

First Baptist News

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This Week...

Sunday, May 22
Grad Sunday

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:30 a.m. Worship in Sanctuary
- 10:30 a.m. Worship Online
via Facebook Live & YouTube
- 11:30 a.m. Seniors Luncheon
(Fellowship Hall)
- 4:30 p.m. Church Cookout
(Luther Britt Park—Shelter B)

Tuesday, May 24

- 7:00 a.m. Men’s Prayer Group (Zoom)
- 4:00 p.m. Youth Study on the Gospels
(Conference Room)

Wednesday, May 25

- 2:00—7:00 pm Blood Drive
(Activities Building)

Thursday, May 26

- 10:00 a.m. ECM Graduation
(Fellowship Hall)

Saturday, May 28

- 10:00 a.m. Hispanic Ministry Bible Study
(Activities Building)



Preparing for Sunday, May 22

“No Longer Seeds”
Mark 4:26-29; 35-41
Rev. Doug Reedy

9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship

**Join us for Worship in-person in the Sanctuary
or on Facebook Live**

**facebook.com/firstbaptistlumbertonnc
or on YouTube youtube.com/c/lumbertonfbc/**

A Baccalaureate Service will be held during 10:30 a.m. Worship on Sunday, May 22. Following Worship, a Seniors Luncheon will be in the Fellowship Hall for High School graduates and their families.

Congratulations, Graduates!

High School Graduates

Seth Ryan Adams
Brittney Alexandra Collins
Mason Alexander Collins
Jacob Ethan Conner
Jackson Riley Davis
Laiken Paige Davis
Luke Fisher English
Ian Conner Evans

Marshals

Addie Billingsley
Emily Cribb
Dixon Davis
Sam Ivey
Ethan Stevens

Cole Lewis
Bachelors in Political Science
Bachelors in Peace, War, and Defense
Minor in American Indian and
Indigenous Studies,
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Lisa Rust
Masters of Faith and Leadership Formation,
Campbell University Divinity School

College Graduates

Evander Britt
Doctor of Anesthesiology,
Wake Forest University School of Medicine

Megan Elks
Masters in Performance,
University of Texas

Brittany Ward
Bachelors in Business Management
Concentration in Administration,
University of North Carolina at Pembroke



Class of 2022



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SUNDAY, MAY 22

CHURCH COOKOUT

EVERYONE IS INVITED!

AT LUTHER BRITT PARK

4:30 PM

Everyone is invited to the Church Cookout at Luther Britt Park on Sunday, May 22 at 4:30 pm! We will be at Shelter B. Hamburgers will be on the grill and chips and drinks will be available as well. Just bring yourself and enjoy some relaxing time at the park!

YOUTH EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Tuesdays in May — We will meet at 4:00 p.m. in the Conference Room. Our focus will be studying the Gospels.

May 22 is Grad Sunday—Practice will start at 9:00 am for 12th and 10th graders. The Seniors Lunch will start at 11:30 pm. That afternoon, you are invited to attend the church cookout at 4:30 pm at Luther Britt Park.

May 25 — Blood Drive, 2:00-7:00 pm

June 10-12—Young Adult Rafting Trip

June 19-24 — Passport

July 13-17 — Youth Music Retreat

Contact Rev. Doug Reedy for more information about any upcoming activities!
910-739-4336
dougreedy@fbclumbertonnc.org

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Guest Preacher
In Worship

MAY
29th

WE WELCOME BACK

Dr. Jennifer Garcia Bashaw
Assistant Professor, Campbell University,
Dept. of Christian Studies



Our Flower Calendar is Back!

If you would like to provide an arrangement in honor or in memory of someone to be displayed in the Sanctuary, we have dates available on the 2022 and 2023 flower calendar. Call the office (910-739-4336) with your desired dates and dedication wording.

Coming up . . .

May 29 — Dr. Jennifer Bashaw will be preaching.
May 30 — Memorial Day; ECM and offices closed.
May 31 — Scholarship Applications are due.
Sundays in June — Book Study Group, 5 pm
June 2 — ECM Breakfast with a Buddy, 7:30-9:00 am
June 3 — Last day of school for PSRC
June 6 — Partnership for Children training in Fellowship Hall, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
June 8 — Meet 'n Eat at Chic-fila, 6 pm
June 10-12 — Young Adult or Youth Rafting Retreat
June 11 — Dog Park Meet-up, 9:00 am
June 13 — Meet 'n Eat, Alberto's Greek Food Truck, 12:00
June 15 — Fayetteville Woodpeckers Game
June 18 — Community Café, hosted by Susan Welsh
Sunday School Class
June 19 — Father's Day
June 19-24 — Youth Passport Trip
June 20 — Finance will meet at 5:45 pm in the Activities Building and Deacons will meet at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.
June 21 — Kid's Lunch and Movie Trip
June 23 — Meet 'n Eat at Pier 41, 6 pm
June 24 — Coffee Giveaway, 7:00-9:00 am, Activities Building parking lot
June 26 — Church Game Night

New Member SPOTLIGHT

Dianne Hardee and Faith Harrelson
joined First Baptist on Sunday,
May 15, 2022.



Blood Drive

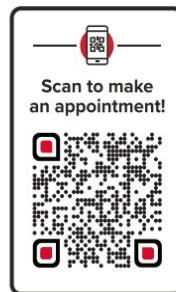
First Baptist Church- Lumberton

606 N. Walnut Street
LUMBERTON, NC 28358

05/25/2022 | 02:00 PM-07:00 PM

To make an appointment, please scan the QR Code
and search for the Sponsor Code 8374.

A \$20 charitable donation will be made for every blood donor!



Ways to sign up for the Blood Drive:

- Online at donate.thebloodconnection.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/192300
- Scan the QR code on the flyer.
- Call the office (910-739-4336)

For each donor that completes a whole blood donation, The Blood Connection will give \$20.00 to the Robeson County Church and Community Center. This is a great opportunity to help us ensure that our local hospitals and communities have the blood products that they need.

Veteran's Luncheon—May 17

On Tuesday, May 17 we held our Veterans Luncheon for those in our congregation who have or currently are serving in our nation's armed forces. In addition to the meal, we heard an encouraging word from Chaplain (Col.) Dudley Neal (Retired) with the US Army. Thanks to all the men and women who have served our nation for your service.




June



8th - Meet n' Eat - Chic-fil-a,
Lumberton (6 PM)

11th - Dog Park Meet-Up, 9 AM
*Bring your pup and meet at the Lumberton Dog
Park (corner of Meadow & Powersville Rd)*

13th - Meet n' Eat - Alberto's
Greek Food Truck - Downtown
Plaza (Noon)

 **15th** - Woodpeckers Game

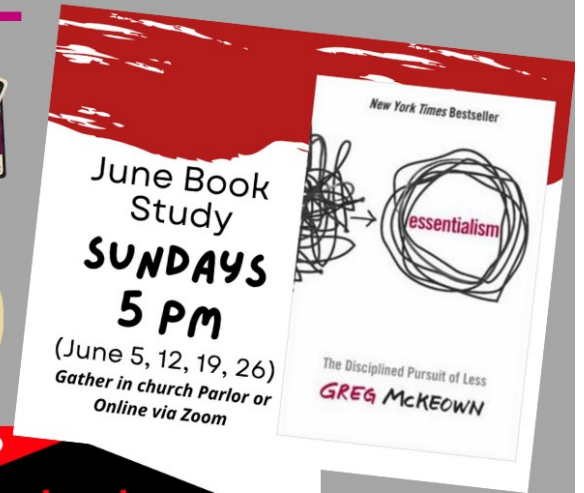
18th - Community Cafe

21st - Kids lunch and movie trip

23rd - Meet n' Eat at Pier 41, (6
PM)

24th - Coffee Give Away 

26th - Church Game Night



June Book
Study
SUNDAYS
5 PM
(June 5, 12, 19, 26)
Gather in church Parlor or
Online via Zoom

**Woodpeckers
Baseball Game**

Wednesday
June 15
Game 7:05
Ride from
church at 5:30

Tickets \$11
Kids 2 & under free



July

10th - Meet n' Eat at Your Pie,
(6 PM)

13th - Community Service Night

17th - Movie Outing

"Where the Crawdads Sing"

20th - Bowling Night

21st - Meet n' Eat at Village Inn
(Noon)

25th-29th - Kids Arts Camp

28th - Meet n' Eat at San Jose
(Roberts Ave.), (6 PM)

**BOWLING
NIGHT OUT**
Wednesday July 20th
6:00 - 8:00 PM

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**JULY
BOOK
STUDY**

"Radiant Church:
Restoring the
Credibility of Our
Witness" by Tara
Beth Leach

Tuesdays, 7 PM
(July 12, 19, 26,
Aug 2)

**GATHER IN CHURCH
PARLOR OR ONLINE**

BASED ON THE GLOBAL BEST-SELLING PHENOMENON

**WHERE
THE
CRAWDADS
SING**

SECRETS ARE BURIED JUST BENEATH THE SURFACE
EXCLUSIVELY IN MOVIE THEATERS
JULY



Kids 2 & under free
Tickets \$11

Woodpeckers Baseball Game

Wednesday
June 15
Game 7:05
*Ride from
church at 5:30*



Scan For Tickets Or Visit:
<https://fevo.me/3vjS2I7>

On Wednesday, June 15, we are going to a Fayetteville Woodpeckers Baseball game!

We encourage you to purchase your tickets for \$11.00 each in our reserved section in advance. We will be in section 113, rows J, K, L, and M. A total of 40 seats have been reserved.

Scan the QR code on the graphic to the left with your cell phone camera to purchase tickets.

If you want to ride to the game with us, meet at the church at 5:30 p.m. Otherwise, you can meet us at the stadium for the game starting at 7:05 p.m.

It's also \$1.00 hotdog night! Bring some extra spending money for concessions.

SAVE THE DATE! FIRST BAPTIST ARTS CAMP July 25—29, 2022

9:00 am—3:00 pm, Monday-Thursday
9:00 am—5:00 pm, Friday
Concert on Friday at 5:00 pm

Arts Camp will be for children who have completed 1st—5th grade.

Registration Details:

June 1-15 - Priority Registration for members of FBC at the discounted rate

June 16 - 30 - Registration for others at the discounted rate

July 1 - 15 - Registration open at regular rate

Discounted rate (by June 30) = \$45.00

Regular rate (after June 30) = \$50.00

Online registration will go live on June 1st.

The week will culminate in a performance on Friday afternoon at 5:00 p.m.. The program campers will be performing is called, "Imagine God!"



FIRST BAPTIST ARTS CAMP

Person of the Week

Send a card, letter, or other remembrance to our very special person this week!

Amanda Hunt
1700 Preston Road
Maxton, NC 28364

*Thinking
of you*



Scholarship Applications are now available in the church office. All applications must be submitted by **May 31**. For more information, please call the church office or email Doug (dougreeedy@fbclumbertonnc.org).

Servants this Sunday

9:30 Sunday School Entrance Greeters

*6th Street Ramp, 9:00—9:30 am
Dianne and Layton Britt
*ECM Entrance, 9:00—9:30 am
Gene Home

10:30 Worship Entrance Greeters

Sanctuary Vestibule, 10:00—11:30 am
Barbara Andrews, Shirley Hickman

Nursery — Jenna Davis, Ashlynn Cox

Extended Session — Nancy Wagner, Katherine Martin

*Handicap Accessible entrance

Give to First Baptist Church!

Here are some ways to donate to our ministry:

- Give during Sunday worship.
- Scan our QR code with your cell phone camera to go to our giving page.
- Give through our [secure online giving portal](#).
- Go to our website (www.fbclumbertonnc.org) to complete a draft form.
- Send us your contribution by mail
606 N. Walnut Street, Lumberton, NC 28358



We want to continue to allow our worship gatherings to be reflective of the diverse community that forms up our family of faith.

We want to invite any and all people who would like to participate in leading our worship services. If you would be interested in helping bring our worship to life each week, please fill out the form at

fbclumbertonnc.org/worshipleadership
or contact the church office
(910-739-4336).

Church Office Hours

Rev. Owens will on vacation May 24-31st. He will be accessible by cell phone (910-990-4623) and by email (jshowens@fbclumbertonnc.org). Doug and Tim will be available for immediate concerns and pastoral care.

Going into the end of the school year and into summer, our office staff will be in-and-out of the office. We will be taking family vacations, attending conferences, and going on church-related trips so our schedules in the office will vary from day to day. Please call the office to make sure someone is in before stopping by.

CHURCH STAFF

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