

First Baptist Church Montgomery

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*bring them in...build them up...send them out*

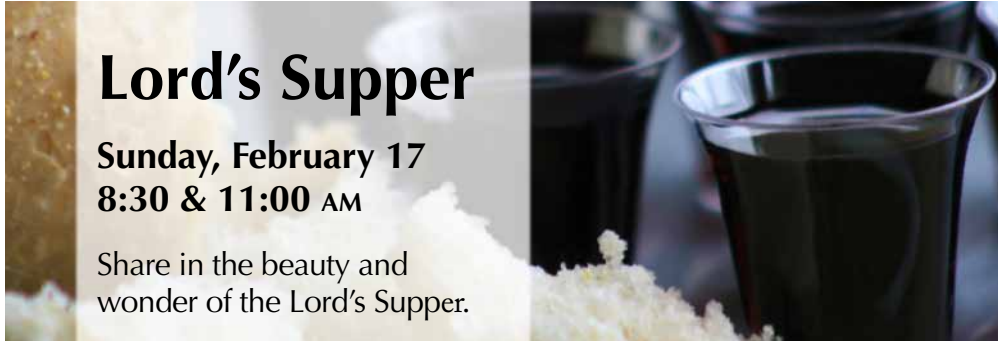
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## Lord's Supper

Sunday, February 17  
8:30 & 11:00 AM

Share in the beauty and wonder of the Lord's Supper.



# FALL RISK

A SERMON SERIES  
DEALING WITH SINS  
THAT SO EASILY  
ENTANGLE US

Sundays // 6:15 PM  
February 17 // Mark Bethea

FALL RISK

All FBC Ladies and Friends  
are invited to

# MY LIFE *His Canvas*

A Celebration of Color for Him

Tuesday, February 26 // 6:00 PM // Fellowship Hall  
Tickets: \$12 per person

Tickets will be on sale in the main sanctuary foyer this Sunday.  
You can also purchase tickets online at [www.montgomeryfbc.org/event-registration](http://www.montgomeryfbc.org/event-registration).



# CONNECTIONS

*from your Pastor's Heart*

## ***Justin Law will serve as our Associate Pastor for Discipleship!***

It is my great joy to officially announce that Justin Law will shift from serving as our College Pastor to the responsibility of being our Associate Pastor for Discipleship. Our beloved and newly-retired, Chuck Ashley, began training Justin 18 months ago to facilitate his successful transition to guiding and growing our 51 adult Bible Fellowship Classes. Justin will do a spectacular job!

Justin grew up in Titus, Alabama. His father, David Law, serves as the District Judge for Coosa County. In March of 1998 Justin's mother, Mary Ann Law, went to be with the Lord, so he learned about hardship and loss at an early age. Justin has two brothers and one sister. He attended New Home Baptist Church and gave his life to Jesus through Vacation Bible School when he was 12 years old. As a junior in high school, Justin sensed the Lord leading him toward a calling to use his life-skills and vocational-future to build the Body of Christ. After graduating from Wetumpka High School, he attended Auburn University at Montgomery where he majored in Business Administration/Information Systems. Justin continued equipping himself for Kingdom service by earning his Masters of Divinity degree from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.

God gifted Justin with a wonderful ministry partner in Anslee, whom he married on April 12, 2014 here at FBC. They have a precious son, Brantley, who is a true "church baby" because he attends everything we do with his mom and dad. Justin is committed to growing our church family, so Anslee is expecting their second child in June!



Justin has served on our church staff since January of 2013. Justin has a bright mind, great organizational and people skills, superior communication abilities, and he wears well like a corduroy jacket. We have come to know, love and respect our Christ-like, talented and hard-working ministry partner. Pray earnestly for Justin as he shoulders these vital responsibilities of helping more people follow Jesus.

Growing Disciples TOGETHER,

## **FBC Faithfulness | Sunday, February 10, 2019**

### **ATTENDANCE**

**Bible Fellowship Enrollment** 5191 | **Bible Fellowship Attendance** 1736  
**Weekly Attendance** 2248 | **Discipleship Attendance** 1452

### **OFFERING**

**Required Weekly** \$131,730.76 | **Received Sunday** \$93,598.36  
**Required To Date** \$790,384.56 | **Received To Date** \$726,121.69  
**Building Fund Sunday** \$195.00 | **Building Fund to Date** \$2,134.00

**Under Budget | \$64,262.87**



# Ministry Announcements

## College Ministry

Join us as we unite with college students from across the state for a weekend of worship, discipleship, and fellowship at the **Pursue Collegiate Conference on February 22 & 23**. This year the conference is being hosted by Eastmont Baptist Church here in Montgomery! Cost is \$40. Sign up online at [www.montgomeryfbc.org/event-registration](http://www.montgomeryfbc.org/event-registration) or by contacting Justin Law at 241.5162 or [jlaw@montgomeryfbc.org](mailto:jlaw@montgomeryfbc.org).

## Music Ministry

The FBC Youth Choirs are busy preparing for exciting mission opportunities this summer. **One Heart Choir** (grades 7-8) will travel to **New Orleans, Louisiana** on **June 10-14** and **One Voice Choir** (grades 9-12) will travel to **Salt Lake City, Utah** on **June 8-16** for a week of music and missions. Both choirs rehearse on Sundays at 5:00 PM. Don't miss this opportunity!

## Missions Ministry

**Volunteers needed for the Cuba Mission Project on September 20-27.** This mission team will do construction, VBS, men's and women's Bible studies, testimonies, preaching and much more to impact the people of Congoja (Rodas), Cuba with the gospel. Cost is \$850 plus airfare (approx. \$1350). For more information or to sign up, contact Pickett Reese at 315.5938 or [pickettreese@gmail.com](mailto:pickettreese@gmail.com). Deadline to sign up is June 1.

**Supplies are needed for the upcoming March Cuba Mission Project.** Supplies needed: unused travel-size toiletries; unused make up (samples or full-size), especially eye shadows, lipsticks, nail polish, and perfumes; and costume jewelry. Please place in the Cuba Missions bin at the Scott Street entrance by Sunday, March 3. For more information, contact Kathy Cooper at 241.5125.



## First Family Dinner | Wednesday, February 20

*No reservations required!*

**Adult & Children's Meal:** Chicken and Dumplings, Green Beans, Roll, Salad, Dessert

**Adult Family Meal – \$5; Child's Meal** (12 & under) – \$3

**Maximum Family Amount – \$20** (immediate family only)

## First Baptist Foundation

### The 2019-2020 First Baptist Foundation Scholarship

**Applications** are now available. All completed applications must be returned by Sunday, March 31. For an application, visit [www.montgomeryfbc.org/first-baptist-foundation](http://www.montgomeryfbc.org/first-baptist-foundation) or email Alissa Parrish at [airvin@montgomeryfbc.org](mailto:airvin@montgomeryfbc.org).

## Churchwide News & Events

There will be a **Cruise to Alaska Trip Update Meeting** on **Sunday, March 3** at 7:30 PM in room 347 for friends signed up and others interested in joining this week-long Alaska Inside Passage Cruise on September 18-25, 2019. Come see majestic scenery from God and hear His mighty Word revealed from Jay. For more information, contact Ben Hulseley at [ebjhulseley@gmail.com](mailto:ebjhulseley@gmail.com) or 399.9876.

Men, join us for the annual **Glenn Gordy Golf Retreat** on **Thursday, April 25 through Saturday, April 27** at Callaway Gardens Resort in Georgia. Join us for a great time meeting new friends, playing golf, eating fantastic food, and most importantly, drawing closer to the Lord. The cost is \$425, which includes lodging in Southern Pine two bedroom cottages, green fees, 18-hole cart per day, a Friday night seafood gumbo meal and prizes. Checks should be made payable to First Baptist Church. Deadline for reservations is Friday, March 22. Get your check in the mail today. Sign up by contacting Steve Dubose at 277.8604 or [dstevedubose@gmail.com](mailto:dstevedubose@gmail.com).

**Will you be away from FBC on Sunday?** Then join us **Sunday** at 11:00 AM as we broadcast our service live on the FBC app and website ([www.montgomeryfbc.org/livestream](http://www.montgomeryfbc.org/livestream)) as well as our main **Facebook page, First Baptist Church Montgomery** (@montgomeryfirstbaptist).

## New Members

### By Baptism

**Sarah Leatherwood**  
805 Stableway Road | Pike Road, AL 36064

### By Letter/Statement of Faith

**Mr. Mike Fuller**  
**Mrs. Mike Fuller (Della)**  
192 Silo Ridge Lane | Fitzpatrick, AL 36029

**Ms. Hope Mucklow**  
375 Harrogate Springs Road | Wetumpka, AL 36093

## Our Church Family

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, contact Carolyn Bryan at 241.5120.

### Sympathy Extended to

Mr. & Mrs. Tim Cearley (Charlotte) in the death of his aunt and uncle

### Baptist East

Cecile Hamblin • Bob Morris

### Jackson

Bill McKenzie • Claud Walker • John D. Lee

### Diversicare

Frank Stewart

### Huntsville Hospital

David Richardson

### Congratulations Extended to

Mr. & Mrs. Tomy Head (Virginia) in the birth of a great-grandson

The 2019 **Young Worshiper's Club (YWC)** continues this **Sunday, February 17!** During the month of February, every first through sixth grade student will have the opportunity to complete a booklet that will help them learn how to worship. For more information, contact Glen Leathers at 241.5164 or [gleathers@montgomeryfbc.org](mailto:gleathers@montgomeryfbc.org).



# SAVE THE DATE

## GIC 2020 // February 19-23

**June 4 – 6** » IncrediKids Camp

**June 8 – 16** » One Voice Choir Tour

**June 10 – 14** » One Heart Choir Tour

**June 17 – 21** » Vacation Bible School

**July 15 – 19** » Kids Kamp

**July 22 – 26** » Youth Camp

# 2019 **SUMMER** EVENTS



SAVE THE DATE  
**VBS 2019**  
JUNE 17-21

**PRESCHOOL SUPPLIES  
NEEDED:**

TOILET PAPER ROLLS  
PAPER TOWEL ROLLS  
WRAPPING PAPER ROLLS  
WHITE PAPER PLATES (UNWAXED)  
LARGE COFFEE CANS  
CRYSTAL LIGHT CONTAINERS

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

CONTACT NANCIE MCQUEEN AT 241.5166  
OR [NMCQUEEN@MONTGOMERYFBC.ORG](mailto:NMCQUEEN@MONTGOMERYFBC.ORG)

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for the wonderful retirement celebration you gave Ann and I this past Sunday. Everything was perfect from the words and notes of encouragement, and the beautiful and useful gifts received, to the Ole Miss themed reception with delicious food. Our entire family said that we had never seen anything like it — everything was absolutely perfect. Thank you for allowing us to serve you the last 21 years as adult minister. We have seen God do awesome ministry through our church that we could have never dreamed or imagined. We have been so privileged to serve this amazing church with America's best Pastor, Jay Wolf! This will continue to be our church home and we look forward to serving with each of you in the future.

Chuck & Ann Ashley

## This week at FBC

For the complete calendar, visit  
[www.montgomeryfbc.org](http://www.montgomeryfbc.org).

### Sunday, February 17

- 8:30 Worship Service  
Prayer Room in Media Center
- 9:45 Bible Fellowship Classes
- 11:00 Worship Service  
Prayer Room in Media Center  
Children's Ministry Teacher Training
- 4:00 Reflections Ensemble Rehearsal
- 4:30 Discipleship Classes
- 5:00 Discipleship Classes  
Children's Missions  
One Heart & One Voice Choir Rehearsals
- 5:45 Student Ministry Fellowship
- 6:00 Children's Bible Drill
- 6:15 Worship Service

### Monday, February 18

- 9:00 English as a Second Language
- 10:00 JOY Singers Rehearsal
- 5:30 Men's Bible Study

### Tuesday, February 19

- 9:00 English as a Second Language
- 9:30 Ladies Bible Study: A Woman's Heart
- 7:00 Narcotics Anonymous
- 8:00 College Ministry: Elevate

### Wednesday, February 20

- 9:00 English as a Second Language
- 2:15 Baldwin Bible Study
- 4:45 First Family Dinner
- 5:30 Sanctuary Orchestra Rehearsal  
Tutoring
- 5:45 Preschool & Children's Choirs  
Positive Parenting
- 6:00 First Family Prayer Time
- 6:30 Student Ministry: Powerhouse
- 6:35 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
- 6:40 DivorceCare

### Thursday, February 21

- 9:00 Conversational English
- 10:00 Caregivers Support Group

### Friday, February 22

- Pursue Collegiate Conference
- 6:45 Friday Morning Men's Group

### Saturday, February 23

- Pursue Collegiate Conference
- 7:00 Narcotics Anonymous

**In Home Ministry Member**  
**Dave Hataway**  
3128 Gatsby Lane  
Montgomery, AL 36106-2645



## Morning Worship (8:30 & 11:00 AM)

**Great is Thy Faithfulness** | Sanctuary Handbells  
**You Alone Are God** | Sanctuary Choir  
**The One** | Icthus Ensemble  
**Celebration of the Lord's Supper**  
**Prayer Room**  
John Longpre (Bozeman/Kennedy/Tankersley Class)

## Evening Worship (6:15 PM)

**Call to Worship** | One Heart & One Voice Choirs  
**His Mercy is More** | Josh Jacobs  
**Message** | Mark Bethea



## CrossRoads Broadcast Schedule

Watch the sermon at the time below or  
online at [www.montgomeryfbc.org](http://www.montgomeryfbc.org).

**Frazer Channel 13** (Montgomery & Prattville)  
**Brighthouse Channel 122** (Elmore County)  
Sunday, 1:30 PM (full hour) & 6:00 PM  
Tuesday, 8:00 PM; Thursday, 1:30 PM & 6:00 PM

**WSFA-TV Channel 12** | Sunday, 10:30 AM

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