# First Baptist Church of Calhoun

October 2019

# The Encourager

## **Service Times**

#### Sunday Service

Free Breakfast	.9:00AM
Morning Worship	
Discipleship Training Preschool & Children 's	
Classes Youth Connect	
Groups	.5:00PM
Evening Service	.6:00PM

#### Wednesday Service

5:00PM	
6:15PM	
6:00PM	
6:00PM	
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# **Office Hours**

Monday	8AM-5PM
Tuesday	8AM-5PM
Wednesday	8AM-5PM
Thursday	8AM-5PM



# "Growing Disciples of Jesus"

"But grow in the grace • and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ." (2 Peter 3:18)

Our church staff and church leadership are striving to provide a structure that is conducive to spiritual growth. However as with everything, it is up to each individual to take advantage of the opportunities that are offered.

Our basic path to discipleship includes the following:

- Attending the New Member's Class
- Participating in a small group Bible study (Sunday School class)

- Regularly participating in worship services
- Serving in one church ministry
- Attending two or three Discipleship Training specialty classes each year
- Have a daily personal time of prayer and Bible study

Each member of First Baptist – Calhoun is encouraged to actively seek to grow toward spiritual maturity and effective discipleship in obedience to our Lord's instructions. We realize our purpose in life, and we experience the joy of fellowship with God as we grow in Him and serve Him.

The path outlined above, along with faithfully giving our tithes and offerings, and sharing Christ with others are all indispensable parts of an effective discipleship effort.

Remember, if a person just sits and soaks, he soon sours. New Testament instruction, and the Biblical examples given to us all point toward the necessity of putting into practice the scriptural principles revealed to us by the Holy Spirit.

Whether you're needing to fill in some gaps in your discipleship plan, or just to stay the course, the beginning of summer is a good time for a renewed commitment to spiritual growth.

God Bless, Bro. Neil



We have a lot of activity in the Children's area these days. Our children are currently involved with the upcoming Christmas Pageant, Bible Drill, and Missions organizations.

Some of the scheduled events for **October** and **November** are:

October 6 Church Picnic 3 p.m.

October 18-19 Work Day at the church

All help is appreciated. We will be cleaning closets and classrooms in order to make our area look and feel better. Come join us one day or both. Thanks in advance for your help.

#### October 31 Fall Festival 6-8 p.m.

Sign up sheets are in the mall area for volunteers or show up and we can put you to work. We will have Trunk or Treaters, jumpers, free food, cake walk, and much more.

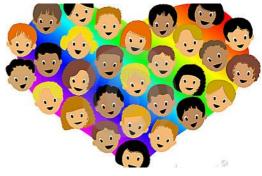
**November 2** Missions Conference 9-11 a.m. If you currently teach or you are interested in knowing more about children's mission organizations, please come to this event to hear speakers from our state association office. You can rsvp me through email at <u>nhuey@firstcal.org</u>.

We will have some construction in our preschool area in November. We will be closing in one a room to create a secure check in area for our children.

Thank you for all you do for our children's ministry. In Him,

Nancy Huey





# **Regular Schedule**

#### Sunday

Sunday School	9:00am
Nursery	9:00am
Worship	.10:15am

Nursery	5:00pm
Mission Friends	5:00pm
GA's & RA's	5:00pm
Worship	6:00pm

#### Wednesdays

Nursery	6:00pm
Kids Worship	6:00pm

### **Contact Information**

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#### Weekly Schedule Dear Church Family, The month of September has come and gone Monday Night Basketball-6:30and what a great month it was for our students. At 9:00pm Impact on September 25, we had 10 students give their life to Christ. I ask that you guys pray for these Wednesday Worship new believers as they learn to live a life that honors 6:00-7:15pm Christ. The students also took part in leading worship on a Sunday morning. They students led worship Sunday Schoolthrough song, a skit, and testimonies. Let us pray that 9:00-10:15am God continues to move in our students lives. Sunday AM Worship Service-10:25am In Christ. A.J. Toms Student Ministry Con-Devotional Apps tact Email: **Daily Devo** ajtoms@firstcal.org Shane and Shane **EVENT DATES** Cell: 318-475-1707 Mark your calendar for these important dates. Check us out on facebook: November 2nd.....Youth Bonfire **Solid Joys** (www.facebook.com/first John Piper calstudentministry) Twitter at: @fbCalStudents First 5 **Proverbs 31**

Our world mission offering is designed to make donating to Georgia Barnette, Lottie Moon, Annie Armstrong, and David Terry easier.

When you donate money to the World Mission Offering a percentage will go to each of the above listed missions on a monthly basis. See the breakdown of percentages listed below.

Lottie Moon	50%
Annie Armstrong	30%
Georgia Barnette	15%
David Terry	5%

Below are the World Mission amounts for the dates of: 3/1/18–2/28/19

Lottie Moon	\$5,894.00
Annie Armstrong	\$3,536.40
Georgia Barnette	\$1,768.20
David Terry	\$589.40

Total for World Mission.....\$11,788.00





#### October

October	
1	Laura Brown
	DJ Hicks
2	Troyce Hogan
	Tyler Patrick
3	Micah Causey
4	Katie Kent
	Annie Smith
5	Ian Smith
	Barbara Underwood
6	Natalie Harper
	Kenneth Reynolds
7	Curtis Futch
	Darrell McMullen
	Larynda Smith
	Betty Tedeton
8	Tamara Bruce
	Louise Futch
9	Kerri Summerville
10	Joel Minter
	Eliseo Salinas
11	Bro. Neil Everett
	Austin Murphy
12	Rick Causey
	Sondra Naron
	Crystal Sanford
13	Emily Redding
14	Jason Linzay
	Teresa McMillian
	Danny Redding
15	Chad Goodwin
10	Karen Moore
18	Owen Canady
	Justin Herrington
	Ricky Milstead
10	Ashley Truett
19	Emily Kent
20	Tim Sims
20	Blake Brown
01	Will Smith
21	Stacie Turner
22 26	Sarah Moore
26 27	Darcy Brown
	Katelyn Linzay
28	Amanda Wilson
30 21	Charlene Ragan
31	Joey Anwar