

**WORSHIP***College Sunday**By: Tripp Martin*

February 17th

*Sixth Sunday After Epiphany*  
Luke 6:17-26

February 24th

*Seventh Sunday After Epiphany*  
Luke 6:39-49  
*College Sunday*Lay Worship Leader for February:  
Daniel Udochi

Each Sunday at Auburn First Baptist Church when we gather around the table of God's grace for worship, we consider our worship service a collaborative effort. We enter the beautiful space of the sanctuary poised to contribute. It is why we gather our voices together in song, read responsively, and recite the Lord's Prayer. There is participation in worship, where we are not passive, but active.

We might borrow that ancient, sacred image of worship proposed by Kierkegaard, where worship is a theater. If worship takes place on a stage as in a theater, and the leaders of worship stand on the stage, we might consider the ministers behind the pulpit as the leaders of worship with the congregation in the audience. Kierkegaard, though, recommends, and we wholeheartedly agree, the entire congregation is on stage participating in worship with God in the audience. We all lead worship with one another!

**REMINDERS****Global Ministries 2018 - 2019  
Offering Update**

Goal: \$24,500.00

Total Given: \$20,927.50

Gifts for the current GMO will be  
accepted through February.*March 3 will be GMO Sunday for the  
upcoming year!***Church Directory***Pictures will be taken February 19-23.*If you have not signed up, please see  
Charlotte Sutton.**Rise Against Hunger**

Sunday, March 3

4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Fellowship Hall

All of our voices, and lives, are integral to worship, so it comes as no surprise that on Sunday, February 24, we invite our college students to take a unique role in worship leadership. College Sunday is an extension of what takes place each Lord's Day. We invite the voices of our college students to participate in worship with additional leadership.

It is a chance to extend their participation, which is formative for them and for us. Auburn FBC has a long history of ministering to and with college students. We can look around the congregation and see former college students, who now hold positions of leadership in the church, while they are raising their children in this place. We can also look beyond the walls of the church, where we see former college students as leaders of other congregations.

The experiences of the college ministry are formative for our students and our congregation. We gain so much from the voices of our college students!

As we participate in worship, it becomes a part of who we are, so we take it with us wherever we go! Worship reminds us that we are part of the body of Christ.

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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.

## VBS Volunteers Needed!

“Water U Doing?”

Join us June 3-6 (Monday - Thursday evenings) as we learn about Bible stories and learn about *Watering Malawi*. Whatever your gifts and talents are, they can be put to use! Whether you want to be hands-on with the children or behind the scenes, we have a place for you. Contact Gwynne Lovelady ([gslovelady@bellsouth.net](mailto:gslovelady@bellsouth.net)) if you would like to help! Our Directors will be Cathy Summers and Sue Walker.

## GMO Celebration Dinner

*Potluck Fellowship*

*Thursday, February 28 at 5:15 p.m.*

The Mission Committee is planning a Celebration Dinner for our Global Ministries Offering. This offering is our annual, special offering over-and-above our church budget, which supports our ministry partners. We will gather in the Fellowship Hall to celebrate this work! The church will provide the chicken and the drinks, and everyone is invited to bring food to share for this potluck dinner.

We will learn about the ministries supported in the GMO Budget 2019-2020, and we will also welcome Francis Ford as our speaker, who is the Executive Director of Sowing Seeds of Hope.

## CBF General Assembly Registration

Birmingham, Alabama

June 19-21

Registration: [www.cbf.net/assembly](http://www.cbf.net/assembly)

## Thursday Evening Activities

*5:15 p.m., Fellowship Hall*

Remember to RSVP for dinner by noon on Tuesday of each week.

Special-Called Business Meeting on Thursday, February 21 to vote on the Global Ministries Offering Budget.

## Round Table

*Sundays at 5:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall*

“Our Cup Runneth Over: Faith and Joy”

*February 17*

Led by Tripp Martin

“Judas . . . Through the Lens of Jesus Christ Superstar”

*February 24*

Led by Mike McClanahan

## Connecting Faith and Family

*Sundays, 5:00 - 6:30 p.m., Fishers' Classroom*

Discussion and support about parenting and personal spiritual growth. We will discuss *Sticky Faith: Everyday Ideas to Build Lasting Faith in Your Kids* by Dr. Kara E Powell and Dr. Chap Clark. All are welcome!

## Pulpit Banner Brochure

We have created a brochure, which has every pulpit banner of the church, describing its meaning and connection to the season of the Church Year. We continue to be grateful to the Memorial Committee for providing these banners for our sanctuary. If you are interested in reading about the pulpit banners, the brochure is available throughout the church and in the church office.

## Upcoming Dates:

*February 23:* College Sunday, Worship

Lunch for college students following.

*March 3:* College Committee Meeting, 12:00 p.m., Library

*March 9-15:* Mission Trip - Middlesboro, KY

Bible Study & Breakfast

*Sundays, 10:15 a.m.*

*College Room (Activities Building)*

College Tuesday Night Bible Study

*7:00 p.m., Activities Building*

Fellowship. Service. Special Activities.

YOUTH

**Thursday Nights**

5:15 p.m. Dinner  
5:45 p.m. Youth Hang Out Time

**Youth Choir**      **Youth Sunday Nights**  
Sundays, 5:00 p.m.      Sundays, 6:00 p.m.  
Choir Room              Youth Room

**Upcoming Dates:**

*February 17:* Mission Trip Planning Meeting, 12:00 p.m., Youth Room  
*March 3:* Rise Against Hunger, 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall  
*March 9-15:* Mission Trip - Middlesboro, KY

CHILDREN



**Preschool Valentine's Dance Party**

*Saturday, February 16th*  
*10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall*  
Join us for pizza, crafts and dancing!  
All preschool children and their families are invited.  
Please RSVP to [prekcomm2019@gmail.com](mailto:prekcomm2019@gmail.com).



**Passport Kids Camp**

*July 16-19, 2019*  
Converse College in Spartanburg, South Carolina  
Students 3rd-5th grade, Deposit: \$50  
Total: \$275 (includes deposit)

**Children's Choirs (3\* year olds – 5th Grade)**

*Sundays, 5:00 p.m., Education Building*  
\*We ask that all attendees be potty trained.

**Bible Encounter (1st – 5th graders)**

*Sundays, 6:00 p.m., Education Building*

**Spark Adventure**

*Thursdays, 5:50 p.m., Education Building*

**Helpers:**

*February 21st: Dawn Driggers*  
*February 28th: Not Meeting*

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

<i>Every Sunday</i>		<i>Every Thursday</i>
Sunday School	9:45 a.m.	Dinner
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Prayer & Bible Study
		5:15 p.m. 6:00 p.m.

**Saturday - 16th**

Preschool Dance Party ..... Fellowship Hall      10:00 a.m.

**Sunday - 17th**

Children's Committee Meeting..... Fellowship Hall      12:00 p.m.  
Mission Trip Planning Meeting .... Youth Room      12:00 p.m.  
Mission Committee Meeting..... Library      4:00 p.m.  
Children's Choir ..... Education Building      5:00 p.m.  
Youth Choir ..... Choir Room      5:00 p.m.  
The Round Table ..... Fellowship Hall      5:00 p.m.  
Connecting Faith & Family ..... Fishers' Room      5:00 p.m.  
Bible Encounter ..... Education Building      6:00 p.m.  
YSN ..... Youth Room      6:00 p.m.

**Tuesday - 19th**

Senior Adult Lunch..... Ole Times Ctry Buffet      11:00 a.m.  
Dayfriends ..... Acapulco's      11:45 a.m.  
Deacons' Meeting..... Seekers'      6:30 p.m.  
TNBS ..... College Room      7:00 p.m.

**Wednesday - 20th**

Conversational English ..... Education Building      9:00 a.m.

**Thursday - 21st**

First Bells..... Choir Room      12:30 p.m.  
Special-Called Business Mtg ..... Fellowship Hall      5:45 p.m.  
Youth Hang Out Time ..... Youth Room      5:45 p.m.  
Spark Adventure ..... Education Building      5:50 p.m.  
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal..... Choir Room      6:45 p.m.

**Sunday - 24th**

AU Chamber Choir ..... Sanctuary      3:00 p.m.  
Children's Choir ..... Education Building      5:00 p.m.  
Youth Choir ..... Choir Room      5:00 p.m.  
The Round Table ..... Fellowship Hall      5:00 p.m.  
Connecting Faith & Family ..... Fishers' Room      5:00 p.m.  
Bible Encounter ..... Education Building      6:00 p.m.  
YSN ..... Youth Room      6:00 p.m.

**Tuesday - 26th**

Caring Hands ..... Fellowship Hall      5:00 p.m.  
TNBS ..... College Room      7:00 p.m.

**Wednesday - 27th**

Conversational English ..... Education Building      9:00 a.m.

**Thursday - 28th**

First Bells..... Choir Room      12:30 p.m.  
GMO Potluck Dinner ..... Fellowship Hall      5:45 p.m.  
Youth Hang Out Time ..... Youth Room      5:45 p.m.  
Spark Adventure ..... Education Building      5:50 p.m.  
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal..... Choir Room      6:45 p.m.





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## MISSIONS

### Rise Against Hunger

Our youth and the Mission Committee are hosting a Rise Against Hunger meal packaging event on March 3 from 4:00-6:00 p.m. This event gives us the opportunity to serve people in places far from us as we meet needs of hunger and nutrition. Our youth look forward to joining with our church family for this great day of service!

### Brasil Mission Trip

Plans are beginning for the 2019 Brasil Mission Trip. This will be the 32nd annual trip for members of Auburn FBC, from surrounding churches, and other states. We hope you are interested in going! The dates are July 6-20. We will also offer dates of July 6-14 for those who cannot stay the entire time. The total cost should be about \$2000.

If you are interested in being a part of the team, contact Wallace Baldwin or Mike Bumgardner. *Also, we need used suitcases donated to the team to carry supplies.*

### Serving the Month of February

**Greeters:** Tricia Ridgway & Michael Brown

**Visitors:** Fred & Sherry Weaver

**Loaves & Fishes:** Adult IV

**Offering:** Pilgrims

### Serving February 17, 2019

**Counters:** Charles Segrest, Bill Webster, James Nichols

**Sound & Light:** Lynli Cantrell-Wright

**Extended Session:** Beth Smith, Lynn Eden, Charlotte Sutton, Cathy Summers, Brian Ledbetter, Candy Enkeboll, Mark Wilson

### Serving February 24, 2019

**Counters:** Dwayne Beckett, Lois Graves, Bill Faurot

**Sound & Light:** Chad Parish

**Extended Session:** Betty Tatum, Jason Summers, Carole Zugazaga, Amaia Zugazaga, Ella Boone, Leigh Anne Armstrong, Julie McClanahan

### Church Directory

Sign ups for our church directory are progressing. If you have not already signed up, please do so before or after our Sunday morning worship.

We want to make sure everyone is included! If you are unavailable during our photo dates, please stop by the sign-up table or contact Charlotte Sutton (826-1172). Other churches are using the same company, and you can have your picture made at other churches. We also want to include our members who are physically unable to come to a photo session. Those who are physically unable to attend a photo session may submit a picture for inclusion in the directory.

We will soon be seeking hosts to "man" the welcome table during photo sessions. Watch for an upcoming sign-up opportunity. And thank you for your help!

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