

First Baptist News

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This Week . . .

Sunday, July 31

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:30 a.m. Worship in Cherry Fellowship Hall
- 10:30 a.m. Worship Online
via Facebook Live & YouTube

Sunday, July 31—Tuesday, August 2

Friends of Jesus Happiness Retreat
Camp Caraway

Tuesday, August 2

- 7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Group (Zoom)
- 7:00 p.m. Book Study (Parlor & Zoom)

Saturday, July 30

- 10:30 a.m. Hispanic Bible Study Ministry
(Activities Building)



Preparing for Sunday, July 31
"We Belong to the Day"
1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 (NLT)

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

Join us for Worship in-person
 or on Facebook Live

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

Worship this Sunday will be in Cherry Fellowship Hall.

This Summer, we have been studying Thessalonians during worship. In the series, we will be working our way through the Apostle Paul's two letters to the church in Thessalonica (1 & 2 Thessalonians). Throughout the series, we will be engaging with the letters' themes of Love, Holiness, and Hope.



You are Invited!
 Arts Camp Concert
 Friday, July 29, 2022
 5:00 p.m.
 Fellowship Hall

606 N. Walnut Street
 Lumberton, NC 28358
 910-739-4336

Please enter at the Fellowship Hall lobby entrance, directly across from the Dollar General.

Coming up . . .

August 13—Downtown Lumberton Clean Sweep, 9:00 -11:00 am. Meet across from Adelio's.

August 15 — Finance will meet at 5:45 pm in the Activities Building and Deacons will meet at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

August 18 — Youth Committee Meeting 6:00-8:00 pm. This will be our annual planning meeting hosted by Scott Billingsley.

August 20 — Community Café (host: Fellowship Class)

August 23 — Youth R.A.T.S. to Myrtle Waves

August 26 — ECM closed to students for Staff Development and Open House

August 28 — Promotion Sunday

August 29 — 2022-23 PSRC & ECM School Year Begins; 2022-23 ECM Year Begins

August 31 — Youth Doing Missions Resumes

September 7 — Wednesday Night Prayer Service Resumes

September 8 — Fun & Fellowship Resumes, 11:00 am

September 17 — Community Café

September 19 — Finance will meet at 5:45 pm in the Activities Building and Deacons will meet at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.



Meet 'n Eat
San Jose
Thursday, July 28 @ 6:00 pm
Roberts Ave. Location

The poster features a blue background with colorful Mexican-themed decorations including a sombrero, maracas, and paper lanterns.



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) or email Kandace

(kandaceramsey@fbclumbertonnc.org)
with your desired dates and dedication information.

Friends of Jesus Ministry *Happiness Retreat*



July 31 - August 2

Please be in prayer for this group as they travel to camp this week.



Youth R.A.T.S. (Random Action Tuesdays)

Our next adventure will be to Myrtle Waves Water Park on August 23. The cost is \$25 per person. Please sign up with Rev. Doug Reedy.



*Our 2022-2023 Year
Starts August 29!*

- 4 Star Center
- Highly Qualified Staff
- Structured Classes
- Instruction of Good Morals
- Outdoor & Indoor Play
- Balanced Meals
- Increased Sanitation



*Open House is
August 26, 2022*

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FIRST SUNDAY FOOD DRIVE

COLLECTING NON-PERISHABLE FOODS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES

DONATION SUGGESTIONS: CANNED VEGETABLES, CANNED FRUITS, CANNED MEATS (SUCH AS CHICKEN BREAST), PORK & BEANS, RICE, DRIED BEANS, BOXED MEALS, BABY FOODS, BOTTLES OF WATER AND JUICES. **POP-TOP CANS ARE PREFERRED.**

A COLLECTION BIN IS AVAILABLE IN THE SANCTUARY VESTIBULE AND INSIDE THE 6TH STREET ENTRANCE OF THE CHURCH

Our next Food Drive Sunday is August 7th! Due to rising food costs, our local food banks are running on short supply. If you are able, please place your donations at the bins at the 6th Street entrance or in the vestibule.

ALABAMA THEATRE

Christmas Show

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2022
SENIOR ADULT TRIP

\$60.00
includes ticket, meal, taxes & tip

Only a few more tickets are available! Call the office (910-739-4336) or contact Phyllis Gibson to sign up.

SUNSET SLUSH OF LUMBERTON



Every-other Wednesday
10:30 - 11:30 am
June 29, July 13, July 27, August 10, August 24

\$2 FOR KIDS, CASH
PAYABLE DIRECTLY TO SUNSET SLUSH

Sunset Slush Sponsorship Opportunity

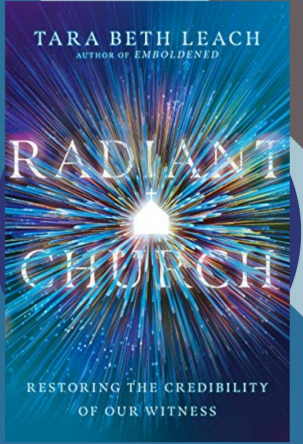
The ECM students have been enjoying the visit from Sunset Slush of Lumberton this summer. We have two more dates they will be coming—August 10 and 24. If you are interested in sponsoring a class or the entire center on either date, please contact Kandace in the church office. Slushes are \$2.00, cash, for each child and we have approximately 90 children.



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

Reading Plan

Week 4 (August 2): Ch. 7-9

Location: Church Parlor or via Zoom

If you prefer to join via Zoom, the meeting information is available through the church office and will be included in the weekly newsletter email.

Thinking of you

Person of the Week

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

Ralph Ussery
202 W. 33rd Street
Lumberton, NC 28358

Servants this Sunday

9:30 Sunday School Entrance Greeters

*6th Street Ramp, 9:00—9:30 am

Kenneth Sasser

*ECM Entrance, 9:00—9:30 am

Jayne and Bruce Huggins

10:30 Worship Entrance Greeters

Sanctuary Vestibule, 10:00—11:30 am

Gene Home and David Nicholson

Nursery — Ashlynn Cox, Jenna Davis

Extended Session — Christy Strickland, Pattie Ramsaur

*Handicap Accessible entrance

FBC LUMBERTON

WAYS TO GIVE


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IN PERSON
During Sunday Worship Service

MAIL IN
606 N Walnut St. Lumberton, NC 28358

BANK DRAFT
Forms are Available in the Office

ONLINE
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CHURCH STAFF

Summer Schedule -

Please call the office to make sure someone is in before stopping by.

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