

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:

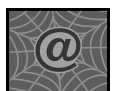
- First-time visitor
- New to the area
- Returning visitor

Age Group:

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

Single Married

Names and Ages of Children:



Visit us online at
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.



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

October Mission Resources

PrayerPoints (Oct.): **2012 Summer Olympics (London)**

OM - On Mission mag. (Fall): **Raising On Mission Kids**

Commission Stories newspaper (Fall): **Forgotten People**

North American prayer requests: www.namb.net/prayerrequests

Mid Weekly Prayer Calendar & weekly Missions email: **Pray for Missions**

Resources located in foyers and office

NEXT GENERATIONS GROUP ON-LINE

Videos of the September 18th Town Hall meeting are available online at www.fbcspringfield.org/nextgenerations. If you haven't registered on our website, use the username "member" and password "fbc" to login. These videos are also available on DVD - reserve a copy in the Church 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).

Sermon recordings from both the Traditional and Contemporary Worship Services are now available on our website. You can listen to or download these mp3 recordings, or you can subscribe to the podcasts with a media player.



PACE Event
Colonial Williamsburg Tour
December 10, 2011

Join us for a trip to Williamsburg! We will take a self-guided tour of Colonial Williamsburg, have lunch in a tavern, shop, and view the illumination of the historic buildings. Cost - \$47.95. Sign up and money due by **October 2**. Sign-up sheets are in the Sunday School folders. Please call Nancy Michie at 703-569-6750 if you have any questions.

Destination Kids Wednesday

Wednesday, Evenings

Kids Performing Arts for Grades 1-6

6:45 - 7:20 pm

Room C110 (5th/6th Grade Classroom)

Mission Friends for Ages 3 to Kindergarten

6:45 - 8:00 pm in B214 (Day School Hall)

Girls in Action for Grades 1-6

7:20 - 8:00 pm in C106

Boys on Track for Grades 1-6

7:20 -8:00 pm in Gym



Schedule for Youth



Sunday Nights

5:45 pm - Rec Meal/Fellowship Hall
6:15 pm - Game On/Gym
7:00 pm - 545 Youth Service

Wednesday Nights

6:00 pm - Band Practice
6:45 pm - My Faith 101

Staff Vacancy

Ministry Assistant - Communications

The Personnel Committee is accepting applications for a fulltime Ministry Assistant-Communications. Major duties include: receptionist responsibilities, coordinating information about church activities and schedules, and preparing and editing church publications and promotional material. A more detailed position description is available from the church office.

Individuals interested in the position should complete an application (available in the church office) and submit it to the Personnel Committee through the Church Office.

CHURCH STAFF MINISTERS

James A. Weaver, Pastor

Hammond A. Coates, Minister of Discipleship and Congregational Ministries

Christopher T. Jenkins, Minister of Music and Worship

Vacant, Minister to Students

Luis Salazar, Interim Minister to Hispanic Fellowship

Norina Treanor, Director of Children's Ministries

Sylvester (Sly) Samudre, Contemporary Worship Leader

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WEEKDAY OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm



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

October 2, 2011

Preparation for Worship

10:30 AM

Video: "A Morning Prayer"

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Prelude Music "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jerhovah" Arr. McKechnie
With "Ein Kleine Nachtmusik" – Allegro by Mozart
Chris Kang, piano – Connie Jenkins, organ

***We Greet One Another In Christian Fellowship** Jim Weaver

***Chorus of Fellowship: "Jesus, Draw Me Close"** Rick Founds

Jesus, draw me close, closer, Lord, to You.
Let the world around me fade away.
Jesus, draw me close, closer, Lord to You,
For I desire to worship and obey.
(Modulate)

Jesus, draw me close, closer, Lord, to You.
Let the world around me fade away.
Jesus, draw me close, closer, Lord to You,
For I desire to worship and obey.

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***Prayer of Invocation** Chris Jenkins

***Worship Sequence:**

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" (Stzs. 1, 4) **#202**
"His Name Is Wonderful" **#203**
"Glorious Is Thy Name" (Stzs. 1, 4) **#204**

Worship In Song: "God and God Alone" Phil McHugh
Chris Jenkins, Soloist

***Offertory Hymn:** "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart" **#39**

***Offertory Prayer** Kevin Lucey, Deacon

Choral Worship: "I Will Rejoice and Be Glad" Joseph Martin
The Sanctuary Choir

The Message "How Jesus Works" Jim Weaver
Acts 9:32-43

The Invitation to Christian Discipleship Jim Weaver

***Song of Invitation:** "All to Thee" **#482**

Church Concerns and Announcements

Jim Weaver

***Benediction Prayer**

Jim Weaver

***Congregational Response: "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" #243**

(Chorus Only)

**Sweet Holy Spirit, Sweet heavenly Dove,
Stay right here with us, Filling us with Your love;
And for these blessings We lift our hearts in praise.
Without a doubt we'll know that we been revived
When we shall leave this place.**

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***Postlude Music**

Special Called Church Business Meeting



Next Generations Recommendation: A new and innovative ministry to people in our community who reflect the current culture, especially younger adults under the age of 40.

Next Steps

Small group discussions during Sunday School - check with leaders

Church-wide discussion group in the Fellowship Hall
October 16 (Sunday) - 5:00 pm
October 19 (Wednesday) - 6:45 pm

Business Meeting - **October 30**
Ingathering - **November 20**

Download a copy of the Next Generations Working Group Recommendation and **watch video** presentations from the town hall meeting on September 18, 2011 at www.fbcspringfield.org/nextgenerations (Username: **member** / Password: **fb**).

CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

Fellowship Hall - 10:30 am

Worship in Praise

Sly Samudre, Worship Leader

Morning Offering

The Message

"The Real McCoy"
James 1:22-25
Hammond Coates

CALLED BUSINESS MEETING TODAY

**Sunday
10/2/11**

**In the Sanctuary at the conclusion
of the morning worship services**

The Moderator has called a special business meeting for the purpose of considering a recommendation from the Personnel Committee for the position of Interim Minister to Students and a recommendation from the Nominating Committee for the Team Leader of the Student Ministry Team.

**WORLD HUNGER:
IT'S TIME TO GET PERSONAL**

October 2 – November 20



God cares about hungry people. Unfortunately, hungry people can be found all over the globe. We can help Southern Baptist missionaries and volunteers offer nourishment to body and soul by giving to the Southern Baptist World Hunger Fund.

75% of our World Hunger offering will be used to provide for national and world hunger needs, and 25% will fund local benevolence needs. Our hunger offering will be collected during the months of October and November. Look for the "soup" cans!

ECHO DRIVE FOR OCTOBER

The Missions Committee would like to invite you to meet needs in our community through ECHO.

Food items most needed:

Powdered Milk	Juice [Individual Boxes]
Peanut Butter	Spaghetti Sauce
Jelly (Grape, Strawberry)	Pancake Syrup
Vegetable Oil	Jello
Pancake Mix	Flour [2 lb Bag]
Toothpaste	Sugar [2 lb Bag]
Laundry Detergent	Potato/Stuffing/Helper, box

If you would like to help with these needs, please bring items from the list to the church during the month of October and place in the boxes marked "ECHO."

Fall Festival

Games

**Sunday, October 23
5:00 - 7:00 pm
FBC Springfield
Gym & Playground**

Candy

**Come and bring a friend! Games and light refreshments!
Everyone will have a blast! All ages welcome.
Non-scary costumes please.**



We would love to have your candy donations for the Fall Festival!
You can drop them off in the Church Office.

Alma Hunt *free to live*
Offering for Virginia Missions

Our Church Goal:
\$4,000
Given to date:
\$4,376

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Offering for Virginia Missions

Save the Date!

**Flu Clinic
Saturday, October 29**

**ECHO
YARD SALE**

**Saturday, October 29
8:00 am - 12:00 pm**

**No Men's Wednesday
Bible Study Group
October 5th & 19th**

**Friday Morning
Women's Bible Study**

**Fridays
9:15 - 11:30 am
Room C211**

Facilitated by Beverly Finnen.
Childcare provided.

**Women's Wednesday
Night Bible Study**

**6:45 - 8:00 pm
Room C302**

"Lord, Change My Attitude" by James MacDonald
Lisa Donovan, Facilitator

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF

October 2, 2011

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

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2:

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/Prayer Room
10:30 am - Hispanic Sunday School
11:45 am - Called Business Meeting/Sanc.
12:00 pm - Hispanic Celebration/Gym
12:15 pm - Ethiopian Worship/FH
4:00 pm - Deacon Council Meeting/C302

MONDAY, OCTOBER 3:

10:30 am - PACE Choir/Choir Room

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4:

7:00 pm - Ethiopian Bible Study/"A" Wing
7:00 pm - Women's Connection Team Meeting/C302

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5:

6:00 pm - Instrumental Ensemble/Sanctuary
6:00 pm - Youth Band Practice/Student Ctr.
6:45 pm - Nursery Opens
6:45 pm - Destination Kids
Kids Performing Arts/C110 (Grades 1-6)
Mission Friends/B214 (Ages 3 - Kindergarten)
6:45 pm - Women's Bible Study/C302
6:45 pm - Prayer Mtg & Pastor's Bible Study/Library
6:45 pm - No Men's Bible Study
6:45 pm - Sanctuary Choir/Choir Rm.
6:45 pm - My Faith 101 for Youth/Stud. Ctr.
7:20 pm - GAs (Girls Grades 1-6)/C106
7:20 pm - Boys on Track/Gym
8:00 pm - Missions Committee/OCR
8:15 pm - Nursery Closes

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6:

1:00 pm - Ethiopian Bible Study/A103B
4:00 pm - FACETS/Gym-K
7:00 pm - Contemporary Band/FH
7:00 pm - ESL (English) Classes/"A" Wing

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7:

9:15 am - Women's Bible Study/C211
7:00 pm - Ethiopian Bible Study/"A" Wing

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8:

6:00 am - Hispanic Prayer/C211
9:30 am - Food Pantry/S106
10:00 am - Ethiopian Bible Study/"A" Wing
7:00 pm - Ethiopian Bible Study/"A" Wing

Children's Church

Kindergarten - 4th Grade

After the offertory prayer, Room C104.