



JONAH

LIFE LESSONS FROM
A BETTER MAN

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June 01, 2025

Leading people beyond "just good enough" to experience L.I.F.E. in Christ.



Today!

YOUNG ADULTS AGES 18 - 29

SUMMER WORSHIP NIGHTS

TUESDAYS MAY 13 - JULY 29

WHEREVER YOU'VE BEEN, YOU BELONG HERE

Senior Adult Birthday Extravaganza

Thursday, June 19

11 AM - 1 PM

Register at fbpc.com/events

WORSHIP BOOT CAMP

MADE FOR MORE

**June 23 - 27
For Teens and UP!**

Join us this summer for an exciting week. If you've ever wanted to serve on our worship teams to sing, play, or run tech, this is for you.

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JOIN US SUNDAY

6TH OF JULY

ONE SERVICE ★ 10:30 AM

NO SMALL GROUPS

ION BIBLE SCHOOL

JUNE 9-13



Summer Camp registration is now open

Super Summer Kids Camp | July 14-17 | Lake Yale, FL

Student Camp | June 16-20 | Sebring, FL

Register at fbpc.com/events

Portland, Oregon Mission Trip

October 4-11

Join us for an information meeting on Sunday, June 1 at 11:45 AM in Room 113. We'll be partnering with Sojourn Church to serve their church, reach the community, and share the gospel.

Contact: Dan Damron - DDamron@FBCPC.com

Acuña, Mexico Mission Trip

October 16-19

Help build a home for a deserving family in partnership with Casas Por Cristo. This mission trip is open to all - no construction experience needed. Contact: Dan Damron - DDamron@FBCPC.com

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Vitals

IN MEMORY OF

ROBBIE READ

Jack & Suzanne Smith

JOHNNY DEAN PAGE

Eleanor Poppell

TODD LONG

David & Susan Sullivan

Giving

STATISTICS (05.25.2025)

Budget Rec'd:	\$ 105,753.49
Budget Req'd:	\$ 102,711.00
To Date Budget Rec'd:	\$ 3,478,404.42
To Date Budget Req'd:	\$ 3,492,174.00
Building Debt:	\$ 2,705,804.01

IT'S TIME

IT'S TIME RECEIPTS:	\$ 9,518.00
Receipts to Date:	\$ 2,922,085.18
Pledges:	\$ 5,009,529.00

God's mercy is amazing, and it's available to you! Jonah's:

1. _____ **for mercy.** (vv 1-2)
 - A. As Jonah finally got to the place where he would listen, he called out to God - and He answered.
 - B. The question is not if we need mercy, but how long it will take before we call out to God for mercy.
2. _____ **need for mercy.** (vv 3-6a)
 - A. Jonah's description of his experience made clear his desperate need for the mercy of God. Realize the:
 1. _____ (v 3)
 2. _____ (v 4) Psalm 32 , Psalm 51
 3. _____ (vv 5-6a)
 - B. When we understand the devastation, distance and damage our sin has caused, THEN we will realize our desperate need for the mercy of God.
3. _____ **of mercy.** (vv 6b-7)
 - A. Mercy impacts our position and prayer.
 - B. Restored position and fellowship with the Lord are priceless. And that's what mercy gives.
4. _____ **of mercy.** (vv 8-10)
 - A. Jonah's taste of mercy moved him to a renewed commitment and conviction.
 1. _____
 2. _____ - "Salvation belongs to the Lord." John 14:6
 - B. Jonah's taste of mercy also gave him a second chance.

One step further

In my walk with Christ I will:

1. Stop running, stop excusing and cry out for His mercy.
2. Live in God's mercy and receive His mercy each day. Receiving God's mercy is the key to repentance of bitterness.
3. Live in God's Word as it will direct my prayers as it did for Jonah. Jonah cried out to God on God's terms - His Word!

In my walk with others I will:

4. Give mercy. The best way to show that I have received and am grateful for God's mercy is when I give mercy to those around me.

Our Pastor



Dr. Brian Stowe came to First Baptist in 2013. He and his wife, Bonnie, have four children: Sarah (married to Micah Davis), Hannah (married to Zander Scott), Andrew, and Elizabeth. Pastor Brian earned his Doctorate in Ministry from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. He also holds a Master of Divinity from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from Georgia Institute of Technology.

This Week

SUNDAY 06.01

8, 9 & 10:30 AM | Small Groups

9 & 10:30 AM | Worship Services

12 PM | Student Parent Camp

Meeting | The Landing

TUESDAY 06.03

8 AM | Seniors in Motion | Mod 2

9 AM | Keep in Touch (KIT) | Mod 3

7 PM | Young Adults Summer Worship
| The Landing

WEDNESDAY 06.04

6 PM

Preschool

SummerSalt| The Commons

Student Ministry | The Landing

6:15 PM

Blueprints for Daily Living | 113-114

Women's Bible Study | 111-112

Men's Ministry | Mod 2

Orchestra Rehearsal | Mod 1

6:30 PM

Worship Choir Rehearsal | Worship Center

THURSDAY 06.05

8 AM | Seniors in Motion | The Commons

6:30 PM | English Bible Study* | (John Foxx)

* = 105 E. Baker St. (El Aposento Alto)

MINISTERIO HISPANO

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LOS DOMINGOS:

9 AM | Servicio en Español

11 AM | Escuela Dominical

LOS MIERCOLES:

6:15 PM | Estudio Biblico en Español

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"Let the elders who rule well be considered worthy of double honor, especially those who labor in preaching and teaching." 1 Tim 5:17

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