

**WELCOME!**

We are delighted that you have joined us to worship today. We want you to feel at home in our Fellowship. In order to provide you with additional information about our ministries, we invite you to take a few moments to fill out this guest form and place it in the offering plate or return it to the Welcome Center in the foyer after the service. Thank you for being a part of the First Baptist family today. May God bless you and touch you with the joy of His presence.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mr.  Mrs.  Ms.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of another church?  
Yes:  No:

Church: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the applicable items:

- First-time visitor
- New to the area
- Returning visitor

Age Group:

- 18-19  40s  60s
- 20s  50s  70+
- 30s

- Single  Married

Names and Ages of Children:

\_\_\_\_\_

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[www.fbcspringfield.org](http://www.fbcspringfield.org)

**Sanctuary Flowers**



If you wish to place altar flowers in memory of or to honor a loved one on any Sunday during the year, please contact the Church Office to request a date for your donated arrangement. You may pick up the arrangement on the following Monday morning for extended enjoyment in your home or simply indicate when you call that the flowers may be shared with our homebound members.

**Wednesday Night Dinner**

May 25 Menu  
(Sign up by Monday noon)  
Oven fried chicken, roasted sweet potatoes, asparagus, garden salad, dessert



**Visit Your Church Library and Media Center**

(2nd Floor near the Elevator)  
**Open**  
Sundays 8:45-10:30 am  
Wednesdays 6:30-8:00 pm

Check the table marked "FREE ITEMS" outside the Library periodically for media being retired and help yourself!

**May Mission Resources**

**PrayerPoints (May): Addis Ababa: From Billionaires to Beggars (Africa)**  
**CommissionStories** newspaper (Spring): **It's a Young World** (see big colorful photos)  
**Prayer-Gram** (quarterly): **discontinued** by NAMB. Try online resource: [www.namb.net/prayerrequests](http://www.namb.net/prayerrequests)  
**OM - On Mission** mag. (Spring): **Start Here: Reaching North America Begins with You**

**Pray for Missions:** Mid-Weekly Prayer Calendar; & weekly Missions email  
*Resources located in foyers and office*

**Service Recordings Available**

Recordings of the 10:30 am worship services held in the Sanctuary & Fellowship Hall are now available on CD by request (\$1).

**A Full day at Kings Dominion Park & overnight at a lake house!** \$50 due May 22  
**The water park is open so bring your suit!**  
**Why go home when you can stay at a lake house with your friends? We will play nighttime games like dark hide and seek and manhunt around the lake, followed by late night snacks like s'mores. Cost is \$50, plus money for 2 meals in the park. \$50 can be given to Jay Rawls or the Church Office by TODAY. Visit [www.TheRecRoom.org](http://www.TheRecRoom.org) for more details.**  
Jr High May 27-28....Depart Friday at 6pm; return Saturday at 9pm  
Sr High May 28-30....Depart Saturday at 6pm; return Monday at 11:30am

**Grapple for 5th & 6th Graders**  
Sunday Nights at 6:00 pm  
Room C110  
Group talk, snacks and games!  
5th & 6th Graders

**Destination Kids Sunday Night-GPS**  
Sunday Nights at 6:00 pm  
Room C104, Grades 1-4

**Youth Mission Trip**  
**Mon - Sat, July 18- 23**  
Eastern University  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

**Senior Graduate Sunday**  
  
Sunday, June 19, 2011  
Robing Ceremony - 9:15 am  
Recognition - 10:30 am  
Fellowship Hall  
Please notify Jay Rawls by June 12 if your high school senior plans to participate in the Robing ceremony at [jayrawls@me.com](mailto:jayrawls@me.com).

**CHURCH STAFF MINISTERS**  
James A. Weaver, *Pastor*  
Hammond A. Coates, *Minister of Discipleship and Congregational Ministries*  
Christopher T. Jenkins, *Minister of Music and Worship*  
Jay Rawls, *Minister to Students*  
Luis Salazar, *Interim Minister to Hispanic Fellowship*  
Norina Treanor, *Director of Children's Ministries*  
Sylvester (Sly) Samudre, *Contemporary Worship Leader*

Website: [www.fbcspringfield.org](http://www.fbcspringfield.org)  
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7300 Gary Street - Springfield, Virginia 22150-4101  
WEEKDAY OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm



**WELCOME!**  
**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SPRINGFIELD**  
7300 GARY STREET  
SPRINGFIELD, VIRGINIA 22150  
703.451.1500

May 22, 2011

10:30 am

**Preparation for Worship**  
**Video: "That Life No More"**  
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**Prelude Music:** "Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It"  
Chris Kang, Piano – Connie Jenkins, Organ

**\*We Greet One Another in Christian Fellowship** Jim Weaver

**Song of Fellowship:** "In This Very Room" Ron and Carol Harris

In this very room there's quite enough love for all of us,  
And in this very room there's quite enough joy for all of us;  
And there's quite enough hope and quite enough pow'r  
To chase away any gloom,  
For Jesus, Lord Jesus, is in this very room.

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**\*Prayer of Invocation** Chris Jenkins

**\*A Worship Sequence: "I LOVE YOU, LORD"**  
**Responsive Reading:** *From Psalms 62, 63, and 18 (NIV)*  
**Leader:** O God, You are my God; earnestly I seek You.  
**People:** Because Your love is better than life, my lips will glorify You. I will praise You as long as I live, and in Your name I will lift up my hands.  
**Leader:** On my bed I remember You, I think of You through the watches of the night. Because You are my help, I sing in the shadow of Your wings.  
**People:** I love You, O Lord, my strength.  
**Leader:** The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer.  
**People:** I love You, O Lord, my strength.  
**Leader:** My God is my Rock, in Whom I take refuge.  
**People:** I love You, O Lord, my strength.  
**Leader:** He is my shield and the horn of my salvation – my stronghold.  
**People:** I love You, O Lord, my strength.  
**Leader:** One thing God has spoken, two things have I heard; That You, O God, are strong, and that You, O God, are loving.  
**People:** O God, You are my God; earnestly I seek You. I have seen You in the sanctuary and beheld Your power and Your glory.  
**ALL:** THE LORD LIVES! PRAISE BE TO MY ROCK! EXALTED BE GOD OUR SAVIOR!

**We Sing Together:** "I Love You, Lord" (Repeat) #212  
 "My Jesus, I Love Thee" (Stzs. 1,2, 4.) #210  
 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" (Stzs. 1. 4) #202

**\*Offertory Prayer** John Obasun, Deacon

*(Following the offertory prayer, children in Kindergarten-4th Grade who wish to participate in Children's Church will meet their adult leaders in the back of the room to go to Room C104.)*

**Choral Worship** "Boundless Love"  
 The Sanctuary Choir

**The Message "Just Doing What's Expected - Gratefully"** Jim Weaver  
 Luke 17:7-10

**The Invitation to Christian Discipleship** Jim Weaver

**\*Song of Invitation:** "Love Lifted Me" #546

**Church Concerns and Announcements** Jim Weaver

**A Service of Commissioning:** "Builders For Christ" Jim Weaver

**\*Benediction Prayer** Jim Weaver

**\*Congregational Response:** #253

**"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"**  
*(The Doxology)*

**Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;  
 Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
 Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;  
 Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

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**\*Postlude Music**

**CONTEMPORARY SERVICE**  
 Fellowship Hall - 10:30 am

**Worship in Praise**  
 Sly Samudre, Worship Leader

**Morning Offering**

**The Message**  
**"Fire Fanning!"**  
 Acts 7:54-8:4  
 Hammond Coates

\*Congregation Standing

### Town Hall Meeting

Sunday, June 5 at 7:00 pm in Sanctuary

The Deacon Council and the Missions Committee are recommending that the church enter a covenant with the Peniel Ethiopian Evangelical Fellowship by which they become a language ministry of the church. A town hall meeting is scheduled for Sunday night June 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in the Sanctuary to discuss this ministry opportunity. A draft of the covenant is available on the church's website by clicking on the following link: <http://www.fbcspringfield.org/assets/1128/2011-ethiopian-covenant.pdf> After reading the covenant, if you have any questions, please contact Kevin Cheek (703-690-8449/kcheek@cox.net), Ellen Chenoweth (703-690-3098/echenoweth@verizon.net), or Rick Priest (703-451-8536/RHPriest@fcps.edu).

### Joint Service

10:30 am on Sunday, June 26

VBS Commission

### Vacation Bible School Needs

#### Big Apple Adventure

June 27 - July 1

9:00 am - Noon Daily



We're making plans for our **Big Apple Adventure VBS** and need your help! We'll be making connections with the Bible and learn about faith, love, trust, others and life! Save or collect these items to help us out and drop them in the church office, clean, bagged, and marked "Attention VBS." Thank you!

Road maps (any variety ok)  
 Round Plastic lids – (approx 3-4" from sour cream, Nutella, dips, etc)  
 Paper towel tubes  
 Yarn  
 Green construction paper  
 Foam Paint brushes  
 Masking Tape  
 Monetary donations for "I Love VBS" t-shirts

Our VBS will be June 27 – July 1 and **volunteers** are still needed to assist in classrooms Please call Norina Treanor with any questions.



### MEMORIAL SERVICE

SUNDAY, MAY 29



10:30 AM  
 SANCTUARY

We will have a time of special remembrances during the worship service of those members of our congregation who have died in the past year.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!

#### Big Apple Adventure

Monday, June 27 -

Friday, July 1

Sunday, June 26: Pre-registration

Open House, 4-5 pm

Monday-Friday, 9 am-Noon

**Ages 4 (by June 27) to**

**completed Grade 6**



Register your child(ren) online at [www.fbcspringfield.org](http://www.fbcspringfield.org).

### New Hours for our Food Pantry

9:30-11:00 am, Saturdays

### VBS Workers Meeting

For all teachers & volunteers

Monday June 6, 2011

7 pm

C104 (Children's Church room)

We will be discussing schedules and plans for our amazing **Big Apple Adventure!** Please review your materials ahead of time and come with any questions or requests.

### Day School Accepting Staff Applications

The First Baptist Christian Day School has openings for Lead Teachers and Assistant Teachers for the 2011-2012 school year. Applications are available at the Day School Office and the Church Office Monday - Friday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. Contact Marcia Lee, Day School Director, at 703.451.7144 or [m.lee@fbcspringfield.org](mailto:m.lee@fbcspringfield.org).

### Bible Study for Parents

**The Parent Adventure:**  
 Preparing Your Kid for a Life with God



**Sunday Nights at 6:00 pm in C302**

Join us for the 5 sessions left in this Bible study that helps parents connect their children to God by teaching them to love Him and pursue His purposes for their lives. Workbooks will be \$10.

### Annie Armstrong Offering for North American Missions



**Our Goal:**  
**\$25,000**  
**Given to Date:**  
**\$25,018**

### OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF May 22, 2011

(The Nursery is available for all English-language worship services)

#### SUNDAY, MAY 22:

8:45-10:30 am - Library Open  
 9:00 am - Hispanic Worship/C206  
 9:15 am - Sunday School  
 10:15 am - Sanctuary Choir  
 10:15 am - Instrumental Ensemble/Sanc.  
 10:30 am - Traditional Worship/Sanctuary  
 10:30 am - Contemporary Worship/FH  
 10:30 am - Intercessor, Sue Bolt  
 10:30 am - Hispanic Sunday School  
 12:00 pm - Hispanic Fellowship  
 5:45 pm - Adult Handbells/Handbell Room  
 5:45 pm - Youth Rec Meal/Snack/Student Ctr.  
 6:00 pm - Destination Kids (Grades 1-4)/C104  
 6:00 pm - Grapple for 5th & 6th Grade/C110  
 6:00 pm - Art of Marriage study/FH  
 6:00 pm - The Parent Adventure/C302  
 7:00 pm - Youth Service/Student Ctr.

#### MONDAY, MAY 23:

#### TUESDAY, MAY 24:

7:00 pm - Contemporary Band/FH  
 7:00 pm - Ethiopian Bible Study/"A" Wing

#### WEDNESDAY, MAY 25:

5:30 pm - Wednesday Night Dinner/Gym, FH  
 5:45 pm - Homework Café/Student Ctr.  
 6:00 pm - First Baptist Instr. Ensemble  
 6:15 pm - Nursery Opens  
 6:15 pm - Destination Kids Wednesday Kids Performing Arts/C110 (Grades 1-6)  
 Mission Friends/B214 (Ages 3 - Kindergarten)  
 6:15 pm - Women's Bible Study/C302  
 6:15 pm - Youth Ministry Teams/Student Ctr.  
 6:30 pm - Pastor's Bible Study/FH  
 6:30 pm - Men's Bible Study/CR2  
 6:45 pm - Sanctuary Choir/Choir Rm.  
 7:00 pm - GAs (Grades 1-6)/C106  
 7:00 pm - Boys' Recreation/Gym  
 7:15 pm - My Faith 101 for Youth/Stud. Ctr.  
 8:15 pm - Nursery Closes

#### THURSDAY, MAY 26:

1:00 pm - Ethiopian Bible Study/A103B  
 7:00 pm - ESL (English) Classes/"A" Wing  
 7:00 pm - Day School Graduation/Sanctuary

#### FRIDAY, MAY 27

6:00 pm - Jr. High King's Dominion trip  
 7:00 pm - Ethiopian Bible Study/"A" Wing

#### SATURDAY, MAY 28:

6:00 am - Hispanic Prayer/C211  
 9:30 am --Food Pantry/S106  
 10:00 am - Ethiopian Bible Study/"A" Wing  
 6:00 pm - Sr. High King's Dominion trip  
 7:00 pm - Ethiopian Bible Study/"A" Wing

### Children's Church

Kindergarten - 4th Grade

After the offertory prayer, Room C104.