



First Baptist Church

316 Mathis Lane Sandersville, Georgia 31082

A Church That Cares About You!

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No one knows Georgia like us. It's in our name. It IS our mission. And when we see our neighbors struggling - with adoption and foster care, childhood literacy, human trafficking, maternity care, and refugee support - we are called to help. Like you, we want to see our communities thrive. We also recognize that good works require hard work - from all of us.

If you've got a heart for your part of our great state, make Georgia your mission, too.



MISSION GEORGIA
GIFTS RECEIVED TO DATE:
\$8,610.00

JEFF GONGWER
PASTOR WELLNESS CATALYST
EAST CENTRAL REGION

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4

9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
10:45 a.m.	Worship
4:30 p.m.	Men's Study
4:30 p.m.	Women's Study
4:30 p.m.	TeamKID
4:30 p.m.	Youth Discipleship

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7

9:30 a.m.	Women's Study
5:30 p.m.	Wednesday Supper
6:00 p.m.	Youth Impact
6:15 p.m.	Bible Study
6:15 p.m.	Kids' Praise
7:15 p.m.	Adult Choir Practice

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MENU

Fried Chicken, Butter Beans
Mashed Potatoes
Rolls, Salad, Dessert, Tea

CHURCH STAFF

Lee Lacey - Senior Pastor
Scott McDade - Senior Associate Pastor
Mike Rogers - Minister of Youth/Music
Bekki Rogers - Children's Director
Cheryl Poole - Financial Secretary
Billy Davis - Office Manager
Paul Usan - Facilities

Would You Like To Have Access To A Church Directory?

We are working towards having a church directory with pictures. If you have signed up for Realm Connect you will have access to the church directory.

We Need Your Picture!

Hopefully we will soon have pictures to go on everyone's profile so that we can know all of our church family. You will be able to upload a picture to your profile or you can email the picture to Billy and he can upload it for you.

Receive Prayer Requests And Keep Up With Class and Group Communications.

Also, with the app, you will receive prayer requests and you can also keep up to date with the things that are happening in your Sunday School class and other groups. We encourage you to sign up for Realm Connect since we will be using this for our church communications. If you are a Church/Sunday School member and you didn't receive an invitation, please let Scott or Billy know.



BACKPACKS

Things To Know

Whitley City Mission Trip December 10 - 13

Registration Deadline: You can still signup. The deadline for registering is October 21. Cost is \$175 per person. Call or text **Scott** at 478-232-0542 if interested.

How Do I Get The Backpacks: You can do your own backpacks or backpacks will be available in the sanctuary Sunday, October 18 with instructions.

When Do I Return The Backpacks: Please bring your completed backpacks to the Fellowship Hall first of December or to the office. If you will not be there that Sunday, bring them to the Fellowship Hall the first week of December.

How Can I Help Locally: December 7 we will deliver the backpacks to the WBA Office.

December 7: You can assist with delivery and help them start the sorting.

December 8: Assist in sorting the backpacks.

December 9: Help with final sorting and packing to leave the next day.

Each of these days volunteers will be at the WBA office from 9 - 2 and then the load up will take place around 4 - 4:30 Wednesday.

*You Can Never Speak To
The Wrong Person About Jesus*



Carpenters for Christ will be traveling to the **Georgia Baptist Children's Home Baxley Campus** **October 26-30.**

We will be doing various repairs to some of the buildings. If you are interested contact **Mike Sheppard** at (478-993-5565) or **Billy Garner** (478-232-0723).

Space is limited. Only a few spots remain.



TRUNK OR TREAT

Join us for games, prizes,
food, and family fun!

Date: Sunday, October 25th

Time: 5:00-7:00 PM

Place: 316 Mathis Lane in Sandersville

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
SANDERSVILLE**

Sunday Volunteer Servants

First Sunday Usher Chairman

Mike Franklin - Chair
Keith Johnson - Vice-Chair

Ushers this Sunday Morning

James Brown
David Weatherford, Kim Kitchens
James Brooks, Derek Boatright

First Sunday Greeters' Ministry

Tess Durden, Leigh Anne Brooker
John Brooker, Cindy Boatright
Jennifer Adams

First Sunday Security Team

Chad Jones - Chair
Kyle Joiner, Mark Willis

Nursery Workers This Week

Sherri Josey, Sarah Prince
Della and James Brown
Shanna Wallace, Allison McAfee
Kelly Sweat, Mary Alice Poole
CI/O: Vicki Frost

Worship Tech Team

Sound - Billy Davis
Projection - Becky Reynolds
Streaming - Tyler Prosser