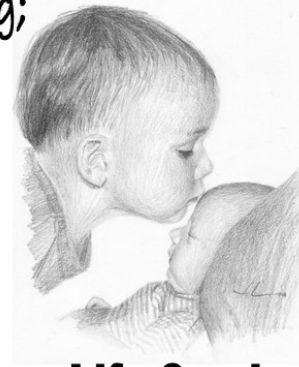


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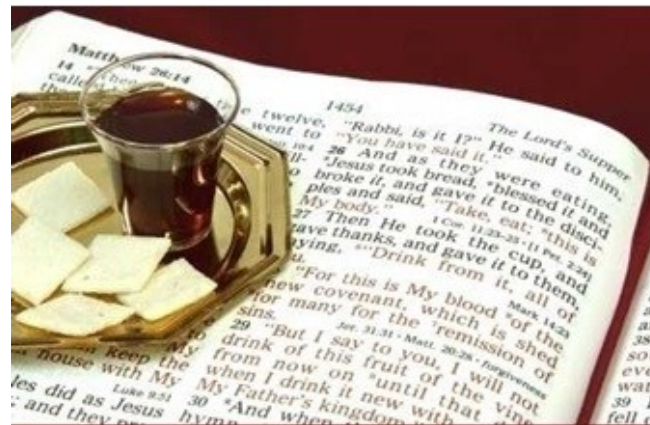
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Little ones to Him belong;
they are weak
but HE is
STRONG



Sanctity of Human Life Sunday

January 18, 2026 we are planning to have our annual Child Dedication Service during morning worship. If you would like to participate with you child, contact Kathryn Warren or Pastor Mikey by January 11.



**Ordinance of the Lord's Supper
January 4, 2026
During Morning Worship Service**



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Robbie Peay, Pastor

Mikey Gibbons, Assoc. Pastor

The Beacon

December 29, 2025

Thank You

Give thanks to the LORD,
for He is good; His faithful love
endures forever. Psalm 107:1

Dear Church Family,

We would like to take a moment of your time to thank you for your generosity and expressions of love always but especially during this Christmas season.

Thank you for the cards, gifts, \$50 staff bonus checks, delicious treats, and pastors' love offering.

It continues to be our privilege and pleasure to serve.

May God bless us all,

The Staff of First Baptist Church

To my church family,
I appreciate the heartfelt cards, food, and prayers before and after my surgery. It really makes a difference knowing others are thinking and praying for you. I'm proud to be a part of such a caring and praying church family that has a heart for others.
Thanks again for helping me get through this time. I felt every prayer sent on my behalf.
In Christian love,
Russell Bates



January 4
Fred Carter & Family
In Memory of
Sylvia Carter and
Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Carter

January 11
Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rice
In Memory of
Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Parr and Mr. and Mrs. Reva Rice

January 18
In Memory of
Leland, Margaret, David Stalvey and Daniel Morris

Deacons of the Week Schedule

January 4—January 10

AM Wayne Peters
PM David Pope

January 11—January 17

AM Elliott Garner
PM Scotty Brogdon

Usher Schedule

January 4
Jeb Paulk, Brinson Paulk
James Paulk, Ezra Paulk

January 11
David Gilbert, Danny Williams
Phillip Staines, Terry Bennefield

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, January 4
Main Campus: Sunday School for All Ages 9:45 AM
Sanctuary: Worship Service 11:00 AM
Ordinance of the Lord's Supper
Wednesday, January 7
Social Hall: Adult Bible Study and Prayer 7:00 PM
Youth Center: Youth Worship & Bible Study..... 7:00 PM
O.C.: Children's Bible Activities 7:00 PM
Main Campus: Infant Childcare..... 7:00 PM
Main Campus: Choir Practice 8:00 PM
Saturday, January 10
Youth Topgolf in Jacksonville 8:15 AM - 4:15 PM

Vital Signs - December 14, 2025

Sunday School Membership 196
Sunday School Attendance 126
Church Attendance 158

December 28, 2025

Sunday School Membership 196
Sunday School Attendance 108

INFORMATIVE SEMI-ANNUAL PARENTS' MEETING
Parents & guardians of nursery-12th grades.
SUNDAY, JANUARY 11, 2026
AFTER CHURCH IN THE SOCIAL HALL
We'll start with lunch, then our kids will be dismissed to supervised classrooms for the approximate one-hour meeting.

Children's Upward Basketball returns!
Brochures are located throughout the church building.
Registration links are on the church website & below.


Player Registration




Volunteer Registration

 LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING®

RECEIVED TO DATE **\$5,985⁰⁰**

OUR CHURCH GIVING GOAL **\$4,000⁰⁰**

Together, we find the lost, give help to the hurting, share the hope of Christ, and witness God grow His Church around the world. Your generosity today changes lives.

Security Team Schedule
January 4 Russell Bates & Stan McDaniel
January 11 Donnie Brogdon & Mark Worthy