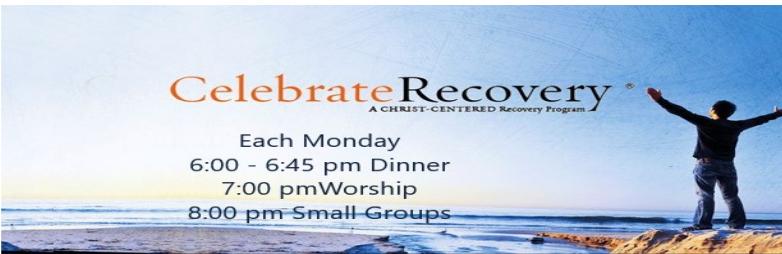




Deacon of the Week for February

- Feb 1 Todd Mathis
- Feb 8 Bruce Bell
- Feb 15 Danny Bell
- Feb 22 Matt Wallace



There are many ways to turn in your contributions:

- 1) Place it in the secure drop box at the back of the church building, now located in the office door.
- 2) Go to firstbaptistrockmart.org, click on "Giving," and fill in the simple form.
- 3) Drop by during weekly office hours (Mon.-Thurs., 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.) to give in person.
- 4) Mail it to the church office (P.O. Box 388 Rockmart, GA 30153).
- 5) Place it in the offering plate worship service.
- 6) Text FBCROCKMART followed by your gift amount to 73256 and follow the prompts.

Offering envelopes are available in the pews along with a special benevolence envelope. All other special envelopes are available at each entrance to the sanctuary. Always be sure to mark on the envelope what fund you would like your gift to go to.

Church Monthly Meetings

Church Council

Sunday, February 1st at 4:45 pm

Deacons Meeting

Sunday, February 15th at 4:45 pm

Business Meeting

Sunday, February 15th at 6 pm



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Location: FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 311 E. ELM STREET
ROCKMART, GA 30153

Register Now: KELLY CHERRY (INSTRUCTOR) 423-243-8146

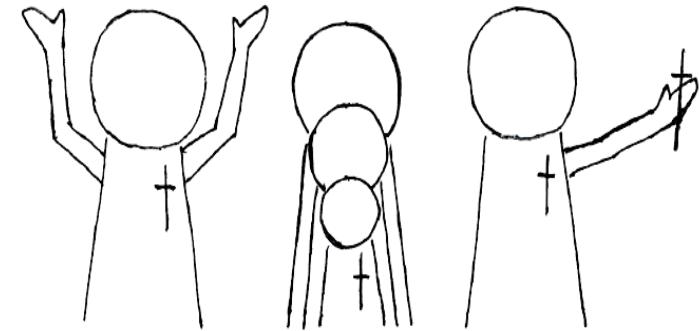
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Rev. Sam Greene, Associate Pastor

Michaela Odom, Interim Director of Youth, Kids and Young Family Ministries

Andrew Carter, Director Of Music Ministries



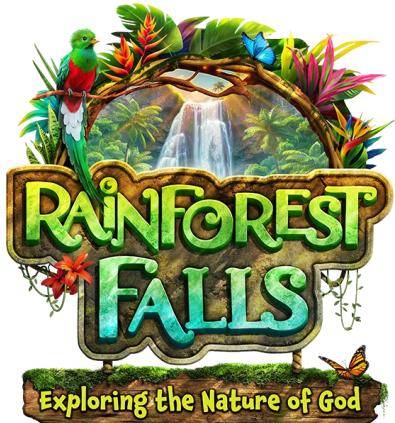
Our First Fruit Ministry packs food bags for the school each week. We fix around 40 bags per week. Please pray and faithfully give each month on the first Sunday of the month to this worthwhile ministry.

Who's Your ONE?

Coming February 15th!

Imagine the impact if every Christian had **one** person they prayed for and shared the gospel with. Who are you committing to pray for?
Who's your one?

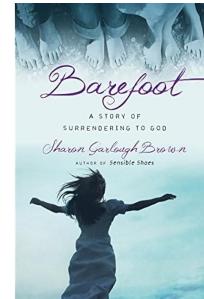
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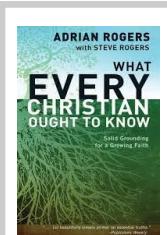
Coming July 7-10
See Michaela to volunteer!



Wednesday, February 11, 2026 at 5:30 pm
Cost : \$15.00 per adult & Youth (6th-12th grade)
\$10.00 for kids eating meal/\$0 for kids eating pizza
Sign up sheet is in the new Resource/Welcome Center
Entertainment will be our very own
Pastor Jason and Michaela
Deadline to sign up with be February 8th
Childcare provided for babies—kindergarten in nursery



The women's spring spiritual formation group will meet on Thursdays, 10-11:30AM beginning January 29. Our novels and study guide "Barefoot: A Story of Surrendering to God" are now available for purchase at the Olive Press bookstore.



Men's Breakfast
Every Monday at 8 am @ the Snack Shack in Aragon.
We are doing a book study, based on the book, "What Every Christian Ought to Know" by Dr. Adrian Rogers.

There will be a memorial service for Mrs. Annie Ruth Duke on Saturday, February 14th at 11:30 am. Her family invites everyone to attend and to celebrate her life.

Volunteer Opportunities for February

Meet & Greet
Sondi Vest & Linda Wright
February 8 at 9:30 am

If you would like to volunteer for any ministry, please contact the church office.

Children's Church for February

2/1 Michaela Odom, Alicia Clanton & Rhonda McCormack
2/8 Stephanie Mears, Melissa Mathis & Brandon Terry
2/15 Kay Hughes, Paul Bond & Brandon Terry
2/22 Michaela Odom, Clydie Jones & Brandon Terry

Church Security

Dale Brumbelow will be responsible for locking and unlocking the church during February.

Sound Techs

2/1 Todd Mathis
2/8 David Vest
2/15 Matthew Mize
2/22 Lane Mears

Church Greeters for February

Nursery
Sun Morning Worship 11 am
2/1 Jolie Brown
2/8 Jennifer During
2/15 Stephanie Mears
2/22 Susan Culver

Randy Turner
Danny Bell
Todd Mathis
Clydie Jones
Martha Bell

Beginning with the January 2026 Visitor Newsletter, I will only send them by email. It will continue to be posted on our website. Please be sure to update your email with the church office.

Please remember to update the office concerning prayer list

Check the kitchen for any dishes that may belong to you and the entrances for coats and umbrellas.

Regular Adult Weekly Schedule:

Sundays

9:45 am Small Groups/Bible Study
11:00 am Morning Worship
6:00 pm Children's M & M
6:00 pm Evening Studies

Mondays:

6:00 pm Celebrate Recovery

Wednesdays:

6:00 pm Youth BSF
6:30 pm Prayer Meeting
7:15 pm Adult Choir Practice

Church Website:
www.firstbaptistrockmart.org
Email:
office@firstbaptistrockmart.org
Prayer Chain:
prayerchainfber@gmail.com

Church Office Hours:
Mon-Thurs 8 am—4 pm
Closed—Friday

February 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Bible Study 945 am Worship 11 am Church Council 445 pm CR Step Study 2-4 pm Children's Music & Missions 6 pm Evening Study 6 pm	2 Men's Bible Study 8 am Celebrate Recovery 6 pm	3	4 Prayer Meeting 630 pm Adult Choir Practice 715 pm	5 Women's Bible Study 10—1130 am	6	7
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Newsletter February 2026
Youth, Children and Young Families

LifeWise is here! Children from Van Wert Elementary have begun coming to our church campus on Wednesday mornings for Bible teaching. We are so happy these children are hearing the gospel and inviting their friends! More children are being added, and *more volunteers are needed*. See Michaela soon to start the volunteer or driver application and lend a hand! *Please pray for these students and their families and for God to send workers for this harvest.*

Vacation Bible School —Save the date for July 7-10, 2026
VBS planning meeting will be Sunday, February 22, 4:45-5:45PM

Looking ahead:

- The Children's Musical "Look in the Book" will be presented during worship Sunday, April 26. If you're interested in helping with the set, see Michaela.
- Baby/Child Dedication will be celebrated on Mother's Day, May 10.
- Graduate recognition, May 17 for high school and college graduates.

Youth:

Thanks to those who helped 7 of our 6-12th grade students participate in the winter retreat, January 16-18 along with the students of Victory Baptist Church. We had a fun and inspiring time considering our joyful surrender to God.

On Wednesday nights this month in BSF (Bible Study and Fun) 6-7:30PM we will continue with the theme Jesus + Relationships. We will combine with adults for the Valentines banquet on February 12. Noah Mize will share with the group about Scripture and Music and Anxiety on Feb 19.

Looking ahead: Youth (6-12th): **Disciple Now** 2026 is March 13-15. We will combine with several local church youth groups to have a weekend of worship, Bible study, service and fun! If you'd like to welcome students into your home to spend Friday and Saturday nights, see Michaela soon. Kick-off is Wednesday, March 11 at First Church Cedartown.

This month's LITTLE LIBRARY highlight

For age 9+ these books by Chris Morpew
Why Does God Let Bad Things Happen
Who Am I and Why Do I Matter

For Younger Readers from The Gospel Coalition Kids series:
Polly and the Screen Time Overload
Arlo and the Great Big Cover-Up

The little library is the bookshelf just outside of the children's classroom, upstairs. There is a check out and return form on the bookshelf for you to sign when you take a resource.

Thank you to all the volunteers and prayers that make ministry to children, youth and young families possible! Nursery, Sunday School, Children's Church, missions friends, children's choir, Wednesday night youth BSF, LifeWise, special events, preschool...none of it is possible without you answering Jesus's leading to love and make disciples. May God bless you and our work for his Kingdom come.



D-Now 2026!

Students from across our association will come together for D-Now 2026, for a powerful weekend designed to help students grow deeper in their faith and stronger in community.

Kickoff Night:

Wednesday, March 11 | 6:00 PM

D-Now Weekend:

Friday-Sunday, March 13-15

At First Cedartown

Cost: \$40 per student (scholarships available)

This weekend will include dynamic worship, biblical teaching, small groups, and mission projects—all centered on helping students grow as followers of Christ.

Register by Sunday, February 22 to be able to get a t-shirt. See Michaela or email modom@firstbaptistrockmart.org



Known February Birthdays

01—Jan Rochester
05—Griffin Earwood
08—Janice Kinney, Wendi Upton
12—Charity Ratcliff
13—Stephanie Mears, Judy Stoyle
17—Jean Moon
18—Kim Casey
24—Deidric Gibson
27—Joyce Sorrells
28—Thomas Hurt

Golden Age
Invites you to join the fun!!
For ages 55+

We meet once a month on the 4th Thursday at 10:30 am. We have a meal and entertainment and a wonderful time of fellowship. First Baptist is the host sponsor for this and we have people from all over the county and surrounding areas coming. We would love for more First Baptist people to join us. **We meet again Thursday, February 26th at 10:30 am.** Meeting place will be announced later.



Check out our new Church Resource Center, located in the Welcome Area. It is a wonderful new area for everything FBCR! Contribution envelopes, church announcements, sign-up sheets, and so much more. We thank the women's ministry for doing this for the church.

"Know the Word: An Overview of the Bible"
is on Sundays at 6 pm in the Great Room.

Check out the newly painted Welcome/Resource center and back hall near the office. We appreciate the different groups in the church doing this to improve our church.