

## UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES

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### THE GREATEST GIFT

December 8; 6:00PM  
Perry Fellowship Hall



### FAMILY PEPPERMINT PAJAMA PARTY

December 14; 6:00PM  
Perry Fellowship Hall

### CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Our Woodrow St. Parking lot construction project is progressing faster than anticipated. We are now unable to park in this lot. During this time we have made arrangements for our congregation to park in additional nearby lots. Additional parking will be available at Morris Bank, the Bulloch County Annex as well as Truist Bank. During the remainder of this construction we will be running our shuttle busses along a route with stops at each lot and drop off at Entrance F.



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## SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:30 & 11:00AM

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:45AM

## MIDWEEK ON MAIN

Family Night Supper.....	5:00PM
Kidz Praise.....	5:45PM
Student Ministry.....	6:00PM
KidZONE.....	6:30PM
College/108 North.....	6:30PM
Adult Studies.....	6:30PM
Choir Rehearsal.....	6:30PM

### SYMPATHY

We express sympathy to Keith and Debbie Hagan in the loss of his mother, Bebe Hagan.

### YEAR TO DATE GENERAL FUND

Budgeted.....	\$2,884,715.24
Received.....	\$2,816,032.56

### GIFTS LAST WEEK

General.....	\$62,130.30
Designated.....	\$5,867.00
Building.....	\$3,285.00

### Parking Lot Addition

Goal.....	\$900,000
Received to date.....	\$901,335

Gifts may be designated to the Building Fund.



# NOVEMBER 27, 2022



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
STATESBORO

# WELCOME

*we are excited to see you!*

HELPING YOU START & STRENGTHEN  
YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS

## FROM OUR PASTOR



As we transition from Thanksgiving to Christmas to the start of a new year, there are several encouraging new things that I see around First Baptist Church Statesboro.

### —New Faces

Each week I see new families and first time guests at First Baptist Church Statesboro. Some of these folks are newcomers to our area and some have come from the invitation of friends and family who are already a part of our congregation. Let's continue to greet people we don't recognize and create a welcoming environment for all of our guests. A friendly smile and a genuine hello go a long way in putting someone at ease, so thank you for helping new people feel at home.

### —New Members

We are seeing new members coming into our church regularly during this time of year. In addition to attending, new church members are taking a spiritual next step to acknowledge this local congregation as their faith community where they want to be cared for and counted on. If you have been attending for a while and never taken this step, might this be a good time for you to make the commitment of church membership? If so, contact me at [john@fbc-statesboro.org](mailto:john@fbc-statesboro.org) so we can talk about it.

### —New Opportunities

The regional announcements of economic growth and investment in our area will be the catalyst for remarkable growth in the Bulloch County area for many years. What do we need to do to prepare for these new industries, new families, and new opportunities? How can we press forward with the vision plan from our congregation that talked about new opportunities for worship, small groups, and Sunday School classes? Transformative days are ahead, if not already here, so let's lean into the future with reliance upon God and a commitment to the Great Commandment and the Great Commission.

**JOHN WATERS**  
Lead Pastor


## CHRISTMAS AT #FBCBORO



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