & Lucy
Townsend
Grandparents:
Dale & Mary Alice
Townsend,
Janice Hammock*



Walker Turner

*Parents:
John & Kim
Turner*



Colton Tuttle

*Parents:
Barry & Mandy
Tuttle,
James & Sarah
Nifong*



Georgia Weber

*Parents:
Andy & Shannon
Weber*

*Grandparents:
Pete & Cyndy
Weber*



Jonathan Whitt

*Parents:
The Late Reverend
Michael & Melissa
Whitt*

*Grandparents:
Gerry & Carolyn
Davis*



Hayes Woodall

*Parents:
Blake & Kristi
Woodall*

ENTERPRISE HIGH SCHOOL

2026

Baccalaureate Service

Sunday, May 17, 2026 | 4 PM
Hillcrest Baptist Church



Enterprise High School



Daleville High School



New Brockton High School



Providence Christian School

**TRUST IN THE LORD
WITH ALL YOUR HEART,
AND DO NOT LEAN ON
YOUR OWN UNDERSTANDING.
IN ALL YOUR WAYS
ACKNOWLEDGE HIM,
AND HE WILL
MAKE STRAIGHT YOUR PATHS.**

PROVERBS 3:5-6



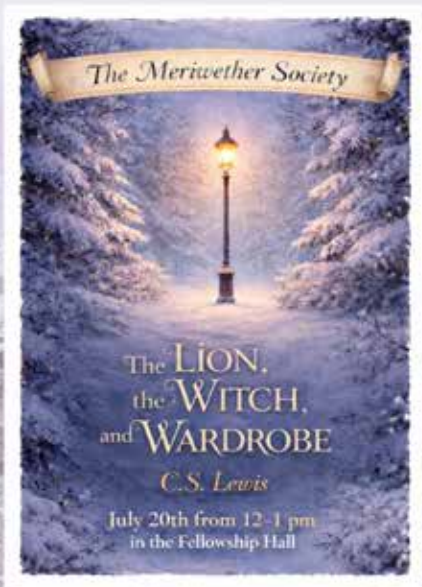
WEPS Needs Your Change!

FBCE is participating in the WEPS Initiative to collect money for *Wiregrass Emergency Pregnancy Services*.

Bottles may be filled with change, dollars, or checks.

Bottles are available now in the Sanctuary & the Main Office. Please return filled bottles to the Main Office before Father's Day, June 21.

To give online scan the QR code.



The Meriwether Society is a First Baptist "book club" of sorts that exists for the purpose of exploring ideas from a Christian worldview. It is open to anyone in our church who will read a pastor-selected book and meet to discuss.

A \$5 meal will be offered. Please scan the QR code to register.

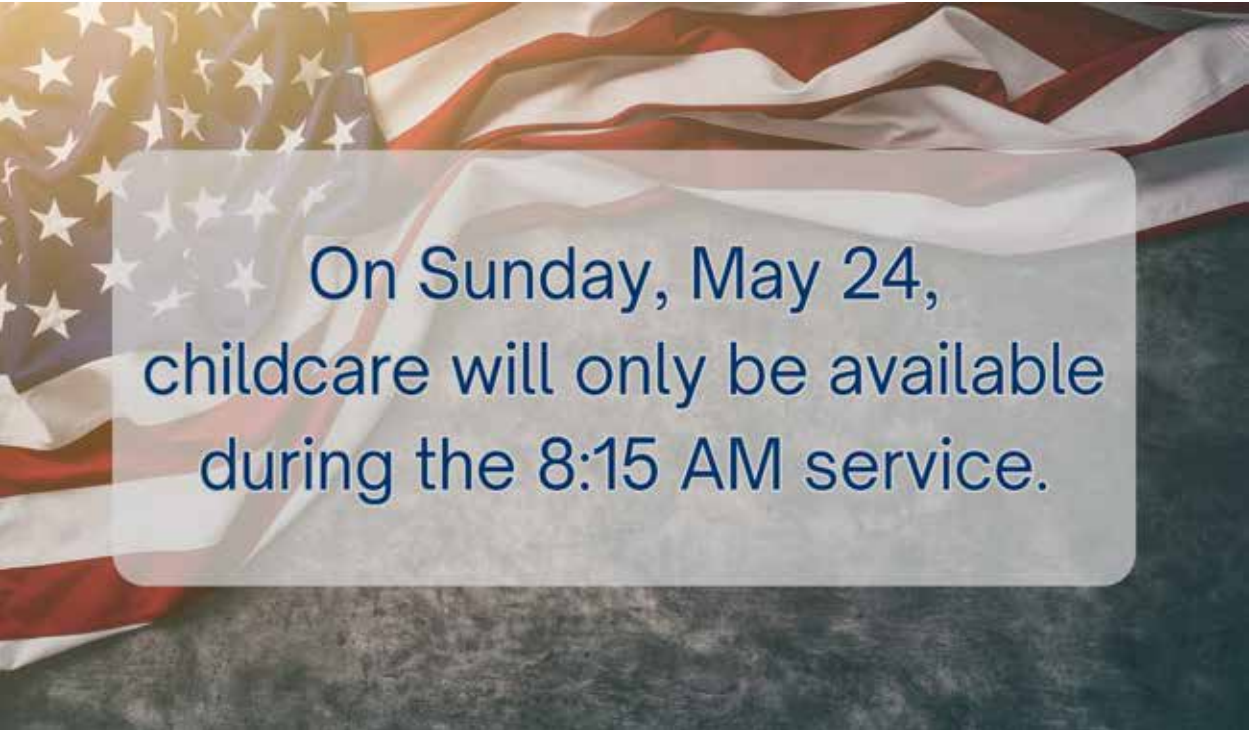


Kaleb Is Charting A New Course!



Join us for a farewell send-off
before he officially joins the
Providence Christian Family.

Wednesday, June 17 | 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM
Fellowship Hall



On Sunday, May 24,
childcare will only be available
during the 8:15 AM service.



First Time Guest?

Ready to Make a Decision?

Have a Prayer Request?

Ready to Get Connected or Serve?



We would love to get connected
with you. Scan the QR code and
let us know how to help.

We look forward to meeting with you!



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CONTACT US IF YOU HAVE ANY PRAYER REQUESTS:

Phone: 334.393.5683 | **Website:** www.fbcenterprise.com | **E-mail:** info@fbcenterprise.com

Worship: 8:15 AM & 10:45 AM | **Sunday School:** 9:30 AM

Office Hours: M-Th 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM | Friday: By Appointment Only

WiFi password: fbceguest36330

Nursing Mother's Room is located under the Sanctuary.

TOP 3 ANNOUNCEMENTS – May 17

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Discover FBC – Today @ 12:00 PM

If you are considering membership at FBCE, or if you would just like to learn more about the church, please join us in the Library today at 12:00 PM. Childcare will be provided.

WEPS Needs Your Change!

FBCE is participating in the Wiregrass Emergency Pregnancy Services (WEPS) fundraiser. Please pick up a baby bottle and return to the Church Office filled with change, bills, or checks before Father's Day, June 21.

Vacation Bible School – June 1-4

FBCE VBS 2026 "Adventure Awaits" begins June 1!
To register your child or to volunteer, please visit fbcenterprise.com/events or scan the QR code in the May Monthly magazine.



Prayer Alert: Sunday, May 17, 2026

First Baptist Church Enterprise

"I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession, and thanksgiving be made for everyone."
1 Timothy 2:1

Health Concerns

Charlotte Cornell – 3 squamous cell carcinoma spots; pray for upcoming surgeries, healing
Russ Harrelson (former member, son of Jim & Jean Harrelson, brother of Dr. Rick Harrelson & Robyn Bryan) pray steroids work to reduce swelling and confusion, improve balance
Steve Hagins – successful procedure 5/13 at Southeast; pray for speedy recovery.
Melissa Munguia – diagnosed w/ Acute Myeloid Leukemia; chemo starts 5/8, pray no infections during treatment, no negative impact on heart
Helen Ramsey – at home after foot surgery; pray for speedy recovery, help with home care
Joe Swain – brain surgery delayed due to illness; surgery date @ Flowers TBD; pray for healing

Deaths

Marilyn Watkins – 5/12
(Mother of Doug (Cindy) Watkins, Jr., Grandmother of Doug (Michelle) Watkins III)
Searcy has arrangements;
Saturday, 5/16 @ St. Luke UMC, Visitation 10:00 AM, Funeral 11:00 AM, Interment @ Meadowlawn

Enterprise Health & Rehab

Joanne Harris (Rm. 402)
Ruth Harris (Rm. 702)
Betty Jane Hunt (Rm. 124-B)
Jackie Quisenberry (210-B)
Betty Ramsey (Rm 603)
Don Robinson (Rm. 222-A)
Anne Simmons (Rm. 705)
Karen Whitehead (Rm. 508)

Other Health & Rehab Facilities

Jerry Austin (Kelley Place #111)
Tinker Austin (Meadowbrook-BHM, 102)
Ann Bourne (Serenity South- Rm.108)
Suzanne Nagy (Serenity South)
Glenda Roush (Hartford)
Peggy Hood Waters (Madison, MS)

Military/Deployed / Contract

(*Member of FBCE)
Samuel Kennis (Pensacola, FL)
Layton Smith* (**Deployed**)
Wyatt Simmons (Camp Pendleton, CA)
Owen Sweitzer (Germany)

Homebound Members

Mary Ellen Williams

Ongoing Concerns

Lindsey Aitken	Louise Donaldson	George Heneveld	Mary Morgan	David Redd	Dale Stinnett
Paul Anderson III	Stephanie Drigger	Chester Holland	Larry Murphy	Alisa Rice	Phyllis Talmadge
Jerry Austin	Stephen Faulkner	Darlene Hover	New Life Recovery	Cindy Rice	Jo Thompson
Tinker Austin	Tim Gannon	Peggy Ishee	Participants	Amanda Scarbrough	Jody Thorn
Chris Blount	Rick Gers	Gloria Jones	Lora O'Neal	Lester Shambley	Ed Waites
Frances Brown	Debbie Grimes	Reba Judson	Gibson Phillips	Josh Simmons	Cindy Waites
Holly Carter	Betty Groom	Charlotte Martin	Judy Phillips	Trish Sims	Hailey Willette
Truett Chambers	Gail Hadden	Jeremy "JJ" Burton	Helen Ramsey	Janice Smith	Wayne Williams
Louis Coles	Anna Harris	Jerry Morgan	Audrey Randolph	Shannon Stewart	

Missionary (Partners)

Nathan & Abigail, London
Chase & Kimmey, Haiti
The Carmichaels, South Asia
The Skinners, Honduras
Lauren Smith – East Asia
David & Jessica Hagins, Uganda
Kevin & Wendy Jordan, Myanmar
Mike & Vickie Graham
Stu & Brynn Sims, Papua New Guinea
Lauren Griffin - Brazil

Church Planters (Partners)

Christ Covenant, Buckhead—Jason & Paige Dees
City View Church, Atlanta—Dustin & Danielle Lee
Lakeshore Church, New Orleans—George & Joy Ross
Life Community Church, Boston—Noah & Tarin Madden

Non-Member Health Concerns

Alex Davis – (nephew of Charlotte Cornell) receiving chemo treatments for cancer, pray for effectiveness, healing

Pastor Gaspar – responding to commands; pray for continued recovery, speech, for his family and church.

Sue Gilder – she has fractures in her neck and back; please pray for healing, recovery

JudiKay Humes – (sister of Chuck Davis) she is still waiting for surgery; heart surgeon unavailable til after 5/17; monitored 24/7 until then; safe travels for Chuck & Susan to Texarkana, TX

Non-Member Cancer Concerns (Those on this list remain for 4 weeks unless extension requested)

Arlene Bailey	Bill Curtis	Elsie Lynn Floyd	Kay Huddleston	Dale Massey
Jodi Banks	Linda Curtis	Meloni Gibson	David Ingram	Kathy McKelvey
Joe Burnett	Alex Davis	Dodd Hawthorne	Rebecca Jackson	Peggy Parrish
Robert Craft	Laurie Davis	Penny Henderson	Monty Jones	Kelly Stewart

Praise Reports (Please let us know if there is a praise report we should add to this section!)

Special Events, Missions and Ministries

Alabama Baptist Children's Home	Martin Trailer Court Ministry	School Systems
Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts	Mentoring Matters	Small Steps Preschool/
Camp Victory	Military Ministry	Kindergarten
Christian Mission	New Life Recovery	The Vineyard
Community Bible Study	Operation Christmas Child	Vacation Bible School
First Priority/Priority Kids	Nursing Home Ministry	Visitation Ministry

First Baptist Church Staff

Dr. Ben Bowden, Pastor

Dr. Kaleb Wimberly, Associate Pastor

Rev. Chris Duke, Minister of Music

Dr. Rex Kent, Minister to Senior Adults

Rev. Marc Edge, Minister to High School

Rev. Zach Clark, Minister to Middle School

Catherine Sims, Minister to Preschool / Children

Katrina Scarborough, Director of Preschool

Rachel P. Smith, Min. of Discipleship to Middle School Girls

Rev. Anthony Brothers, Minister of Media & Technology

Harrison Smith, Minister of Outreach and Missions

Joel Young, Administrator

Melissa Baxley, Director of Finance & Human Resource

Marianne Schwab, Ministry Asst. to Pastor / Administrator

Leslie Oden, Min. Asst. to Assoc. Pastor / Outreach & Missions

Kristi Davis, Min. Assistant to Music / Media & Technology

Diane Bourne, Ministry Assistant to Next Gen Ministry

Allison Robley, Min. Assistant to Sr. Adults / Administrator

Stacy Lovelace, Office Ministry Assistant

Gerry Davis, Ministry Assistant to Senior Adults

Hilda Hagins, Organist/Music Associate

Carol Windham, Pianist/Music Associate

Anna Windham, Classical Ballet Director

Lydia Johnston, Classical Ballet Assistant Director

Le Ann Thomas, Director of Small Steps

Jessica Hawbaker, Assistant Director of Small Steps

Melissa Whitt, Associate Director of Small Steps

Kayla Tharpe, Associate Director of Small Steps

Cindy Roberds, Director of Food Services

Carolyn Bryant, Food Service Assistant

Brent Slawson, Director of Facilities

Coltan Bastion, Maintenance Assistant

Ray Slawson, Maintenance Assistant

Justin Davis, Setup and Floors Custodian

Bryan Finch, Weekend Setup Custodian / Food Service Asst.

Marquita Owens, Housekeeper

Jessica Miranda, Housekeeper

Valyncia Whitehurst, Housekeeper/Food Service Asst.

Fred Smith, Groundskeeper / Food Service Assistant