

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

MAY 9TH, 2021

FIRST BAPTIST
WATAUGA



MAY FAMILY MEETING

We will be having our quarterly family meeting on Sunday evening, May 16th in the auditorium.

SENIOR RECOGNITION SUNDAY

On Sunday, May 16th, we will recognize the Class of 2021 during our 10:45 a.m. worship service. Join us as we celebrate these students.

CHURCHWIDE FAMILY PICNIC

On Sunday, June 6th at 4:00 p.m. we will meet at Northfield Park in North Richland Hills at the Barfield Pavilion for a family picnic. Make plans to join us for this fellowship event.

WORSHIP MINISTRY

We are looking for people who would be willing to serve on Sunday mornings and Wednesday nights with our media team! If you would like to help run the sound, lyrics, or manage the livestream for Sundays, sign up at fbcwatauga.org/serve so Mathew can get you plugged in!

TUESDAY NIGHT PRAYER

We are still praying for the lost every Tuesday night at 6:30 p.m. in the auditorium. We invite you to join us. For more information, contact Pastor Dennis or Pastor Kevin.

NEW AND PROSPECTIVE MEMBER CLASS

Due to numerous requests, we will be offering the Watalife class again on two Wednesdays, May 5th and May 12th at 6:30 p.m. This class is for new members or those interested in joining the church. If you would like to attend, but are unable to come, please contact Pastor Dennis or Pastor Kevin.

VBS /LEADER AND CHILD SAFETY TRAINING

VBS will be from June 21st – 25th at 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. Volunteer sign-ups are in the main hallway. Leader and Child Safety Training will be May 26th from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. Anyone who signs up to help at VBS this year must attend the safety training and be background checked. For more information, please contact Victoria Hurst.

KIDS CAMP

Children will be attending Camp Copass in Denton, TX from July 19th – 23rd. Cost will be \$265. You can begin making payments toward this camp today. Let us know if you would like to give toward a scholarship. For more information, please contact Victoria Hurst.

YOUTH CAMP

Students will be attending Mt Lebanon in Cedar Hill, TX from July 25th – 30th. Cost will be \$265. You can begin making payments toward this camp today. Let us know if you would like to give toward a scholarship. For more information, please contact Kevin Skinner.

BACK TO SCHOOL RALLY

We are so excited to be having the Back to School rally back again this year! The rally will be held on Saturday, July 31st from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. If you would like to help donate, hand sanitizer (any brand), one-gallon Ziploc bags (any brand) and Kleenex (any size or brand) are items that are needed this year. We will be collecting these items in May and June. We request that you put the donations in the wood box in front of the kitchen. If anyone would like to volunteer for the event, sign up at fbcwatauga.org/serve or contact Betty Serratt.

NEW ONLINE STORE

If you have been waiting for First Baptist Watauga apparel, it has arrived! We now have our very own online store. We've got t-shirts, polos, hoodies, pull-overs, beanies, ball caps, and even a bag. You can have it shipped directly to the church for free shipping or shipped directly to your front door for an added cost. All of the products are at-cost with First Baptist Watauga receiving no profit from sales. Go visit fbcwatauga.org/store to order yours today!

GREETER OPPORTUNITY

We are looking for smiling faces and welcoming personalities to join our greeter team. If you would like to become a greeter on Sunday morning, sign up at fbcwatauga.org/serve.

NEW PRAYER TEAM

We have launched a prayer team that is praying every Sunday morning during our two worship services. Those serving on the prayer team are not serving every Sunday but are on a rotation. We are still in need of a couple more people to pray during the 9:00 a.m. hour. If you would like to sign up, you can do so at fbcwatauga.org/serve or in the main hallway.

SANCTUARY FACE-LIFT

The first three phases of the sanctuary facelift have been completed with the new carpet, paint, and chairs. The cost to develop acoustic panels for sound treatment is roughly \$19,000. We still need a few thousand dollars to cover this. You can continue to give towards the sanctuary facelift by indicating "Facelift" with your gift.

EVANGELISM OPPORTUNITY

We are inviting every member of the church to share their personal testimony of coming to faith in Christ. This will be done through video which will be edited and given back to you to upload to your own social media accounts. This will be an easy way for you to share your faith with your friends, family, and all who you are connected with on social media. Please sign-up at www.fbcwatauga.org/faithvideo.

FACE COVERINGS/MASKS POLICY

If you attend the 9:00 a.m. service, we ask that you continue to wear a face covering. If you are uncomfortable around those that are not wearing a mask, we encourage you to attend the first service. During the second service, masks will not be required. If you would like to personally wear a mask, we invite you to. If you do not want to wear a mask, you do not have to. We still encourage the practice of social distancing and wisdom in your interactions.

GENERAL FUND UPDATE

Received last Sunday.....	\$ 15,649.19
Required last Sunday.....	\$ 10,522.00
Received year-to-date.....	\$209,254.26
Required year-to-date.....	\$189,396.00