



Auburn First Baptist Church

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Building Community, Serving Community

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WORSHIP

June 5th

Pentecost

Matthew 10:26-31

Wayne Flynt preaching

June 12th

Trinity Sunday

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

John 16:12-15

Lay Worship Leader for June:

Wally Ridgway

Vacation Bible School: *Partners with God*

By: *Tripp Martin*

One of the projects of our Life is Calling Committee has been commissioning a Vacation Bible School curriculum written specifically for Auburn First Baptist on calling. The Reverend Julie Long wrote the curriculum, entitled, *Partners with God*. We are excited for VBS on June 6-9, and we are thankful for our Directors, Cathy Summers and Sue Walker, who will lead it!

In *Partners with God*, the children of the church will hear about the callings of Abraham and Sarah, Mary the mother of Jesus, the disciples at the Last Supper, and Peter as he eats with Gentiles. The themes for each day are:

- *God's people are called,*
- *I am called,*
- *Our church is called,*
- *All are called.*

Since the curriculum is written for our congregation, the mission focus for each day includes our partners in ministry like the Community Market and Campus Kitchens.

Vacation Bible School is a sacred time in the life of a child and the life of the church because of everything taking place that cannot be seen. The congregation gathers around the children of the church, surrounding them with love and joy. The children are learning about the stories of scripture, church engagement, and mission, or calling. The children discover that they can participate in the calling of the church, not just during VBS, but for their entire lives!

The crafts bring the lessons to life as do the mentors and leaders of VBS! The memories of the week will include songs and leaders, who teach the children about God's love. Even when we are adults, we can remember the songs, and we can remember the leaders, who showed us the joy of faith!

Our prayer for the children of the church is they will build these types of memories, as they learn about becoming *Partners with God*. They will learn about opportunities for partnering with God's grace as well as the ways they are already partners with God!

REMINDERS

Vacation Bible School

June 6 - 9

Partners with God

Register now at

<https://forms.gle/11s2sfdEFXJV8MdL6>

CBF General Assembly

Dallas, TX, June 28-30

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Our Mission: Believing the Spirit of God is alive in each one of us and in the world, we affirm that the mission of Auburn First Baptist Church is: to glorify God as the Creator, Sustainer, and Redeemer of life; to call all people to God through Christ as Savior and Lord; to enable all people to be more like Jesus.

SUNDAY ACTIVITIES

Round Table

Sundays at 5:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Will resume in August.

Connecting Faith and Family

Sundays, 5:00 - 6:30 p.m., Fishers Classroom

Will resume in August.

VBS



Vacation Bible School

“Partners with God”

VBS 2022 is just around the corner! We are so excited for this year's VBS, "Partners with God," which will take place June 6-9 from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. We invite all children who have completed Pre-K3 through 5th grade to join us for what will surely be a meaningful and fun week. Register at the link below or by scanning the QR code.

<https://forms.gle/11s2sfdEFXJV8Mdl6>

MISSIONS

Help our Brasil Mission Team!

Below is a *list of items* the mission team will need for the children of Brasil. Please place donations for this project in the bucket provided in the hallway outside the church office.

Items needed include: coloring books and crayons, pencils, small pencil sharpeners, ball point pens, six inch rulers, individually wrapped chewing gum, bubble gum and hard candy (no chocolate), baseball type caps, stickers (smiley faces, etc), quart size zipper storage bags, toothbrushes, toothpaste, t-shirts, and work gloves.



Leaving June 23rd
Returning July 3rd

FELLOWSHIP

CBF General Assembly Registration

Dallas, TX and Online

June 28 - 30

Registration: www.cbf.net/assembly

PrimeTimers on the Move

Will resume in August.

WELCOME

Welcome Scarlett Sheils Organist

On Sunday, June 12, we will welcome Scarlett Sheils to Auburn First Baptist as our organist! Scarlett has many years of experience, playing in churches in Alabama for over twenty years. She earned a Bachelor of Arts in Music, studying the organ, from Judson College as well as a Master of Arts in Education from the University of Mobile. We are excited to welcome her to Auburn First Baptist and for her leadership in worship!

CHILDREN

Family Day of Service

Community Market

Saturday, June 18

8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Families and their children (ages 4+) are invited to come for a day of service at the Community Market. We will restock shelves along with other tasks. We will meet at the Community Market at 8:00 a.m. (3810 Pepperell Pkwy, Opelika, AL 36801). We will probably finish before 12:00 p.m. Wear closed-toed shoes. If you are planning on coming, please email Tripp, so we can give them a head count. (tmartin@auburnfbc.org)

PassportKids Camp

July 17-20, 2022

Rock Eagle 4H Center, Eatonton, Georgia

Students 3rd-5th grade

Total: \$300 (includes deposit)

YOUTH

YOUTH SOS

June 5, 7:00 p.m.
 Activities Building
 Ice Cream Sundaes

June 12, 4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
 Katharine Martin & Cathy Summers
 Stars and Strikes in Columbus, GA
 Cost: \$30 per person plus money for dinner

We will enjoy laser tag, bumper cars, and
 bowling. Friends are welcome!
 We will take the church bus. RSVP to
 katharineymartin@gmail.com.

June 26, 6:00 p.m.
 Ashley Aston & Suzanne Parish
 TBA



*Day At Six
 Flags*
 Monday, June 20
 8:30 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Cost: \$30 per person plus money for two meals
 Contact Mark Wilson at markwilsonau-
 burn@gmail.com to sign up! Friends are welcome!



Berea College
 Berea, Kentucky
 July 11-16, 2022

Depart: July 11 at 6:00 a.m.
 Return: July 16 at 7:00 p.m.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

<i>Every Sunday</i>		<i>Every Thursday</i>
Sunday School	9:45 a.m.	Brown Bag Dinner
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Prayer & Bible Study
		5:15 p.m. 6:00 p.m.

Thursday - 2nd

Sanctuary Choir RehearsalChoir Room 6:45 p.m.

Sunday - 5th

Youth SOS.....Activities Building 7:00 p.m.

No Evening Activities

Monday - 6th

Vacation Bible School.....Education Building 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday - 7th

Vacation Bible School.....Education Building 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday - 8th

Vacation Bible School.....Education Building 6:00 p.m.

Thursday - 9th

Stewardship Committee MtgLibrary 5:00 p.m.

Vacation Bible School.....Education Building 6:00 p.m.

Sunday - 12th

Youth SOS.....Gay Street Lot 4:00 p.m.

No Evening Activities

Tuesday - 14th

CDC Committee MeetingLibrary 5:45 p.m.

COLLEGE

Bible Study & Breakfast
Sundays, 10:15 a.m.
College Room (Activities Building)

College Tuesday Night Bible Study
7:00 p.m., Activities Building
 Resumes in August.

Fellowship. Service. Special Activities.



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THURSDAYS

Thursday Evening Activities

5:45 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Will resume in August.

Extended Session

We are looking to add a few more people to the Extended Session rotation. If you would be interested in keeping children in the nursery during the worship service, please contact Anna Coxwell at coxwella@gmail.com. Thank you!

Worship

Building Community

As we enter the summer months, we recognize church members will be traveling to visit loved ones or to vacation with family. In gathering each week for worship, the Deacons invite those who are comfortable doing so to sit closer to the front of the sanctuary. We benefit from the "ministry of presence," feeling the family of faith around us. It contributes to our singing and to our collective prayers. We can hear the voices around us! It also allows us to share communion or pass the offering plate. If you are not comfortable moving closer to the front, please remain where you are. The most important part of worship is simply gathering in the same room. We pause each week to offer our thanksgiving, listen for God's calling, experience comfort, and to share our lives with the family of faith.

Serving the Month of June

Greeters: Felicia McInnis, Kellie Wilson

Sound & Light: David Sutton, Chad Parish, Gary Cantini

Visitors: John & Jo Jones

Serving June 5, 2022

Extended Session: Suzanne Parish, Anna Coxwell, Felicia McInnis, Leah Duzy

Serving June 12, 2022

Extended Session: Jay Spiers, Anna Thomspson, Candy Enkeboll, Leigh Anne Armstrong

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