



Auburn First Baptist Church

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Building Community, Serving Community

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WORSHIP

Baptist Women in Ministry

By: Tripp Martin

February 6th

Fifth Sunday After Epiphany

Ecclesiastes 4:1-12

Mark 2:1-12

Guest preacher, Milligan Burroughs

February 13th

Sixth Sunday After Epiphany

Luke 6:17-26

1 Corinthians 15:12-20

Lay Worship Leader for February:

Amaia Zugazaga

In February, we will celebrate Baptist Women in Ministry Month of Preaching. Baptist Women in Ministry is one of our partners in ministry, which supports the gifts and calling of women. It is an opportunity to recognize the leadership of women in the history of the church, as it honors the ministries of leaders like Ella Pearson Mitchell, Helen Barrett Montgomery, and Edna Lee de Gutiérrez. All of these church leaders surpassed the limitations placed on them, reminding the church of God's calling for all people.

We give thanks for all of the leaders at Auburn First Baptist, both past and present, which have represented the expanse of God's calling. It continues to speak to us today about the work of the Spirit of God in this world. We join Baptist congregations across the country, celebrating the calling of women.

On Sunday, February 6, we will welcome Milligan Burroughs to lead us in worship. Milligan is a first-year student at the McAfee School of Theology, pursuing her Master of Divinity. She is also a CBF Leadership Scholar and serves as a Youth Ministry Associate at Johns Creek Baptist Church in Atlanta. She is from Birmingham, Alabama, and her home church is Vestavia Hills Baptist Church.

REMINDERS

Preschool Valentine's Dance Party

Saturday, February 12th

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Fellowship Hall

We celebrate the expanse of God's calling because we have all been touched by it. If we took five minutes to remember the people who have shaped our faith and life, we could write down names from across our lives. Those names would represent people of diverse gifts and voices. They have all contributed to our lives in profound ways. They also remind us not to put limits on God's calling!

Global Ministries 2021 - 2022

Offering Update

Goal: \$23,500.00

Total Given: \$17,095.00

Gifts for the current GMO will be accepted through February 25.

February 27 will be GMO Sunday for the upcoming year!

Let us give thanks for the people who have shaped our faith, and who have shaped the life of this congregation. We are thankful for the leadership and calling of women across the generations!

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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.

SUNDAY ACTIVITIES

Round Table

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

“Creation: A Landscape of Faith”

Led by Tripp Martin

February 6, 13, 20, & 27

Connecting Faith and Family

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

We are reading *Atlas of the Heart* by Brené Brown. For those interested in participating in Connecting Faith and Family, email Leah Duzy at aduzyofalife@gmail.com. All are welcome!

Baptist Women in Ministry Month of Preaching

We will participate in the Baptist Women in Ministry Month of Preaching, inviting Milligan Burroughs to preach on Sunday, February 6. Milligan Burroughs is from Birmingham, Alabama. After graduating college from University of Hawai'i in May 2021, she is now in her first year at McAfee School of Theology at Mercer University in Atlanta, GA where she is pursuing a Master of Divinity. Milligan works as a Youth Ministry Associate at Johns Creek Baptist Church. BWIM Month of Preaching celebrates the historic ministry of preachers like Martha Stearns Marshall, Ella Pearson Mitchell, Helen Barrett Montgomery, and Edna Lee de Gutierrez. Auburn FBC has a long history of recognizing the calling of women to leadership and ministry in Baptist life, ordaining its first woman, Leland Cooper, as a deacon in 1974.

VBS

VBS Volunteers Needed!

Join us June 6-9 (Monday - Thursday evenings) as we learn about Bible stories and about missions. 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 Cathy Summers (catherine.summers@gmail.com), Sue Walker (auburnjams@gmail.com), or Gwynne Lovelady (gslovelady@bellsouth.net) if you would like to help!

THURSDAYS

Thursday Evening Activities

5:45 p.m., Fellowship Hall

“Sage Wisdom”

Led by Tripp Martin

Available on podcast on website.

We will read scripture with the sages, learning from those who have gone before us and how they interpreted scripture.

CBF General Assembly Registration

Dallas, TX and Online

June 28 - 30

Registration: www.cbf.net/assembly

COLLEGE

Meals for Tuesday Night Bible Study

Thank you for always supporting our college ministry. This important mission and ministry of our church could not happen without the support of our entire congregation. One of the most meaningful things we do is offer students a meal and opportunity for fellowship to begin each Tuesday night. If you are interested in sponsoring a dinner or preparing a home-cooked meal for our College Tuesday Night Bible Study this spring, please email Laura at laura@auburnfbc.org or call her at 334-233-2267.

College Super Bowl Party

Sunday, February 13th, 5:00 p.m.

College Sunday

Sunday, February 20th, 11:00 a.m.

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
February 17

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

Youth Super Bowl Party
Sunday, February 13th, 5:00 p.m.
Activities Building

CHILDREN



Preschool Valentine's Dance Party

Saturday, February 12th
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.

PassportKids Camp
July 17-20, 2022

Rock Eagle 4H Center
Eatonton, Georgia
Students 3rd-5th grade

Deposit: \$50 Total: \$300 (includes deposit)
Email kristina@auburnfbc.org to sign up!

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 3rd: Katharine Martin & Mike Aston
February 10th: Dawn Driggers & Julie McClanahan

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

<i>Every Sunday</i>		<i>Every Thursday</i>	
Sunday School	9:45 a.m.	Brown Bag Dinner	5:15 p.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Prayer & Bible Study	6:00 p.m.
Tuesday - 1st			
College Bible Study.....	Activities Building		7:00 p.m.
Thursday - 3rd			
First Bells	Choir Room		12:30 p.m.
Spark Adventure	Education Building		5:50 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room		6:45 p.m.
Sunday - 6th			
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.
Youth Sunday Night	Activities Building		6:00 p.m.
Tuesday - 8th			
College Bible Study.....	Activities Building		7:00 p.m.
Wednesday - 9th			
CDC Committee Meeting	Library		5:45 p.m.
Thursday - 10th			
First Bells	Choir Room		12:30 p.m.
Stewardship Committee Mtg	Library		5:00 p.m.
Spark Adventure	Education Building		5:50 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room		6:45 p.m.
Saturday - 12th			
Preschool Valentines Dance	Fellowship Hall		10:00 a.m.
Sunday - 13th			
Children's Committee Mtg	Fellowship Hall		12:00 p.m.
Children's Choir	Education Building		5:00 p.m.
College Super Bowl Party	TBA		5:00 p.m.
Youth Super Bowl Party.....	Activities Building		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.
Tuesday - 15th			
Deacons' Meeting.....	Fellowship Hall		6:30 p.m.
College Bible Study.....	Activities Building		7:00 p.m.



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GMO

Global Ministries Offering

Each year, we are intentional and generous in supporting ministries beyond the boundaries of our congregation. Annually, we encourage church members to pledge an additional offering that is dispersed throughout the world, supporting global missions, providing shelter, addressing local and world hunger, cultivating theological education, and assisting with disaster relief.

Global Ministries Offering Sunday will be on February 27. Gifts for the 2021-2022 GMO can be given until then, and February 27 will begin the 2022-2023 GMO budget. We have given \$17,095.00 to the current GMO budget, and our goal is \$23,5000.

MISSIONS

Loaves and Fishes

We continue to serve the needs of others during this time by paying for the meals we would normally deliver each week for Loaves and Fishes. If a Sunday School class, or individual, would like to contribute to this effort, please contact Gina Austin (865-654-5774) or Kristina Hickman (334-887-8506). Each week costs \$76.

Serving the Month of February

Greeters: TBA

Sound & Light: David Sutton, Chad Parish, Gary Cantini

Visitors: Gwynne Lovelady

Serving February 6, 2022

Extended Session: Marcie Smith, Jay Spiers, Terri Wood, Leigh Anne Armstrong

Serving February 13, 2022

Extended Session: Anna Thompson, Mark Coxwell

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