

AUBURN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH



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The Pastor Search Committee Announces a Candidate

The Pastor Search Committee is delighted to present a candidate to the church for consideration as the next pastor of Auburn First Baptist.

The candidate and the candidate's family will be introduced on **Saturday, August 17, in Coleman Hall from 3 to 5 pm.** Childcare will be provided. An additional opportunity to meet the candidate is available to the Senior Adults on **Sunday, August 18, from 9 to 9:45 am in Coleman Hall.**

In accordance with the church by-laws, on Sunday, August 18, the candidate will preach in the morning worship service in view of a call to become pastor of Auburn First Baptist Church. Following the service the chair of deacons will call the church into conference for a ballot vote. (*If you are a church member and have not received information about the candidate, please contact the church office.*)

Blessing of the Backpacks Presentation of Trees and Bibles Aug. 25, 2013

Join us for this special time of worship as we mark rites of passage for our rising 1st graders, rising youth, and all students and teachers returning to school or university.

Bring your backpack, book bag, satchel, or briefcase to the front of the sanctuary before worship begins.



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Our Mission: Believing the Spirit of God is alive in each one of us and in the world, we affirm that the mission of Auburn First Baptist Church is: to glorify God as the Creator, Sustainer, and Redeemer of life; to call all people to God through Christ as Savior and Lord; to enable all people to be more like Jesus.

Looking Ahead...

For almost a year each member of Auburn First Baptist Church has been asked to keep the Pastor Search Committee in their thoughts and prayers. In addition, in every corporate worship service, we have remembered the PSC and have prayed for them and on their behalf asking God for wisdom and guidance as they sought the individual to present to our church as our next pastor. The Pastor Search Committee “put feet to these prayers” and met every week. In addition, they spent countless individual hours listening, watching, reading, studying information, and praying about their task. My unscientific “guess-timate” is that they devoted well over one thousand total hours to this endeavor. NOW, they are ready to present to us the candidate to whom they have been led and whom they believe and trust should be the next pastor of Auburn First Baptist Church. Being Baptist, I know I can only speak for myself, but this is EXCITING, WONDERFUL, and WELCOMED NEWS!!!

This Saturday, we will have the opportunity to meet the candidate and their family. On Sunday, First Baptist will gather for bible study, worship and then for sacred business... as we vote on the candidate. I know each of you will make an extra effort to be present on Saturday and Sunday. When the activities, worship, and business of this weekend are complete, Auburn First Baptist Church can begin, truly begin, LOOKING AHEAD!

Dale

At Auburnfbc.org



Now available on Auburnfbc.org for download are the audio files from Wayne Flynt's Thursday night series on “Baptist Identity: Principles, Theology, and History” and Fisher Humphreys' Sunday discussion on “Our Baptist Legacy”.

Join Us!

The History of Auburn First Baptist

Led by Wayne Flynt



Thursdays Nights at 6:00 pm

**Beginning September 8th
@ 5:00 pm:**

Connecting Faith and Family
Led by Gywnne Lovelady
Activities Building

&

Discipleship Training
Led by Mike McInahan
Fellowship Hall

If you are interested in placing flowers in the sanctuary in honor of or in memory of a loved one, please call the church office.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Prayer Breakfast

Mcdonalds on Magnolia, 6:45 am

Bring Money for Breakfast and Meagan will drive those who need a ride to school.

DevoPlay
Thursdays @ 5:45
Youth Room

**Youth Sunday Nights
will begin September 8th!**

" The Premiere"

Thursday, August 15th

7-9 pm

Join as we roll out the **red carpet**
and welcome
the 6th graders to the youth group!

Destination Unknown

Friday, August 16

6-8 pm



Sunday School Promotion Sunday
Aug. 18, 2013

Hungry college students are heading our way!

We need help in providing a home-cooked meal for Tuesday Night Bible Study this semester. Join Merle Bass and Mary Virginia Moore (Aug. 27) in volunteering to prepare a meal for the fall! Email Leigh Anne at leighannearmstrong@gmail.com with questions or to reserve a date!



Pool Party & Grill-out!

Aug. 21, 1-4 pm
@ Bliss' house
(735 Hollon Ave.)

Bible Study and Breakfast Kickoff

Aug. 25, 9:45 am
in the College Room
Invite a friend!

Tuesday Night Bible Study

begins Aug. 27
Home-cooked meal @ 7:00
Bible study @ 8:00

Topic: #stuffjesussaid — radical words for the real world

DayFriends

Tuesday, August 20th, 11:45 am

Panda

**Please call the Church office by noon on Monday
if childcare is needed.**



Kids, Kites, and Krafts

ages 3 - 11

Thursdays at 5:50 pm

Sunday School Age-group Promotion Sunday
Aug. 18, 2013

All young people will promote to their new classes this Sunday! All K - 5th Graders will meet upstairs in the Education Building for a welcome breakfast. Don't miss it!

**Children's Choirs and
Mini Me will begin
September 8th!**



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<i>Every Sunday</i>		<i>Every Thursday</i>	
Sunday School	9:45 am	Brown Bag Meal Time	5:15 pm
Morning Worship	11:00 am	Prayer & Bible Study	6:00 pm
Thursday-15th			
Youth DevoPlay	Youth Room		5:45 pm
Kids, Kites, Krafts	Activities Bldg.		5:50 pm
Sanctuary Choir	Choir Room		6:45 pm
Youth "Premiere" Party	Youth Room		7:00 pm
Friday-16th			
Youth Destination Unknown ..	Youth Room		6:00 pm
Saturday-17th			
Church Wide Meet and Greet.	Fellowship Hall		3:00 pm
Sunday-18th			
Sr. Adult Meet and Greet	Fellowship Hall		9:00 am
Special Called Business Mtg. .	Sanctuary		Noon
Tuesday-20th			
Youth Prayer Breakfast	McDonalds		6:45 am
Sr. Adult Luncheon	Fellowship Hall		11:00 am
DayFriends	Panda		11:45 am
Deacons' Meeting	Seekers'		6:30 pm
Wednesday-21st			
Conversational English	Education Bldg.		9:00 am
Thursday-22nd			
DevoPlay	Youth Room		5:45 pm
Kids, Kites, and Krafts	Activities Bldg.		5:50 pm
Sanctuary Choir	Choir Room		6:45 pm
Sunday-25th			
Youth Lunch & Learn	Youth Room		Noon
Youth Messy Game Night	TBD		6:00 pm
Tuesday-27th			
Youth Prayer Breakfast	McDonalds		6:45 am
College Bible Study	College Room		7:00 pm
Wednesday-28th			
Conversational English	Education Bldg.		9:00 am
Sr. Adult Dinner Out	Good Ol' Boys		5:00 pm
Thursday-29th			
DevoPlay	Youth Room		5:45 pm
Kids, Kites, and Krafts	Activities Building		5:50 pm
Sanctuary Choir	Choir Room		6:45 pm

In the Pulpit...

<p>August 18 August 25</p>	<p>Pastoral Candidate Mark Wilson</p>
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Serving the Month of August

Loaves & Fishes: Mary Marthas
Greeters: Amber Berry-Moore, George Crandell, Dick Graves, Delaine Dendy
Offering: Adult 4

Serving August 18

Counters: Lavaughn Johnson, Dwayne Beckett, Lois Graves, Aaron Greene
Sound & Light: Claude Conn
Extended Session: Carole Zugazaga, Denise Stoeckel, Alan Walker, Terry Scott

Serving August 25

Counters: Flarcie Hopkins, Alice Lumpkin, Gladys Thomas
Sound & Light: Andrew Yohn
Extended Session: Kellie Wilson, Rebecca Coan, Jeannie Eddins, Cynthia Crandell

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***Listen to the service
Sunday mornings
at 11 am on
WAUD 1230 AM***